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Municipal Christmas Tree Grows In Public Favor

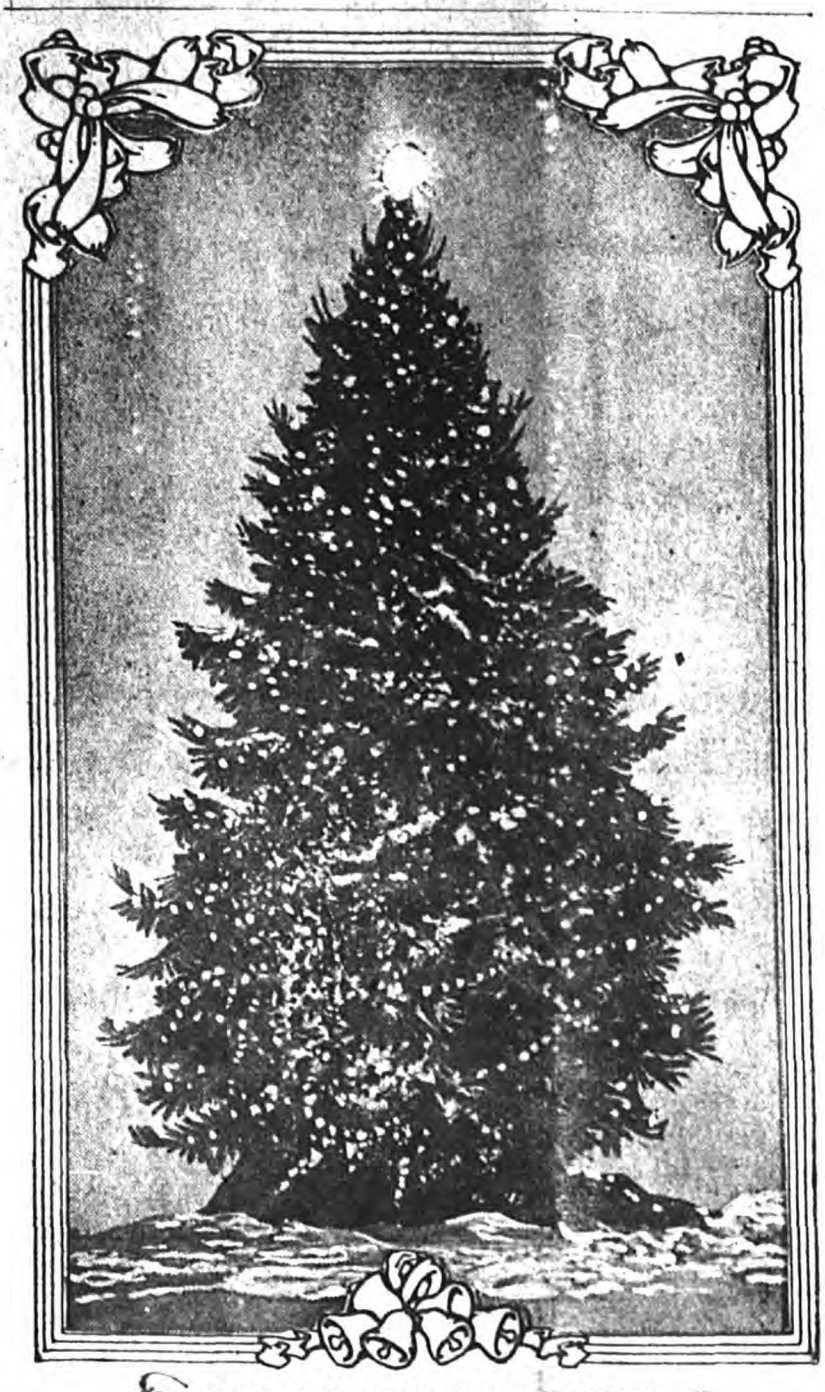
Every City and Town, Including This One, Should Erect This Visible Symbol of Belief In the Spirit of the Holy, Happy Yuletide Season.

EVERYBODY'S Christmas tree—the municipal Christmas tree, public symbol of belief in Christmas and its spirit—should grow and shed its glow of hope and faith in every city, town and village in the land. This place, as well as every other, needs its beneficial and regenerating presence. Join in the movement to rear it in our public square!

For his own sake, as well as for the sake of those who have no private Christmas trees of their own, every one should help in the movement for a municipal Christmas tree. Wherever it has been erected in the past it has helped to sweeten and brighten the Christmas season. It is the focus of a town's Christmas celebration, the radiant point from which stream influences of joy and helpfulness. To it, as to their own, turn those whose homes are unilluminated by the private Christmas tree's wonderful glow. And thus, it returns to their homes those to whom Christmas is a home festival, sacred and blissful, brightened and cheered by the thought that they have made Christmas better for others.

For two years the municipal Christmas tree, introduced into the United States from Europe, has stood with the custom of singing carols in the street, which revives an old time Yule joy, for a newer, brighter and bigger Christmas festival.

Through these agencies the Christmas holiday season is taking on a new tone. It is becoming more of a public function, participated in by the organized public, and less the chimney corner celebration of the family. Not that the home Christmas is being done away with, but that the celebration which reaches "the lonesome poor and rich," that is participated in by the church, charity organizations and the municipality, is forging to the front all over the country.



MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE ILLUMINATED.

Everybody's Christmas Tree—The Municipal Tree

Above the bustle and wear and tear Of a city's life, in a busy square, The Yule tree stands, with its open hands, A symbol of love for all who share, And great and small respond to the call Of the bell's chimes till one and all Forsake the shop and the guilded home, For the Christ Child's voice is calling "Come, Oh, come, for my festival is free, And Love a host at my Christmas tree!"

They gather—the rich and poor are one— Parent and child and the stranger lone, For the heart of the city goes out tonight In a chorus of music, a flood of light, And the Christ Child spirit, divinely fair, That illumined the manger, cold and bare, Is born again in the city square. —Jean Cocteau, Franklin in Pittsburgh Dispatch.

BINDS ALL TOGETHER.

Municipal Christmas Tree Idea Indorsed by President Wilson.

President Wilson indorsed the community Christmas tree idea, started in 1912 in New York, when a huge fir tree, standing in the center of Madison Square Garden and throwing its light for many blocks, was a gift given to hundreds in the city. The plan was so successful that forty-seven of the larger cities of the United States, including Washington, had the same sort of celebration on Dec. 26 of 1913, and the number of 1914 municipal Christmas trees was planned to be still larger.

A copy of the statement issued by the president when his patronage was asked for the community tree in Washington was made public by the persons who were responsible for the tree in Madison Square Garden. The community idea, said the president in this statement, has in it great possibilities for good. If the plan involved pity or patronage it would fail; if it were by one class for another class it would not be a community affair. But a tree for all the people would help them realize the things which bind them together as people.

Community Tree a Grand Success.

The first municipal Christmas tree of Burlington, Ia., proved a grand success. A tree thirty feet high was erected in a central location and lighted with small incandescent bulbs. The mayor opened the program with a brief address. Band music and songs by church choirs, choruses from various schools and quartets followed.

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Opportunity of Christmas of Bringing Happiness to Children Should Not Be Passed By.

Christmas, the celebration of the birthday of the Divine Child, is particularly the children's festival. And while it cannot, too, but be a time of special rejoicing among grown-ups, we realize after all, that it has no other charm to compare with the pleasure we take in some kid's delight over the doll or drum or picture book that our special Santa Claus has brought him.

This opportunity of making some child's Christmas one of surpassing joy, of which he will carry a gracious and ennobling memory into after life, years, it may be, after our direct influence for good or evil will have ceased forever—this opportunity of giving pleasure is one of the best that life has to offer us. And perhaps the greatest opportunity is his who in place of home times, has the wide, gray world of homeless, loveless, unhappy childhood from which to choose the most needy recipient of his Christmas giving. The chances of giving happiness in this way are so many, the means so simple, and the deed itself so worthy, that no one of us should let the season pass unimproved.

Satisfied.

He was a poor man but a contented one. Santa Claus came to him and said:

"What do you want, my friend?" "Nothing," he replied, with becoming modesty, which he hoped would be rewarded.

And Santa Claus was so pleased that he gave it to him and passed on.



Papa's Suggestion.

Miss Poodick (who is self-willed)—I wish I knew what to give dear Charles for a Christmas gift. Poodick, papa (who hates "dear Charles")—Give him a wide berth.



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Municipal Celebration Comes From Old Germany.

Many beautiful legends are connected with such a municipal Christmas tree as it is proposed to have in this city.

According to an old German tradition, St. Wilfred gets the credit of transforming the tree worship of the savage Teutons to a Christian ceremony. It was in the year 725 that he led a party of priests into central Germany for the conversion of the worshippers of the god Thor. Prince Gregor, the son of a king, was with him, and was entrusted to his care by the address of the cloister Phazel. The Christians were fighting the heathens through the snow of the forest when they came upon the heathen tribe at Hilsnar. They were assembled under the thunder oak, symbolic of the power of Thor, and were prepared to offer up sacrifice. The white-haired priest of the heathens had chosen the young son of the chief as the fattest possession of the tribe, and he was to be offered for the god was very angry and needed the utmost atonement.

As the venerable priest raised his stone hatchet on high and brought it down to kill the boy, who was ready and prepared for the stroke, Wilfred appeared and ward off the blow with his staff. The people were gratified at his saving their favorite and allowed him speech, and he gave them the creed of the Christians. Then he and Prince Gregor took their axes and cut down the thunder oak. As it was ready to fall the lightning came and split it in many parts, and it fell asunder. The waiting tribe then beheld in its place a slender fir tree, green and sparkling and odorous. Wilfred bade the tribesmen to bear this tree to the hall of Grunliar, the chieftain, where there assemble about it and make merry. About this first Christmas tree the wild men of the woods first heard the tale of the shepherd boy and the fields of Judah, and it gripped their sturdy hearts. The tribes became Christian and ever after used the fir tree as a token of the day of Christ's birth.

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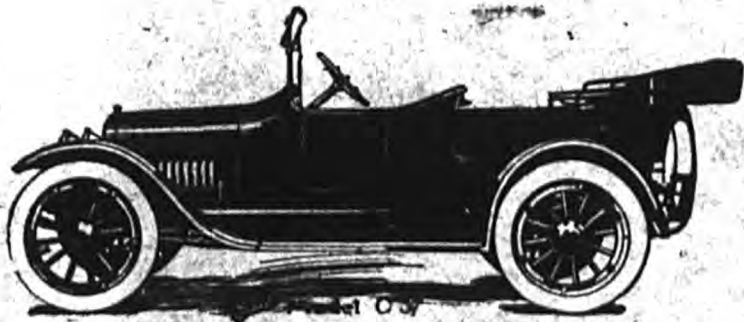
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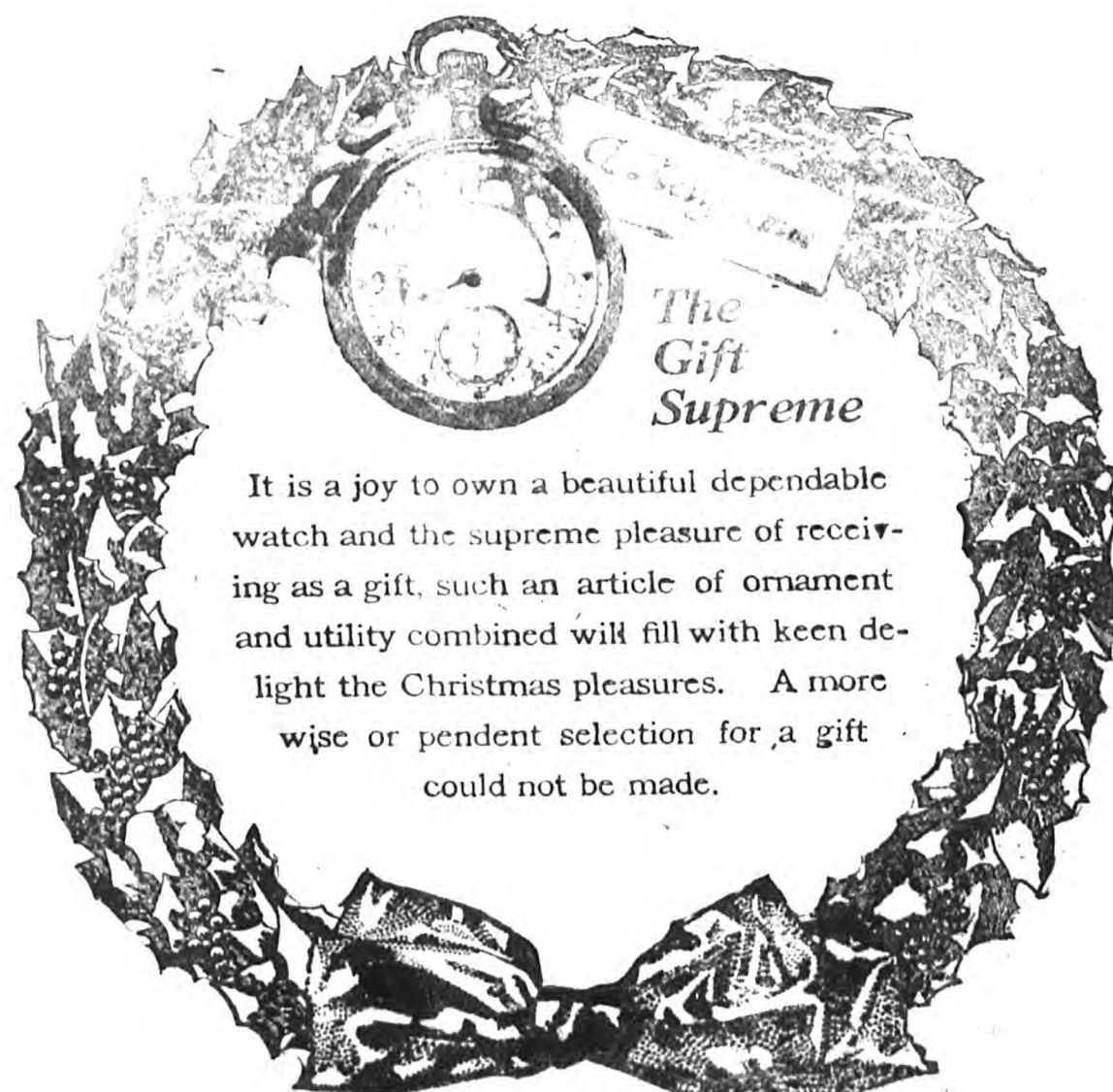
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BIG XMAS MONEY

Farmers & Merchants Bank, Send Out \$40,000 To Holiday Fund—Great Help.

The Farmers and Merchants bank of this city has sent out the Christmas savings checks to more than 1,500 members of their Christmas Savings Club this week. The amount of this distribution is \$40,000, which is the largest sum this bank has ever distributed from the Christmas Club. Last year the sum amounted to about \$20,000.

This vast sum of money distributed to more than 1,500 people in this vicinity will mean much to these depositors. It will provide Christmas money to many people who would otherwise not have it to spend during the holidays, and it will mean more to the merchants of Salisbury. In fact, it is hard to estimate just what the letting loose of this amount of money all at one time will mean to the merchants of this city. Forty thousand dollars distributed in one day to this number of people means that at least 90 per cent of it will be spent at once. It was saved for that purpose alone. It was placed in the banks in small weekly payments which did not mean much to each individual member of the club, but when drawn out and distributed by the bank it makes a huge sum which will help to make a very prosperous Christmas to the merchants of this city.

The Farmers and Merchants bank was the first financial institution of Salisbury to start this kind of savings for the people and it has proven most successful. The new Christmas Savings Club opens at this bank on December 21, and it is expected that next year there will be at least 2,000 members and that the sum that will be distributed this time next year will amount to at least \$60,000.

The Christmas Savings club not only helps hundreds of people to get together money for Christmas, but it also has its good effect in teaching children as well as grown people the art of savings and is the means of creating thrift and frugality among all classes of people. It also aids the bank in getting acquainted with these customers who may be small customers now, but large ones in the future. The officers and directors of the Farmers and Merchants bank are to be congratulated on their foresight in thus providing a means of saving in this community which is growing every year. The merchants should feel grateful to the bank for starting this work in Salisbury, because in the long run the merchants are the real people who benefit by the Christmas Savings club. The bank gets practically nothing out of the arrangement as it costs the bank in time, stationery, advertising and clerical force as well as the interest paid out more than the accumulation amounts to in interest by having the fund.

When the plan was started three years ago it was not thought it would ever reach the large proportions it has now reached, but the management at the Farmers and Merchants bank now feel sure that the next club will be the largest in the history of the institution and that it will continue to grow all the time.

Oyster Ground Application

Published charts of the natural oyster grounds in or adjacent to Wicomico County are now on file in the office of the Board of Shell Fish Commissioners of Maryland.

Published charts of the natural oyster bars of Wicomico County are filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County.

Notice is hereby given that all protests against the granting of said leases must be filed in the Circuit Court of Wicomico County on or before the 27th day of January, 1915.

Applicant: Address Acres
W. J. Willing, Bivalve, Md., three

Located in the Nantuxco River on the eastern side thereof, north of Bivalve wharf and east of "Hickory Nut" Natural Oyster Bar, as shown on Published Chart No. 11.

FARM FOR RENT

Sixty acre farm, of which 45 acres are in good state of cultivation; splendid 8-room farm house in fine condition; barn and suitable outbuildings. Address: L. B. LOCK BOX 425 Salisbury, Maryland

FARM FOR SALE

Thirty acre farm near Fritland, 5 acres timber, 2 acres in strawberries, small frame house and outbuildings, some fruit trees. Cheap to quick purchaser. \$250 cash, balance long time. J. C. BYARS, 926 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D. C.

Only three-quarters of a mile remains of the gap in the Federalburg Denton state road, which so long has been in a state of construction. This would probably have been completed this week but for the fact that the bridge broke, necessitating further delay. It will not be long however before there will be a continuous state road through the country.

WICOMICO'S

DOUBLE WEDDING

The Misses Bessie May and Nellie Leah Graham Married on Thanksgiving Day.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stuart Graham at Quantico, was the scene of a beautifully appointed double wedding at high noon on Thanksgiving day, when their oldest daughters, Miss Bessie May and Miss Nellie Leah Graham became the wives respectively of Mr. Joseph Albert Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Lowe, of Mardella Springs, and Dr. Jacquelin Smith Cooley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cooley, Middletown, Va. The Rev. Reuben Bancroft Whipple, pastor of Spring Hill and Stepheny parishes, officiated at the ceremony, and Miss Mattie Henderson Bailey served as organist.

While the Messrs. Harland Lucine Graham and J. A. Stuart Graham, Jr., brothers of the brides, were seating the guests, "The Humoresque," and "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" were rendered by Miss Bailey.

To the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march the bridal procession was led down the steps and into the parlor by Rev. Whipple, who was immediately followed by the maids of honor, the Miss Maude Alice and Kate Lay Graham, sisters of the brides. The brides entered the parlor on the arms of the grooms and were met at the altar by their father who gave them in marriage. Immediately after entering the parlor and just before the ceremony the Episcopal wedding hymn, "O Perfect Love" was sung by Miss Kate Graham, accompanied by Miss Bailey.

The brides were dressed alike in hand-made gowns of carded crepe marquisette, draped in net, their veils being caught at the back with lilies of the valley and ferns. They carried shower bouquets of bride's roses and lilies of the valley, and each wore at her throat a breastpin, heirlooms of the family.

The maids of honor wore gowns of white silk crepe and net. The grooms and ushers wore the conventional black.

After the ceremony the bridal party and guests entered the dining room where a wedding breakfast was served.

The brides' going-away gowns were of chiffon broadcloth with hats and gloves to match. Mrs. Lowe wearing the season's new shade, Ethiopian brown and Mrs. Cooley dark navy blue. They were motored to Salisbury where Mr. and Mrs. Lowe left on a north bound train for Philadelphia, New York and a trip up the Hudson, after which they will reside in Mardella Springs, where Mr. Lowe is engaged in farming.

Dr. and Mrs. Cooley went direct to Washington, where the former is employed with the department of agriculture, and where they will make their home.

The house was very tastefully decorated in autumn leaves, sumacs and chrysanthemums. In the parlor where the scene was yellow and green, the brides and grooms knelt on green satin pillows before an altar fashioned of leaves and candles, with pine needles strewn about. The centerpieces in the diningroom were made of sumacs and leaves. Cards painted by Miss Gate Graham marked the places, in addition to which bunches of chrysanthemums and autumn leaves tied with white satin ribbon lay at the brides' places.

Only a few outside the immediate members of the families were present. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Reese Lowe, Mr. George Lowe and Mr. George Robertson, Mardella Springs; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. B. Bradley, Salisbury; Miss Anne Dashiell and Mrs. A. F. Robertson, Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Graham, Mrs. H. L. Graham, Mr. John C. Bailey and Miss Bailey, Quantico.

DELIGHTFUL HOUSE PARTY

Entertained During the Thanksgiving Holidays by Miss Jacobs.

Miss E. Vaughn Jacobs was hostess at a house party at Thanksgiving time. Everybody arrived in time for the feast Thursday afternoon, and the happy times at "Camp Hataquitit" on Chester river, were recalled as the guests enjoyed the celebrations planned by their charming hostess. The pleasant weather permitted the party to explore the beauties of Wicomico as far as Tony Tank, while the enjoyable pastimes indoors made the hours fly swiftly. The guests were Misses Grace Jennings, Helen Peck, Jessie Peck of Baltimore, Md.; Zora Joslin of Sudleraville, Md.; Dr. Herbert Goddington and Dr. C. Lorwig Joslin of Baltimore; Mr. Harry Nuttle of Andertown, Md., and Mr. John R. Millman of Washington, D. C.

A TEACHERS SCHOOL

To Be Instituted at Ocean City, Unique Building Under Way.

The school commissioners and the county school superintendents of the state held a convention in Baltimore last week and announced plans for a summer school at Ocean City to begin about the middle of June. This school is to be established for the benefit of those teachers who lack the professional training now required by law to qualify them for teaching.

One of the purposes of the legislature in erecting a commodious state building in Ocean City was to provide for such an institution as the summer school now proposed. The session next summer is to be an experiment. If it is sufficiently patronized and promises to become a beneficial factor in the state's educational system, it is believed that provision will be sought for its permanent establishment.

Undoubtedly the school will prove a most attractive affair with the teachers, as it will combine a summer outing and a summer's study at a locality that has every attraction in summer both as a resort and as an educational center.

Ocean City has planned next year to entertain a larger number of conventions than has ever before assembled there.

Another matter considered by the Baltimore convention was athletics. This subject, after general discussion, was referred to the Public Athletic League of Baltimore City and Dr. Burdick of that organization will endeavor to arrange contests between the counties and hold a carnival of athletics in Baltimore next spring where prizes will be awarded as an inducement to the best efforts in every school of the state.

The convention elected the following officers:

President—A. Taylor Smith of Allegany county.

First Vice President—A. J. Pie-lach of Baltimore.

Second Vice President—Morris A. Walton of Wicomico county.

Treasurer—George W. Joy of St. Mary's county.

Work on the new state school building at Ocean City is progressing fairly well. The building is to be rather unique. It is a square structure and the first floor is to be a large auditorium occupying the entire first floor, excepting only a small space for a vestibule. This room will have an ample stage and will be well adapted to the needs of large gatherings, such as the school and the institutes and other assemblies will need. The second story will be given to class rooms which will be large. The school will be located on the west side of Baltimore street opposite St. Paul's-by-the-Sea, in the upper part of the town, one square from the boardwalk.

OAKLAND

Mrs. Emoe F. Chatham, wife of Wesley Chatham, died at her home in Salisbury early Saturday morning, Nov. 28, in the sixty-eighth year of her age. It was the request of one of her beloved ones that her death be written for the Advertiser by the writer here, as a tribute of respect from her old neighborhood, where she spent 29 years of her life, and made many friends, and no one outside the family can feel more deeply interested in saying something for her than the writer, by whom she had been well known for 35 years. She was a loving mother and companion, and a kind and obliging neighbor. She had lived a Christian life from girlhood and leaves footprints on the sands of time well worthy to be followed. The last six years of her life were spent at Salisbury during most of which time she suffered from a complication of diseases. While her health never permitted her to see her old home again after leaving it, she still held it dear to memory and was always delighted when any of her old friends here called to see her. The kindness she rendered to some of us during the many years she lived in this community will never be forgotten.

Though her sufferance had been great we are glad to know that, as the sunset of life drew near, all pain ceased and she passed calmly and peacefully away. She left a companion, one son, and one daughter to mourn their earthly loss which we feel and know is her heavenly gain. Funeral services were held at her late home on South Division street, Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. L. F. Warner, where a vast throng of relatives and friends were gathered to pay their last tribute of respect. The remains were carried to Parson's cemetery where they were gently laid to await the morning of the great awakening, when, bedecked in his heavenly array, carrying with him a palm of victory, "On the Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" we expect to meet her again.

We extend to her loved ones our deepest sympathy and ask them to lean upon "Everlasting Arms."

A CANDIDATE

FOR GOVERNOR

Spent Part of Week in Salisbury—What Mr. Linthicum Had to Say.

Congressman J. Chas. Linthicum of Baltimore, paid a visit to Wicomico county Democrats Wednesday evening, spending the night and a part of Thursday here, in the interest of his campaign for the Democratic nomination for governor.

He gave out the following for publication:

"In line with my resolution to go direct to the people with my candidacy for the gubernatorial nomination I am now in Salisbury, during the past few days having visited Chestertown, Centerville and Easton. I am delighted with the evidences of progress everywhere apparent on the Eastern Shore, the cordial reception I have received and the substantial encouragement given my candidacy. I feel entirely at home here for I have many warm friends on this side of the Bay and if we had more direct and convenient route to Baltimore I believe many of your people would find your acquaintances from up that way visiting you with a great deal more frequency. It seems to me that the time has come when it would be profitable to connect up these Eastern Shore cities with electric or motor bus lines. I believe there is enough travel at this time to justify the expenditure without considering that every means of communication stimulates intercourse between the communities it connects. It is difficult to conceive what a great boon such lines would be to this thriving section. They are bound to come and it strikes me that now is the time."

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"I am ambitious to see Maryland not only in the front rank of the states of the Union, but I want her a leader and a model for the others to follow, and that is where I believe she is getting. I am convinced that Maryland is on the threshold of an era of unprecedented development and prosperity and that the next decade will witness gigantic strides in her advancement. We have worked for this for a long time and are now about to realize the fruits of our efforts. Our splendid system of highways is being rapidly perfected. Our schools give splendid educational facilities. With good roads, good schools, daily mail service, the parcel post and a constantly growing demand for all the products of the farm at increased prices, there should be a decided increase in our agricultural population and our unused farm lands should be taken up by those who will find it profitable to cultivate them to their maximum productivity."

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JAMES L. BENNETT

Passes Away At Good Old Age—Had Led An Active Life.

Mr. James L. Bennett died at his home on Elizabeth street, this city, Friday morning. Mr. Bennett was the son of the late E. T. and Sallie Bennett of this county. He went to Somerset county in his early manhood to enter into the merchandise business, in which business he was very successful. He retired from active business about five years ago and moved with his family to Salisbury, where he has since resided. He had been associated with many of the business enterprises of the two counties and acted as director in several of its institutions and was one of the original directors of the Bank of Somerset at the time of his death. He never took any active part in politics and although requested on several occasions to become his party's candidate, he always declined.

Mr. Bennett was an active member of the M. E. church at Chance, Md., since early manhood and took a leading part in all its activities.

In 1873 he married Miss K. A. V. Tignor, who died in 1900, and he left surviving by this marriage four children: L. Atwood Bennett, attorney at law, Salisbury; Mrs. William C. Todd, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Peter W. Price and Harley D. Bennett, of Chance, Md. He afterwards married Miss Lena A. Kelley, of Chance, who, together with his two infant children by this marriage survive him. He is also survived by the following brothers: E. T. Bennett, Gillis E. Bennett and I. S. Bennett of this county, and Rev. L. A. Bennett, of Milford, Del. Interment will be made in the family burying lot at Chance, Md., on Sunday next at 11 a. m.

LOCAL CHAPTER WORKERS

For Blind Held Meeting in Court House On Tuesday.

The Salisbury chapter of the Maryland Association of Workers for the Blind met in the court house on Tuesday evening. The attendance was large, some 200 being present. Many school children were present.

This association is a state organization and exists for the purpose of aiding in the education of the blind and in the adoption of measures for preventing blindness, especially among the children.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. James E. Ellegood in the absence of Mr. Wm. P. Jackson, who was expected to preside, but was out of the city. The local committee is composed of Mr. B. Frank Kennerly as chairman, and Messrs. L. W. Gunby, James E. Ellegood, Wm. G. Holloway and Fred P. Adkins.

There was an interesting exhibit of articles made by the blind. There are now 12 blind persons in Salisbury and some of these are being taught and otherwise aided by the agent of the chapter, Miss Kavanaugh.

Mr. George R. Bellows, chairman of the state association, is a remarkable example of the efficiency of a well educated blind man in charge of a large business concern. Mr. Bellows is the manager of the Western Newspaper Union of Baltimore and is recognized as one of the most efficient men in his line of business in the country. His concern furnishes newspapers throughout the country with "ready print" pages and with plate matter designed to furnish interesting matter for papers not prepared to set all of their own type.

The principal addresses were by Mr. William H. Davenport, secretary of the state board of aids and charities, and Mr. George W. Connor, of the Maryland Workshop for the Blind. Both speakers emphasized the importance of conserving the eye sight, the reduced value of the person to the community who loses his sight. The particular matter urged by these speakers was the importance of discovering and preventing threatened blindness, especially in the school children. Inspection of the sight of the school children was urged as necessary in order to prevent many cases of blindness.

Music was furnished by two blind gentlemen who are an example of the efficiency of the methods used in education of the sightless. Mr. John Evans is a pianist and Mr. Arthur Richmond is a vocalist of good ability and they rendered some very pleasing selections.

Miss Kavanagh is in charge of the educational work in this part of the state and is said to be doing excellent work.

Contributions are necessary to the success of this work and any person desiring to aid in it should make their contributions to one of the members of the committee or to Miss Kavanagh. There is just at present a vacancy in the treasurership.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram, instructors in Beacom's Business College, spent Thanksgiving with friends and relatives in Chestertown.

ANOTHER BIG IMPROVEMENT

Large Garage to Be Built by Wicomico Ice Parties.

The vacant lot situated between the B. C. & A. depot and the Atlantic Hotel at Ocean, Md., has been leased by Messrs. Pratt D. Phillips and R. Fulton Waller, of Salisbury, Md., for the purpose of erecting an immense garage. The parties are having plans drawn by an experienced garage architect. It is stated that it will be the largest structure of its kind in the state of Maryland, having ample accommodations for storing 300 automobiles. The building will be fire-proof and constructed with the most up-to-date equipment in every particular. The building will cost around \$5,000 when completed, dimensions to be 110x150 feet, having two floors of 17,000 square feet each. They will install an elevator of 7,000 pounds capacity. These parties will have cars to hire by the hour, day and week, and will sell accessories, etc.

They will also deal in new and second hand cars. The building is to be open to the public not later than May 15, 1915.

Such a garage will be a credit to Ocean City and should afford the best of service to the automobilist, at reasonable charges.

BIG MINSTRELS COMING

Arcade Theatre On Thursday Night, December 24th.

It is a fact that the real, original and only George Evans' Honey Boy Minstrels is coming to Salisbury, and not any make-believe imitation. And the show is complete. It will be at the new Arcade Theater December 24, opening night.

Furthermore, in the moving picture line, Paramount Pictures are coming. This is also something a little superior to anything hitherto seen in Salisbury. It is only recently that they have been announced as coming to Baltimore, and we quote the following announcement from the news columns of the Baltimore News:

Arrangements were made to bring the Paramount Picture Corporation productions to Baltimore. The Paramount program consists of a combination of the output of the Jesse L. Lasky Company, Famous Players Company and Bosworth, Inc. In this program will appear a number of the leading stars, including Mary Pickford, Dustin Farnum, Henrietta Crossman, John Barrymore, Lois Weber, Phillips Smalley, May Irwin, Hobart Bosworth, Max Fisman, Adele Rarrington, Charles Richmond, Marguerite Clark, Macklyn Arbuckle and a number of others. The Baltimore program will be opened with two pictures this week. Mary Pickford and Carlyle Blackwell will appear in the five act comedy drama, "Such a Little Queen," while Henrietta Crossman will appear in the four act production, "The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch." The latter story treats of a woman who is misunderstood by her husband and exiled from her own home. After years she creeps back to her old home on the eve of her daughter's wedding and catches only a glimpse of her child before she is ordered from her house. The play ends happily, however, when the mother and daughter are united. In "Such a Little Queen" there are many humorous as well as pathetic situations. It shows that the queen of one little country, and the king of another little country, both exiled, meet in America. They work in the same office and fall in love. After many hardships and unusual situations they are again called to their respective thrones and the two little countries are united through the marriage of their rulers.

CASE ENDS IN EASTON

Arson Case Excited Much Interest in Talbot County.

Mrs. Virginia Rudder and her maid, Mollie Simms of Baltimore, who were charged with arson in burning a summer home dwelling in Cecil county, Md., June 7, 1913, occupied the attention of the Talbot county court at Easton last Monday. Tuesday and Wednesday before a jury, which, after a long drawn out legal battle of three days, resulted in acquittal of the defendants. The case was removed to Talbot from Cecil county. The maximum penalty under the law is death or 20 years in the penitentiary.

The case was tried before 11 jurors, one juror being ill on the panel and was excused by the state and by the defense. State's Attorneys Henry L. Butler of Talbot county, appeared for the state, assisted by State Fire Marshal Myers and State Detective John Kratz in the prosecution. Alexander M. Jackson and Alonzo L. Miles of this city represented the defendants.

ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE

Services Will Be Held in Ulman's Grand Opera House.

Salisbury Lodge, No. 817, B. P. O. E., will hold its memorial service next Sunday afternoon in Ulman's opera house, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The members of the lodge will meet at the Elks' home and march in a body to the opera house. The public is cordially invited to the service.

A splendid program of vocal music will be rendered by our best home talent, consisting of solos, quartets, duets, etc. Prof. Scheidter's orchestra will render several selections.

The memorial address will be delivered by State Senator Wm. J. Ogden, of Baltimore, and the eulogy by Rev. J. Calloway Robertson of Salisbury.

Five members of Salisbury lodge have passed away since the last memorial service was held.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for Sunday's service is composed of Messrs. E. K. Truitt, C. Lee Gillis, C. Edgar Laws, H. Winter Owens and Walter E. Disharoon.

Gov. Goldsborough states that he has decided to declare Saturday, Dec. 26 a legal holiday. Christmas will fall on Friday, and he believes it would be well not to sandwich a work day between Christmas and Sunday. Thus the holidays will begin on Friday and continue over until Monday.

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Yes, Make It A Family Affair, Let FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHER, SISTER and BABY JOIN THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK X-MASS SAVINGS CLUB

The Easy and the Sure Way to Save The First Payment Makes You a Member A Few Cents Each Week Keeps It Up No Admission. No Fees. No Fines. No Trouble. Just a Good Sized Check and Happiness for Everybody Next Christmas.

Hundreds will join. The Enrollment this Year will be larger than ever. Go with the Crowd. Get Your Friends to Join.

Club Starts December 21st, 1914



We're Almost Ready For X-mas

Christmas stocks are coming in daily and as quickly as possible they are being placed in their proper places. Many assortments are ready to choose from—the "shop early" folks will find selection very satisfactory even now.

When our plans are completed this will be the real "Christmas Store"—a place where your every gift problem can be solved! Prices will be found fairest in every instance.

Below We Mention A Few of The Gift Assortments That Are Now Complete. See Them! Start Your Xmas Shopping at Once!

XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS FOR EVERYBODY

Our Xmas stock has but lately been properly placed on our shelves and we must say that it forms about the finest we have ever had. The assortments are almost unlimited! All the good kinds are here from the daintiest Irish Hand Embroidered, Irish Peasantry Embroidered, Swiss Peasantry Embroidered, Armenian Hand Lace Edge Glove Handkerchiefs and embroidered sorts for women, misses and children to the more practical kinds for men. Prices 5c to 75c each.

Guaranteed Kid Gloves for Xmas Giving

There isn't a more acceptable gift than a pair of gloves. You can find all men's, women's and children's sizes here in large assortments and of our regular dependable qualities. There is no better kind than the "J. E. S." Brand at our prices. \$1.00 to \$3.50.

EMPIRE ART SILVER NOVELTIES

They make very acceptable gifts and are easy to purchase because they're so inexpensive. This Empire Art Silverware is guaranteed to wear like sterling silver. Don't neglect seeing our assortments. Prices single pieces 25c to \$3.50. Sets \$1.00 to \$7.00.

Newest Ideas for Gift Leather Goods

Complete assortments of bags, party cases, party bags, etc. are here in the cleverest, most wanted styles. Pleasing prices assure easy selection. Prices 25c to \$15.00.

Women's Modish Dresses—For Personal Wear and as Gifts

These new dresses are clever and attractive—the kinds that please the most particular women. They particularly recommend themselves to you for their high quality fabrics, perfect making and correct models. All desirable materials and colors are represented, and prices are sure to please you.

All wool, double warp serge dresses \$5.50
Satin & Wool Combination Dresses, \$7.50 to \$10.50.

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Beautiful Silk Poplin Dresses \$11.50.

Two New Styles in Short Coat Suits

They're the latest military models—the most recent additions to our great collection of the season's finest styles. Don't neglect seeing these suits!

A NEW COAT STYLE

The silk plush coat—the best late model we've seen! This supplements an exceptionally good stock of most desirable coats. Inspect these garments—you'll like to choose one here!

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You couldn't think of any gifts that would please a woman more than a set of furs! Perhaps you didn't think it advisable to purchase at regular prices but the present cost of a set will enable you to buy now!

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MARKETING WORLD'S GREATEST PROBLEM

WE ARE LONG ON PRODUCTION, SHORT ON DISTRIBUTION.

By Peter Radford

Lecturer National Farmers Union

The economic distribution of farm products is today the world's greatest problem and the war, while it has brought its hardships, has clearly emphasized the importance of distribution as a factor in American agriculture and promises to give the farmers the co-operation of the government and the business men the solution of their marketing problem. This result will, in a measure, compensate us for our war losses, for the business interests and government have been in the main assisting almost exclusively on the production side of agriculture. While the department of agriculture has been dumping tons of literature on the farmer telling him how to produce, the farmer has been dumping tons of products in the nation's garbage can for want of a market.

The World Will Never Starve.

At no time since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden have the inhabitants of this world suffered from lack of production, but some people have gone hungry from the day of creation to this good hour for the lack of proper distribution. Slight variations in production have forced a change in diet and one local

ity has felt the pinch of want, while another has surfeited, but the world as a whole has never been a land of plenty.

We now have less than one-tenth of the tillable land of the earth's surface under cultivation and we not only have this surplus area to draw on but it is safe to estimate that in case of dire necessity one-half the earth's population could at the present time knock their living out of the trees of the forest, gather it from wild vines and draw it from streams. No one should become alarmed; the world will never starve.

The consumer has always feared that the producer would not supply him and his fright has found expression on the statute books of our states and nations and the farmer has been urged to produce recklessly and with out reference to a market, and regard less of the demands of the consumer. Back to the Soil.

The city people have been urging each other to move back to the farm, but very few of them have moved. We welcome our city cousins back to the soil and this earth's surface contains 16,000,000,000 idle acres of tillable land where they can make a living by tilling the earth with a forked stick, but we do not need them so far as increasing production is concerned; we now have all the producers we can use. The city man has very erroneous ideas of agricultural conditions. The commonly accepted theory that we are short on production is all wrong. Our annual increase in production far exceeds that of our increase in population.

The World as a Farm.

Taking the world as one big farm, we find two billion acres of land in cultivation. Of this amount there is approximately 750,000,000 acres on the

western end 1,250,000,000 acres on the eastern hemisphere. In cultivation. This estimate, of course, does not include grazing lands, forests, etc., where large quantities of meat are produced.

The world's annual crop approximates fifteen billion bushels of cereals, thirteen billion pounds of fibre and sixty-five million tons of meat.

The average annual world crop for the past five years, compared with the previous five years, is as follows:

Crops—	Decade	Previous Half Decade
Corn (Bu.)	3,334,174,000	3,403,655,000
Wheat (Bu.)	3,522,769,000	3,257,528,000
Oats (Bu.)	4,129,017,000	3,508,315,000
Cotton (Bales)	19,863,800	17,541,200

The world shows an average increase in cereal production of 13 per cent during the past decade, compared with the previous five years, while the world's population shows an increase of only three per cent.

The gain in production far exceeds that of our increase in population, and it is safe to estimate that the farmer can easily increase production 25 per cent if a remunerative market can be found for the products. In textile fibres the world shows an increase during the past half decade in production of 15 per cent against a population increase of three per cent.

The people of this nation should address themselves to the subject of improved facilities for distribution.

SELECT YOUR HERD BULL WITH CARE

The Sire Of the Herd Should Be Judged By the Production Of His Offspring.

G. E. WOLCOTT, Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station.

The care that should be exercised in selecting the herd bull is shown by the records of the Jersey herd at the University of Missouri.

The first bull used in this herd was Missouri Roter, a son of Bachelor of St. Lambert—the only animal of his pedigree known to be a strong breeder. The average production of his daughters was 1069 lbs. of milk and 18 lbs. of fat below that of their dams.

The next bull used was Hugarotus, an animal with no high producing individuals in his ancestry. His daughters produced 893 lbs. less milk than their dams; but the percentage of fat was much higher, making an increase in fat amounting to 14 lbs.

The third bull—Lorn of Meridale—had a fine pedigree; and his daughters increased the average production 1410 lbs. of milk and 66 lbs. of fat. The average production of his daughters was 6969 lbs. of milk and 287 lbs. of fat.

The next bull was Missouri Roter, 3rd, a son of Missouri Roter. His mother was the best cow in the herd.

His daughters produced 3220 lbs. of milk and 146 lbs. fat more than their dams.

Minette's Pedigree was used after Missouri Roter, 3rd. He was an animal of fine breeding with many high-class animals in his pedigree. Ten of his daughters were superior to their dams, and ten were inferior. There was an increase of 55 lbs. of milk and 4 lbs. of fat. This bull was holding the average of the herd.

Brown Bessie's Registrar was the last bull used with daughters old enough to test. The data regarding this bull are too limited to draw conclusions, but it is evident his daughters are inferior. The daughters produced 1734 lbs. milk and 76 lbs. fat less than their dams.

The records show the great care that should be used in selecting a bull, and the desirability of keeping the bull in the herd until the production of his daughters is known. Missouri Roter was sold before his daughters began to produce, and a valuable bull was lost to the breed.

In every field of human activity the demand for more competent men and women is growing every day. Especially so in agriculture.

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TAX DITCH NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all taxpayers and persons interested, that the County Commissioners of Wicomico County will take up for hearing and final ratification at their office in Salisbury, Md., the report of the tax ditch commissioners appointed to lay out a tax ditch known as the Gordy tax ditch in Parsons Election District, Wicomico County, Maryland, at 3 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, October 13th, 1914. The proposed ditch to commence at the Gordy mill pond on the north side thereof, on land of Zeno Tingle, and run through the lands of said Zeno Tingle, W. L. Morris, J. M. Morris, Clayton C. Parker and others and to the land of Josiah Hosmer and others.

By order of the County Commissioners of Wicomico County.
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Mortgagee's Sale OF VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from S. Thomas Gillis to Theodore S. Hearn dated July 29, 1911 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber E. A. 4, No. 75, folio 276, default having been made in the premises, the undersigned will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House, at Salisbury, Wicomico County, Md., on

Saturday, December 5th, 1914, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

All that lot of ground situated in Barren Creek Election District, Wicomico County, Maryland, near the village of Mardela Springs, on the East side of and bounding upon the county road leading from Barren Creek to Quantico, near the bridge across said creek, and adjoining the lands of Louis N. Wilson, containing one acre of land, more or less. Same land conveyed to S. Thomas Gillis by James E. Ellegood, trustee, and others by deed dated 30th day of April, 1902 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. T. No. 33, folio 126.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

L. ATWOOD BENNETT, Atty. named in the mortgage.

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Two Horses, gentle.
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When songbirds are singing their vespers
And day has far vanished from sight.
And then I will tell you, darling,
All the love I have cherished so long
If you but meet me at evening,
When you hear the sweet whippoorwill's song.

And in the long years of the future,
Though our duties may part us awhile,
And by the return of this evening
We be severed by many a mile;
Yet deep in our hearts we will cherish
The affection so fervent and strong
We pledged to each other this evening
When we heard the first whippoorwill's song.

CHORUS.
Whippoorwill, whippoorwill,
When you hear the sweet whippoorwill's song,
Oh, meet me, oh, meet me,
When you hear the sweet whippoorwill's song.

WAR AND KINGS.
We do not want others' blood,
and we refuse to shed our own.
George K. Kirkpatrick.
Let those who make the quarrels be the only ones to fight—
Alice L. Paris.
They shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks.—Isaiah II, 1.
And they shall build houses and inhabit them, and they shall plant vineyards and eat the fruit of them, and they shall not build and another inhabit. They shall not plant and another eat.—Isaiah LXV, 21, 22.
If any will not work neither shall they eat.—Thess. III, 10.

MY FRIENDS.
I tried to count my friends one day—
Since that day I have walked in awe.
I stopped my counting in dismay.
For, stretching far, in long array,
Still friends and friends I saw.
And then I said, all chokingly,
And faint with weight of happiness,
"Dear God, I pray that I may be
The man they think me—nothing less.
Oh, let me be until life ends
The man they think me, these my friends."
—Mary Carolyn Davies in Youth's Companion.

HONOR DEFINED.
The sense of honor is of so fine and delicate a nature that it is only to be met with in minds which are naturally noble or in such as have been cultivated by great examples or a refined education.—Addison.

Glory is sweet when our heart says to us that the wreath of honor ought to grace our heads.—Krummacker.

That chastity of honor which felt a stain like a wound.—Burke.

Honor and fame exist for him who always recognizes the neighborhood of the great, always feels himself in the presence of high causes.—Emerson.

THE SERENADERS.
A fiddler tried a serenade;
She didn't smile on him.
She scorned the music that he made—
Zim-zim.

A fellow with a banjo came;
The damsel didn't think
It worth emerging for his tame
Plink-plink.

The third arrival won the girl,
Although his tune was punk.
He drove up with a noisy whirr,
Honk-honk!
—Puck.

INFLUENCE.
Just as soon as you begin to think or do something you begin to have influence. Influence is something you can't keep at home. And when it gets away from you you can never recall it. Your influence makes you something of somebody else. Influence has no boundaries. Once started, though it may seem ever so trifling, yet it may have as its destination the farthest corners of the earth. If you would get a conception of power, realize the influence of a strong man.—George Matthew Adams.

How to Use Again.
To keep following hostile vessels or for purposes of attack when the conditions are right a German naval officer has invented a Greek fire that will burn while floating on water.

Her Two Steady Jobs.
When a woman really loves a man she takes equally great delight in making him comfortable when she thinks he is miserable and miserable when she finds him comfortable.—By

HUNGARY'S WAR SONG.
Lord of heaven, bless our land,
Joy and plenty here bestow;
In our need lift thine hand,
Strong to shield us from the foe.
Hungary in days of old,
Proud and fearless, staunch and free
Call'd her sons from field and fold
To die for liberty;
Call'd her sons from field and fold
To die for liberty.

Hail, all hail, holy land!
Crown'd with lonely mother's tears,
Onward lead, hero band,
Onward ever through the years.
Peace shall follow after pain,
Love shall garner in her store,
Freedom rises once again,
Shall live for evermore;
Freedom rises once again,
Shall live for evermore.

RUSKIN ON PAINTING.
Painting, with all its technicalities, difficulties and peculiar ends, is nothing but a noble and expressive language, invaluable as the vehicle of thought, but by itself nothing.

If it is the love of that which your work represents—if, being a landscape painter, it is the love of hills and trees that move you—if, being a figure painter, it is love of human beauty and human soul that moves you—if, being a flower or animal painter, it is love and wonder and delight in petal and in limb that moves you, then the spirit is upon you, and the earth is yours and the fullness thereof.

RURAL JOYS.
Sing a song of winter time,
Cold and bitter weather;
Meet it with a cheery rhyme,
All of us together!

Shut the window, light the lamp,
To the hearth draw nigher;
Thaw out all the frost and damp
At the open fire.

Toss a bagging on the blaze,
Spread the circle wider,
Talk and talk of other days—
Fetch a jug of cider.

Crack the nut and crack the jest
Mid the laughter lusty.
Now and then among the rest
(One is stale and musty.

Mother, fetch the gingerbread
And the apples mellow;
Even lovers must be fed—
Sally's got a fellow!

Sing a song of ice and snow.
Goodness, how we pity
Them that pleasure never know,
People of the city!

GOLDEN THOUGHTS.
That is never too often said which is never sufficiently learned.—Seneca.

What the law insists upon let it have of your free will.—Terence.

Let no man love himself more than his neighbor.—Cicero.

Life is given to no one for a lasting possession, to all for use.—Lucretius.

Live without envy, pray for peace and inglorious years and form friendships with your equals.—Ovid.

WISE DESIRES.
Of truth, of grandeur, beauty, love and hope—
And melancholy fear subdued by faith;
Of blessed consolations in distress;
Of moral strength and intellectual power;
Of joy in widest commonality spread; . . .
Of that intelligence which governs all;
I sing—"O audience let me find"— . . . may my life
Express the image of a better time,
More with desires and simpler manners.
—William Wordsworth.

SENTENCE SERMONS.
The cultivation of the mind is a kind of food supplied for the soul of man.—Cicero.
I trust no rich man who is of delicious kind to a poor man.—Plautus.
Being admonished, learn justice and despise not the gods.—Vergil.
The judge is condemned when the guilty is acquitted.—Synes.
Clemency alone makes us equal to the gods.—Claudianus.

Right.
The doctor may use hieroglyphics in writing his prescription, but he takes care to write his bill so we can understand it.—Norman Haggood.

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SPECIAL MEETING

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Annual Levy for City

To Whom It May Concern:

By order of the Mayor and Council of Salisbury, Maryland, notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Council will meet at their room in the City Hall, on

Monday, the 2nd day of November, 1914,

at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of making changes and additions to the assessments of property liable to taxation in Salisbury, Maryland, and also for the purpose of making the levy for 1914, and will hear all complaints in respect to changes or assessments, if any, up to MONDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Mayor and Council, of Salisbury on the 12th day of October, 1914.

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GOOD--AND GOOD MEN.

This country has seen a great many examples of "good men" elected to office in order that certain conditions might be remedied, and whose administration resulted in a miserable failure; neither correcting the evils it was intended to correct nor stopping others of equally questionable character from creeping in. Sometimes, it is true, that the man so elected made good, but so seldom as to make it the exception instead of the rule. The question that has puzzled the brain of many students of our form of government, is the cause of this.

It can not be due to the fact that so much is expected of a "reform" administration, making the accomplishments insignificant when compared therewith, for often these administrations seem to have succeeded in bettering nothing at all. Perhaps a part of it may be found in the mistaken idea that because a man is "good" he is qualified to fill any position, regardless of mental deficiencies.

"Goodness," though the most estimable trait of mankind, is not even in its broadest sense synonymous with ability—nor even strength or determination. Taking the popular meaning of "goodness," one may remember the classification of the philosopher of old, who divided the "good" into two classes—positive and negative. The negative composed of those who in their own life refrained from doing most of the things that the laws of morality and decency forbade, living an exemplary life—as far as their individual morals were concerned—but stopping there.

This type of man teaches a valuable lesson, but stops far short of the goal. While not selfish, he at the same time takes no positive steps to help his fellow man—simply goes his way leaving to others the same opinion. This negative "goodness" refrains from open criticism of man or deed—neither censures nor denounces—contents itself with disagreeing—and goes its way in silence and peace.

The possessor is for the most part good because in making him there was placed an instinctive desire for personal cleanliness, purity and amiability, with a strong distaste for the vulgar, licentious and riotous. He is good by nature—or at least, decent. This type seldom makes enemies. Everyone has a good word for them, and it is because of this they are most often chosen to lead the fight for reform. Such a man runs well in elections and is selected to fill a place which requires more than negative goodness to fill. While a good soldier in the ranks he has not an essential qualification as a commander-in-chief. By nature he shrinks from a positive course, the result is an uncertain, wobbly course, that neither benefits nor betters.

A man of peace, he is like unto a fish out of water, when called upon to lead the fighting clan—lacking in initiative, lacking in firmness and positiveness—without executive abilities, he shirks without intending to shirk; he hesitates without knowing why.

Character should be the first thing demanded of the man seeking public office, but by character let us not be misunderstood to mean simply "negative goodness," but to a good and clean life let us add the other essentials, firmness, virility and mental fitness.

By the positive type of "goodness" the philosopher quoted did not mean an impatient, unsympathetic, overbearing martinet, but one who not only refrained from doing evil, but one ever ready to assist others in doing likewise. One though ever ready to condemn publicly that which is wrong, was ever holding out—not a tolerant—but a sympathetic hand to the unfortunate wrongdoer.

A positive "good man" is defined as an active, virile force ever ready to fight immorality whenever and wherever found; whose motto is that Right is Right and Wrong is Wrong whether in himself, his neighbors or the commonwealth. His sympathy for the erring is the sympathy of the strong for the weak—a kindly, brotherly, protecting sympathy. His denunciations and arraignments are for the crimes themselves, for immorality and conditions; his activities are not for the prosecution or persecution of the evil-doer, but for the remedying of

conditions that make such things possible—to create around him a purer and truer atmosphere—to prevent rather than to punish. It is fairly easy to picture to ourselves an ideal, but to find a living personification of such is another thing. Perfection is not found here below, and the best we can do is to use our judgment as to qualifications, having a single eye to public weal.

We don't want the corrupt, the unclean, the impure nor the negative good as commanders; nor do we want the narrow-minded, the intolerant, the inefficient. We want men with a steady, firm and certain stride, virile and active, who will fight the battle out, not expecting to go at a single bound from valley to mountain top. Men with a definite end in view, whose every compromise is an advance towards the goal, who are able to size up accurately a situation, and get from it the best possible results under the given conditions.

It is recognized in actual warfare that an untenable advanced position is a menace to any cause—no portion of an army must go forward any faster than

it can be supported in force by the other divisions. This is to a great extent true of public affairs—we want to advance—ever advance—but not so fast but what the positions taken can be held. Education must precede laws—even those on morality—for no law is effective unless backed up by Public Sentiment. The idea of passing a law and then educating the people up to its advantages is like putting the cart before the horse. Genuine, thorough, lasting reform must ever be slow, but a new day is dawning in public affairs and the promise of better things grows brighter and brighter. The old idea of government for the few at the expense of the many is giving away to an idea of government for the many with justice and fair treatment to all.

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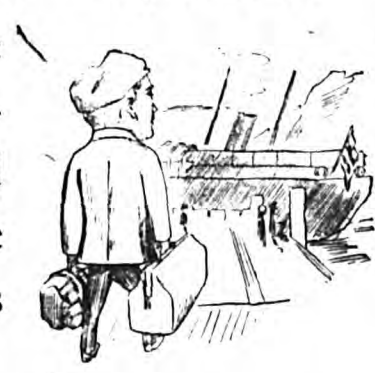


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THE ADVERTISER will be pleased to receive items such as engagements, weddings, parties, teas and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present, for this department. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

Remember the Company I Minstrels. Watch for the date.

Miss Louise Gullett spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Baltimore.

Rev. Julius A. Herold will preach in the Wicomico Presbyterian church Sunday, Dec. 6, morning and evening.

Mrs. W. C. Gullett, Master Wilmer and Miss Lucile Gullett have returned from a visit to relatives in Federalburg.

There will be a meeting of the Salisbury Grange at the I. O. F. hall Saturday, Dec. 5. Election of officers will be in order.

The young people of Bethel M. P. church will hold a social at the Porter mill school house Dec. 12. Proceeds for the church. Everyone invited.

There will be divine service at Maryland Springs next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. E. E. Krause will preach.

A. M. Jackson, Esq., of this city, went to Easton Monday to take part as counsel in the trial of cases removed from Cecil county to the Talbot court.

Mr. Clinton Krause and family of Salisbury, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Krause's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wimbrough in Berlin.

Dr. and Mrs. John M. Toulson and Dr. and Mrs. J. McFadden Dick motored to Chestertown Sunday and dined with Mr. Toulson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hubbard and child of Philadelphia, were guests of relatives here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Harry Mayer and children of Dover, were guests at the Ellegood home on North Division street last week.

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Three carloads of automobiles delivered at Parkley last week show conclusively that the potato crops have brought a great deal of money to our Virginia neighbors.

Mr. G. M. Pryor brought to this office during the past week a giant turnip that weighs just one-half an ounce less than four pounds. Mr. Pryor has collected from his crop a bushel of turnips, all of which weigh over three pounds.

Salisbury's auto street car service will soon be in operation. According to reports from the offices of the Peninsula Rapid Transit Co. two of the new cars, each carrying 36 passengers, are expected to arrive this week.

On Thanksgiving day the Home for the Aged received liberal donations of fruits, jellies, vegetables, canned goods, etc., from the Junior Epworth League of Asbury M. E. church and the Ladies' Guild of St. Peter's church, and choice ice cream from the Gellinger Co.

The ladies of the Wicomico Presbyterian church will give a supper at the manse on North Division st., on December 8 and 9. There will be a table of fancy work and aprons, also one for home made candy. If you are looking for something for a Christmas present, maybe you can find it there.

Mr. J. Calvin Morris, for several years, the expert chauffeur in the family of the late Governor Jackson, has launched out into business for himself by opening up a garage on South Division street, not far from Jackson Bros. Co.'s mill. New machinery and tools have been installed for the thorough repair of automobiles.

It was announced last Saturday that Internal Revenue Collector Joshua W. Miles of the Delaware-Maryland-District of Columbia collection district had appointed as his deputies for Delaware, Capt. Chauncey P. Holcomb of New Castle and Timothy J. Mooney of Wilmington. Captain Holcomb's position pays an annual salary of \$1,400 and that of Mr. Mooney \$1,200.

Mr. O. M. McComber of Lima, New York, a former resident of this city, is here visiting friends and looking over the city. Mr. McComber is much impressed with the great strides made by Salisbury since he left here a few years ago. He has always had great faith in the future of this city but he says his expectations have more than been realized and now he expects to see Salisbury a big city within the next few years.

Miss Flora E. Powell, daughter of the late John W. Powell of Salisbury, and Mr. Harry H. Swenseth, son of Prof. Albert Swenseth of Block Island, R. I., were married at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Geo. W. Powell, of Baltimore, by the Rev. Leonard B. Smith of the North Avenue M. P. church on Nov. 30. Mr. and Mrs. Swenseth will make their home at 2829 Reisterstown road, Baltimore. Mr. Swenseth is now

A. W. Robinson of Laurel made a business trip to this city this week.

Miss Edna Flemming who has a position in Elmore, spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Hurlock, and called at the Beacom school on her way back to Virginia.

Mrs. Arthur Hearn's Sunday school class of Asbury M. E. church will hold a social Tuesday evening, Dec. 8, at 8 o'clock. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. Refreshments free.

The children of the public schools of Salisbury made up donations for Thanksgiving which were distributed among the poor of the city. All the schools together made quite a liberal showing for this very charitable purpose.

Joseph Ellis, aged 4 years, son of Harry H. Ellis, of Delmar, who was internally injured when his father's automobile was in collision and overturned near Cambridge a few weeks ago, died Wednesday after an operation at the Peninsula General Hospital in Salisbury.

Miss Mary Powell of Snow Hill, who suffered a broken collar bone, and Miss Ida Wilson of Pocomoke, who had her skull fractured in the automobile accident on Thanksgiving, are both improving. They are at the Peninsula General Hospital in this city, where they were brought immediately after the accident.

Bethesda Methodist Protestant church: Divine worship on Sunday with sermons by the pastor, Rev. L. F. Warner. At the evening service, by request, the pastor will answer the question, "Will the world be destroyed by fire?" A frank talk concerning the theology of last things. Always a cordial welcome to our services.

The Salisbury National Bank will open its Christmas Club the week of Dec. 28. The club is a plan to encourage savings for the Christmas season and runs for 50 weeks. Cards are issued for uniform weekly deposits or for progressive deposits increasing or decreasing each week. The plan provides for interest on the amount carried and is certainly worthy the attention of young people especially, and is a sure provider for a "Merry Christmas."

Wicomico county postmasters have received orders from the postoffice department regarding the shipment of birds and game by parcel post out of the state. Under the ruling of the department, postmasters must not accept the dead bodies of wild animals or birds that are killed or offered for shipment in violation of the law. All packages containing game not so prohibited must be plainly marked with the name and contents of the package.

Good Intent Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Sharptown, held a reunion on Thursday night of last week. W. C. Mann presided and Ned R. Bounds delivered the address of welcome. The Salisbury band furnished the music. Addresses were made by W. A. Jones, grand secretary of the state, and Rev. M. L. Beale, chaplain grand lodge of Maryland, of Baltimore; E. J. C. Parsons, grand warden of Salisbury. Members of the order from Galesburg, Maryland and Salisbury were present.

Z. D. Bradley of Hurlock, while returning from Salisbury Thursday, ran into a small dog that darted out of the woods in front of him, and not seeing the animal in time to stop his machine, it was struck by the wheels. The car, being light, skidded to one side of the road, throwing Mr. Bradley into a ditch, then, swerving again, skidded to the other side of the road and into the opposite ditch, where it was badly wrecked. Mr. Bradley escaped with only a few cuts and bruises.

It will pay you to watch Dorman & Smyth's ad as there will be a coupon in the Dec. 19 issue.

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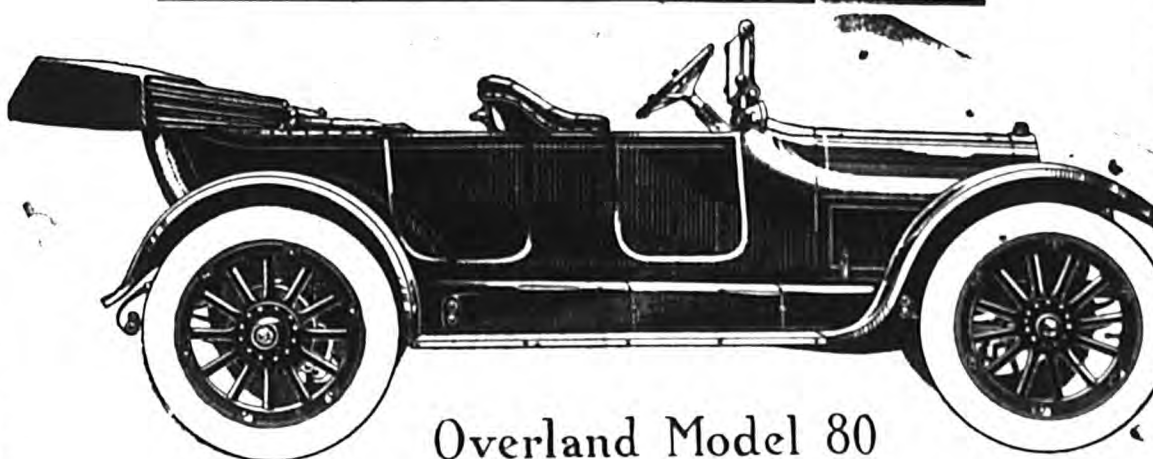
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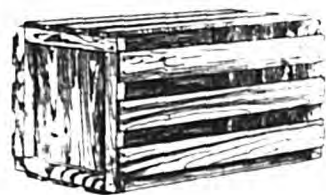
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SHORT SERMONS.

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It is a grand thing to find joy in one's work. If you have found that, you have found the heart of life. Glad service is better than great service unless that be glad too.—James Buckham.

Of course we have a duty to distinguish between the good and the bad, but we have a duty to discriminate also among the things that are good. We are made not for the good only, but for the best.—Robert Speer.

EVILS OF IGNORANCE.

Nothing is more terrible than active ignorance.—Goethe.

The living man who does not learn is dark, dark, like one walking in the night.—From the Chinese.

The most ignorant are the most conceited. Unless a man knows that there is something more to be known his inference is, of course, that he knows everything. . . . But let a man know that there are things to be known of which he is ignorant, and it is so much carved out of his domain of universal knowledge.—Horace Mann.

BRILLIANTS.

Still, still with thee, when purple morning breaketh, When the bird waketh and the shadows flee;

Fairer than morning, lovelier than the daylight, Dawns the sweet consciousness, I am with thee! —Harriet Beecher Stowa.

Teach me then To harmonize the discord of my life And stop the painful jangle of these wires.

That is a task impossible, until You tune your heartstrings to a higher key Than earthly melodies. —Longfellow.

And they were canopied by the blue sky, So cloudless, clear and purely beautiful, That God alone was to be seen in heaven. —Byron.

CUPID'S ADVERTISEMENT.

Cupid is a busy elf. You can see this for yourself. Yet perhaps he'll find it wise Presently to advertise. Somewhat in this style maybe, "Hearts extracted painlessly." He'll, of course, omit to state That the after pain is great. And when heart is gone, 'tis said, Man is apt to lose his head. Gladly would he bear some pain If his heart he could regain. —New York Sun.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

In adversity it is easy to despise life; he is truly brave who can endure a wretched life.—Martial.

Nothing is well ordered that is hasty and precipitate.—Seneca.

Without your knowledge the eyes and ears of many will see and watch you as they have done already.—Cicero.

The belly is the teacher of art and the bestower of genius.—Persius.

The uncertain multitude is divided by opposite opinions.—Vergil.

LOVE'S PHILOSOPHY.

The fountains mingle with the river, And the rivers with the ocean, The winds of heaven mix forever

With a sweet emotion; Nothing in the world is single; All things by a law divine In one another's being mingle—Why not I with thine?

See the mountains kiss high heaven, And the waves clasp one another; No sister flower would be forgiven If it disdained its brother; And the sunlight clasps the earth,

And the moonbeams kiss the sea; What are all these kisses worth If thou kiss not me? —Shelley.

Better Than Poutices.

If at any time you have a gathered finger or poisoned hand, take a cabbage leaf, roll it out with a bottle until the juice comes, and tie it on the affected part. This will draw and cleanse it far better than a poultice.

END OF MILITARISM.

When the mass murders of the insane soldiery are done there will be a day of reckoning for kings. Civilization is in travail. A new child is about to enter the human family. It will be more enlightened than its elder brothers and will advance the cause of all mankind. Its mother, European monarchy, may pay for its advent with her own life, or she may drag along for a time in invalidism, but her end is not far distant.

The people as a whole hate war. Their being forced into it will drive out of the minds all vestige of devotion to monarch. The time is not remote when militarism will end and wars cease. The masses are already of a mind to strip autocrats of their power to send armies to death and countries to ruin.—Danish Democrat.

SERVIA'S BATTLE HYMN.

Rise, O Servians, swift arise! Lift your banners to the skies. For your country needs her children

Fight to make her free. Rise, O rise, and crush our enemy.

Rise and fight for liberty. Free the Save and Drina flow. Let us, too, unfetter'd go O'er the wild Moravian mountains.

Swift shall flow sweet freedom's fountains.

Down shall sink the foe. Rise, O rise, and crush our enemy.

Rise and fight for liberty.

GERMAN APHORISMS.

Better go to bed without supper than rise with debts.

Honor the old, instruct the young, consult the wise and bear with the foolish.

Heavy work in youth is sweet repose in old age.

Towns and countries are never more ruined than when counsel is taken from foreigners.

Trust not too much in a new friend and an old house.

CORONACH.

He is gone on the mountain, He is lost to the forest, Like a summer dried fountain, When our need was the sorest.

The font reappearing, From the raindrops shall borrow.

But to us comes no cheering, To Duncan no morrow!

The hand of the reaper Takes the corn that are hoary, But the voice of the weeper Walls manhood in glory.

The autumn winds rushing Waft the leaves that are sear-

est, But our flower was in flushing When the blighting was nearest.

Fleet foot on the corral, Sage counsel in lumber, Red hand in the forsy.

How sound is thy slumber! Like the dew on the mountain, Like the foam on the river,

Like the bubble on the fountain, Thou art gone, and forever!

—Walter Scott.

BITS OF WISDOM.

Therefore well does Agathon say, "Of this alone is even God deprived, the power of making that which is past never to have been."—Aristotle.

There is, however, a limit at which forbearance ceases to be a virtue.—Burke.

This nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth.—Abraham Lincoln.

In the lexicon of youth, which fate reserves for a bright manhood, there is no such word as fail.—Bulwer Lytton.

BARCAROLE.

Small fingers on the stolen strings;

Sunset and rising moon;

Far hills of lapis, whirl of wings

Of homing birds in June;

And thou wert there, the twilight on thy brow—

O bitter is the bava's music now!

Beneath the scented tamarinds On some celestial trail We drifted with the purple winds

That filled our sampen sail; The purple winds blow once and

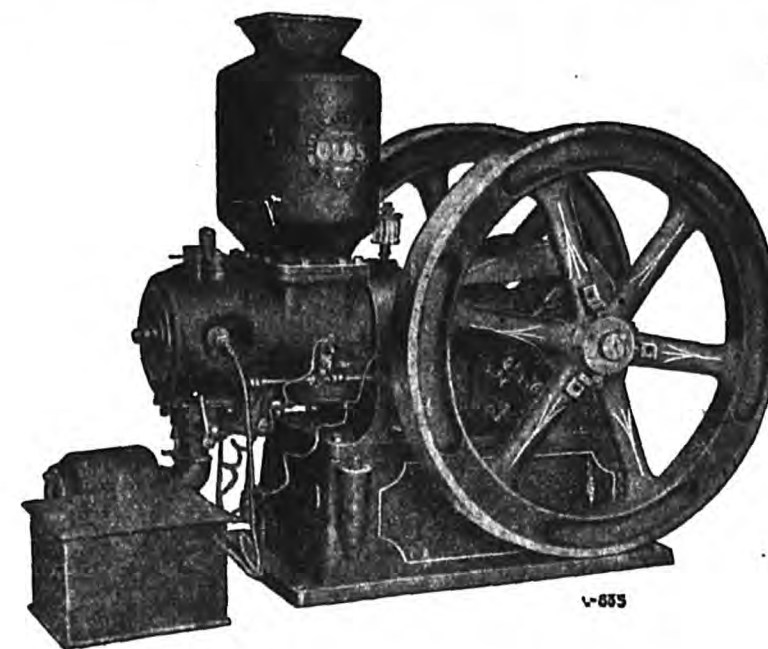
and not again— O bitter is the bava's tender strain!

—Harper's Weekly.

Must Not Whistle in Russia.

In certain cities of Russia street whistling by civilians is a penal offense, the privilege being reserved for the police; who exercise it, however, not in order to make tunes with their mouths, but to send signal blasts to each other. The whistling habit being hereditary, it soon disappears, and in these cities is difficult to see

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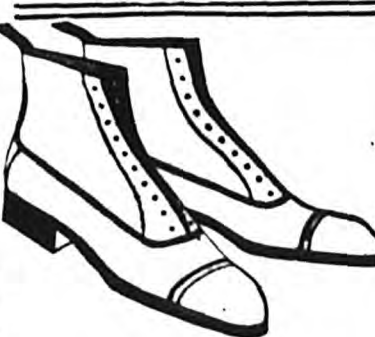
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The Last Shot

By FREDERICK PALMER

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with the news returned der:
"Drop everything and report to me in person at once."

"For this I have made my sacrifice!" Marta thought. "The killing goes on by Lanny's orders, not by Westerling's, this time."

Leaving her mother to enjoy the prospect, a slow-moving figure, trance-like, she went along the first terrace path to a point near the veranda where the whole sweep of landscape with its panorama of retreat magnetized her senses. Like the gray of lava, the Gray soldiery were erupting from the range; in columns, still under the control of officers, keeping to the defiles; in swarms and batches, under the control of nothing but their own emotions. Mostly they were hugging cover, from instinct if not from direction, but some relied on straight lines of flight and speed of foot for escape. Courageous aeroplanes were playing a new part. Their wireless was informing the Brown gunners where the masses were thickest. This way and that the Brown artillery fire drove retreating bodies, prodding them in the back with the fearful shepherdry of their shells. Officers' swords flashed in the faces of the bolters or in holding rear-guards to their work. Officers and orderlies were galloping hither and thither with messages in want of wires. Commanders had been told to hold, but how and where to hold? They saw neighboring regiments and brigades going and they had to go. The machine, the complicated modern war machine, was broken; the machine with its nerves of intelligence cut, became a thing of disconnected parts, each part working out its own salvation. Authority ceased to be that of the bureau and army lists. It was that of units racked by hardship, acting on the hour's demand.

Gorged was the pass road, overflowing with the struggling tumult of men and vehicles. Self-preservation breaking the bonds of discipline was in the ascendant, and it sought the highway, even as water keeps to the river bed. Like specks on the laboring tide was the white of bandages. An ambulance trying to cut out to one

side was overturned. The frantic chauffeur and hospital corps orderly were working to extricate the wounded from their painful position. A gun was overturned against the ambulance. A melee of horses and men was forming at the foot of the garden gate in front of the narrowing bounds of the road into the town, as a stream banks up before a jam of driftwood. The struggle for right of way became increasingly wild; the dam of men, horses, and wagons grew. A Brown dirigible was descending toward the great target, but on closer view its commander forbore, the humane impulse outweighing the desire for retribution for colleagues in camp and mess who had gone down in a holocaust in the aerial battles of the night.

Under the awful spell of the panorama, she did not see Westerling, who had stopped only a few feet distant with his aide and his valet, nor did he notice her as the tumult glared his eyes. He was an artist who looks on the ribbons of the canvas of his painting, or the sculptor on the fragments of his statue. Worse still, with no faith to give him fortitude except the materialistic, he saw the altar of his god of military efficiency in ruins. He who had not allowed the word retreat to enter his lexicon now saw a rout. He had laughed at reserve armies in last night's feverish defiance, at Turcas's advocacy of a slower and surer method of attack. In those hours of smiting at a wall with his fists and forehead, in denial of all the truth so clear to average military logic, if he had only even a few conventional directions all this disorder would have been avoided. His army could have fallen back in orderly fashion to their own range. The machine out of order, he had attempted no repair; he had allowed it to thrash itself to pieces.

The artillery's maceration of the human jam suddenly ceased; perhaps because the gunners had seen the Red Cross flag which a doctor had the presence of mind to wave. Westerling turned from a sight worse to him than the killing—that of the flowing retreat along the road, pressing frantically over the dead and wounded in growing disorder for the cover of the town. Near by were Bellini, the chief of intelligence, and a subaltern who had arrived only a minute before. The subaltern was dust-covered. He seemed to have come in from a hard ride. Both were watching Marta, as if waiting for her to speak. She met Westerling's look steadily, her eyes dark and still and in his reflection of the vague realization of more than he had guessed in her relations with him.

"Well," she breathed to Westerling, "the war goes on!"

"That's it! That's the way!" exclaimed the subaltern in an explosion of recognition.

A short, sharp laugh of irony broke from Bellini; the laugh of one whose suspicions are confirmed in the mixture of the sublime and the ridiculous. Marta looked around at the interruption, alert, on guard.

"You seem amused," she remarked curiously.

"No, but you must have been," replied Bellini hoarsely. "Early this morning, not far from the castle, this



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young officer found in the crater made by a ten-inch shell a wire that ran in a conduit underground. The wire was intact. He tapped it. He heard a voice thanking some one for her part in the victory, and it seems that the woman's voice that answered his yours, Miss Gal-land. So, General Westerling, the leak in information was over this wire from our staff into the Browns' headquarters, as Doucard believed and as I came to believe.

So long had Marta expected this moment of exposure that it brought no shock. Her spirit had undergone many subtle rehearsals for the occasion.

"Yes, that is true," she heard herself saying, a little distantly, but very quietly and naturally.

Westerling fell back as from a blow in the face. His breath came hard at first, like one being strangled. Then it sank deep in his chest and his eyes were blood-shot, as a bull's in his final effort against the matador. He raised a quivering, clenched fist and took a step nearer her.

But far from flinching, Marta seemed to be greeting the blow, as if she admitted his right to strike. She was without any sign of triumph and with every sign of relief. Lying was at an end. She could be truthful!

"Do you recall what I said in the reception room at the hotel?" she asked.

The question sent a flash into a hidden chamber of his mind. Now the only thing he could remember of that interview was the one remark which hitherto he had never included in his recollection of it.

"You said I could not win." He drew out the words painfully.

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"I should like to shoot you dead!" cried Bellini.

"And you let me make love to you?" Westerling said in a dazed, groping monotone to Marta.

Such a wreck was he of his former self that she found it amazing that she could not pity him. Yet she might have pitied him had he plunged into the fight, had he tried to rally one of the broken regiments, had he been able to forget himself.

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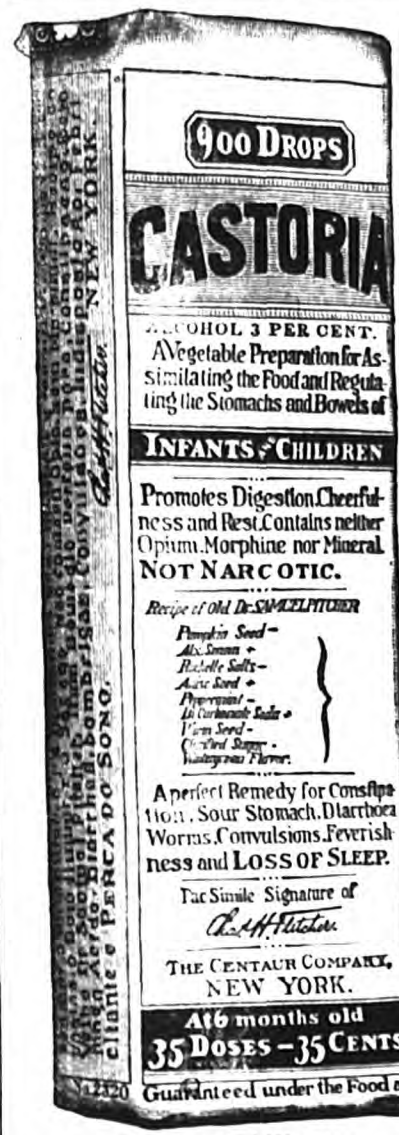
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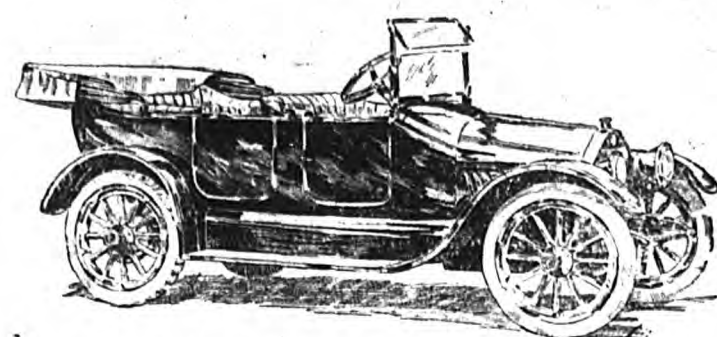
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Jamestown	6:15	8:00	1:15	7:00	7:30	12:15	5:00	11:00
Westover	6:30	8:15	1:30	7:15	7:45	12:00	4:45	10:45
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Loretto	9:00	2:15	8:00	11:15	4:00	10:00		
Allen	9:15	2:30	8:15	11:00	3:45	9:45		
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AFFRIA FOOKS, Treasurer

Issue Limited to 100,000 Shares

40,000 Shares already subscribed and paid in.

Stock Fully Paid and Non-Assessable. Preferred as to dividends and as to assets in liquidation; also fully participates in all profits earned in excess of the amount necessary to pay the dividend of 6 per cent.

The Full Authorized Stock Issued Is 200,000 shares of preferred, and 100,000 shares of common.

The Company Owns Seven-Eighths Interest in all oil, gas and minerals contained in some 5,000 acres of land on the "Parsonburg Ridge," seven miles east of Salisbury. Eighty acres of this tract, on which a gas well is flowing in sufficient volume to operate a 100 horse-power engine, is owned by the Company in fee simple, the former owner being an old experienced oil and gas man having reserved a one thirty-second interest in the output from this tract.

Expert after expert has examined our holdings during the current year and all agree that "there is no better prospective territory in the United States," and predict the development of a wonderfully rich Oil and Gas Field. The pioneer of the Atlantic Coastal Plain.

Our Topography, altitude, geological formation and what is more important than all else, SURFACE INDICATIONS are similar to those of the Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coastal Plain. These SURFACE INDICATIONS are in evidence at various places on our territory.

By reference to Bulletin 282, U. S. Geological Survey, we find in the records of the Texas-Louisiana Coastal Plain where these indications were present Oil or Gas was found; and in nearly every instance in great quantities.

Two of these wells flowed at the rate of 175,000 barrels per day.

Think of it? Only two such wells in our territory would return to you the full amount of your investment every day in the year. Would you like an income of \$100 per day? Spend a dollar to make a thousand.

"Wage Slavery will never acquire for you comfortable wealth."

Twenty-Five Dollars will not break you. It will not make the Company. IT MAY MAKE YOU. The writer is confident it will if you have the nerve to invest.

More than two thousand of your fellow citizens have shown their confidence in this enterprise and their faith in the honesty and ability of the management by becoming stockholders.

This is essentially the poor man's company, and every man has an equal chance to win a fortune when we get the Oil.

There is no chance to "freeze out" the small investor, even if there was an inclination to do so.

Every town is to have representation on the board of directors upon whose shoulders rest the responsibility of equitable distribution of earned profits and the management of the Company's affairs.

There are no plums for the big investor; no preference for the rich and the great. Your dollar is the same to us as Rockefeller's, and it will do just as much digging; it will earn just as much profit, and you have the solemn promise of the management that you will receive the full benefit of its earning power.

We have the most modern up-to-date outfit and have employed the most experienced and skillful drillers obtainable.

Active drilling is now in progress day and night under the supervision of our field superintendent, Mr. S. D. Humes, who has had forty years' experience in the business.

A gusher may be brought in any day which would put the price of the stock beyond the reach of the man of moderate means.

"Opportunity does not come to the dull hand or the heavy foot." It is the hope of the writer that every man who is live enough to grasp a good opportunity, and who would really enjoy having a comfortable income, will purchase a block of this stock.

The chances of winning from one hundred dollars to one thousand dollars for every dollar invested looks like a thousand to one shot in favor of winning.

Can you afford to miss it?

Present price of Stock is \$1.25 per share. Price subject to advance with-out notice.

Things Known and Unknown About Petroleum.

The Standard Oil Co. of California is issuing a monthly bulletin in order to tell things about oil and the various uses to which it is put. In the latest bulletin is a "Two Minute Talk on Oil." The following interesting statements regarding petroleum are made:

"What is petroleum? Nobody knows."

"When and how was it made? Nobody knows."

"When we consider this subject of petroleum we must do so with humble minds for we don't know what it is."

"Speaking historically, it is probable that petroleum was created by the decomposition of either vegetable or animal matter imprisoned in layers of rock."

"Speaking poetically, petroleum is said sunlight, resurrected after an entombment of perhaps millions and millions of years."

"Speaking financially, petroleum has meant to the United States in the past 50 years more than two thousand millions of new, clean, useful money."

"This mysterious earth-oil, which sometimes runs as yellow as amber, and sometimes nearly as black as coal, is perhaps the greatest human discovery since the voyage of Columbus; and yet, after half a century of experiments, we do not know in full its nature or its possibilities."

"In some way, long ago, petroleum was made by nature in vast subterranean laboratories, and the secret of its making was forgotten."

"It is not likely that nature is making petroleum now."

"So far as we know, there is in this earth of ours just so much petroleum and no more."

"Every star, no doubt, acquires in the course of its evolution, a certain amount of petroleum."

"When this is exhausted there can be no more."

"The oil age will some day be at an end."

"If by that time the wise men of science have not learned the secret of petroleum, it will become a memory of the past."

"To us, mainly, who are now alive, there has been given this marvelous gift of petroleum, which has become so indispensable that we can hardly

imagine how any civilization could exist on a non-petroleum basis."—From the Manufacturers' Record, June 11, 1914.

Quaker Oil Company Declares Cash Dividend of 500 Per Cent.

Pittsburgh, April 14.—According to advices from Tulsa, Okla., the directors of the Quaker Oil Company at a meeting held there, declared a cash dividend of 500 per cent. This company is a subsidiary of the Pure Oil Company.

Gas and Oil for Coastal Maryland.

The Wicomico Oil and Gas Company, whose advertisement appears on page two of this paper, is preparing to drill several deep wells on its land, consisting of some six thousand acres, owned in fee and by lease, about seven miles east of Salisbury, on what is known as "The Ridge," at and contiguous to the village of Parsonburg in Wicomico county, Maryland.

This territory is crossed in its southern section by the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad.

The company has already produced a good flow of natural gas and the legislature has granted a franchise to pipe the Eastern Shore counties, exclusive of Caroline.

The News has taken some interest in the development of this enterprise, and from what information we have been able to gather, we feel that our readers would make no mistake in helping to build up an industry which bids fair to kindle a frenzy of exploitation and speculation all over the Eastern Shore, encouraging the incoming of new blood and new capital, and, as in the Beaumont, Texas, boom, enhancing land values and incidentally bringing gain to thousands of our people.

When the Lucas gusher came in at Beaumont, land values jumped from less than ten dollars to nearly a million dollars an acre; \$900,000 having been paid for one acre at the spindle, Texas field, and thousands of acres of this land one hundred miles from Beaumont sold for as much as \$1,000 per acre.—Democrat and News, Cambridge.

Fuel Oil Stations for the Coasts.

Plans and specifications have been completed by the Navy Department for tanks, appurtenances, etc., for fuel oil stations on the Pacific Coast. These stations are to be located at San Diego and San Francisco, Cal., and on Puget Sound, Washington. It is also proposed to erect two stations on the Atlantic coast, one at Melville, R. I., and the other at Norfolk, Va.

Big Profits in Oil Investments

Oil is King of all commodities. It has lifted many a man from the Rocky Road of Poverty to Easy Street.

One good oil investment is worth a lifetime of labor.

Investigation shows that oil investments offer greater opportunities than any other legitimate business in the world to make quick and enormous profits. We give you some figures taken from the Stock Exchange records and from published quotations:

\$100 in Sauer Dough Oil Co. brt. \$3800

\$100 in New York Oil Co. brt. \$3000

\$100 in Monte Cristo Oil Co. brt. \$4000

\$100 in Peerless Oil Co. brt. \$4300

\$100 in Imperial Oil Co. brt. \$4500

\$100 in Kern Oil Co. brought \$4500

\$100 in San Joaquin Oil Co. brt. \$5700

\$100 in S. F. & C. K. Oil Co. brt. \$6250

\$100 in Caribou Oil Co. brt. \$6400

\$100 in Keren River Oil Co. brt. \$8000

\$100 in Pinal Oil Co. brought \$10,000

\$100 in Lucile Oil Co. brought \$16,000

\$100 in Home Oil Co. brought \$40,000

Myers Fisher, a shoe clerk, in Kansas City, invested \$150 in oil stock, and within the year received in round numbers \$19,500 for it.

Herber Manuel (a Mexicanized German) invested \$300 in a small lease and received \$10,000 for it inside of eight months.

\$400 of stock in the Winchester Oil Co. in 1910 sold six months later for \$33,000.

\$500 invested in the Winchester well the first of August, 1912, in three months was worth \$25,000.

\$250 invested in the stock of the Central Oil Co., grew to be worth \$45,000.

Oil is what made John D. Rockefeller the richest man alive today.

One good oil investment will make you rich and independent for life.

If you have carefully read the foregoing it is unnecessary for us to call your attention further to the unusual opportunity confronting you.

When were you before invited to share in a business enterprise, managed and directed by your home-people, fraught with such great possibilities of Enormous Profits?

"From the Rocky Road of Poverty to Easy Street" generally is a life-time journey, and in most cases the goal is never reached; but in oil investments the trip is made over night.

Remember active drilling is in progress 24 hours per day. The shallow gas sands have already been penetrated and the drillers are so confident of success they have bought stock in the company themselves.

The best business and professional men of this community heartily endorse our proposition and many of them have purchased stock in the company.

If you have your own welfare and that of your family at heart you should act promptly. Act today. Don't delay. Prompt action is imperative.

OPPORTUNITY

Master of human destinies am I
Fame, love and fortune on my footsteps wait,
Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate,
Deserts and seas remote, and passing
Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late
I knock unbidden once at every gate;
If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise before
I turn away; it is the hour of fate,
And they who follow me reach every state
Mortals desire, and conquer every foe
Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate,
Condemned to failure, penury and woe,
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore;
I answer not, and I return no more.

John James Ingalls

Present Price of Stock \$1.25 per Share.

See our Representative or SEND CHECK or MONEY-ORDER DIRECT TO

Wicomico Oil & Gas Company, Salisbury, Md.

This Company reserves the right to refund money and reject applications in case of advance in price or over subscription of issue.

GIFT GIVING



A REAL X-MAS GIFT

WHY NOT GET HER OR HIM A PAIR OF E. HOMER WHITE SHOE CO'S.

SHOES

High Top Tan Shoes for little Gents, Youths, Boys and Men.

LADIES' & CHILDREN'S BEDROOM SLIPPERS.

MEN'S BEDROOM SLIPPERS

All colors: Red, Brown, Grey, Black, Maroon, Pink and Baby Blue.

In Black, Tan, Kid, and Black Kid

Gum Boots for the Whole Family, Men's

Women's & Children's

ALL SIZES

HIGH TOP TAN LACE SHOES FOR YOUNG LADIES GOING TO SCHOOL
Also "College Girl" Button Shoes in Both Tan and Gun Metal.

DON'T FORGET YOUR TAN SHOES, We Have Them in all sizes and Prices.

Look for the BIG SHOE

E. HOMER WHITE SHOE COMPANY

229 Main Street, - SALISBURY, MD.



We're Ready For X-mas

Christmas stocks are coming in daily and as quickly as possible they are being placed in their proper places. Many assortments are ready to choose from—the shop early—folks will find selection very satisfactory even now.

When our plans are completed this will be the real "Christmas Store"—a place where your every gift problem can be solved. Prices will be found fairest in every instance.

Below We Mention A Few of The Gift Assortments That Are Now Complete. See Them! Start Your Xmas Shopping at Once!

XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS FOR EVERYBODY

Our Xmas stock has but lately been properly placed on our shelves and we must say that it ferries about the air as we have ever had. The assortments are almost unlimited! All the good kinds are here from the finest Irish Hand Embroidered, Irish Flannel, Swiss, Penzance Embroidered, Argentinian Hand Lace, Egyptian Hand Embroidered, and many more. For women, men, and children the more practical kind are also here. Prices for the whole lot.

Guaranteed to Love for Xmas Giving

There isn't a more suitable gift than a pair of gloves. You can find all men's, women's and children's in a large assortment and of our regular dependable qualities. There is no better kind than the "J. E. S." Brand at our prices. \$1.00 to \$3.00.

EMPIRE ART SILVER NOVELTIES

They make very acceptable gifts and are easy to purchase because they're so inexpensive. This Empire Art Silverware is guaranteed to wear like sterling silver. Don't neglect seeing our assortments. Single pieces 25c to \$3.50. Sets \$1.00 to \$7.00.

Newest Ideas for Gift Leather Goods

Complete assortments of bags, party cases, party bags, etc. are here in the cleverest, most wanted styles. Pleasing prices assure easy selections. Prices 25c to \$15.00.

Women's Modish Dresses—For Personal Wear and as Gifts

These new dresses are clever and attractive—the kinds that please the most particular women. They particularly recommend themselves to you for their high quality fabrics, perfect making and correct models. All desirable materials and colors are represented, and prices are sure to please you.

All wool, double warp serge dresses \$5.50
Satin & Wool Combination Dresses \$7.50 to \$10.50

Fine Silk & Wool Combination Dresses \$9.50 to \$12.50
Beautiful Silk Poplin Dresses \$11.50.

Two New Styles in Short Coat Suits

They're the latest military models—the most recent additions to our great collection of the season's finest styles. Don't neglect seeing these suits!

A NEW COAT STYLE

The silk plush coat—the best late model we've seen! This supplements an exceptionally good stock of most desirable coats. Inspect these garments—you'll like to choose one here!

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN FURS

We secured a fine assortment of Furs at greatly less than regular cost and offer them at remarkably low prices.

You couldn't think of any gifts that would please a woman more than a set of furs! Perhaps you didn't think it advisable to purchase at regular prices, but the present cost of a set will enable you to buy now.

Include a new set of Furs—Coney, China Wolf, Brazilian Fox, Black Fox, Grey Fox, Red Fox, Nippon Mink, Russian Mink, Jap. etc. Come now and select while assortments are most complete. Price range \$200 to \$350.00.

MAIN STREET
CHURCH STREET

J.E.Shockley Co.

Successors To Kennerly-Shockley Co.

SALISBURY,
MD.



SANTA'S
OFFERINGS



Holiday



Bulletin

CHRISTMAS OPENING

DOLLS

All sizes and prices, from one cent to \$5; Unbreakable, Celluloid, Bisque, China, Wood and Kid bodies and heads. Dolls that say Papa and Mamma, that go to sleep and have natural hair and eyelashes. Also cloth doll patterns.

Our Store Is Now Wide Open For CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

CANDY

We are headquarters when it comes to candy. Once a customer will convince you of this statement. Why pay 20 and 40 cents a pound for the same quality we sell for 10c and 20c? We will have a special line of ribbon twists and candy toys for Xmas.

Our display of Holiday Gift Goods is so complete that it will help you to decide the present you wish to give. For the babies we have a host of balls and rattles, blocks and dolls, that must be seen to be appreciated. Games, books, drums, horns, mechanical toys, trains, furniture, carts, wagons, animals, are just the beginning of our things to please the boys and girls. Big sister and big brother can be suited here, beautiful toilet sets, ornaments, and perfumes in gift boxes. Shaving and smoking sets, tobacco jars, and brush sets. Father and Mother can be remembered too, a beautiful lamp for the parlor, a cup and saucer, a fern dish or some china plates, bowls or fancy dishes, glass ware, or a punch bowl set, we have them here in endless variety. There is no end to the useful gifts you can select from any department in our store, we have the holly boxes that add the little touch of Christmas spirit to any gift, and the seals and cards to go with them. Never before has Salisbury seen displayed in one store the immense number, quality and variety of Holiday goods, that here await your inspection, we have only named a very few of the different items we have ready for you. AND ON ALL THESE WE SAVE YOU MONEY. We are making special arrangements with Santa Claus to visit our City and Store this year, as these are completed we will let every one know. Look for the announcement in next week papers.

PICTURES

We have a very beautiful line of Pictures, ranging in price from 10c to \$1.50, with a good selection of Harrison Fisher and other high-class productions.

THE MODEL VARIETY STORE

222 Main Street SALISBURY, MD.

CUT GLASS

We are showing some genuine Cut Glass that will make beautiful gifts and at prices very much below what you would expect to pay.

BLUE RIBBON MEAT MARKET

Phone 860 A. W. FITCH Phone 860

OPPOSITE STEAM BOAT WHARF

Yes, we are giving ten Green Trading Stamps with each \$1 purchase, cash only.

The Talk of Salisbury--What We Are Doing With The High Cost of Living.

Our X-mas Special

TURKEY DINNER DeLUXE

for six persons \$2.45

Blue Ribbon Poultry Farm Fresh Killed Chickens and Turkeys, Campbell's Tomato Soup, Maryland Finest White Potatoes, New York State White Heart (crisp tender) Celery, Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, Karly Fine Peas, Tender Shoe Peg Corn, Six Fancy Table Apples, 4 doz. Orange, Coffee, Can Peaches, Can Karo Syrup, Package of Sunshine after-dinner Wafers, Mixed Nuts.

CHICKEN DINNER DeLUXE

for six persons \$1.75

Mixed Sausage with apples, 2 for 25c
Mixed Sausage, 1 lb. 15c
All Pork Sausage, 1 lb. 15c
Leg Lamb, 1 lb. 20c
Mince Meat 2 for 25c
Saur Kraut, 3 quarts, 15c
Pure Lard, 1 lb. 10c
Long Horn Cheese, 1 lb. 15c
Creamery Butter, 1 lb. 35c-38c
Chuck Roast, 1 lb. 15c
Standing Rib Roast, 1 lb. 20c
Pork Chops, 1 lb. 20c-22c
Labrador Herring, per dozen, 17c
Apples, 1-2 peck, 15c
Oranges, per dozen, 24c-28c
Grove Oranges, 25c-30c
Cranberries, per quart, 9c
Bananas, 12c-15c
Cod Fish, three for, 20c
Ground Bone, for chickens, 14c
Liver Pudding, 1 lb. 15c
Slicing Ham, 1 lb. 25c
Veal Outlet, 1 lb. 25c
Veal Chop, 1 lb. 22c
Frankforts or Half Smoke, 14c
Smoked Beef Tongue, 85c
Grape Fruit, 3 for, 20c
Celery, two bunches, 19c
Coconuts, each, 7c
Grapes, basket, 18c
Sweet Potatoes, 1-2 peck, 18c
White Potatoes, 1-2 peck, 15c
Cabbage, per pound, 2 1/2c
A SPECIAL DINNER CHECK
A Pork Roast, Kraut, Half Smoke, White Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Cranberries, Celery, Apples, Oranges, Nuts ALL FOR \$1.50.

ALL KINDS OF FRESH NUTS AND CANDIES AT A LOW PRICE—GIVE US YOUR ORDER.

Our Special Combinations For Christmas Week—Please Order by Number.

NO. 1 COFFEE COMBINATION
1 pound Almaco Coffee
2 pounds Sugar
1 10 cent can Van Camp's Milk.
ALL FOR 62c.

NO. 2 COFFEE COMBINATION
1 pound Carolina Belle,
1 10 cent can Van Camp's Milk,
2 pounds Sugar.
ALL FOR 48c.

NO. 3 COFFEE COMBINATION
1 pound Santos Coffee,
2 pounds Sugar,
1 can Van Camp's Milk.
ALL FOR 48c.

COMBINATION NO. 4
1 package Hecker's Pancake Flour,
1 can Karo Syrup,
1 box Quaker Oats.
ALL FOR 37c.

NO. 5, OUR VEGETABLE SOUP COMBINATION
1 can Corn,
1 can Tomatoes,
1 pint Lima Beans,
1 can Tomato Soup,
1/2 peck Onions,
1 package Macaroni,
1 head Cabbage.
ALL FOR 44c.

NO. 6, CANNED GOODS COMBINATION
1 can Vegetable Soup,
1 can Tomato Soup,
1 can Peas,
1 can Corn,
ALL FOR 88c.

NO. 7, CANNED GOODS COMBINATION
1 can Pumpkin,
1 can Potatoes,
1 can Beans,
1 can Pineapple,
ALL FOR 44c.

COMBINATION NO. 8.
2 quarts Sauer Kraut,
1 pound Frankfurters.
ALL FOR 86c.

COMBINATION NO. 9.
4 quarts Sauer Kraut,
2 lbs. Boneless Codfish,
1/2 peck White Potatoes.
ALL FOR 61c.

COMBINATION NO. 10.
1 dozen Oranges,
1 quart Cranberries,
1/2 dozen Lemons,
Three Grape Fruit.
ALL FOR 66c.

COMBINATION NO. 11
1 dozen Oranges,
1 dozen Bananas,
1 pound Mixed Nuts.
ALL FOR 64c.

COMBINATION NO. 12
1 cake Octagon Soap,
1 pkg. Octagon Powder,
1 box Argo Starch,
1 bottle Bluing,
1 cake Bon Ami,
1 Can Dutch Cleanser.
ALL FOR 84c.

COMBINATION NO. 13
1 box Macaroni,
1 lb. Long Horn Cheese,
1 box Unseeded Biscuits,
1 glass Peanut Butter,
1 can Herring Roe.
ALL FOR 81c.

COMBINATION NO. 14
1 bottle Chow Chow,
1 bottle Mustard,
1 bottle Ketchup,
1 bottle Olives.
ALL FOR 88c.

COMBINATION NO. 15
1 bottle Davis' Powder,
2 lbs. Lard,
1 sack Veribest Flour,
1 sack Salt.
ALL FOR 88c.

COMBINATION NO. 16
1 pkg. Buckwheat,
1 lb. Mixed Sausage,
1 pkg. Corn Flakes,
1 can Karo Syrup.
ALL FOR 42c.

COMBINATION NO. 17
1 sack Tip Top Flour,
1 bottle Rumford's Baking Powder,
1/2 lb. Process Butter,
1 5 cent Box Matches.
ALL FOR 69c.

COMBINATION NO. 18
1 sack Sheppard's Flour,
1 pkg. Seeded Raisins,
4 lbs. Buckwheat.
ALL FOR 79c.

COMBINATION NO. 19
2 lbs. Evaporated Peaches,
1 bottle Lemon Extract,
1 bottle Vanilla Extract,
12 boxes Matches.
ALL FOR 38c.

COMBINATION NO. 20
1 large package Postum,
1 lb. Prunes,
1 cake Chocolate,
2 lbs. Sugar.
ALL FOR 88c.

"Wear Ever" "XMAS" PRESENTS

It may be a question in your mind what to obtain for your friends for Xmas Presents.

Your Mother's Present we have it. A piece of "Wear-Ever" Aluminum. Roaster, Tea Kettle, Berlin Saucepan, Double Boiler or Coffee Pot.

Your Father's Present we have it to. A Pearl Handle Knife, Razor or Set of Tools.

Your Sister's Present we have it to. A set of Carvers, Percolator or A Piece of Aluminum.

Yours Brother's Present: A Winchester or Remington Gun.

A Present For Boys' or Girls; Pair Skates, Ice or Roller, Air Rifle.

WHY buy Presents that only last a few days why not buy the Ones that Wear-Ever."

Come in and look our line of Presents over.

The Old Reliable
Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co.
SALISBURY, MD.

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Municipal Christmas Tree Grows In Public Favor

Every City and Town, Including This One, Should
Erect This Visible Symbol of Belief in the Spirit
of the Holy, Happy Yuletide Season.

EVERYBODY'S Christmas tree—the municipal Christmas tree, public symbol of belief in Christmas and its spirit—should grow and shed its glow of hope and faith in every city, town and village in the land. This place, as well as every other, needs its beneficial and regenerating presence. Join in the movement to rear it in our public square!

For his own sake, as well as for the sake of those who have no private Christmas trees of their own, every one should help in the movement for a municipal Christmas tree. Wherever it has been erected in the past it has helped to sweeten and brighten the Christmas season. It is the focus of a town's Christmas celebration, the radiant point from which stream influences of joy and helpfulness. To it, charity organizations and the municipality to their own, turn those whose hospitality, is forging to the front all over the country.

When Christmas is a home festival, sacred and blissful, brightened and cheered by the thought that they have made Christmas better for others.

For two years the municipal Christmas tree, introduced into the United States from Europe, has stood with the custom of singing carols in the street, which revives an old time Yule joy, for a newer, brighter and bigger Christmas festival.

Through these agencies the Christmas holiday season is taking on a new tone. It is becoming more of a public function, participated in by the organized public, and less the chimney corner celebration of the family. Not that the home Christmas is being done away with, but that the celebration which reaches "the lonesome poor and rich," that is participated in by the church, charity organizations and the municipality to their own, turn those whose hospitality, is forging to the front all over the country.



MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE ILLUMINATED.

BINDS ALL TOGETHER.

Municipal Christmas Tree Idea Indorsed by President Wilson.

President Wilson indorsed the community Christmas tree idea, started in 1912 in New York, when a huge fir tree, standing in the center of Madison Square Garden and throwing its light for many blocks, was a gift giver to hundreds in the city. The plan was so successful that forty-seven of the larger cities of the United States, including Washington, had the same sort of celebration on Dec. 25 of 1913, and the number of 1914 municipal Christmas trees was planned to be still larger.

A copy of the statement issued by the president when his patronage was asked for the community tree in Washington was made public by the persons

who were responsible for the tree in Madison Square Garden. The community idea, said the president in this statement, has in it great possibilities for good. If the plan involved pity or patronage it would fail; if it were by one class for another class it would not be a community affair. But a tree for all the people would help them realize the things which bind them together as people.

Community Tree a Grand Success.

The first municipal Christmas tree of Burlington, Ia., proved a grand success. A tree thirty feet high was erected in a central location and lighted with small incandescent bulbs. The mayor opened the program with a brief address. Band music and songs by church choirs, classes from various schools and quartets followed.

Everybody's Christmas Tree—The Municipal Tree

Above the bustle and wear and tear
Of a city's life, in a busy square,
The Yule tree stands, with its
open hands,

A symbol of love for all who
share,
And great and small respond to
the call

Of the belfry chimes till one
and all
Forsake the shop and the gild-
ed home,

For the Christ Child's voice is
calling "Come,
Oh, come, for my festival is free,
And Love a host at my Christ-
mas tree!"

They gather—the rich and poor
are one—
Parent and child and the stran-
ger lone,

For the heart of the city goes
out tonight
In a chorus of music, a flood of
light,

And the Christ Child spirit, di-
vinely fair,
That illumined the manger, cold
and bare,

Is born again in the city square.
—Jean Dwight Franklin in
Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Glad Christmas Gifts

Gifts that you will be **GLAD** to give because of their tastefulness, their originality and their very moderate price.

Gifts that anyone would be **GLAD** to receive because of the lasting pleasure that their beauty and real quality will give.

Gifts that we are **GLAD** to offer you because we know that each one represents a full measure of value for the price.

BIBLES and BOOKS, Every Wanted Kind

Always acceptable, and the one gift that carries with it no suggestion of the price. We have a truly splendid stock, comprising thousands of volumes, suitable for every age and taste. Fiction, Standard Works, Illustrated Gift Books, Religious Books, and dozens of attractive little novelties especially for Christmas giving.

No matter who is on your list, we have a book that will appeal.

BIBLES		FICTION	
Popular Bibles	50c to \$1.00	The latest novel \$1.00 to \$1.50	a complete stock.
Teacher's Bibles	\$1.65 to \$3.25		
Home Bibles	50c to \$2.25		
Testaments	10c to \$1.35	Popular Copyrights	50c.
Prayers and Hymnals	\$1.00 to \$3.50	reprints of successful novels.	
		300 to choose from.	

BOOKS FOR BOYS

Tom Swift Series	each, 25c
Official Boy Scout Library	each, 50c
Border Boys	each, 25c
Many Other Series	25c to 50c

BOOKS FOR GIRLS

Outdoor Girls	each, 25c
Molly Brown Series	each, 50c
Amy Blanchard Series	each, 25c
Other Series	25c and 50c

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Beautifully illustrated stories and rhymes for the little ones, 25c to \$2.00.

VANTINE'S ORIENTAL PERFUMES

The most distinctively original gift you can imagine Beautiful packages, full of the very spirit of the Orient.

Extracts	Toilet Waters	Combination Sets
50c and \$1.00	75c to \$1.50	25c to \$3.00

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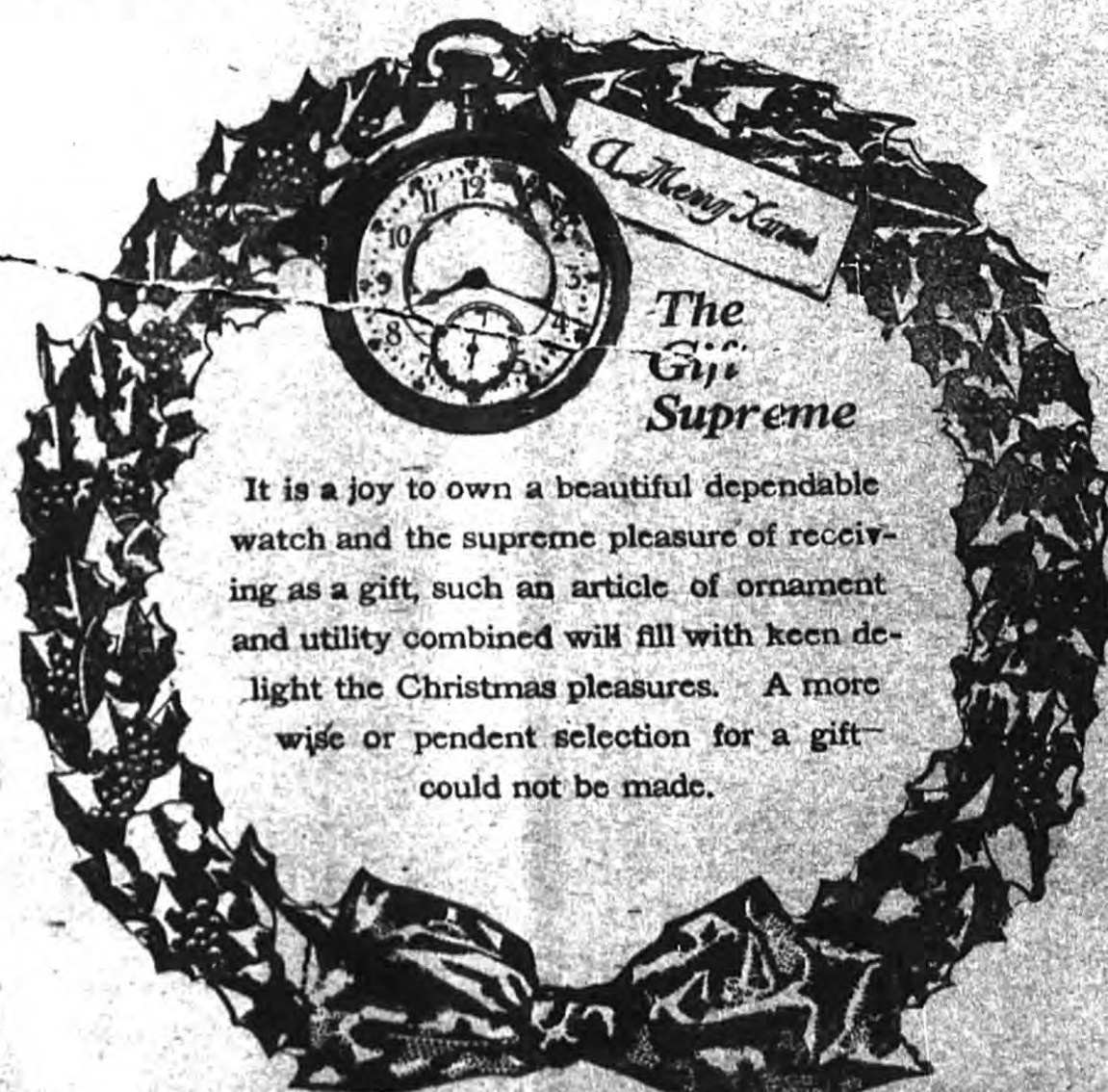
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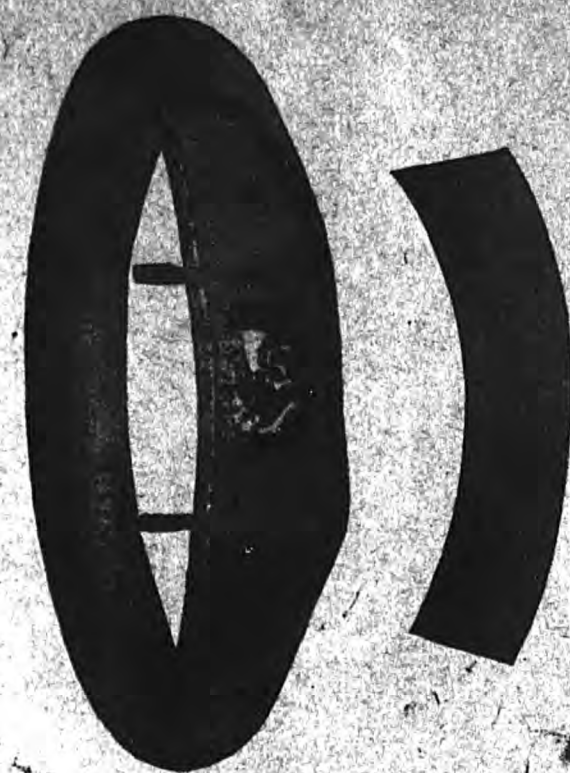
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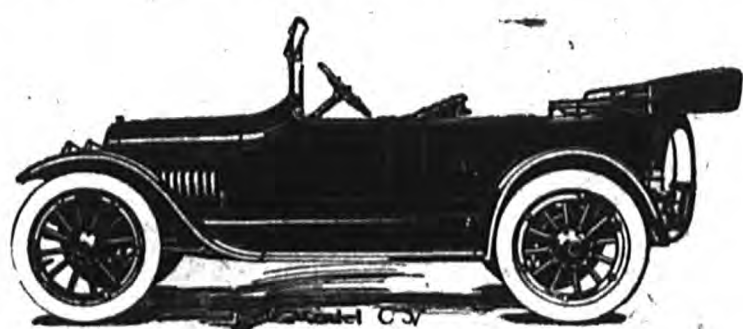
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WAR SHIP MISSES

Standing at Ocean City, Anchored Off Shore During Storm of Sunday.

One of the greatest storms for several years had a grip on the Atlantic coast for nearly a week, ending on Tuesday. From every direction come reports of damage to property, especially at the resorts.

Rehoboth appears to have suffered most. There Surf avenue was washed away, the bulkhead recently built to protect it and Rehoboth avenue was destroyed, a section of the boardwalk was demolished, one pavilion was washed out to sea, and a number of buildings, including Horn's pavilion, threatened with destruction.

Surf avenue is destroyed the length of the beach, and south of the Hen-lepen Hotel virtually the entire beach and roadway are gone. The bulkhead, which was carried away, was built the first of the year to reconstruct the portion of the road destroyed at that time.

The lower storerooms on Horn's pavilion were swept away, and as the force of the waves had weakened the entire structure, the stock of the main store has been removed.

The water mains in Surf avenue along the entire beach front were destroyed and a portion of the resort is without water.

Lightship No. 85, on Nantucket Shoals, went adrift Sunday when her anchor chains parted under the stress of the northeast gale, and was steaming slowly toward Vineyard Sound.

The revenue cutter Acushnet from Woods Hole went to her assistance. Radio stations along the coast and all steamers were kept informed of the vessel's position by messages sent at frequent intervals by her wireless operators. The lightship, which serves as a course mark for trans-Atlantic steamers to and from New York, carries a crew of 18 men.

Three Men Save Lightship. Three men in a boat distinguished themselves in the stormy Atlantic ocean, off Virginia Beach Sunday when they shoved off from under the lee of the buoy tender Orcid and carried a line to the Cape Charles lightship that was dragging at her last anchor only 300 yards outside of the breakers.

The lightship broke her immense anchor chain Saturday night during the hurricane that was sweeping down the coast from the northeast and was carried out to sea.

The vessel drifted for several miles with the lifesavers following her on shore. At 3 o'clock Sunday morning, when the vessel was abreast the Virginia Beach Hotel, the anchor held for the first time. She rode at anchor until 6 o'clock. She started drifting again, but her anchor caught when she was abreast Ruby Inlet, about a quarter of a mile further south.

British Vessel Near Destruction. The revenue cutter Itasca came within a mile of the lightship, but could not help her. Two British steamers, seeing the light on the helpless ship, came dangerously near going ashore. They were headed in for shore, thinking the lightship was on her regular station. They realized the mistake in time to put out to sea.

The Itasca sent a wireless to Norfolk for assistance. The tender Orcid arrived late that afternoon and when 300 yards from the lightship launched a boat on her lee side. Three men navigated the tiny craft across the wild stretch.

With one lone man aboard a barge was washed ashore at Dump Hall Beach, near Lynn Haven, Sunday morning. The man was a seaman named Roberts.

The warship which was believed to be in distress off Ocean City, was the United States battleship Kansas.

Reports received at Philadelphia Monday from Captain Niblack, commander of the Kansas, which was lying inside the Delaware Breakwater, stated that he had been obliged to anchor off Ocean City Sunday to protect his vessel from the storm. No other vessel was in that vicinity, so far as he knew. The ship's propellers were being lifted out of the water by the heavy seas, Captain Niblack stated, and were in danger of breaking or throwing the engines out of line. He reported that the Kansas was uninjured except for slight damage to several lifeboats and the superstructure.

The Kansas, which was returning from a six months' cruise in Mexican waters, was in the thick of the storm all the way up the coast and when it became necessary to anchor the vessel five miles below Ocean City lifesavers and observers from the shore believed the vessel had gone aground. Because of the thick fog the ship was only dimly visible. Captain Niblack said that several times during the night he had endeavored to exchange torch signals with the life saving crew, but that it was impossible to do so.

The Kansas is a member of the fourth division of the Atlantic fleet and carries a crew of 800 men and officers. Captain Niblack remained at anchor inside the Delaware Breakwater until the weather moderated when the vessel sailed for Philadelphia.

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND

To Be Aided by Salisbury's Citizens—Headquarters for Contributions.

The Belgian Relief Committee has opened its headquarters on South Division street, next to the Armory, in the Salisbury election district voting house, where contributions for the Belgian relief fund are received.

The "Maryland ship" leaves Baltimore Dec. 23 and shipments from Salisbury should be made on or before Dec. 20. Please let your contributions come at once. The committee desires to acknowledge the following contributions, at their Division street headquarters, up to Dec. 10:

Money.
Proceeds of the Thanksgiving Union services in Salisbury, \$37.50
James E. Ellegood 15.00
Dr. S. W. Reigart 3.00
Miss Agnes Reigart 2.00
Miss McCormack 1.00

Clothes.
Miss Nema Parsons, Mrs. E. Rial White, J. E. Shockley & Co., Mrs. Charles Peters, No Name.

Provisions.
Turner Bros., 25 sacks of flour; E. J. C. Parsons, 2 bus. corn; Mrs. Beauchamp, groceries; Mrs. George Walter, groceries; Mrs. George Venables, groceries; W. F. Allen, 15 bu. rye.

Wonderful Demonstration

At Business College

The students of the Beacom Business College had demonstrations on Monday morning of the speed it is possible to attain on the Underwood typewriter by Emil A. Trefzger, the world's champion typist, and the 1914 winner of the \$1,000 silver trophy.

The contests for the world's championships are held annually in New York City. This year's contest was held in the 69 Regiment Armory of that city, and Mr. Trefzger's winning speed was 129 net words per minute for one hour, from new matter, beating the previous world's record by four net words per minute.

He gave a series of short tests, attaining a speed of 141 words per minute, absolutely without an error of any kind. This was from new matter furnished by Mr. Hiron, manager of the business college, and had never been written before by Mr. Trefzger.

The Underwood machine as everyone knows, holds every international and American record for typewriter speed and is the machine used exclusively in the Beacom school.

In winning the world's championship Mr. Trefzger struck over 39,000 strokes during the hour—this is an average of 11 strokes a second. He made 39 errors, which is an average of one error or mistake in ever 1,000, an accuracy of over 99.9 per cent perfect. For every error made in the contest, the operators are penalized five words, whether the fault of the machine or the operator.

The \$1,000 silver trophy has been competed for nine different times and the operator winning it in every instance wrote on the Underwood.

City Council Proceedings.
Applications to erect new structures were granted by the city council Monday night to E. J. Downing for porch on North Division street, and to W. S. Gordy, Jr., for garage on Walnut street.

Contractor Lee Johnson was instructed to disconnect sewer of Mrs. Perdue's with the Poplar Hill avenue sewer at once.

The agreement between Mr. Chas. E. Duffy and the mayor and council as to the erection of an addition to the shop of Mr. Duffy on East Camden street was accepted and ordered filed with the new application of Mr. Duffy.

On Monday the East Camden street sewer committee was continued. The clerk was instructed to pay the McGuire Construction Company the sum of \$3,836 for street work and to pay Engineer Shockley \$100 on his contract.

Red Cross Was Stamps.
The cheerful little Red Cross Christmas stamp which costs so little and means so much to the unfortunate victims of tuberculosis for whose benefit they are sold, will be on sale at every drug store in Salisbury and in all the dry goods stores.

The promoters of the sale of these stamps are anxious to raise a good sum this year from the sale of the stamps. They are beautifully designed and make a bright spot on every package of Christmas cheer. The giver, in placing them on a package or letter does a good deed and at the same time sends a message of appeal to another to remember the unfortunate ones who are suffering from this dread disease.

The stamps will be divided among the Maryland institutions where tuberculosis is treated, one of which, the Pines Hospital, is a Salisbury institution.

Will Move to New Quarters.
After the holidays the colored schools of Salisbury will be in their new quarters on the east side of Railroad avenue, where the building formerly used as a screen door factory has been converted into an excellent school building. Six rooms have been well prepared for school work there, which will relieve entirely the congested condition of these schools.

The additions being made to the Wilcox high school are practically ready for occupancy, but it is thought best by the board not to break up the classes for a rearrangement during the present semester which will end the latter part of the month.

On January 27 the new portions of the building will be ready for use and the second semester of the school year will open under decidedly more advantageous conditions.

The program of the Somerset county schools is practically the same.

JIM CROW LAW UPHOLD.
A special dispatch from Annapolis to the city dailies Friday night stated:

"In the case of the State against James Jenkins, who appealed from the criminal court of Baltimore City, the court of appeals, in an opinion delivered by Chief Judge Boyd, Friday held valid chapter 248 of the Acts of 1908, giving to railway or railroad companies operating to a distance of 20 miles or more from an incorporated city the right to designate separate seats for white and colored passengers."

"The opinion holds that the statute was meant to apply only to passengers between points within the state of Maryland and that a provision to apply to interstate passengers would be in conflict with the federal constitution."

"The case arose in reference to a colored passenger in one of the cars of the W. & A. Electric Railroad Co. The appellee will therefore be tried upon the indictment standing against him for refusing to comply with the regulations of the company."

PRICE TAKES THE OATH OF OFFICE

New Representative From Maryland Now Member of House.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Jesse D. Price took the oath of office today as a member of Congress from the First Maryland district, succeeding J. Harry Covington, who resigned to become chief justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

The new Marylander was one of the three new members sworn. The others were Wayne Parker of New Jersey, and Carl Vinson of Georgia.

The duty of notifying the speaker of a new member generally falls upon the dean of the state delegation. Mr. Talbott, the dean, at the time, was in the cloakroom, and did not hear the speaker's call. Representative Linthicum then notified the House of Mr. Price's presence. Mr. Talbott was told and he rushed upon the floor of the House and told the speaker that Representative-elect Price was present and ready to be sworn in.

Mr. Talbott then took Mr. Price by the arm and escorted him to the front of the speaker's rostrum, where the oath of office was administered.

Mr. Price was surrounded by members of the Maryland delegation, each of whom extended congratulations. He was then taken around by Messrs. Talbott, Linthicum and Coady and presented to his colleagues from other states.

His colleagues from Maryland will take steps within the next few days to secure Mr. Price a choice committee assignment. They take the stand that the new Marylander has had much legislative experience and is entitled to a good assignment.

Speaks at Laurel.
Laurel Hive No. 2, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, had as their guest last Thursday Mrs. Mabel T. La Rue of Washington, D. C., the deputy supreme commander in charge of the district comprising Maryland, Delaware and the District of Columbia. A special review was held in the evening and Mrs. La Rue made a most pleasing and instructive address to the members. Six applications for membership were received and a class of candidates received the first degree of the order. Mrs. La Rue's visit has awakened new interest in the organization and Laurel hive anticipates a large addition to its membership within the next few weeks.

A. S. Tucker, who left some time ago on an excursion and his failure to return created some uneasiness among his friends, has arrived home. He left here on November 15 on one of the excursions to New York city and upon his arrival there decided to pay a visit to his daughter in Connecticut.

Noted Speaker Coming.
Hon. Michael J. Fanning of Philadelphia, now touring this state in a campaign of education against the liquor traffic, under the auspices of the state W. C. T. U. will deliver an address in Fruitland M. E. church, Dec. 15.

Mr. Fanning is one of the veterans in this reform. On September 6, 1910, he delivered his sixteen thousandth address against the liquor traffic. He is known in every state of the Union. He has held high position in the councils of nearly all the temperance organizations in this country, and is known as the friend of every honest foe of the liquor traffic. Demanding the right of private judgment for himself, he concedes that right to others and does not quarrel with friends of the temperance reform who differ with him as to the best method of warring upon the common foe.

The man and the cause deserve a large audience.

HOME TALENT PROGRAM

Entertained Loyal Members of Elks at Memorial on Sunday.

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of Salisbury observed their annual memorial services last Sunday at Ulman's Opera House with an impressive program of addresses and music. The lodge convened in its home and marched in a body to the opera house where seats were reserved for the members. There was a large attendance notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and the program was both well arranged and well executed.

The decorations were beautiful and demonstrated the lavish generosity of Mr. George H. Benedict, who furnished the flowers and plants.

Prof. Scheidecker's orchestra opened the program with an overture, followed by the singing of the opening ode of the fraternity's ritual by members of the lodge.

The following numbers constituted the musical part of the program, each of which was beautifully rendered and appropriate to the occasion:

Tenor solo, "One Sweet Solemn Thought," by F. W. C. Webb; soprano solo, "The Lord Is Risen," by Miss Mary O. Brewington; "Songs of D'Amour," by orchestra; contralto solo "The Shadows Lengthen," by Mrs. E. W. Geyer; quartette, "Shadows," by C. E. Laws, Wm. A. Sheppard, H. C. Adkins and F. P. Adkins; "Intermez-zo," by orchestra.

In the absence of State Senator William J. Ogden of Baltimore, who was to have delivered the memorial address, Dr. Thomas E. Martindale of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, Salisbury, who is always prepared for an emergency, consented to take that place on the program. Dr. Martindale never disappoints anybody, so the audience was saved any disappointment in the failure of the Baltimore gentleman to arrive. It was later learned that the boat conveying Senator Ogden had a mishap on the bay and had returned to Baltimore.

The eulogy was pronounced upon the lives of the departed members by Rev. J. Calloway Robertson of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. These addresses were choice and fitting expressions in eloquent language of the esteem in which the character of the dead were held by their living brothers and examples of the beauties of fraternity seen at its best in this life.

In the past two years, since the last memorial, five members of the lodge have passed to the great beyond. They are:

Allison A. Gillis, W. S. Gordy, Sr., James L. Powell, John D. Rayne, Huston H. Ruark, three of whom have died this year.

From 1902 to 1912 eight members died: Henry B. Purnell, Francis M. Gunby, Edgar J. Duer, H. J. G. Byrd, J. J. Duntun, John Nelson, Louis I. Baus, Jr., E. S. Adkins, making in all 13 since the organization of the lodge.

These services so impressive and solemn, are fitting tributes to the lives of the "absent brothers" and remind us forcefully of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death.

In observance of the memorial ritual Exalted Ruler Ira Turner ordered the secretary to call the roll of the members who have died since the last memorial meeting. While the lights in the house were lowered the names were read, and a light went out from an arch suspended from the center of the stage as each "absent brother" failed to respond to his name.

This rite was followed by the exalted ruler calling on each of the officers to name his duty. Each responded with his particular task in keeping bright the memory of the departed and recalling the good works and records of those who were on the roll of the dead.

The committee on arrangements was composed of Messrs. Raymond C. Truitt, H. Winter Owens, C. Lee Gillis, Chas. S. Laws, Walter R. Disharoon.

The large canning plant of Messrs. Hubbard & Reid, located on the railroad at East New Market, was completely destroyed by a fire which was discovered Thursday morning about 2 o'clock.

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NEARING COMPLETION

New Arcade Theater Will Be One of the Finest in South.

New beauties are appearing every day in the gradual unveiling of the works of art in the decorations of the new Arcade theater. As the scaffolding is removed little by little the splendid frescoes and the artistic terra cotta finishing of the immense auditorium come into view and one can better realize that Salisbury has in store a Christmas treat that will be a surprise when the grand opening occurs on Christmas eve.

There promises now to be a greater demand for seats than can be accommodated. The theater seats about 1,200 people and every seat commands a complete view of the great stage. But there are likely to be people turned away who depend upon being able to buy their seats at the last hour.

Persons going to the great George Evans' Honey Boy Minstrels will do well to remember their Christmas shopping very early in the day in order not to have to interfere with their plans to go to the show.

There is to be a matinee Christmas day and another big attraction on Christmas night. The arrangements are now practically perfected for these entertainments. The great asbestos curtain is to be a work of art instead of the usual advertising board. The scenery is being finished now in New York and will be on hand by the 21st for mounting. The work of hanging the great curtain is a big task as it is estimated that the cost of hanging alone is about \$175. This curtain is made of materials that will form a complete firewall between the stage and the auditorium, thus protecting the audience from any chance of disaster in case the highly inflammable stage stuff ever catches fire.

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CANNED GOODS SHOW

Slight Rise—Prospects Little Brighter for the Packers.

Peninsula canners have experienced the most disastrous season for many years, despite the war of nations, which was expected to furnish a boom for the industry in big orders from over the seas.

Over production, according to leading canners, is at the bottom of their difficulties. Low prices have been in effect since the pack was begun, until at times during the season the price received per dozen for canned tomatoes averaged 15 per cent below the cost of packing. Prices have advanced within the past fortnight and the canners believe that the depression in the market has been relieved.

"The story of the market is a simple one," explained a canner. "In 1912 14,000,000 cases of canned goods were packed. The pack the following year was the same. This made a total of 28,000,000 cases. The country never has consumed more than 11,000,000 cases in any one year. This leaves 6,000,000 cases to start this year on. It is a case of over production. Financial depression in the south due to the cotton situation has also had its effect. Southerners are heavy buyers of canned goods. Caught by surplus of cotton due to the war, they frankly admitted they had no money to buy canned goods and canceled contracts."

The average price for "standard pack" tomatoes this summer has been 65 cents a dozen, while cases brought \$1.30. The market at one time reached as low as 62 1-2 cents, while the highest mark was 80 cents. The latter price was offered soon after the beginning of the pack, but was withdrawn within a week.

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SWEATERS IN XMAS BOXES

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DRIVING GLOVES

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SILK MUFFLERS

FINE UNDERWEAR

UMBRELLAS

FINE OVERCOATS

FINE NECKWEAR

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS

SUSPENDERS, ARM BANDS AND

GARTERS TO MATCH IN NICE

BOX

SILK HOSE IN XMAS BOXES

WALKING CANES

SETS OF TIES AND HOSE TO

MATCH IN BOXES

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CUFF BUTTONS

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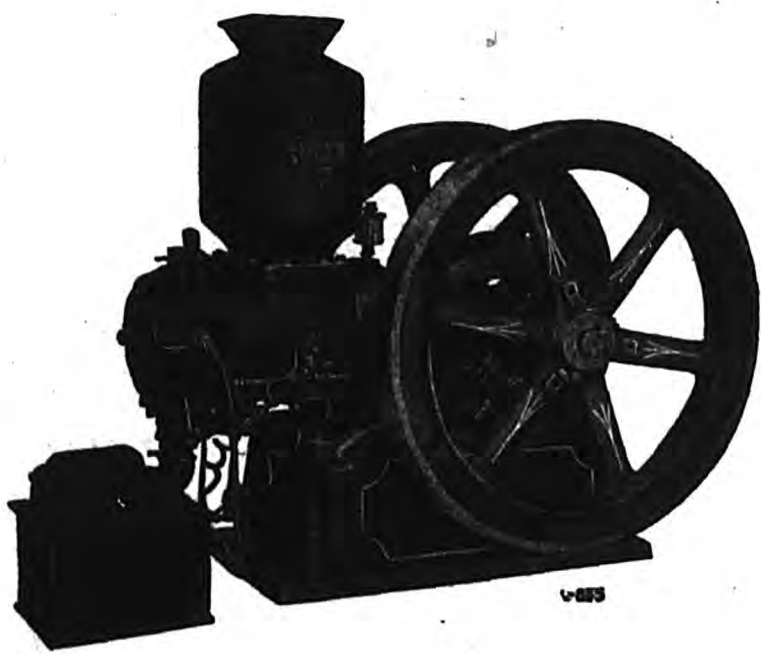
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THE LAST SHOT

tatively. He waited for a reply. It was apparent that he was laying a foundation before he went any further.

"Certainly!" said the vice-chief. "And you!" put in another officer, which brought a chorus of assent.

"No, not I—only these two!" Lanstron replied. "Or, I, too, if you prefer. It little matters. The thing is that I am under a promise to both, which I shall respect. He organized and labored for the same purpose that she played the spy. When we sent the troops forward in a counter-attack and pursuit to clear our soil of the Grays; when I stopped them at the frontier—both were according to Partow's plan. He had a plan and a dream, this wonderful old man who made us all seem primary pupils in the art of war."

Could it be that terrible Partow, a stroke of whose pencil had made the Galland house an inferno? Marta wondered as Lanstron read his message—the message out of the real heart of the man, the thing with the power of his great brain. His plan was to hold the Grays to stalemate; to force them to desist after they had battered their battalions to pieces against the Brown fortifications. His dream was the thing that had happened—that an opportunity would come to pursue a broken machine in a bold stroke of the offensive.

"I would want to be a hero of our people for only one aim, to be able to stop our army at the frontier," he had written. "Then they might drive me forth heaped with obloquy, if they chose. I should like to see the Grays demoralized, beaten, ready to sue for peace, the better to prove my point that we should ask only for what is ours and that our strength was only for the purpose of holding what is ours. Then we should lay up no legacy of revenge in their hearts. They could never have cause to attack again. Civilization would have advanced another step."

Lanstron continued to read to the amazed staff, for Partow's message had looked far into the future. Then there was a D. S., written after the war had begun, on the evening of the day that Marta had gone from tea on the veranda with Westerling to the telephone, in the impulse of her new purpose.

"I begin to believe in that dream," he wrote. "I begin to believe that the chance for the offensive will come, now that my colleague, Miss Galland, in the name of peace has turned practical. There is nothing like mixing a little practice in your dreams while the world is still well; this side of Utopia, as the head on my old behemoth of a body well knows. She had the right idea with her school. The oath so completely expressed my ideas—the result of all my thinking—that I had a twinge of literary jealousy. My boy, if you do reach the frontier, in pursuit of a broken army, and you do not keep faith with my dream and with her ideals, then you will get a lesson that will last you forever at the foot of the Gray range. But I do not think so badly as that of you or of my judgment of men."

"Lanny! Lanny!"

The dignity of a staff council could not restrain Marta. Her emotion could have action. She sprang to his side and seized his hand with exultation mixed with penitence over the way she had wronged him and Partow. Their self-contained purpose had been the same as hers and they had worked with a soldier's fortitude, while she had worked with whims and impulses. She bent over him with gratitude and praise and a plea for forgiveness. In her eyes, submerging the thing which he sought in them. He flushed boyishly in happy embarrassment, incapable of words for an instant; and silently the staff looked on.

"And I agree with Partow," Lanstron went on, "that we cannot take the range. The Grays still have numbers equal to ours. It is they, now, who will be slinging 'God with us!' with their backs against the wall."

Partow's goes my own appeal to the army and the nation; and I shall keep faith with Partow, with Miss Galland, and with my own ideas, if the government orders the army to advance, by resigning as chief of staff—my work finished."

Westerling and his aide and valet, inquiring their way as strangers, found the new staff headquarters of the Grays established in an army building, where Bouchard had been assigned to trivial duties, back of the Gray range. As their former chief entered a room in the disorder of maps and packing cases, the staff-officers rose from their work to stand at salute like stone images, in respect to a field-marshal's rank. There was no word of greeting but a telling silence before Turcas



"We've come for Westerling," spoke. His voice had lost its parboiled crackle and become natural. The blue veins on his bulging temples were more pronounced, his thin face

Peninsula Rapid Transit Company

SALISBURY, MARYLAND

Sufficient stock has now been subscribed to insure the success of the early operation of the above-named Company. It would be good policy for those desiring stock not to wait longer. The system will be installed just as soon as the cars can be delivered from the factory.

The first car (2-ton White, to seat 20 people) will be delivered in a few days, and is expected to be in operation just as soon as the State Road opens below Allen. This is the smallest type car that will be used on any line. The cars to be used in Salisbury (local service) will have street-car bodies and will give better service than electric cars. The cars to be used on the Ocean City line in the summer months will be summer cars; in fact, it has been our aim to select the type of car suitable for the needs of the service, taking into consideration the distance and width of roads.

Route No. 1; Fairmount to Salisbury, making three round trips daily and Sunday.

FARES:

Salisbury to Fruitland	5c	Salisbury to Westover	35c
" " Allen	15c	" " Jamestown	40c
" " Loretto	20c	" " Upper Fairmount	45c
" " Princess Anne	25c	" " Fairmount	50c
" " Kings Creek	30c		

		Northbound Read Down			Southbound Read Up		
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lower Fairmount	5.45	7.30	12.45	6.30	7.30	12.45	5.30 11.30
Fairmount	6.00	7.45	1.00	6.45	7.15	12.30	5.15 11.15
Jamestown	6.15	8.00	1.15	7.00	7.00	12.15	5.00 11.00
Westover	6.30	8.15	1.30	7.15	6.45	12.00	4.45 10.45
Kings Creek		8.30	1.45	7.30		11.45	4.30 11.30
Princess Anne		8.45	2.00	7.45		11.30	4.15 10.15
Loretto		9.00	2.15	8.00		11.15	4.00 10.00
Allen		9.15	2.30	8.15		11.00	3.45 9.45
Fruitland		9.30	2.45	8.30		10.45	3.30 9.30
Salisbury		9.45	3.00	8.45		10.30	3.15 9.15

Peninsula Rapid Transit Company

South Division Street near Main Street.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Wicomico County, in Wicomico County, in the State of Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

ANNETTE T. WHITE

late of Wicomico County. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the

25th day of May, 1918.

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under our hands and seal this 25th day of November, 1917.

G. VICKERS WHITE

J. CLEVELAND WHITE

Administrators.
Test—J. W. Daahill,
Register of Wills, Wicomico County.

Vocal Instruction

By Mrs. E. W. Geyer, North Division Street, phone 968.

Carpenters Wanted

At Arcade Theatre Building.
Apply there.

Very Different Matter.
Grandma—Well, Bobbie, have you had all the dinner you want? Bobbie—No, I only had all I could eat.

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tion.

SELF DENIAL DAYS

The giving to those in need is not only the duty of those blessed with a superabundance of this world's goods, but is one of their privileges, and should be one of the greatest blessings that wealth can give. The giving of that however which we never miss, has not all in it that the presenting of that which we will miss. There is today more suffering from actual want than has ever been witnessed by the present generation at least, if indeed, it has ever been equaled in the world's history.

The terrible war in Europe has left whole nations destitute, without the means of getting even those things which are necessary to support life itself. This, too, through no fault of the people suffering, for they had little or no say in the program which has led into the bloody battlefield millions of men.

There cannot be anything but commendation for those who are opening up their purses in order to feed and clothe these countless thousands suffering in a foreign land. There can be nothing but praise for the thoughtfulness of our people in sending over Christmas ships to make the little children a little more happy at the coming holiday season—that is known the world over as their own "happy days."

Let us not forget in our sympathies with our brothers in a foreign land that we have here at home many whose homes are fireless and cold, who have not sufficient clothing to protect them from the rigor of the cold winter, whose bodies are not getting enough nourishment to keep them healthy and strong. Hunger and cold is knocking at the door of many an honest, industrious, deserving family's door, and we don't have to leave our own city to find them.

The first great obligation of man is to first look after his own and after performing this duty to go outside and help whenever and wherever he can. If he is wealthy it is a comparatively simple matter to go down into his pockets and give that which entails upon himself no other hardship than the parting of which he never will need; but to those who have but little the giving, must of course, be more or less circumscribed.

There are few of us however who would not be able to do without some little thing, and give its cost to those who have not the bare necessities of life, let alone the luxuries.

Self denial is a pleasing thing when once tried. The feeling of a duty well performed will repay anyone for the denial practiced.

There is sweeping over the country a wave of humanity that is pleasing to watch—a wave which shows that after all there is a kindly and brotherly feeling existing between man and man. This has in various communities assumed different forms, and one of these which seems to appeal most strongly to the majority is a day of self-denial. On this day it is proposed to do without some accustomed luxury in order that the money it costs may be applied to a worthy cause.

Suppose every man in Salisbury would even do without his accustomed smoking, would he be any worse off? The sum of money saved by several days of this kind would amount to a much larger sum than would be supposed.

Our soda water drinkers, as well as indulgers in other beverages, could well abstain for one day every now and then without hurting either themselves or anyone else.

These are only two of a multitude of suggestions that might be made in order that money

may be raised to relieve the actual suffering at home and abroad.

According to reports current in this city Salisbury has never had as much real suffering in its midst as exists today. Owing to some of our large manufacturing plants being unable to run steadily a great many have been thrown out of employment or are only getting enough to barely exist upon. It is hard for the man working by the day at from \$1.00 to \$1.50 to live and support a family, when work is regular and certain, owing to the high prices which he has to pay for food and clothing. And when this small sum is cut down by one-third and one-half he finds himself without sufficient means to properly take care of those dear to him. Willing and anxious to work he is unable to find work to do. He must have help, and it is up to the more prosperous citizens of this city to see that the worthy and de-

serving do not suffer.

Christmas, the great season of human kindness and good fellowship is approaching—why not one and all of us try and see if we can not save a few pennies at least to place in the hands of those who are doing their best to give help where help is needed. Shall the children miss old "Santa Claus" altogether this year? Look, parents, around your own happy family circle, watch the kindling eyes as Santa Claus is spoken of and think what it would mean to these happy expectant faces if Santa was compelled to pass them by.

Let us do without something and turn the money over to the poor, the deserving, the unfortunate in our midst.

I have a nice line of Fall and Winter hosiery and underwear samples from the World's Star Hosiery and Underwear Co., the kind that wears. I would be pleased to show them to you any time. Call phone No. 883, or at my residence on Brooklyn Ave. Mrs. W. G. Bowdoin.

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SALISBURY, MD.

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We announce to the public that we have opened our new DRUG STORE at the corner of Main and Dock Streets, (former location of The Peninsula Trust Co.). It is up-to-date in every particular, equipped with all modern facilities for the benefit of the public and patrons. We solicit a share of your drug store patronage, and assure you of the best and promptest attention. We have the largest and most complete

SODA WATER FOUNTAIN

on the Peninsula. Fine line of Samoset Candies. Bring us your PRESCRIPTIONS, or phone us and we will call for and deliver them.

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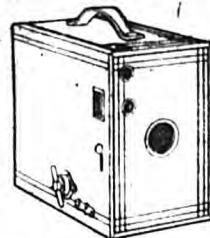
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He'll admit that no amount of pressing can keep good looks in a suit lacking these qualities.

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Come in tomorrow and see

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Warning to Auto Speeders

The Automobile club of Maryland, in bulletin No. 96, has issued the following warning to auto speeders:

"We beg to warn our members and friends that all of the state and local authorities throughout the state are waging a campaign against speeders. Speeding endangers life, limb and property and we cannot urge too strongly upon all drivers of motor vehicles the necessity of driving reasonable at all times, keeping within the various speed limits."

The speed limit in the thickly settled or business sections in all cities of the state is 12 miles per hour, except where local incorporated towns have their own speed limit, in which case signs to that effect must be posted at either end of the town in accordance with the law; in the thinly settled sections of cities, the speed limit is 15

miles per hour and 25 miles per hour in the open country.

For the information of those who may be unfortunate to be arrested for exceeding the speed limit, we give you below a schedule of fees or costs that may be charged by the justice of the peace and those allowed constables, which is in addition to the fine imposed:

For issuing each state writ.....\$.25
For issuing each summons for a witness after the first five.....\$.25
For each oath of affidavit administered.....\$.10
For each hearing of trial.....\$ 1.00
For each continuance of the case.....\$.10
The constable's fees, which are also taxed as part of the costs in a criminal case, are as follows:
For serving state warrant and return.....\$.75
For serving summons for witness and return, each witness.....\$.75

CHRISTMAS TALKS



AN EASY AND SURE WAY TO HAVE CHRISTMAS MONEY

JOIN OUR
CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB
STARTING DECEMBER 28, 1914.

Save a little every week for the next 50 weeks and you will receive a check for the lump sum (with interest) on December 13, 1915, just at a time when a little ready money will come in handy. You will never miss the small deposit weekly and will be agreeably surprised on December 13th to see how easily you have saved a nice sum of

Money for Christmas

Get Your Friends to Join. Everybody Is Welcome.

Interest will be paid on deposits if payments are kept up promptly, but if depositor fails to keep up payments when due, check will be mailed you for the amount paid in only, without interest.

SALISBURY NATIONAL BANK
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SPECIAL CASH DISCOUNT TO X-MAS SHOPPERS.

We are offering you a Special Cash Discount on the following articles in Men's Wear. These articles are a line of exclusive high grade merchandise and something better than the ordinary. It will pay you to see these goods before buying.

Auto Gloves\$1.50 to \$6.00 less 15 per cent
Derby Hats\$2.50 to \$4.00 less 25 per cent
Soft Hats\$1.50 to \$5.00 less 20 per cent
Umbrellas\$1.00 to \$4.00 less 15 per cent
Hand Bags\$4.50 to \$7.50 less 20 per cent
Suit Cases\$4.50 to \$9.50 less 20 per cent

All other purchases amounting to \$1.00 or over 10 per cent off.

The Quality Shop

CARL F. SCHULER

High-Grade Hats & Gents' Furnishings

(Next to L. W. Gunby Co.)

Salisbury - Maryland

Mr. R. C. Rector of Downey, Cal., is making a visit to this section. Mr. Rector was formerly prominent farmer near Salisbury and about a year or so ago moved to Florida, thence to California.

WANTED!

Party with heavy team, either horses, mules or oxen, to log oak mill; long engagement. The Berlin Lumber Co., H. O. Adams, Mgr., Milford, Del.

Local Department.

NEWS is the truth concerning men, nations and things. That is, truth concerning them which is helpful, or pleasant, or useful or necessary for a reader to know.

THE ADVERTISER will be pleased to receive items such as engagements, wedding, parties, teas and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present, for this department. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hurbert and child have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

W. C. T. U. will hold its monthly meeting Monday, Dec. 14, at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Alice Adkins, Division street.

Asbury M. E. Church Sunday Services: Rev. T. F. Beauchamp, secretary of the Wilmington Missionary Society, will preach in the morning, and Dr. Martindale at night.

Sunday at Bethesda Methodist Protestant church the theme of the day will be "Children." In the morning and in the evening about children, and in the evening about children. Always a cordial welcome.

Episcopal service at Spring Hill next Sunday morning and at Martindale in the evening. There were a good number at the Quince bazaar last Saturday night, notwithstanding the storm. It will be held again next Saturday night.

Miss Mattie Parker, who has been ill for the past three weeks, is able to resume her work at the Friendship school. Miss Margie Campbell of Pittville, has been substituting for her during her absence.

Miss Cora Humphreys is ill at the Peninsula General Hospital under the care of Dr. J. McFadden Dick and Dr. Nicholson. Miss Humphreys is a student of the Beacom Business College. Miss Irma Humphreys, a sister, is her nurse.

The Wicomico county schools will close for the Christmas holidays on Wednesday afternoon, December 23, and will reopen on the fourth day of January. The colored schools will observe the same dates.

Gunby & Quillin, of Berlin, have contracted for a motor bus to make trips between Berlin and Snow Hill, and connect with the Worcester Transit Company's line from Snow-Hill to Pocomoke.

The people of Worcester county have sent the Belgians nearly a carload of food and clothing from Snow Hill and the sum of \$286.10 in cash has been forwarded to the Belgian Relief Committee of Baltimore.

Presiding Elder J. Franklin Carey is in Salisbury this week unpacking furniture and arranging the home for the arrival of Mrs. Carey next week. Dr. Carey has taken the home on William street recently vacated by the Drummonds who have moved to Washington.

East New Market had a \$40,000 fire on Sunday night which burned the Hotel Chesadel, Edward L. Hooper, proprietor; Millerson's store, Charles Morgan's home and barber shop, Thos. O. Jefferson's drug store and Frank Pegelow's shoe store. The East New Market post office was in the hotel.

The Elks will give their usual Christmas treat to the poor of Salisbury. Their committee is now soliciting funds for the purpose and the fraternity hopes to be able to bring a cheerful Christmas dinner to many needy homes that otherwise would be cheered by no delicacies as a mark of the day of "Good Will Among Men."

The Salisbury corps of the Salvation Army which has been carrying on both spiritual and relief work in this city during the past two years has commenced preparations for the Christmas and winter relief. Funds are being solicited to purchase Christmas dinners for poor families and toys for the children.

The Federal league handed organized baseball somewhat of a jolt last week. Walter Johnson, Eddie Plank and Rube Marquard were signed for the coming season. These are three of the greatest twirlers in the business and it will be quite a boost for the outlaws. Bender also joined the Federals Saturday.

The new express rates for the state of Maryland went into effect at midnight Monday, and are expected to result in a considerably increased express business, as sweeping reductions have been made in many of the rates. This is particularly true of the Eastern Shore, where the rates, as compared with those of other sections of the country, have been almost prohibitively high.

In their advertisement in this paper the Peninsula Rapid Transit Co. announces its schedule of cars between Salisbury and Fairmount. This schedule is temporary only, and will be changed as soon as a little experience with the run shows a needed alteration. Three trips a day each way afford convenience for a large traffic. Other schedules will be announced as soon as the company can get cars for the service.

Owing to the fact that Christmas day this year falls on Friday Governor Goldsborough has issued a proclamation declaring Saturday, December 23, the day after Christmas, a legal holiday also. All the banks of the county will be closed on both Christmas day and the day following. This declaration will enable many persons who are only able to enjoy a holiday on Christmas day, to have a day in which to celebrate the birth of the Christ.

Miss May Gordy of Georgetown and Miss Pearl Gordy of Seaford, Del., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Levin H. Moore.

Mr. Dallas H. Moore has returned from Onley, Va., to Salisbury, and will erect a garage on North Division st. for the repair and supply of automobiles.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. P. church of Friendship will have an oyster supper at the home of Mrs. John Ellis on Wednesday evening December 23. All are cordially invited to attend. If stormy, the next evening.

Miss Luck Walter, who is at the head of the Domestic Science work in the Nanticoke high school, gave a splendid dinner Wednesday evening in the cooking department to the school officials and people of Nanticoke.

State Comptroller Harrington of Cambridge is expected to announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the governorship of Maryland in a few days. His friends confidently expect him to have the support of the entire Eastern Shore, especially if he is not opposed by Congressman Price of Salisbury. Mr. Price has as yet not indicated that he intends to make the contest for the nomination. Congressman Linthicum already has his hat in the ring.

ALEX. M. JACKSON, Attorney-at-Law

Public Sale

Under virtue of a sale, contained in a certain chattel mortgage from Wash-Jenkins to Uriah W. Dickerson dated Feb. 27, 1913, recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County, Md., in Liber E. A. T. No. 79 folio 533, default having occurred in the covenants of said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at John M. Toulson Bldg., (basement) on Main St., Salisbury, Maryland, on

Saturday, Dec. 12, 1914,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

2 bowling alleys, in-stalled in said basement, 1 doz. bowling balls, 2 sets of ten pins, sets of duck pins, one cash register; all lighting fixtures attached for use of said alley, and every thing used in the connection of said alley games

URIAH W. DICKERSON, Mortgagee.

Notice to Public

I wish to inform the public that I am in no way connected with the firm of Powell Brothers & Co., but have accepted a position with the Salisbury Provision Co., Division Street facing E. Camden Street, where I shall continue to give the public the same careful attention they have always received from me in the past.

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A good line of Dolls very cheap at J. E. Shockley & Co.

A 10 to 25 per cent discount cash sale is now going on at The Quality Shop. We have a great many useful Christmas presents to offer you.

Coupon in this issue that will enable you to obtain a piece of aluminum below cost. Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Company.

See our Library Tables, very low in price. J. E. Shockley & Co.

A great many useful articles for Christmas presents at a saving of a discount of from 10 to 25 per cent at the Quality Shop.

Don't forget to get the coupon out of this paper. It is worth 60 cents to you in obtaining Wear-Ever Xmas Presents. Dorman & Smyth.

The Quality Shop offers you discounts ranging from 10 per cent to 25 per cent on amounts purchased amounting to \$1.00 or over.

FARM FOR SALE

Thirty acre farm near Frituland, 5 acres timber, 2 acres in strawberries, small frame house and outbuildings, some fruit trees. Cheap to quick purchaser. \$250 cash, balance long time. J. C. BYARS, 926 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D. C.

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For bicycles, guns, rifles, air rifles for the kids, roller skates, foot balls and suits, base balls and gloves, gunning coats, leggings, Keen Kutter pocket knives, safety razors, pocket flash lights 50c to \$2 each, and lots of other things that the boys are proud to possess. Lankford's presents remain long after Christmas is forgotten.

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Dolls, Doll Carriages, Desks, Express Wagons, Velocipeds, Toy Autos, Mechanical Trains, Tool Boxes, Real Pianos for little tots, Books of all descriptions. 999 New Games and also Old Maids.

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Main St., Under Opera House
SALISBURY, MD.

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Overland Model 80

We have our 15 new Models Overlands in and will be pleased to demonstrate this famous Car. This car has all the up-to-date equipment and sells for the popular price.

This year's improvements make the far more sought after Car on the market, the out put will be increased to meet this demand and 75,000 cars will be the Factory's output, and at this high water mark all the 75,000 cars are under contract, at this writing. The early orders will be taken care of first, better get in with your order.

Model 80 Touring Car with Full Electric Equipment \$1075
81 " " " " " " 850
81 Roadster " " " " " " 7.95

Peninsula Motor Co.

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Price, \$15.00 to \$400.00

Call, hear us play one for you FREE.

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BIG LINE Of Iron, Brass & Wood Beds

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FIRE INSURANCE AGENT
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Only the newest styles are exhibited. Dress Goods and Trimmings to match. Newest collar and cuff sets. Remember—ours is the up-to-date store.

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Phone No. 370. THE UP-TO-DATE MERCHANT OF SALISBURY. We Take No

Coupon

"Wear Ever"

10 Quarts.

Regular \$2.50—Special at \$1.90

Xmas Presents

We are enabling you to obtain a "WEAR-EVER" Gift below cost—something that will have the EVERY-DAY-OF-THE-YEAR APPRECIATION.

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Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co.

Salisbury, Maryland

THE BIG AND BUSY STORE

R. E. Powell & Co.

MAIN STREET

A Few Suggestions

FROM OUR

Furniture Department

Carpet Sweepers	\$ 2.75 to \$ 5.00
Vacuum Cleaners	\$ 7.50
Globe Wernicke Bookcases in Sections at	\$ 1.75 to \$ 7.00
Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet	\$24.00 to \$33.50
Rockers, Upholstered in Leather	\$ 6.00 to \$12.50
Royal Push Button Easy Chairs	\$12.00 upwards
Keen Kutter Food Choppers	\$ 1.25 to \$ 2.25
Library Tables	\$ 8.00 to \$25.00
Chinese Grass Furniture in odd pieces	\$ 6.00 to \$11.00
Ladies' Desks	\$ 5.00 to \$15.00
Rugs	\$ 1.00 to \$35.00
Children's Rockers	.50c to \$ 2.00
Framed Pictures	.50c to \$ 3.50
Comfortables	\$ 2.50 to \$ 9.00
Couches	\$ 6.00 to \$25.00

This is only a few articles to be found in this department. Give us a call. You may find just the thing you are looking for.

THE BIG AND BUSY STORE

R. E. Powell & Co.

Main Street SALISBURY, MD.

SPECIAL XMAS BARGAIN

300 Silk Ties, wide ends in wanted colors, 17c, 3 for 50c. When desired each tie beautifully boxed, just the same as if you were paying full price.

HE'LL LIKE SOMETHING TO WEAR For X-MAS

AND THERE IS A REASON

This year we can boast of the largest Christmas stocks in our career. A practical gift—whether you give or receive it—is a compliment to good intelligence.

It will help out his pocket-book and at the same time warm his heart and tickle his fancy. So fill up his stocking with practical presents. Ask him what he wants and he's sure to answer "make it something to wear and get it at NOCK'S, for that's where I buy all my goods".

Rich Silk Neckwear

The best small gift for man—if it's right. The right kind we sell. Take our **Special half-dollar Ties** for instance: they are made by **Cheney Bros.**, of **Cheney Silks**. Here are hundreds to select from, all new. Happy is the man who receives a Tie bearing the **Cheney label**. He knows it means correct style and good taste, high quality and Cash Value. You'll see their twin brothers elsewhere at 75c or even \$1.00. **50 Cents.** Better ones for more.

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\$2.50 TO \$7.00
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\$5.00 TO \$22.00

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MEN'S HOSE—LISLE, COT-
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MEN'S SHOES
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The Last Shot

By
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by custom to the salute of officers and "present arms" by sentries.

After Lanstron's announcement to the Brown staff of his decision not to cross the frontier, there was a restless movement in the chairs around the table, and the grimaces on most of the faces were those with which a practical man regards a Utopian proposal. The vice-chief was drumming on the table edge and looking steadily at a point in front of his fingers. If Lanstron resigned he became chief.

"Partow might have this dream before he won, but would he now?" asked the vice-chief. "No. He would go on!"

"Yes," said another officer. "The world will ridicule the suggestion; our people will overwhelm us with their anger. The Grays will take it for a sign of weakness."

"Not if we put the situation rightly to them," answered Lanstron. "Not if we go to them as brave adversary to brave adversary, in a fair fight."

"We can—we shall take the range!" the vice-chief went on in a burst of rigid conviction when he saw that opinion was with him. "Nothing can stop this army now!" He struck the table edge with his fist, his shoulders stiffening.

"Please—please, don't!" implored Marta softly. "It sounds so like Westering!"

The vice-chief started as if he had received a sharp pin-prick. His shoulders unconsciously relaxed. He began a fresh study of a certain point on the table. Lanstron, looking first at one and then at another, spoke again, his words as measured as they ever had been in military discussion and eloquent. He began outlining his own message which would go with Partow's to the premier, to the nation, to every regiment of the Browns to the Grays, to the world. He set forth why the Grays should realize that they could not take their range. Partow

had not taught him to put himself in other men's places in vain. The boy who had kept up his friendship with engine drivers after he was an officer knew how to sink the plummet into human emotions. He reminded the Brown soldiers that there had been a providential answer to the call of "God with us!" he reminded the people of the lives that would be lost to no end but to engender hatred; he begged the army and the people not to break faith with that principle of "Not for them, but for ours," which had been their strength.

"I should like you all to sign it—to make it simply the old form of the staff has the honor to report," he said finally.

There was a hush as he finished—the hush of a deep impression when one man waits for another to speak. All were looking at him except the vice-chief, who was still staring at the table as if he had heard nothing. Yet every word was etched on his mind.

The man whose name was the symbol of victory to the soldiers, who would be more than ever a hero as the news of his charge with the African Braves traveled along the lines, would go on record to his soldiers as saying that they could not take the Gray range.

This was a handicap that the vice-chief did not care to accept; and he knew how to turn a phrase as well as to make a soldierly decision. He looked up smilingly to Marta.

"I have decided that I had rather not be a Westering, Miss Galland," he said. "We'll make it unanimous. And you," he burst out to Lanstron—"you legate of old Partow; I've always said that he was the biggest man of our time. He has proved it by catching the spirit of our time and incarnating it."

Vaguely, in the whirl of her joy, Marta heard the chorus of assent as the officers sprang to their feet in the elation of being at one with their chief again. Lanstron caught her arm, fearing that she was going to fall, but a burning question rose in her mind to steady her.

"Then my shame—my sending men to slaughter—my sacrifice was not in vain!" she exclaimed.

The sea of people packed in the great square of the Brown capital made a roar like the thunder of waves against a breakwater at night of a white spot on a background of gray stone, which was the head of an eminent statesman.

"It looks as if our government would last the week out," the premier chuckled as he turned to his colleagues at the cabinet table.

As yet only the brief bulletins whose publication in the newspapers had aroused the public to a frenzy had been received. The cabinet, as eager for details as the press, had remained up, awaiting a fuller official account.

"We have a long communication in preparation," the staff had telegraphed. "Meanwhile, the following is submitted."

"Good heavens! It's not from the army! It's from the grave!" exclaimed the premier as he read the first paragraphs of Partow's message. "Of all the concealed dynamite ever!" he gasped as he grasped the full meaning of the document, that piece of news, as staggering as the victory itself, that had lain in the staff vaults for years. "Well, we needn't give it out to the press; at least, not until after mature consideration," he declared when they had reached the end of Partow's appeal. "Now we'll hear what the staff has to say for itself after gratifying the wish of a dead man," he added as a messenger gave him another sheet.

"The staff, in loyalty to its dead leader who made victory possible, and in loyalty to the principles of defense for which the army fought, begs to say to the nation—"

It was four o'clock in the morning when this dispatch concluded with "We heartily agree with the foregoing," and the cabinet read the names of all the general staff and the corps and division commanders. Coursing crowds in the streets were still shouting hoarsely and sometimes drunkenly: "On to the Gray capital! Nothing can stop us now!" The premier tried to imagine what a sea of faces in the great square would look like in a rage. He was between the people in a passion for retribution and a headless army that was supposed to charge across the frontier at dawn.

"The thing is sheer madness!" he cried. "It's insubordination! I'll have it suppressed! The army must go on to gratify public demand. I'll show the staff that they are not in the saddle. They'll obey orders!"

He tried to get Lanstron on the long distance.

"Sorry, but the chief has retired," answered the officer on duty sleepily. "In fact, all the rest of the staff have, with orders that they are not to be disturbed before ten."

"Tell them that the premier, the head of the government, their commander, is speaking!"

"Yes, sir. The orders not to disturb them are quite positive, and as a junior I could not do so except by their orders as superiors. The chief, before retiring, however, repeated to me, in case any inquiry came from you, sir, that there was nothing he could add to the staff's message to the nation and the army. It is to be given to the soldiers the first thing in the morning, and he will let you know how they regard it."

"Confound these machine minds that spring their surprises as fully executed plans!" exclaimed the premier.

"It's true—Partow and the staff have covered everything—met every argument. There is nothing more for them to say," said the foreign minister.

"But what about the indemnity?" demanded the finance minister. He was thinking of victory in the form

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of piles of gold in the treasury.

This question, too, was answered. "War has never brought prosperity," Partow had written. "Its purpose is to destroy, and destruction can never be construction. The conclusion of a war has often assured a period of

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It is a grand thing to find joy in one's work. If you have found that, you have found the heart of life. Glad service is better than great service unless that be glad too.—James Buckham.

Of course we have a duty to distinguish between the good and the bad, but we have a duty to discriminate also among the things that are good. We are made not for the good only, but for the best.—Robert Speer.

EVILS OF IGNORANCE.

Nothing is more terrible than active ignorance.—Goethe.

The living man who does not learn is dark, dark, like one walking in the night.—From the Chinese.

The most ignorant are the most conceited. Unless a man knows that there is something more to be known his inference is, of course, that he knows everything. . . . But let a man know that there are things to be known of which he is ignorant, and it is so much carved out of his domain of universal knowledge.—Horace Mann.

BRILLIANTS.

Still, still with thee, when purple morning breaketh.
When the bird waketh and the shadows flee;
Fairer than morning, lovelier than the daylight,
Dawns the sweet consciousness, I am with thee!
—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Teach me then
To harmonize the discord of my life
And stop the painful jangle of these wires

That is a task impossible, until
You tune your heartstrings to a higher key
Than earthly melodies.
—Longfellow.

And they were canopied by the blue sky,
So cloudless, clear and purely beautiful
That God alone was to be seen
In heaven.
—Byron.

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You can see this for yourself.
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Somebody in this style maybe,
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That the after pain is great.
And when heart is gone, 'tis said,
Man is apt to lose his head.
Gladly would he bear some pain
If his heart he could regain.
—New York Sun.

Municipal Tree Resolutions.

Here's the way the people of Chicago resolved to rear their municipal Christmas tree. It offers useful suggestions to other places desirous of erecting this beautiful gift to their children, the "strangers" within their gates and themselves.

Whereas, The Municipal Christmas Festival association has been organized for the purpose of providing for the people of Chicago their own Christmas tree, to be erected at some suitable place in Grant park, and to provide for suitable exercises to be held in connection with the exhibition of the tree on Christmas eve; and
Whereas, It is the desire of said association that the corporate authorities of the city of Chicago co-operate with said association and the South park commissioners to the end that a program be arranged for a municipal Christmas festival in which all the people of Chicago may participate and

Resolved, That the mayor appoint a committee of three aldermen to co-operate with the executive committee of the Municipal Christmas Festival association and the South park commissioners to carry out plans for a municipal Christmas festival

The Community Christmas Tree.
"Peace on earth, good will to men."
This sentence, blazing from a brilliantly lighted electric placard raised almost to the dome of the capitol, reflected the predominant sentiment of the thousands who assembled on the capitol plaza to celebrate Washington's first "Community Christmas." A giant Norway spruce, illuminated with glistening red, white and blue electric bulbs, the Marine band, a huge electric star of the east and a chorus of 1,000 singers, with the capitol itself outlined as the background against the dark curtain of the sky, made a scene of beauty. Tableaux representing the story of the Nativity, were presented in the improvised amphitheater.

CITY CHRISTMAS TREE MAKES SANTA LAUGH

He Sees In It a True Outpouring of the Holiday Spirit.

Yes, it's going to bring many a heartache, many a memory long latent, many a great, whole souled wish that the leaves of time's pamphlet might be turned back to the chapter of manhood back to that of childhood. It's going to hurt.

And in some it is going to stir that nameless thrill which comes with military music, the march of soldiers, the expression of great thoughts. And it's going to be a joy.

Two classes will look at it in two different ways. There will be deviations of views in between. Some will scoff, and some will praise.

But there it stands, the municipal Christmas tree, reared by good men and women for those who have no family Christmas trees of their own. It will induce thoughts of the long ago into minds of all degrees of culture. It will recall some other Christmas to one who might not have remembered. To the little children who romp along the downtown streets it is a source of the keenest delight. They look forward to the night when it will be illuminated. Some of them even believe that old Santa will come dashing off the top of the nearby buildings in his sleigh drawn by reindeer eight.

There will be the down-and-outers who will view it. And perhaps through his coat of life hardness he will remember a similar tree, though smaller, of his long gone childhood.

Memories such as these will come to many minds when they see this great community tree.

There won't be any presents on this tree, because Kris Kringle has been too busy trying to supply every one.

But when he goes dashing through the city he will see that tree, just as hundreds of others will see it during the week, and he will laugh and wobble like jelly down-turned from a glass.

PHILADELPHIA'S BIG TREE.

Plans Laid For the City Children's Christmas Celebration.

The poor children of Philadelphia, it was declared, would have the handsomest, tallest and most gorgeous Christmas tree procurable for a municipal tree if efforts being made by the Child federation did not prove vain. Officers of that body said that a search was being made for a tree sixty-five feet high and with a fifty foot spread.

Nurserymen were appealed to with unfavorable results. Upon hearing the specifications for the enormous tree they invariably shook their heads and said:

"We don't handle them that large. Whoever heard of a sixty-five foot Christmas tree?"

But then came a telegram from the federation's tree scout in Maine saying that the tree, a magnificent specimen meeting every requirement, had been found. There was much rejoicing at federation headquarters.

Mayor Blandenburg when he learned of the search for a tree assured the federation officers that he had the joy of Philadelphia's kiddies ever at heart and that he would endeavor to find a suitable black spruce in the southern mountains. Other tree scouts were seeking in every forest within a radius of 500 miles of Philadelphia for the handsome evergreen that was to bring happiness to thousands of little ones.

The officers said the tree must be found; that the finest Christmas tree in the city must be for the children.

Chicago's Municipal Christmas Tree. Chicago's municipal Christmas tree is placed in position long enough before the holidays so that it can be sprayed with water and made a sprig of glistening ice. According to plans of the Municipal Christmas Tree association, the lake front is made a blaze of light during the week or more the tree is in position. Christmas carols are sung and there are other suitable exercises.

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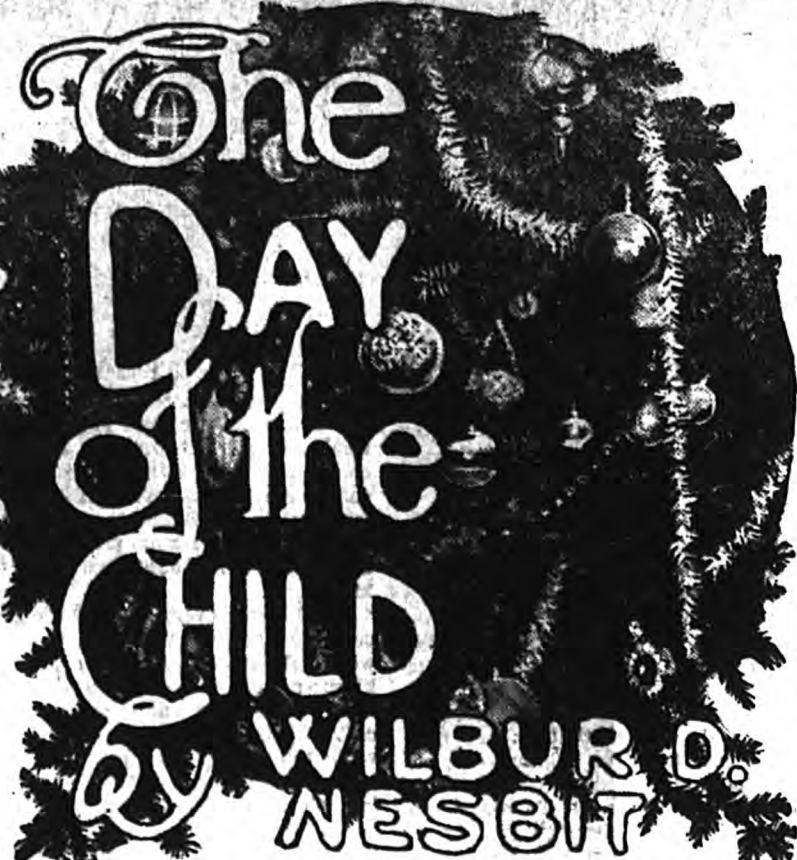
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State Grange Holds Its Annual Meeting

Maryland Farmers and Farm Women Will Meet in Baltimore To Consider Rural Problems.

With the coming of the Maryland State Grange to Baltimore on the 15th and 16th of December, we find many interested to know what this organization stands for and what it has accomplished.

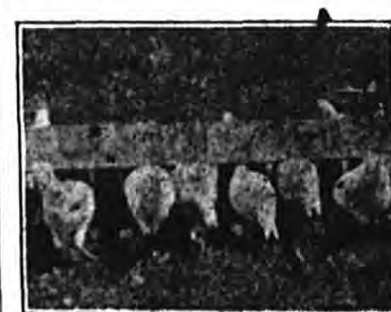
The Grange is the organization of the whole country community, vitally interested in the betterment of the home as well as the improvement of the farm, open to men and women alike and ready to include in its membership the boys and girls who are fast growing into the active life of their neighborhood. The Grange is the educator of the farmer in better farming methods, in better business practice, and in better country life. The first object of the Grange is to train the farmer to help himself and find himself.

The social side of the Grange is the side that really touches the farmer first and brings his family into closer touch with the other people of the neighborhood. Too often the country neighborhood is broken up into social sets or circles or again there is little or no social life at all. "Things are dead," the young folks will tell you, "nothing doing around these parts!" The Grange changes this. The Grange is broad enough to take into it every interest in country life and every one interested in it. It brings people together who have had hardly a bowing acquaintance. It makes them feel free to speak their thoughts out in "open meeting" without fearing too much what this or that neighbor will say. It brings home to them the fact that they are all members of a common neighborhood and engaged in the common and united effort of making it a more desirable place in which to live. If the Grange accomplished nothing else but the making of better neighbors and better neighborhood spirit, it would be still well worth while. Copies of the program for the State Grange meeting will be gladly mailed to any one writing to the State Lecturer, College Park, Md.

SELECTING PROFITABLE LAYERS FROM THE FARM FLOCK.

ROY H. WAITE,
Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station.

At this season of the year the question of how to pick out the laying hen often comes up. Many have recommended the use of trap nests. This may sound very well to persons who have had no actual experience with them, but any one who has looked after trap nests knows that it is no simple matter. Attention has to be given at intervals every day if a complete record is to be had. They have to be looked after Sundays and holidays as well as other days, fourth of July and Christmas included. Of course, trap nests have their place, but it isn't in the hen house of the average farmer or poultryman. How then is the poultry keeper going to pick out the business hen? It is quite a simple matter. The hardest problem perhaps is how to get hold of the birds. If one doesn't mind spending an evening now and then with the chickens they can be easily handled after dark. If the work must be done during the day a sort of darkened corner can be fenced off in the poultry house and the birds driven in where they can be very readily caught.



LAYERS IN THE MAKING.

Each bird should be handled separately and the following points noted: General condition of plumage, color and condition of head and comb, relative size of comb depending on breed or strain, general condition of body as regards flesh, condition of the abdomen and the distance apart of the two pelvic bones. If the plumage is healthy and glossy (this depends somewhat on season of the year) the head parts and comb a healthy red, the comb firm and large for the breed or strain, the body well fleshed, the abdomen full and distended but not with a big chunk of fat, and you find you can get at least three fingers of your hand between the pelvic bones which are located just below the vent, you may be certain the fowl is in laying condition. The width of the pelvic bones alone is not a safe guide because the distance varies considerably before and after laying. A hen might be rejected as a non-layer that just laid.

If one wished to get a complete record of the producing powers of his flock, they could be legbanded, symbols adopted to indicate their condition, and the results tabulated on a sheet of paper.

Poultry Week at the Agricultural College, beginning January 18, 1914. The neighborhood short course furnishes the farmer and farm woman the opportunity to secure information by personal contact with the instructor without leaving home over night.

RUGG CANAL.

The Rugg canal connects the Mediterranean with the Red sea, shortening the route to India from England and America more than 5,000 miles. It was commenced in 1869 and completed in 1869. Length 100 miles; average breadth, 329 feet; depth, 28 feet. Cost in gold, \$65,000,000. Distances: English channel to Calcutta, via Cape Good Hope, 12,000 miles; via canal, 6,000. New York to Calcutta, via Cape Good Hope, 12,000 miles; via canal, 6,000.

Young Fruit Trees Should Be Protected

Painting With Lime Sulphur Is Effective Against Mice and Rabbits.

E. N. CORY,
Maryland Agricultural College.

This is the time of the year when every fruit grower or farmer who has a young orchard should take steps to prevent rabbits and mice from injuring his trees.

The rabbit is especially fond of the succulent bark of young apple trees, frequently feeding upon it when other food is plentiful. They gnaw away the bark, often girdling the trees or injuring them to such an extent that it becomes necessary to replace the trees.

When weeds or grass are allowed to grow close to the base of apple trees, field mice frequently make their nests there and when food becomes scarce feed upon the bark.

The best method of preventing the injury from these two animals is to paint the trunks of the trees with lime sulphur wash. Use at the same strength as for scale control, that is: one part of concentrated lime sulphur to nine parts of water, adding enough lime to make a thick paint. To make one barrel of paint, place five gallons of concentrated lime sulphur (obtainable in most any farmer's supply house) in a barrel; add 30 pounds of stone lime and allow to slake vigorously. Do not allow the lime to burn, but have water at hand to add gradually. Finally, after the slaking has ended, add sufficient water to fill the barrel and stir vigorously.

Paint this material on the trunks of the trees from the ground line up two feet, and you will not be bothered by rabbits or mice.

Wire or wood protectors are not so good. One is expensive and the other holds the snow and water so that the weather, when there is alternate freezing and thawing, the trees are liable to injury from frost.

OUR CHILDREN SHOULD BE TAUGHT IN TERMS OF NEIGHBORHOOD LIFE.

J. E. METZGER,
Maryland Agricultural College.

Rural teaching must be in the terms of child life. The tendency in the past in our school work has been to teach the things that are far removed from the place in which the recitation is taking place. The glowing descriptions of the life and activities of the city, and our elementary readers are full of these descriptions, have served to give the country boys and girls a false comparison, they have overestimated the opportunities of the one and depreciated the other. That there is a tendency for rural people to permit the city people to set for them their ideals, I need to remind you only of the tendencies of the times in the matter of styles and the use of food stuffs. The garment designers of the city change the styles each season and we as country people accept their creations as though it were a necessity. The city man buys practically all of his food stuffs in package form because it is about the only form in which it is available, but when the country home uses these food stuffs it is a matter of choice, and the housewife pays for the false economy. Again why should the rural child study in detail the commerce, the mountains, the rivers, the cities, the plant life, the history and literature of foreign or that of countries that have ceased to exist, and completely ignore those things about them that are foreign, but I believe in studying them in their relation to our own country and our own locality. The boy or girl who becomes thoroughly familiar with his own community, its opportunities, its history, its organizations, learns something about the outside world. Through comparisons he will be able to fully appreciate his own comforts and well being.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION.

Farm products have no credit and perhaps can never have on a permanent and satisfactory basis unless we build warehouses, cold storage plants, elevators, etc., for without storage and credit facilities, the south is compelled to dump its crop on the market at harvest time. The Farmers' Unions in the cotton producing states have for the past ten years persistently advocated the construction of storage facilities. We have built during this period 2,000 warehouses with a capacity of approximately 4,000,000 bales and looking backward the results would seem encouraging, but looking forward, we are able to house less than one-third of the crop and warehouses without a credit system lose 80 per cent of their usefulness. The problem is a gigantic one—too great for the farmer to solve unaided. He must have the assistance of the banker, the merchant and the government. In production we have reached the high water mark of perfection in the world's history, but our marketing methods are most primitive. In the dawn of history we find agriculture plowing with a forked stick but with a system of warehouses under governmental supervision that made the Egyptians the marvel of civilization, for who has not admired the vision of Joseph and applauded the wisdom of Pharaoh for storing the surplus until demanded by the consumer, but in this age we have too many Josephs who dream and not enough Pharaohs who build.

Many writers have contended that laying stock should be replaced each season or at the most, every two years, but the results of some experiments conducted with White Leghorns at the Utah Experiment Station seem to show that laying fowls may be profitably kept over a period of at least three years providing they continue healthy and vigorous.

If this is true and there is good reason to believe it is, it makes poultry keeping for egg production considerably simpler. One will have only to replace one-third of the flock each season instead of the whole or half the flock.

Woman Given High Position.

In Switzerland a woman has been appointed to the chief inspectorship of factories, a coveted position hitherto held only by men. This appointment is the outcome of a special commission which met to inquire into factory conditions of the various cantons. Owing to the great increase in women in industrial life the desirability of a woman as chief inspector was unanimously agreed upon by the commission.

EUROPEAN WAR SHATTERS KING COTTON'S THRONE

FLEECY STAPLE MUST PAY RANSOM INTO THE COFFERS OF WAR.

Nation Rings With Cries of Stricken Industry.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

King Cotton has suffered more from the European war than any other agricultural product on the American continent. The shells of the belligerents have burst over his throne, frightening his subjects and shattering his markets, and, panic-stricken, the nation cries out "God save the king!"

People from every walk of life have contributed their mite toward rescue work. Society has danced before the king; military has decreed that the family wardrobe shall contain only cotton goods; the press has pleaded with the public to "buy a bale"; bankers have been formulating holding plans; congress and legislative bodies have deliberated over relief measures; statesmen and writers have grown eloquent expounding the inalienable rights of "His Majesty" and presenting schemes for preserving the financial integrity of the stricken staple, but the sword of Europe has proved mightier than the pen of America in fixing value upon this product of the sunny south. Prices have been boycotted, values ridiculed and markets decimated by the battling hosts of the eastern hemisphere until the American farmer has suffered a war loss of \$400,000,000, and a bale of cotton brave enough to enter a European port must pay a ransom of half its value or go to prison until the war is over.

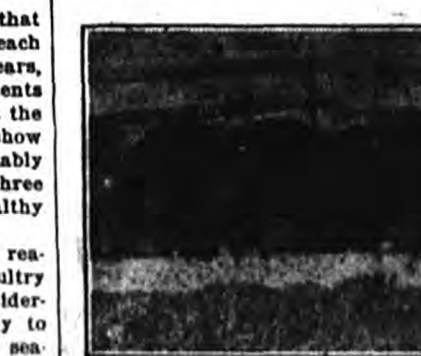
Hope of the Future Lies in Co-operation. The Farmers' Union, through the columns of the press, wants to thank the American people for the friendship, sympathy and assistance given the cotton farmers in the hour of distress and to direct attention to co-operative methods necessary to permanently assist the marketing of all farm products.

The present emergency presents as grave a situation as ever confronted the American farmer and from the viewpoint of the producer, would seem to justify extraordinary relief measures, even to the point of bending the constitution and straining business rules in order to lift a portion of the burden off the backs of the farmer, for unless something is done to check the invasion of the war forces upon the cotton fields, the pathway of the European pestilence on this continent will be strewn with mortgage homes and famine and poverty will stalk over the southland, filling the highways of industry with refugees and the bankruptcy court with prisoners.

All calamities teach us lessons and the present crisis serves to illuminate the frailties of our marketing methods and the weakness of our credit system, and out of the financial anguish and travail of the cotton farmer will come a volume of discussion and a mass of suggestions and finally a solution of this, the biggest problem in the economic life of America, if, indeed, we have not already laid the foundation for at least temporary relief.

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Philadelphia	11:17		7:25	10:00	
Wilmington	12:01am		8:10	10:44	
Baltimore	9:10pm		6:20	10:44	

NORTH BOUND TRAINS

Leave	44	42	45-1048	49	50-1049
Norfolk		a.m.			p.m.
O.P. Comfort			8:20		8:00
Cape Charles		8:00	11:40	8:30	7:00
Salisbury		11:12	2:40pm	10:15	12:25pm
Delmar		11:36	2:59	10:39	12:45

Arrive
Wilmington 11:09 3:49 1:50 4:06
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