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STREET PAVING CONSIDERED BY LOCAL CHAMBER

Committee Is Appointed At Special Meeting To Confer With State Officials.

MAY COMPLETE PAVING
WORK THIS SUMMER

City May Pay Part Expense In Order To Get Street Approaches Quickly Finished—Baseball Favored and Purchase By County of Gordy Park Is Strongly Urged.

A letter from Governor Ritchie to Mayor Kennerly was the cause of a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night. Mayor Kennerly requested that the meeting be held in order that he might have an opportunity to get the opinion of the Chamber on the construction of the approaches to two city streets, West Main and East Church. Ways and means were discussed by which the completion of these connecting links between the State Highway and the city streets could be effected.

An extract from the Governor's letter is: "At a meeting of the State Roads Commission held about ten days ago the question of town streets came up. I knew of the situation in Salisbury as, of course, Mr. Mackall did also, and I asked the commission to attend to it before any others. After some further discussion it was then agreed to spend \$20,000 in constructing your streets."

Mayor Kennerly has estimated that the entire \$20,000 would not be needed on either section of the road and hoped to be able to find some plan by which both sections could be completed this summer. He argued that if the State intended letting a contract for either one of the two sections it would be much cheaper to the State to build both pieces of road this summer.

It was pointed out at the meeting that the State is under obligation to pay the entire cost of this construction but that the completion of the work this summer would mean so much to the city that it could afford to pay a part of the cost. In accord with this sentiment, a committee was appointed to wait upon the Governor and the State Roads Commission.

This committee, when sanctioned by the City Council, is to have the power to bargain with the Commission to pay one half of the cost of constructing West Main street and East Church street in excess of \$20,000, on condition that the cost to the city is not more than \$7,500. The committee from the Chamber of Commerce consists of Senator Chas. R. Disharoon, Messrs. Walter B. Miller, W. S. Sheppard, while Mayor Kennerly and Mr. W. F. Messick will represent the city.

The question of a baseball team for Salisbury was discussed and the Chamber went on record as favoring a team. It is thought probable that Salisbury may make arrangements to join one of the leagues proposed for the Eastern Shore.

Purchase of Gordy Park as a play ground and ball park is being considered by the County Commissioners. The fact that this is practically the only available place for a play ground was brought out at the meeting, and the Chamber of Commerce went on record as favoring its purchase.

Mr. Alan Benjamin pointed out the fact that if purchased by the County Commissioners arrangements could probably be made by which the teams throughout the county could stage all their games on this diamond. Mr. Benjamin believes that some such arrangement would aid greatly in creating the demand which will be necessary to cause the Commissioners to include the purchase price of the park in its budget and levy strike in June.

PENINSULA HOTEL

RESTAURANT OPENS APR. 15

Announcement was made today that the work of remodeling the dining room of the Peninsula Hotel would be completed within a few days, and that the lessees of the hotel's restaurant privilege would open up for business on Friday, April 15.

WICOMICO HIGH LOSES

FIRST GAME OF SEASON

In its opening game of the season played at Gordy Park Tuesday afternoon, the Wicomico High School baseball team was defeated by the Crisfield High School nine, 9 to 1.

DOORS OF SALISBURY Y.M.C.A. WILL BE OPENED IN A FEW DAYS

Mr. R. W. Hammerslough, A Maryland Man, Arrives Here To Assume Secretarial Duties—Original Appointee Found He Could Not Accept Job.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association, held on Tuesday night, it was decided to open up the new building here within a few days. The Board was convened in order that its members might officially greet the new secretary, Mr. R. W. Hammerslough, who arrived in Salisbury Monday night and who outlined his plans for the future work of the association to its members.

Mr. Chas. E. A. Heywood, of New York, who was originally appointed to the secretaryship of the local "Y" by Mr. George L. Goodwin, Interstate Secretary, after remaining in Salisbury a short time, later learned that it would be impossible for him to locate here permanently, so he tendered his resignation, which was accepted.

Mr. Hammerslough, the new secretary, is a Maryland man, having been born and reared in Baltimore. He was a member of the Central Y.M.C.A. of that city, and has had years of experience in "Y" work. For eight

years he was connected with the "Y" in Asheville, N.C., and for a time was also associated with the Y.M.C.A. in Staunton, Va.

While the new secretary has never been in personal charge of physical culture work in the "Y's," he is thoroughly experienced in supervising the activities of a physical culture department. The physical culture feature of the Salisbury Y.M.C.A. will be under the personal direction of a Boy's Work Secretary and Physical Director. While this appointment has not yet been made, it is expected that the proper man for the job will be selected within a very short time.

Mr. Hammerslough stated today that he would open the doors of the local "Y" within a day or two, and that, in the meantime, he will be very glad to informally greet all callers at the "Y" building who desire to look things over. He further said that he had all of his plans in shape for the work to be done here, and that he believed the Salisbury "Y" will be one of the best in Maryland before many weeks have passed.

13-YEAR OLD BOY ARRESTED FOR ROBBERY

Robert Wilkins Caught After He Tries To Loot Mr. T. B. Lankford's Store Friday.

OTHER OFFENSES
ATTRIBUTED TO HIM

Police Allege That Laurel Lad Confessed To Robbing Mr. Lankford's Place Previously and To Perpetrating Similar Acts Both Here and in Pocomoke City.

Robert Wilkins a 13-year-old boy, of Laurel, Del., who was caught in the act of throwing a brick through the glass door of Mr. T. B. Lankford's store, this city, early Friday morning while attempting to rob the place, and who was later arrested and lodged in jail here, is said to have made an amazing confession to the police regarding the nefarious trade of thievery that he had been practicing during the past several weeks.

According to the police, young Wilkins, who is said to look even younger than his thirteen years, boldly confessed to having been the perpetrator of the robbery committed at Mr. Lankford's store last Sunday night a week ago, and also to having robbed Mr. William Chatham's store a couple of times. He also is alleged to have told the police that he had committed two robberies in Pocomoke City recently.

When Wilkins was detected in the act of throwing the brick through Mr. Lankford's glass door, Officers Furnice and Dennis, of the local police force, immediately gave chase to the boy, who started to flee when he discovered their presence. The pursuit led to a nearby building, into which the lad sought refuge, but the officers were rewarded for their patience about an hour later when he emerged and was snared.

It is said that the lad, upon being questioned, admitted that he robbed Mr. Lankford's store upon the previous occasion, and that he conducted the officers to a lumber yard where he had hidden the stolen goods under a pile of lumber. Nine revolvers, one rifle and several boxes of ammunition are alleged to have been recovered from under the lumber and later identified by Mr. Lankford as the goods stolen from his place of business on the Sunday night in question.

Among other things the lad is alleged to have disclosed was the fact that he had been sleeping in a box in an alley while here, and that when he robbed Mr. Chatham's store he slept in the building until early morning, making his departure just in the nick of time. He also is said to have given the officers of the law information about how he had disposed of the goods he had stolen when he committed robberies in Worcester county.

Altogether, the case of the misguided lad, and his remarkable revelations, stand forth more like the material found in the wild-west novels of yesterday than they do of chapters from real life.

DEFIED THE WORLD, NOW RESTS IN JAIL

Local Officers Arrest Charlie Farlow After His Alleged Revolver Display on Street.

Sheriff Larmore, assisted by Officers Cahall and Dennis, of the local police force, journeyed to the Jersey section of the city around 6 o'clock Saturday night and arrested Charlie Farlow, colored, 35 years old, who is alleged to have been long wanted here for several offenses he is said to have committed against the law. Farlow is said to have formerly lived in Salisbury, but of late the officers have been unable to discover his whereabouts until Saturday.

On Saturday afternoon, it was stated, information was received by the local officials that Farlow had been seen swaggering up Isabella street brandishing a pistol in each hand and defying everybody in particular and the world in general. Just what brand of "hootch" Charley had been drinking could not be ascertained, but the sheriff declared that he had been drinking some kind of concoction that evidently gave him an exaggerated idea of his prowess.

When the officers discovered Farlow, they said he started to run, and while stepping it off at an accelerated pace, he threw away a blue-steel 38-calibre revolver that was loaded to the brim. When commanded to put his "hands up," Charley is said to have obeyed, but, Washington Farlow, about 30 years old, also colored, is alleged at this juncture to have started cursing the officers, and he also was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct.

The sheriff stated that when they were bringing Charley Farlow to the jail, he jumped out of the car despite the apparently small handicap of manacled hands. After being brought to the jail he again made a stubborn show of resistance, according to the officers, but was quickly subdued and placed behind the bars.

Moose Pay Tribute To Deceased Members

Salisbury Lodge Holds Impressive Services in Memory of Late R. D. Grier and M. V. Brewington.

Salisbury Lodge No. 715, Loyal Order of Moose, held its annual Memorial Services in the lodge rooms corner Main and Dock streets last Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Many of the members and their friends were present and participated in the services.

The ceremony was held in commemoration of the deaths of two members of the order, Robert D. Grier and M. V. Brewington, and was a very effective service. The address of eulogy was delivered by Mr. Walter B. Miller. The exercises also were interspersed with hymns and vocal selections by a quartet composed of Messrs. S. Norris Pilechard, Raymond Wimbrow, George Cobb and Walter S. Dougherty. A violin selection was rendered by Mr. Wm. Wedelin, of Crisfield.

Miss Bernice Banks has returned to Painter, Va., after spending the Easter holidays with her parents.

57 GROWERS JOIN ASS'N IN TWO DAYS

With Little Time Left Before Season Opens, New Members Are Enrolling Fast.

ELECTIONS TO BE
HELD THIS WEEK

Directors To Serve On General Directorate Board Of Wicomico Farmers Association Will Be Chosen At Various Meetings—Trade-Mark Selected, To Be Divulged Later.

With very little time intervening before the Wicomico Farmer's Association starts operating in full blast, the drive for members is gaining great impetus each succeeding day and at all of the many meetings being held in the various county localities new members are joining the organization by the score. An indication of the success which is attending the efforts of those in charge of the membership drive is given by the announcement today that at two meetings held last week, 57 new members came into the fold.

Last Friday night twenty-seven new members joined the association at the Powellville meeting while on the following night, at Whitesville, thirty more were enrolled. In addition, many other growers came to the offices of the Association in the Masonic Temple and took out membership in the organization that will mean so much to them in facilitating the sale of their products in a manner that should greatly increase their profits.

Just at present, the youngest member of the association is 14 years of age, and so far as can be ascertained, the age of the oldest member is eighty-eight, which shows that lively interest is being evinced by farmers of all ages in the project.

Mr. H. A. Nock, manager of the Association, announced today that elections of directors to serve on the general board of directors of the organization—also local boards of four directors, agents and inspectors—will be held and recommended this week at the following places: Maryland, Wednesday night; Willards, Thursday night; Pittsville, Friday (Continued on Page 7.)

COMMENCEMENT DATES ARE SET FOR WICOMICO

Opening Event Will Be Held At Sharpshoot High School On May 27.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
ALSO TO PARTICIPATE

Diplomas, As Usual, Will Be Awarded To Graduates Of High Schools—Elementary Graduates Will Receive Certificates—All 7th Grade Pupils To Get Certificates.

County Superintendent Bennett announced to the Board of Education Tuesday that dates had been set for commencement in the several High Schools of Wicomico county. He also announced to the board that for the first time in the history of the county the Elementary schools would participate in the closing exercises, the children having completed the Seventh Grade being awarded pretty certificates. The Seventh Graders will be grouped in the High Schools nearest to their home schools and will practically participate in the Commencement program. It is the opinion of Supt. Bennett that such a recognition of the Seventh Graders will be a great incentive to them to continue their course beyond the Seventh Grade and finally complete the courses in the High Schools. It is reported from many of the Elementary schools that the pupils are looking forward with keen delight to receiving the Certificates and will be as proud of them, apparently, as the graduates of the High Schools will be at receiving their diplomas.

The dates of the High School Commencements, and the schools in which the Elementary grades will be awarded certificates are as follows: (Continued on Page 7.)

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE STARTS MOVEMENT FOR BASEBALL LEAGUE

Appoints Committee To Investigate Situation—Would Be Composed Of Teams From Larger Eastern Shore and Delaware Towns—Project Greatly Favored Here.

Only a few more days remain before the great national game of baseball again comes into its own. Very shortly, we shall hear the sound of the sturdy bat crashing against the sometimes elusive horse-hide in the big leagues and also will hear the same sound repeated on almost every other diamond and sand-lot in these United States. Oldsters, youngsters, and kids—all take a keen interest in the great pastime that has grown each year by leaps and bounds until it has become the greatest of all great outdoor sports.

In Salisbury the baseball season was ushered in last Tuesday with the Wicomico High School nine and the diamond aggregation representing the Crisfield High School carded as the opening attraction. And all around us we see signs of that restless longing to get out into the open air and enjoy either playing the game or in lending vocal encouragement to those who do so.

All of which has made the time propitious for winding the crank and

letting the Salisbury "baseball record" peal forth its merry tune: "We Want The Best Baseball Team On The Eastern Shore This Year!" It's a pretty ditty, if sung harmoniously, and one that should find a responsive chord in the breasts of every baseball lover in this community. And it's a sure thing that if we all put our shoulder to the wheel and "pull together," we'll have a team here this year that will make 'em all sit up and take the proper notice.

A most encouraging sign in the baseball zodiac is the movement that already has been started, to have Salisbury represented in a league composed of teams from neighboring cities. In conjunction with the Rotary Club of this city, the Salisbury Chamber of Commerce has appointed a committee of two of its members to investigate the baseball situation with respect to the advisability of Salisbury becoming a member of an Eastern Shore League. Messrs. H. W. Carty and Clarence W. Miles are

CHIMES PRESENTED TO TRINITY CHURCH

Friend of the Church Asks Privilege Of Presenting Chimes Costing \$8,500.

Rev. Dr. Reeves, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church South, at the morning service last Sunday made an announcement of great interest to the members and friends of the church. He stated that the official board had received a letter from a friend and well-wisher of Trinity asking the privilege of presenting to the church a chime of bells, to be installed as a memorial to several of the old members of Trinity, who were prominent in the affairs of the church in past years.

After explaining the size of the proposed chimes and the time required for the installation, the generous donor asked that the name be withheld for the present until all the arrangements are completed. It is needless to say that the official board has accepted the very generous offer. Dr. Reeves, in referring to the proposed gift, stated that the chime would consist of twelve bells, made especially for this church, the largest of which will weigh more than two tons. Each bell will be a memorial to some old and prominent member of Trinity, appropriately engraved, and that the cost would be about \$8,500. It will require about four months to complete and install the chimes, and appropriate services will be held on the day of dedication.

Representatives of the manufacturers were in Salisbury last week making measurements of the graceful tower of Trinity Church and arrangements for the installation. These chimes will be arranged to play the hymns sung in the church and will be audible in every part of this city. The name of the donor will be announced at the proper time.

Miss Margaret Grier Claimed By Death

Twelve-Year-Old Daughter Of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grier Passed Away Wednesday Morning.

Margaret Todd Grier, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grier, of this city, died about eight o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of her parents on North Division street.

"Patsey," as she was familiarly known to her young friends, had been suffering slightly, from an ulcer of the stomach for several months, but on Tuesday her condition became alarming and a specialist from Philadelphia was summoned to consult with the home physicians. The specialist arrived on the three o'clock train Wednesday morning, but found her condition beyond human aid.

"Patsey" was an interesting child and numbered her friends among the hundreds. There is very general sorrow at her demise. The family and friends of the deceased are sharing the sorrows of the distressed parents in the sad affliction.

The funeral will be held at 4 P. M. Friday at her late home on North Division street. Rev. Mr. Boyle will conduct the services.

WOMAN'S CLUB VOTES TO HAVE CLEAN-UP WEEK

Date Set For First Week In May And Everybody's Co-operation Solicited.

WILL GREATLY HELP
CITY'S APPEARANCE

Also Decided At Yesterday's Meeting To Purchase 6 Waste Receptacles For City Streets—Next Two Meetings Of The Club Will Be Open Affairs. Fine Programs Arranged.

Get ready to mow the lawn to a nice degree of fineness, to clear the back-yards of every speck of possible rubbish, and to do everything else that will make Salisbury as spick-and-span in appearance as it is possible to make it, for it is desired that the first week of May shall be set aside by everyone here in Salisbury as "Clean-Up Week."

At a meeting of the Woman's Club, held yesterday afternoon, the Civic Department of that organization strongly urged that "Clean-Up Week" be made a big event in this city, and a committee, of which Mrs. Fred P. Adkins is chairman, was appointed to help launch the movement and to carry it through to successful consummation. To attain this end, the members of the committee earnestly solicit the co-operation of every citizen of the city. With that co-operation assured, the movement undoubtedly will be productive of results that will be greatly beneficial to the city. So, remember the date—the first week in May!

It was decided at yesterday's meeting to act favorably upon the recommendation of the civic department that six Waste Receptacles be purchased and presented to the city. These receptacles, or rubbish cans, therefore, already have been ordered, and when they are received they will be located at the following points: Division and Church streets, Main and Church, Camden and Dock, Camden and Division, Main and Division, and in front of the Arcade Building. All of the receptacles will be painted green and will be easily distinguishable. Mrs. Laird Todd is chairman of the Receptacle Committee and the following are its other members: Mrs. James Taylor, Miss Minnie Adkins, Mrs. Fulton Allen, Mrs. Frank Ullman, Miss Sadie Ullman and Mrs. Alexander Todyin.

Mrs. George Cobb, chairman of the civic department of the Woman's Club, said that both Mayor Kennerly and Dr. Potter, City Health Officer, had showed a spirit of excellent co-operation with the club in matters relating to civic betterment. Dr. Potter, she said, has requested that the ladies report to him any violations of the city's sanitary code, and already, it is understood, two alleged flagrant violations of that code have been reported for official investigation.

An elaborate program has been planned for the next meeting of the club, which will take place on April 19, in the evening, and which will be an open meeting, in charge of the Social Department, of which Mrs. John Toulson is chairman. Each member will be permitted to invite two guests to this affair.

On the afternoon of May 3, another open meeting of the club will be held which will be in charge of the Civic Department. Plans already are being made to have a speaker from College Park, Md., address this meeting, and, although it has not been ascertained definitely, it is expected that Prof. Charles Richardson, of the University of Maryland faculty, will deliver the address.

Miss Maria Ellegood gave an excellent talk yesterday on the Smith-Townier bill, which the club members are greatly interested in. Mrs. Harry Harcum gave a reading on the history of "The Star-Spangled Banner"; Miss Mabel Matthews sang "The Land of the Evergreen," a song composed by a Pocomoke City lady, and Miss Gordy sang "Dixie." Mrs. Will Slemons, chairman of the Literary Department, was in charge of the day's program. Owing to the absence of Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett, president of the club, who was out of the city, Mrs. William E. Cooper, presided over yesterday's session.

Misses Linda Messick, Nellie Pusey and Lydia Coats returned on Tuesday to their respective schools.

City Primaries By The Democrats

Will Be Held on Tuesday, April 12,
For Nomination of Three
Councilmen.

The Democratic City Committee for Salisbury announce that the primaries for the nomination of three candidates for City Council will be held on Tuesday, April 12, at the election house in the rear of the Court House. The city election will be held on May 12 for the election of the candidates selected in the primaries. There will be no election for Mayor this year, the present Mayor, Mr. Kennerly, having another year to serve.

There is very little interest being manifested in the local contest this year, and it is predicted that the three members of the Council whose terms will expire next month will be re-nominated without opposition. It is also predicted that the Republicans will refrain from placing a Councilmanic ticket in the field.

No interest whatever is being manifested in the registration of city voters. It was thought that the women, especially, would take some interest in municipal affairs this year, but so far only three or four women have appeared at the registration office to qualify as voters.

Everything, therefore, indicates a quiet election on May 12, and the polling of a very small vote.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE REPORT IS EXCELLENT

M. P. Church Shows Net Gain of 57
Members—Amount Collected Dur-
Year Exceeds \$16,000.

The last Quarterly Conference of Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church was held on last Thursday evening. Full reports came from every department and an increase was seen on every hand. There have been 75 members received into the church, making, after all losses from death and transfers were counted, a net gain of fifty nine.

Notwithstanding the financial depression, the year has been remarkable for success in raising money. More than two thousand dollars were given for missions and other benevolences. The final payments on the lot purchased on the corner of North Division and Williams streets will be made, amounting to more than eight thousand dollars, and given during the year. With the money required for the running expenses of the congregation the aggregate amount exceeded sixteen thousand dollars.

The Conference took a decided step toward the building of a new church and considered plans that may be adopted after a further development by the architect. Mr. Willbur P. Nock and Mr. William E. Sheppard were appointed as a committee to sell the

building now located on this lot. The meeting was marked by a pleasant spirit of unity and enthusiasm, and all looked forward to a more prosperous year after the Conference is over and the pastor returned for the large task ahead of this growing church.

MRS. LAURA A. BROWN DIES AT FRUITLAND

Mrs. Laura A. Brown, of Fruitland, widow of the late Lewis E. Brown, of Worcester county, died at the home of her daughter Friday, April 2, after an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. George Newton Sunday morning at 11 o'clock from St. John's M. E. Church, Fruitland, of which she was a member.

Mrs. Brown was 67 years of age and was the oldest of a family of 13, 10 of which are still living. She is survived by five children: Mrs. Wilmer E. Adkins, of Fruitland; Isaac E. Brown, of Philadelphia; Marcellus L. and James D. Brown, of Fruitland, and Lawrence G. Brown, of Chestertown, Md., also several grandchildren.

ROTARY WON'T MEET.

Rotarian Carl M. Paynter, secretary of the local Rotary Club, has announced that the organization will not meet this week. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 14.

BIG AUTO SERVICE STATION LOCATED HERE

White Motor Company To Make This
City Pivotal Branch On The
Eastern Shore.

Of great interest to all Eastern Shore owners and prospective owners of White motor trucks and other products manufactured by this internationally known company, is the announcement made by Mr. Benj. Shank that a contract has been closed and property already purchased here for the opening of the White Sales and Service Company in Salisbury.

Mr. T. J. Ryan, of Philadelphia, will be in charge of the business here, which will be the main sales and service station for the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and sub-dealers will be appointed in Crisfield, Cambridge, Centerville and all the other towns along the line. Mr. Ryan is a thoroughly experienced automobile man, and was at one time engaged in doing all the government hauling at Hog Island, using White equipment.

The property at 5 to 11 Church Street, next door to the East Church Street Garage, has been purchased by the company and a contract already has been made with Mr. Will Booth, well known local contractor, to remodel the building now located on the premises. All of this work is expected to be completed within a short time.

Mr. Shank stated today that this is the first time that the people of this section have been able to actually get "White Service" in this vicinity, as heretofore it has been necessary to obtain same in Wilmington, and also was necessary to purchase White products through that branch. Now, however, sales and service both may be had right here in Salisbury. As a matter of fact, the service will start here in about a week's time, according to Mr. Shank.

It also was stated that the White Motor Company now is manufacturing no passenger cars, their entire time being devoted to the manufacture of motor trucks, fire and chemical apparatus, pumps, etc.

BOARD OF EDUCATION IN SESSION TUESDAY

Plans Approved For Building An Addition To Willard School Building.

The Board of Education, in session Tuesday, consumed the major part of the session in discussing plans for improvements to several school buildings, the most important of which was the addition of a room to the Willard School building. Plans presented by Architect Walker show the addition of a room 22x33 feet; the alteration of the interior of the present building so as to provide more light; the addition of coat rooms, and the arrangement of the new room so that two large rooms can be thrown into one large assembly hall. It is estimated that these improvements will cost approximately \$2,200.00. These plans will be forwarded to the State Department of Education for approval.

Miss Maud Truitt, a member of the graduating class of the Wicomico High School this year, was awarded a State scholarship in the State Normal School.

A set of resolutions adopted Saturday by the Wicomico County Teachers' Association was laid before the board. These resolutions asked for a raise in teachers' salaries of \$50 a year for white teachers and \$35 for colored teachers. To meet this raise an additional sum of \$8,765.00 will have to be levied next year for school purposes.

HOLD MEETING THURSDAY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the hospital will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday, April 7, 10:30 A. M.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's
toasted

Jack Tar Togs

Rub 'em - Tub 'em - Scrub 'em
They come up Smiling!



In A Complete Showing FOR GIRLS and BOYS This Week

We are inviting you to come and look over our Spring Showing. They include middies, Dresses, Bloomers and Skirts in sizes for all ages from 3 years up to 18.

Also Tub-proof Suits, for Brother, from 3 to 10 years. See our window display of Jack Tar togs.

FOR GIRLS

3 to 10

Made for hard play hours, and frequent tubbings, Jack Tar Dresses, Middies and Separate Skirts please every mother who wants to clothe her girls smartly, appropriately and economically. We have now a complete assortment.

FOR BOYS

3 to 10

Made of Palmer Junior suiting, colors Cadet, Green and Brown. Collar and cuffs and shield trimmed with 3 rows of white linen tape. White service band on right sleeve and hand-embroidered silk emblem on left sleeve, stars on collar. Set-in pocket in yoke trimmed in white. Black silk tie. Trousers of same material and color to match. Sizes 3 to 10 years.

FOR MISSES

12 to 18

Authentic designing, hand-applied emblems, beautifully tailored lines, handsome, durable fabrics—explain the high favor in which Jack Tar Togs are held by particular young girls.



Baby Caps and Bonnets

To meet the highest hopes and expectations of its young patrons. These hats are indicative of the brightness of the spring season in its joyous grace of line and bright alluring colorings. Straws in many colors with ribbon streamers to match at \$2.50 to \$6.50.

Boys' Hats in many shapes and colors. Baby Bonnets and Caps, lace and embroidery trimmed with dainty ribbons, 25c to \$2.15.

Coats for Baby and larger sister, in white and all the wanted colors for Spring wear. Materials, silk poplins, serges, shepherd checks and velours at \$2.50 up to \$15.00.



GIRLS SPORT SOCKS

This is the popular sport socks for the larger girl. Three quarter length, fancy broad ribbed weave, tops in turn over styles. Colors, brown and white and black. These socks are knit from a fine grade mercerized cotton yarn. Sizes 7 1/2 to 10's. 50c a pair.

Fancy stripe socks for smaller children of all ages in all the new colors for Spring and Summer. Priced 35c to 45c.

The New Silk Overblouse for 1921



For stylish wear these artistic bits of rare loveliness will form the nucleus of many a charming costume. Many interesting novelty silks are developed into many clever modes which make them more worthy than mere mention.

Fine Georgettes, Crepe de Chines, Mignonettes, exquisitely embellished in threads of gold and embroidery, real laces, Tuxedo Style Collars, and others collarless in Tuxedo style, with sash belts to tie up in dainty styles. All the new suit shades, in fact all the new Spring colors are represented, moderately priced at \$1.65 to \$7.50.

VOILE AND PONGEE WAISTS. Here are dainty Voile Waists, Tuxedo collars, with real laces and pipings, priced at \$2.00 to \$3.00.

Pongee Waists, made of all silk pongee, in the natural bamboo shades, and now offered by us at the low price of \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.69.

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VALUES and SERVICE



Tilghman's Fish Fertilizers Produce More Dollars Per Acre

No progressive farmer today disputes the value and necessity of fertilizers. Your County Agent will tell you that the quickest and easiest way to increase production per acre, consequently your profits per acre, is through the correct use of the right kind of fertilizer.

For the past thirty-two years, TILGHMAN'S FISH FERTILIZERS have been the choice of the farmers in this community. Combining high proportions of Potash and Fish scrap, TILGHMAN'S FERTILIZERS give to your soil that vitality and new life so necessary to produce big yields.

Do not think you save money by using a cheap grade of fertilizer. Your soil and labor are too precious to gamble with. There is no necessity for running any chance or risk, when you can buy a standard plant food, such as TILGHMAN'S, that has stood the test in this community against all comers for the past thirty-two years.

If you want to make every acre of Sweet Potatoes produce more dollars for you, ask your dealer for TILGHMAN'S FISH FERTILIZERS.

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ANOTHER CANDIDATE IS IN THE FIELD

Ira D. Turner Enters The Clerkship
Fight. Six Democrats Now
In Race.

Ira D. Turner, whose name has been frequently mentioned for the past several months as an aspirant for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, set at rest all rumors by announcing his candidacy in the press last Saturday.

In making his announcement, Mr. Turner says he has "always aspired to the clerkship of Wicomico county," and feels that his "long experience and training in the office as deputy clerk qualifies him to fill the position."

Mr. Turner was Deputy Clerk for eight years under the late Ernest A. Toadvine and continued to fill the position for nearly four years under the present Clerk, J. Clayton Kelly.

The entrance of Mr. Turner into the Democratic primaries makes six avowed candidates striving for the nomination, something never before witnessed in Wicomico county. It is current rumor that another prominent Democrat, residing in one of the rural districts, will shortly throw his hat into the ring, and make a stiff fight for the nomination.

All the candidates for the Clerkship, so far announced, reside in the city of Salisbury, as follows: J. C. Clayton Kelly, Alex. D. Toadvin, Dr. George W. Todd, Aylmer J. Tilghman, Ira D. Turner and E. J. C. Parsons.

Referring to the probability that a well-known Democrat of a rural district will enter the race, a prominent Democrat recently remarked to a News reporter: "Why not a country Democrat aspire to the office? Surely all the brains in the Democratic party are not confined to the city of Salisbury. There are capable men living in the rural districts who would fill this high office well, and it is likely one will turn up pretty soon."

RURAL SCHOOLS SUPERVISOR HOLLOWAY IN SALISBURY

The monthly meeting of the Wicomico High School Teachers' Association was held last Saturday and was well attended. Prof. W. J. Holloway, State Supervisor of Rural Schools, was present and addressed the Association. Prof. Holloway has been in this section several days visiting the schools.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS IN CITY AND COUNTY

Twenty Transfers Recorded In The
Clerk's Office Since Last
Week.

There seems to be considerable activity in real estate in this county, judging from the number of transfers recorded in the Clerk's office since our last issue. These transfers numbered 20, and although the properties transferred were small, and the considerations not very large, show that there is something doing in the real estate line. The full list is as follows:

Rosa T. White from Hooper S. Miles, Trustee, 60 acres of land, more or less, in Parsons district; consideration \$1.00, etc.

Trustees of Jerusalem M. E. Church from Joseph G. W. Perdue, one-fifth of an acre, more or less, near Parsonsburg; consideration One Cent, etc.

Sarah E. Winder from Calvin D. Morris, et ux, lot in City of Salisbury, on Cathel street; consideration \$10, etc.

Thomas J. Truitt, May H. Truitt, his wife, from Eugene M. Oliphant, et al., lot in City of Salisbury, on East Church Street, consideration \$10, etc.

William C. Rayne to Annie B. Rayne, 60 acres, more or less, in Willards District; consideration \$400.

Frank L. Ellis, Isabella L. Ellis, his wife, from Amanda E. Dennis, Alga J. Dennis, her husband, lot in town of Hebron, on Howard Street.

William R. Majors, from Charles W. Fields, et al., 48 1/2 acres, more or less, in Barren Creek District; consideration \$5.00, etc.

William H. Pfister and Katherine Pfister, his wife, from Raymond J. Guthrie, et al., 53.33 acres, more or less, in Pittsburg District; consideration \$100, etc.

Mary Long from Samuel E. Culp and Anna M. Culp, his wife, lot of land in Trappe district; consideration \$100, etc.

William H. Bradshaw from Louis P. Long, 1 1/4 acres of land, more or less, in Nanticoke district; consideration \$200.

Sarah J. Holloway from Chas. F. Wilkins and Reva L. Wilkins, his wife, lot in town of Parsonsburg; consideration \$55.

Elwood M. Pusey, Zenia E. Pusey, his wife, from Melville L. Stout, Martha E. Stout, his wife, 48 acres, more or less, in Barren Creek district; consideration 100, etc.

Adelia E. Vincent from Emma Blackson, et al., 12 acres, more or less, in Parsons district; consideration \$10, etc.

Mary E. West from Annie V. West, land in City of Salisbury; consideration, \$10, etc.

Harvey L. Vincent from Mary A. Moore, lot in town of Delmar; consideration \$1,000.

Clifford E. Russell from Calvin E. Brown, Catherine S. Brown, his wife, 84 acres, more or less, in Barren Creek district; consideration \$100, etc.

Belle Ruark, Mince W. Ruark, her husband, from Walter D. Ardis and wife, lot in City of Salisbury, on Martin street; consideration \$100, etc.

Edna C. Farlow, Roscoe D. Farlow, her husband, from Wilbur S. Nock, Minnie E. Nock, his wife, 10 acres, more or less, in Parsons district; consideration \$100, etc.

William D. Timmons, Manolia V. Timmons, his wife, from Wilbur S. Nock, Minnie E. Nock, his wife, lot in Parsons district; consideration \$100, etc.

Salisbury Brick Company from George W. Bell, trustee, 3 1/4 acres, more or less, in Salisbury district; consideration \$1, etc.

Small Registration For City of Salisbury

Only 1,234 Names Recorded For City
Election—1,125 White and
109 Colored.

The registration of voters who will be able to vote at the city election in May closed Monday last, and a count of the books shows but 1,234 persons who availed themselves of the opportunity to qualify as to vote next month. Of this number 1,125 are white and 109 colored. This is a very small registration and shows that the people are taking but little interest in local affairs. The three days of registration resulted in a gain of but 4 in the registration—45 names being added and 41 erased. Of the 45 added 34 were women and 11 men.

The city registration books, showing 1,234 names of qualified voters, the political affiliations are given as follows: Democratic, 928; Republican, 166; Declined, 123; Progressive, 12; Prohibitionists, 5.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nichols entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry West and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Nichols and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harlen West and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hastings and son, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cannon.

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THE ODD FELLOWS HOME.

The people of Salisbury will follow with much interest the sessions of the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Odd Fellows of Maryland, which will be held in Baltimore beginning April 18. At that time, the decision will be made with reference to locating the new \$250,000 Odd Fellows Home for the Aged and Orphans, and it is earnestly hoped that Salisbury will be the favored city when the final decision is announced.

With its customary interest and activity in all matters relating to civic betterment, the Salisbury Chamber of Commerce has made an offer to the Odd Fellows to give a site of ground absolutely free of cost on which this proposed home may be erected in Salisbury, should the Grand Lodge decide to build here. It is an offer that has no strings attached to it, and it is one which every member of Newton Lodge No. 56, the local lodge, is striving with might and main to have accepted. It also is an offer which every other citizen of Salisbury, irrespective of fraternal or other affiliations, is anxious to see favorably acted upon.

The officers of the Grand Lodge upon whom rests the duty of rendering the final decision as to the location of the new home undoubtedly will weigh carefully the pros and cons of all the localities that are aspirants for the edifice, and, in so doing, we are confident that the many unusual advantages that this city offers for just such a home will at once become so apparent that they will be transcendent.

In building a home in which the aged members of the order and the orphans of deceased members of the order in Maryland may receive all the comforts of life, a home in which they will find perfect happiness and contentment, its surrounding environment will be no small factor in determining the measure of the happiness of those who will live there. Salisbury is blessed with just such an environment that is essential for the proposed Home. Here we have an excellent climate; we have the most modern transportation facilities, both by rail and water; we possess the advantages of both city and country life; we have a broad-minded citizenry, a citizenry that is at all times alert, progressive and interested in its fellow-man—an interest that is ever whole-souled and active—it is a church-going community and every opportunity for spiritual advancement is offered; we have efficient city government, excellent police and fire protection, finely paved streets, beautiful homes, stores that many larger cities cannot surpass in perfection of appointment and variety of stocks—in fact, we have everything here in Salisbury to make the future inmates of the Maryland Odd Fellows Home glad to be able to call this city their home town.

Therefore, we ask those who have the making of the decision in hand to consider very carefully the many unusual advantages of this city as a location for the home. Not only has a site of ground been offered absolutely free, but we also are of the opinion that a much finer home for the same money could be erected here in Salisbury than could be built in some of the larger Maryland cities, where the cost of construction undoubtedly would be greater.

THE SOLE ISSUE.

In its issue of Friday, April 1, the Philadelphia North American printed a double-column editorial under the caption "The Deluded Liquor Forces" that clearly and forcibly summed up the present prohibition enforcement situation. Like other newspapers that are waging the fight for the enactment of enforcement laws, the North American sets forth the fact that prohibition now is not the issue—it ably shows that the present issue is solely one of observance of the Constitution of the United States? Excerpts from that editorial follow:

"Hope springs eternal in the bootlegger's breast—hope that in some way the onerous prohibition laws will be repealed, and confidence that he will be able to go on piling up his illicit profits no matter what happens.

"The law-defying liquor forces have been deluded by sympathetic newspapers into believing that prohibition was foisted upon the nation by a malign conspiracy; that it was not at all the product of public sentiment, but was brought about thru methods of intimidation by an organized band of unprincipled fanatics representing a small minority of the population. Their minds are incapable of grasping the fact that prohibition resulted from a great nation-wide movement, was the product of an irresistible force of moral and economic evolution, and therefore is established permanently.

"One of the plainest lessons of history is that movements for protection and betterment of society never recede; their direction is always forward. Yet there are those who remain oblivious to the facts of experience; when legislation is enacted to destroy long-existing evils they refuse to recognize the inevitable, predicting that the laws will soon be repealed and the old order of things restored. . . . Open and flagrant defiance of law, in the presence of a people overwhelmingly law-abiding, leads infallibly to stricter statutes and more rigorous enforcement, not to the relaxing or abandonment of the safeguards of public order.

"The liquor traffic, once a vast liquor organization is reduced to a mere band of rascals. . . . If business has been outlawed by the Federal Constitution thru an amendment ratified by forty-four states and upheld in every challenged provision by the supreme tribunal of the nation. Under the decrees of the United States Supreme Court, enforcement of the law is incumbent upon every department and official of the national and state governments.

"The issue now IS SOLELY ONE OF OBSERVANCE OF THE CONSTITUTION AND THE LAWS OF THE LAND!

"The present contest is a clean-cut fight between law-defying, profiteering bootleggers AND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES. They are not contending, as they like to imagine, against a hostile minority or an ill-considered sentiment; they are battering their thick heads against the very foundations of the republic, ITS FUNDAMENTAL LAW. Even the infamous Palmer ruling, which so filled them with exultation, affects only nine of the forty-eight states, and most of them will soon make it as paltry a thing as a last year's bird's nest.

"So far is prohibition from being the issue that recently the legislature of wet New York passed a drastic enforcement law. And New Jersey, which two years ago elected as governor a vociferous antagonist of prohibition, who obtained passage of a bill pretending to legalize beer containing seven times the permissible alcoholic content, has just repealed that measure and ADOPTED ONE OF STRINGENT ENFORCEMENT, the legislature passing it over the veto of the governor. The significance of these events lies in the fact that very likely neither New York nor New Jersey would vote for prohibition if that were the direct issue; but because the issue IS SIMPLY OBEDIENCE TO THE CONSTITUTION and choosing BETWEEN LAW AND CRIMINALITY, both declare for enforcement!"

DAMAGE TO THE FRUIT CROP.

It is with a feeling of immeasurable regret that we note the tremendous damage done to the fruit crops all over the Eastern part of the country during the past several days due to the extremely cold and unseasonable weather and to the exceptionally heavy frosts. While the damage wrought seems to have been pretty general throughout all localities of the East, certain sections of Wicomico county were particularly hard hit, especially as relating to the peach crop.

Owing to the early blossoming of the fruit trees this year fruit growers weeks ago expressed the fear that killing frosts might appear and badly damage the trees, but that the destruction should have been of such seemingly calamitous effect was, we believe, hardly expected. However, with the mercury in the thermometer falling to 26 degrees almost without warning on Monday night of last week, only to be followed by the same degree of coldness on Tuesday night, and then by a killing frost on Friday night, it was indeed more than even the most apprehensive had feared.

While in some sections of the country, growers of fruit trees had endeavored to protect their large orchards with smoke-screens by pouring oil into smudge pots and burning it, we hardly believe that even such a precaution succeeded in affording, except probably in a slight degree, the necessary protection to the blossoms in order for them to withstand the effects of the rigid weather conditions that obtained last week.

Reports from various parts of Wicomico county show that the damage inflicted on the peach crop has been even greater than that suffered during the freeze of last May. It is, of course, hoped that the advent of warmer weather will find many of the blossoms to have been left intact, but, withal, from the information that has come to us from various sources, the 1921 peach crop will be a very small one in this county.

However, despite all this, there is one bright ray of hope for Wicomico county fruit growers in that the cantaloupe and watermelon crops undoubtedly will bring much higher prices this year. It almost invariably has followed that when peach crops have been badly damaged, cantaloupes and watermelons have brought correspondingly higher prices. Therefore, with the fruit growers now able to devote their entire attention to these other crops, and with such products bringing fancy prices this year, from the growers standpoint it is believed that the situation judged as a whole will be far more productive financially than was at first estimated.

EDITORIAL LETTERBOX

The News invites letters on any and all subjects of general interest which will be published if possible in this column. All communications must be signed, though signatures will not be published unless the writer so desires. Anonymous epistles will not be considered. Manuscripts will be returned if practicable. While judging all correspondence on its merits from the viewpoint of good ethics of journalism, the News disclaims responsibility for any statement made herein incompatible with its policies and good judgment.

Editor Wicomico News:

Dear Sir:—In answer to comments made presumably by some of the eleven Easterners who visited Salisbury relative to different comparisons between Easton and Salisbury, I would say there is no such thing as a reasonable comparison between these two towns if I may call them such.

Easton is a very pretty, small village situated about two miles from the Tred Avon river and enjoys the fact of being placed where two railroads cross. An oversized cross roads station, you might say. Some of the streets of Easton are paved and are in good shape from the fact of not being used very much.

I understand that the officials of Easton undertake to manage its own Public Utilities, such as lighting, water and sewerage. I also understand that they became very much embarrassed by not having available funds for operating expenses, not even enough money to pay the COAL bill. Very nice isn't it, Mr. Editor.

Easton says she has better hotel accommodations than Salisbury. Since when, may I ask? Easton has one so-called hotel. I myself am satisfied with the hotel accommodations in Easton, yet I see nothing to be envious about. I generally can get good service if I pay for it, but I cannot expect to get something for nothing.

I find those that compare the most about hotels have nothing HOME to brag about. I do not say that Salisbury has the best hotels on earth, but I say one thing, they are at least clean. That is more than I can say about some other hotels on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

If one wants to live in an antiquated dominated village, move to Easton. If you want to go back to the antediluvian stage where on Sunday dinner is served as soon as church lets out, reside in Easton.

If you want to live in a good live town, one that is up-to-date, a town with good railroad facilities, a town where you can spend an evening at home or enjoy an evening at a theatre or many other features of enjoyment, a town where all is thrifty, where the hustle and bustle of business keeps you going, a town during summer where you may within an hour drive to the Atlantic Ocean and enjoy the breeze for a while and return refreshed, MOVE TO SALISBURY.

Very unfortunate for those who never travel only within a certain area, they live among themselves and do among themselves knowing only one way of living, at all times believing "Where I live is best," its foolish to be wise.

I visit Easton occasionally; it's a nice place to rest, but for business, it will not measure up.

So, Mr. Editor, I feel that the eleven Easterners made certain assumptions before they were acquainted with the real facts.

It's not my purpose to begin a controversy, but I feel that before any publicity is made about Salisbury, the members should call on the officials of Easton and find out the truth. I want to say that we have nothing to be ashamed of. I myself am proud of Salisbury, when recollections of the past come to me, where as a barefoot boy I trod.

It revives in me the spirit to say, "God Bless Salisbury, MY HOME."

Respectfully,

W. ARTHUR KENNERLY, Mayor.

Editor Wicomico News:

The articles that have been running through the Philadelphia North American for several months by Robert Towne on the Sunday School, and

which are being re-printed in The News, have caused much interest and enthusiasm to be aroused in that department of the church. Not only is this the case in Philadelphia, but the Sunday School seems to be on the increase all through this section of the country. Our own town has caught the new spirit of this old and splendid organization.

The increase in attendance has been especially noticed in the Bethesda Methodist Protestant Sunday School. Beginning last fall the attendance there has been gradually on the increase. Since the first Sunday in December there have not been less than 400 present with the exception of one very stormy Sunday. The climax was reached on Easter Sunday when 701 were present. Every foot of space in the Church Auditorium and Sunday School room was taken up, and three classes were taught out of doors.

Plans for a new church with a Sunday School room to seat one thousand are being drawn up now, and that building cannot go up too quickly for those engaged in the work of this Sunday School.

It is to be hoped that the inmates in Sunday School activities will be contagious, and that other schools in our vicinity will catch the spirit of enthusiasm.

Yours very truly,
W. A. SHEPPARD.

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Listen, Brother--

—BY—

"Observer"



"FREE Advice. On Beer Ruling," reads a newspaper headline. And we assume that the advice is about on a par with the ruling.

CHINA now is seeking to have amended the section of the League covenant with reference to the Monroe Doctrine. Is it possible that another invasion of laundries is imminent?

EFFORTS are being made to organize an Eastern Shore Baseball League with Salisbury as one of its members. Nothing sounds more tickling to our ears, Brothers. Let's put 'er across with a snap and a bang!

WHILE reading of the terrific wind-storm that has been sweeping over Japan we naturally were reminded of similar happenings that engulfed some of our late congressional investigations.

BREYER Kennerly throws the harpoon good and hard into "them" Easterners who were rather cutting in their remarks about our Fair City, but the unkindest cut of all was given by a Brother who visited our sanctuary yesterday and queried: "By the way, where is Easton?"

FIRST call for the race-track gamblers was sounded at Bowie last Saturday, and a crowd of about 8000 passed through the turnstiles. ONLY ninety-one days of racing were left to take place this year on Maryland soil.

HARVARD'S president says the university choirmaster has done such wonderful work that he believes he could even teach cats to sing. Such being the case, we may soon expect to hear some real melody issued from the back fences of nights. As an experiment, however, the Br'er might try his skill on some of the "Cat Quartets" we have frequently heard.

A Report emanating from Eastport, Maine, sets forth the fact that prohibition has put an awful crimp in the sardine business. Can it be possible that the Down East sardines have not been used to water?

JAPANESE Baron takes a fling at Br'er Loring's recently published book on "The Peace Negotiations." Which would seem to indicate that the book really is an excellent one.

CONSUMPTION of beer in Germany during 1920 is reported to have fallen off by 750,000,000 gallons. An explanation of the decrease is plainly apparent. The Allies have had the Teutons hopping around so fast that they've had few "hops" left for beer.

"GOSSIP on Stillman censured at Bank," reads headline in New York American. 'Tis a pity Mr. Stillman couldn't have extended this ruling to some of the Metropolitan newspapers during the proceedings.

IT is reported that Archduke Leopold Ferdinand of Austria has turned to the stage for a livelihood. Mighty interesting but hardly entertaining.

NEW York police have hunted in vain for wealthy widow who has been missing three days. We have "heard" of wealthy widows being sought after much longer than that and still being missed.

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Monday and Tuesday
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What are the duties a wife owes a husband, who steadily drags her downward? What shall she do when another offers a fine and true love that would lift her up?

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LOCAL
HAPPENINGS

Miss Julia Horsman spent Sunday with Miss Edith Larmore.

Miss Cornelia Wallis spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

E. J. Nichols is spending the week in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Miss Primrose Ennis, of Pocomoke, was a visitor in town this week.

Mrs. H. Lay Phillips is in Philadelphia for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Dashiell spent the week-end with their son in West Chester.

Miss Kathleen Nealy, of Crisfield, is the guest of Mrs. E. Wilson Booth, High street.

Miss Lillian Brewington, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent the week-end with Miss Agnes Jackson.

Mrs. Chas. E. Weir left Tuesday morning for a short visit to Philadelphia.

Miss Sadie Cahall, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Cahall, on Main street.

Mrs. H. Lloyd Parkinson and son, William, are spending two weeks with relatives in Howard county.

Mrs. Stanton, of Norfolk, spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Mrs. J. D. Wooten, of Delmar.

Mrs. Ida Darby, of Gailstown, was a guest of Mrs. J. D. Wooten, of Delmar, a part of last week.

Mrs. J. D. Wooten and daughter, Lellia, of Delmar, are visiting friends in Cape Charles, Va.

Miss Anna Smith, of Harrington, Del., spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Belle Cordery, of Delmar.

Mrs. H. L. Parker and daughter, Jeanette, of Delmar, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Camden, N. J.

Mrs. Gus Bounds and son have returned home after a two weeks' visit with friends in Easton.

Mr. Norman Bedsworth is visiting in Philadelphia and Baltimore this week.

Mrs. George Pierce, of Milford, has returned to her home after spending a few days with Mrs. R. D. Grier.

Miss Lillian Brewington, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of Miss Agnes Jackson.

Miss Jesse Sheppard, of Washington, is the guest for a few days of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. McLaughlin.

Bishop and Mrs. Davenport were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Herbert D. Cone over Sunday.

Mrs. D. B. Street, of Washington, was the guest of Mrs. W. C. Gullette this week.

A surprise party was given to Miss Dorothy Hayman at the Central Hotel on Friday evening.

Miss Pauline Burnite, of Snow Hill, is visiting Mrs. C. C. Holloway in Salisbury.

Miss Ida Lee Taylor entertained her Sunday School Class at her home on Monday evening.

Messrs. Marion Brewington and Philip Mitchell left on Sunday, after spending the Easter holidays in town.

Miss Dorothy Hodge, of West Chester, Pa., arrived on Wednesday to visit Miss Katherine Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fooks are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a baby girl.

Mrs. T. B. Potts and Miss Eugenia Potts returned Friday from Philadelphia and St. Davids, Pa., where they have been visiting.

Mrs. C. E. Wilkins and Miss Wilkie Adkins left Tuesday for Camp Dix, N. J., where they will be guests for several days of Mrs. John Veal.

Captain and Mrs. C. P. Crowley and Miss Lila Crowley have returned to their home in Atlantic City, N. J., after having spent the past four months in Salisbury.

Miss Elizabeth Adams was given a very delightful surprise party at her home on Camden avenue last Friday evening.

Miss Katherine Todd returned on Friday from Wilson College to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Todd.

Miss Alice Brown, of Pratt Institute, who has been visiting friends in town, returned to New York on Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Long, of Washington, and brother, Mr. Elmer Brown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Brown last Sunday.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Elk's Home, Monday afternoon, April 11, at 3 P. M. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. Roland Adkins, of Friendship, and Miss Bertie Beachamp, of Willards, were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride.

Mrs. W. J. Downing, Miss Dorothy Wilcox, Mrs. W. C. Gullette and Mrs. R. J. Evans were visitors in Crisfield during Conference.

Mrs. Irma Hornthal, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Price, has returned to her home in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. R. Lee Waller, of the Clerk of Court of Appeals' office, Annapolis, is enjoying a short vacation in this city.

Mrs. Wm. J. Holloway and two youngest children, of Baltimore, are spending a few days with Mrs. Gattie Holloway on Bush street.

Rev. W. P. Taylor, pastor of Grace and Stangle churches, has been returned to this charge and will fill the pulpit at the regular services next Sunday.

Col. and Mrs. Marion A. Humphreys, Misses Anne Humphreys and Nellie J. Rider motored to Philadelphia on Wednesday for a short visit.

Miss Linda Messick has resumed her studies at Goucher College, after spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Messick, Allen.

Dr. and Mrs. Hunter R. Mann, who recently motored here from Maryland Springs, are now established at their new home on Camden avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. S. Norris Pilchard, Camden avenue, have as their guests Rev. and Mrs. Sewell N. Pilchard, of Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton E. Lewis, of Chester, Pa., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rollie W. Hastings, of New York avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farlow, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mrs. Farlow's mother, Mrs. Wm. Truitt, last week.

Mr. Henry Silverman underwent an operation at the Peninsula Hospital last week. He is recovering very nicely.

A number of the friends of Miss Dorothy Hayman gave her a very delightful surprise party on Friday evening.

Messrs. Albert and Jay Ward spent Sunday as the guest of their brother, Howard, of University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Early and young son, John Collins Early, who have been the guests of Mrs. Early's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Vaughn S. Collins for several weeks, have returned to their home in New York City.

Miss Nellie J. Pusey has returned to the Maryland College for Women at Lutherville, Md., after spending the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pusey, Newton street.

Rev. Herbert D. Cone spent last Thursday in Easton as one of those invited to assist the Bishop in arranging for the Diocesan Convention to be held on May 2 and 3 in Berlin.

The Queen Esther Class of the Division Street Baptist Sunday School will hold a social party, beginning at 9:30, in the Singer Sewing Machine Company's office on Church street.

The pupils of Hebron High School will present "Mrs. Tibbs of Shantytown," a three act comedy at Bound's Hall, Hebron, Thursday, April 14, at 8 P. M. Admission to all 25c.

Mrs. J. D. Wooten, son and daughter, Roscoe and Lellia, of Delmar, spent a part of last week visiting Mrs. Wooten's son, who is a student of the Maryland State School, at Frederick, Md.

The Maryland Elementary School of Delmar will hold an oyster supper on Friday and Saturday evenings, April 8 and 9. The proceeds are for the benefit of the school. The public is invited.

Miss Myra Bill, of Port Deposit, visited Miss Virginia Brewington during the past week. Miss Brewington accompanied Miss Bill to Wilmington where they left for an auto trip to Lonaconing.

The play entitled "Ye Tea Party of Ye Olden Times," given by the ladies of Hebron M. E. Church, will be presented in the Rockwalkin Hall on Tuesday evening, April 12, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Value have reopened their home on the Wicomico Creek after an extended visit abroad. They were in Italy for several weeks as the guest of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred R. Dennis, formerly of Princess Anne.

A great amount of interest is being aroused and effort put forth to make a success of the play "The Crimson Cocoon," to be given by the students of the High School at the Armory on Friday evening. Everybody who is interested in the school is urged to come.

The county treasurer's office is now busy with automobile assessments. As the monthly reports of the automobile commissioner are received the licenses granted in this county are noted, and if the licenses do not appear on the books of last year they are added to the personal property basis this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Powell, of Chesconnessex, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Wise, to Mr. Jerome Lankford, Jr., of Accomac. The ceremony occurred Saturday, March 6, at Salisbury. Mr. William Powell, brother of the bride, was the only attendant.

The Town Commissioners of Princess Anne have signed contracts for the purchase of an American La France Brockway combination pumping engine, chemical engine and hose motor car, at a cost of \$7,000 together with 1,000 feet of 2 1/2 inch standard fire hose and other necessary equipment at a total cost of \$8,500.

County News

MARDELA SPRINGS

The receptive ears of a criticism on the fly. It was after the Easter crowds, with their gay fixings, had run their course for the day. A lady said to another, of the doings of her sex: "It seems so strange to me that women will on the coldest days of winter go with their bare necks and then on unbearably warm days load their necks with furs." As only a man, this simile would be afraid to venture any further remarks.

It was a Sunday just before Conference that the good man who had preached the sermon stationed himself at the door with a big bundle of envelopes, with the imprint, "Contribution for Conference Assessments," and one was placed in the hands of each passer out. The Saints received their and we who were not so saintly received ours, as the servant of God remarked he would not slight any. We, of this latter class, owe something to the Gospel, even though we are not members; we go and sit in well-lighted

rooms and comfortable pews, enjoy the singing and hear the speaking, and why should we not share in the expenses? And so here go, right into these envelopes, our nice little sums of twenty-fives, as the case may be, into the treasury of the Lord they go! Go there to keep company with the Red Lincolns, put in by the Saints. And when they are all huddled together, who but the Lord can tell, who gave the one or the other.

Levin Bennett is home from Wilmington, where he has been for some time.

Louis Owens and family spent Sunday with Mr. Jean Elliott and wife. Mr. Owens is now living in Parsonsburg.

Mrs. Annie Ralph has been visiting relatives in town. She lives near Vienna.

Rev. W. N. Conaway and wife, of Wye Mills, are now spending a few days in town. Mr. Conaway was located as pastor of the M. E. Church a few years ago. We were glad to welcome him back to Mardela.

Mr. Vaughn Wilkinson and wife, and Norde, his brother, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkinson.

Walter Adams and wife spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adams.

The man for the position, or the position for the man in our county and State politics—Which? We can trust our voters to give the correct answer at the next primaries. They have their studying case now.

The frost and freeze of Monday night, while it did great harm here, did not nip the budding spirit of baseball, for on Tuesday afternoon the High School boys and the Athol team played a neat little game on our school grounds. It is whispered by some who saw the game that some of the boys not belonging to either team were inclined to annoy the players.

"Fair play," boys, for the whole community has an interest in these games. It is a manly game when played in a sportsmanlike way.

On Tuesday afternoon a squad of soldier boys from Salisbury swooped down upon us in their natty uniforms and with their bright guns. Their coming was unheralded, or we would have had a crowd to greet them. They went through some of their evolutions right in our street, to the great enjoyment of all.

Rev. W. N. Conaway, an old Cavalryman from the Civil War, stood and watched the boys and straightened up to his full martial spirit. And Dr. D. P. Parker was there and looked on, for he remembered seeing the soldier boys in the sixties go through these evolutions and as he had given two of his own boys to fight the Germans, the old fire came back into the soul.

Rev. G. W. Gorrell on Wednesday morning gave an interesting address to our school, on his visit to Japan.

There are more hearts here over the going of Dr. H. R. Mann to Salisbury. Dr. Mann is undoubtedly a fine physician; he knows his business and has been unusually successful in this field. His place will be hard to fill here. This is a good field for a doctor, so if you have a son who desires to make a change, or a young man just beginning to practice, send him on.

Rev. I. S. Owens preached his farewell sermon on Sunday morning. We hope that he will get a good field, for he deserves it.

At this writing it is rumored that Rev. J. W. Prettyman will not return to this field.

Winnie Graham is home for a few days. He works in Wilmington.

SHARPTOWN

Miss Pauline Nelson, of Hebron, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Mann.

Mrs. Ira Stephens, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Bennett.

Mrs. Charles H. Hedges and children, of Camden, N. J., spent last week with Capt. and Mrs. John W. Hurt.

Quite a number of our young people attended the play at Mardela on Friday evening of last week.

Miss Mary Wheatley, of Delmar, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Wheatley.

Mrs. Nelda Rumsey and son, Herman, of Baltimore, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kennerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Melson, of Chester, Pa., spent much of last week here as the guests of his sister, Mrs. E. Robinson and his brother, John T. Melson.

Ashly Lowe is home for a few days from Baltimore city.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hastings spent Sunday in Milford as the guests of relatives and friends.

Miss Lizzie and Annie Owens, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. Mattie Owens, of Hoboken, N. Y., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Willy D. Gravenor attended the lay delegate convention held at Crisfield on Friday of last week.

Rev. George E. Donaldson left on Tuesday for the seat of the Methodist Protestant Conference. No delegate.

The High School will give a play in Pythian Hall on Friday evening of this week, one of Shakespeare's productions. Much time and labor have been given in preparation and fine costumes have been secured and all concerned are expecting a great occasion.

Several persons from here attended conference at Crisfield Sunday.

Those who heard Rev. Charles A. Tindley in the Armory, Salisbury, from here on Sunday were pleased with the sermon and the music.

Salisbury for sometime has been furnishing the groceries for some of the merchants here and now the ice truck furnishes the ice, not only for business houses but will furnish when the weather gets warmer to families.

Rev. H. L. Schlinke, of Cumberland, a former pastor here, will preach in the M. P. Church Sunday morning and night, April 10.

PITTSVILLE

Mr. A. W. Shockley spent last week in Baltimore.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church met at the home of Miss Pearl Elliott last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. G. J. Hooper and little son, Sherman, are visiting friends at Mt. Hermon.

Mr. Virgil Freeny, who has been employed in Chester, Pa., returned home last Monday where he will spend

the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Paul Wimbrow entertained a number of her friends last Friday evening.

A number of cars well filled with citizens of this town attended the M. E. Conference which was in session at Crisfield last Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Parsons and daughter, Dorothy Anne, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sheppard of Salisbury.

Mrs. Mamie Campbell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Covington Campbell.

Miss Maria Davis was unable to return to college Monday as she had expected, due to the fact that she is ill.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Strickland have returned home after attending the M. E. Conference held at Crisfield. His many friends are very glad to welcome him back.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Davis left Saturday to spend the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Roberts, of Philadelphia. Then they will visit relatives in North Bergen, N. J.

While there Mr. Davis will attend the Maryland Annual Conference, which convenes in Newark, N. J., Wednesday.

Mr. E. Parsons entertained the following last Friday evening for dinner: Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Adkins and daughter, Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sheppard and Miss Bertha Adkins, all of Salisbury.

KELLEYS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shockley visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Matthews Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hales visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matthews last Sunday.

Mr. Jakey Davis and Miss Annie Cox spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Cranfield.

Mrs. Burk and daughter, Bertie, spent the first of the week with her brother, Asbury, of Salisbury.

Mr. F. P. Truitt died at his brother, Asbury's, home Monday morning at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Hermion Hales and Miss Nettie Matthews spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Hilda Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Matthews, of Salisbury, visited Mr. and Mrs. De Witt Matthews Sunday.

Mr. O. L. Morris and children, mother and two sisters, of Salisbury, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Esham.

Messrs. Ralph and Earl Matthews spent Sunday afternoon at Grossbury Hudson spent Sunday with Master Harold Esham.

Misses Mabel and Iris Esham visited Miss Bertie Burk Sunday.

BIVALE

Mrs. Sadie Crosswell, of near Baltimore, is visiting her brother, Capt. John H. Insley.

Lester Insley, mate of the Steamer Pocomoke, is home on the sick list.

Norman Insley spent Saturday and Sunday with his family.

George W. Willing and family were in Salisbury last Saturday.

Miss Florence Messick, of Tyaskin, spent Sunday with Miss Lois Willing.

Miss Annie Messick returned home last Wednesday after having spent the winter in Charleston, S. C.

Mr. William Messick, of Tyaskin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Insley.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dunn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Walter.

Miss Annie Larmore, of White Haven, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Luther Foxwell.

Miss Carolyn Howard, one of the teachers of Nanticoke High School spent Sunday with Miss Mildred Insley.

A large number of Bivale people attended the confirmation services at St. Mary's Chapel Sunday afternoon.

The sermon was delivered by the Bishop of the Diocese of Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Evans, of White Haven spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Willing.

WILLARDS

Mrs. Rowe Shockley and son, Jack, of Parsonsburg, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Olivia Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Rayne, Ned Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Dennis were visitors in Crisfield Sunday.

Miss Mildred Richardson was very painfully hurt last Wednesday afternoon when the horse which she was riding threw her, causing her to break her right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Truitt, of Pocomoke, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Truitt.

Several people from this town spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

Master Edward Mumford had a party on Friday evening in honor of his eleventh birthday. His guests included little Josephine Rayne, Hilda Richardson, Louise Brittingham, Elva Truitt, Albert Rayne, Lester Truitt, Franklin Horn and Dicy Mumford.

Capt. Purnell, of Ocean City, was a visitor in town Sunday.

The Community League will be held on Friday evening, April 8, at the school. All those interested in this work are urged to attend.

TRINITY

Mr. and Mrs. James Kenny and children were the guests of Mrs. Kenny's sister, Mrs. Bill Whayland on Sunday last.

Miss Edna Whayland, a student of the Wicomico High School, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whayland.

Miss Louise Hayman, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with Miss Hannah Twilley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris, of Salisbury, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rounds.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boudens, of St. Louis, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Denson.

There will be a social at the Old Line Wharf school house Friday night, April 15, for the benefit of the church.

Miss Anne Smith spent the week-end with friends in Salisbury.

Miss Helen Whayland spent last week in Salisbury with her cousin, Mr. Otis Walter.

Mr. Morris Phillips, of Nanticoke,

spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Jennie Denson.

HEBRON

Misses Alma Holliday, Winifred Phillips, Louise Mitchell and Mr. John Wright motored to Western Maryland College Monday.

Several people from here motored to Crisfield last Sunday to attend the Annual Conference.

Miss Virginia Phillips attended the Naval Academy dance at Annapolis last week.

Dr. O. S. Campbell returned to his home in Grafton, W. Va., on Monday of this week.

Messrs. Jim Humphreys, Oscar Ellis, Roy Wilson and M. N. Nelson were in Baltimore for a few days last week.

PARSONSBURG

Dr. Louis S. Parsons, who has been spending sometime with friends and relatives, has returned to Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. F. Brown, who has been visiting in Baltimore, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkins spent the week-end in Salisbury.

Very sorry to report Mrs. Edith Ross on the sick list.

Miss Agnes Brittingham spent the week-end with Miss Ruth Hearn, of Salisbury.

Mr. George Ennis made a business trip to Baltimore last week.

Quite a number of people motored to Crisfield Sunday to attend the M. E. Conference, which was in session.

Miss Mary Bonnevillie, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. H. Smith.

Quite a number of people from here were present at the surprise party given Miss Annie Layfield Wednesday evening at her home, on Poplar Hill avenue, in Salisbury.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brown and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Laura Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Farlow, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Brittingham, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. Alice Perdue, Mrs. Beatie Hammond, Misses Annie Hobbs, Agnes Jackson, Alma Williams, Edith Shockley, Lola Parker, Grace Hallam and Messrs. Isaac Hallam and Roy Farlow. All spent a very pleasant evening and wished for Miss Annie many more happy birthdays.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. O. B. Humphreys Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Tingle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Driscoll last Sunday.

Mr. Lester Adkins has returned to the University of Maryland, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Esham entertained quite a few of their friends Wednesday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Clark and little daughter, Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. James White, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hitch and family, Jonette Carl, Minnie and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fooks and family, Mabel, Josiah and Lester, Mr. Ralph Livingston and Mr. Ernest Baker. All kinds of music was played and refreshments were served. At a late hour all departed having spent a very pleasant evening.

Spring Millinery

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH WILL IMPROVE SCHOOLS

Millions Of Dollars To Be Expended
For Improving Schools and Col-
leges—To Help Students.

Presiding Elder McSparran of the Eastern Shore District, Virginia Conference, is busy organizing his district for a great educational drive soon to be made. Similar preparations are being made in all the other districts of the Virginia Conference. This is regarded as a very important movement, as the purposes and plans set forth.

Statistic from "Who's Who In America" show that only one per cent of the population of the United States are college graduates and that 50 per cent of the leaders in all departments of national life are drawn from that one per cent. Fourteen per cent of the others are college trained but not graduates. The 90 per cent of untrained people supply only twenty-seven per cent of the leadership.

Southern Methodists are making use of these significant facts to support their contention that the paramount need of the world today is not only education but Christian education. They claim that since the world's leaders are to come from the ranks of college graduates, young people seeking preparation for life should find in the Christian college the highest type of education advantages.

As a means toward this end the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has inaugurated a movement known as the Christian education movement. The efforts of this movement will be directed toward the enlargement and improvement of the 91 educational plants controlled by the Southern Methodist Church. Not only will these schools be improved by new buildings and additional equipment, but the standard will be raised by means of better paid teachers and the teaching profession made attractive in the highest type of educators. A million dollar fund will be provided to assist worthy students who desire to devote their lives to some form of Christian service and who lack the means to secure the proper training. The church has set \$33,000,000 as the amount to be secured throughout the Church. Each section has been thoroughly organized, and each of the 37 annual conferences has been allotted its pro rata of the big educational fund. Many of these conferences have indicated that in their section the amount asked for will be over-subscribed.

STATE POLICE WILL TOUR THE COUNTIES

About 25 Will Start From Baltimore
April 18 And Be Sworn In As
Deputies Along The Line.

The new State police, between 25 and 30 strong, will leave Baltimore within a few weeks to tour the State and be sworn in at the different county seats as deputy sheriffs. The tentative date for the start of the trip, which will last six days, is April 18.

Before taking to the highways, the State police will first be sworn in as officers of Baltimore city by Police Commissioner Gaither. In columns of twos the motorcycles and automobiles containing Col. E. Austin Baughman, head of the State police, and Capt. Roger Williams, and all the other policemen of various ranks will take up their march through the city and counties.

The itinerary as announced today by Colonel Baughman will include stops at Ellicott City, Hagerstown, Cumberland, Oakland, Frederick, Westminster, Rockville, La Plata, Leonardtown, Upper Marlboro, Prince Frederick, Annapolis, Easton, Princess Anne, Snow Hill, Salisbury, Cambridge, Denton, Centerville, Chestertown, Elkton, Belair, Towson and back to Baltimore. Night stops will be made at Cumberland, Frederick, Leonardtown, Easton, Salisbury and Cambridge.

MISS GLADYS VAUGHN WEDS MR. W. STANFORD PARKER

A large gathering of friends and relatives was assembled Thursday evening, March 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Vaughn, of Rockawalkin, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Gladys Irene, to William Stanford Parker, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parker, a prosperous farmer living on the Quantico Road. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. S. VanBlunk, pastor of Rockawalkin M. E. Church. Miss Beulah White of Sileam was bridesmaid and Mr. Ellwood Williams of Salisbury acted as best man. A bounteous repast was served the large number of guests, the serving continuing until a late hour. Mr. and Mrs. Parker will make their home on the Quantico road, and their many friends wish that the toast of the first table will prove true, that fifty years from that night the bride and groom celebrate

Memorial Services Held Last Sunday

Alumni Association of State Normal
School Holds Them In Memory
Of Late Dean.

Memorial services for Miss Sarah E. Richmond, late dean of the Maryland State Normal School, were held in the Normal School auditorium on Sunday afternoon, April 3, under the auspices of the Alumni Association. The following program was rendered:

Hymn—"One Sweetly Solemn Thought."
Prayer—Dr. J. O. Spencer.
An Educator—Dr. M. Bates Stephens.

A Principal—Hon. W. T. Warburton.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Wm. C. Kenney.
A Professional Associate—Mr. Albert S. Cook.
A Co-Worker—Dr. Henry S. West.

A Life of Service—Miss Lida Lee Tall.
Vocal Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Smock.
Reminiscences—Mrs. M. A. Newell.
A Friend and Teacher—Miss Ella V. Ricker.
Faculty Resolutions.
Violin Solo—Mr. Fritz Gaul.
An Appreciation from the Alumni—Hon. J. Chas. Linthicum.
Hymn.

"Huns" Killed Many Belgians.
Brussels.—The official number of Belgian civilians who "died at the hands of the Germans from the time the Germans entered Belgium until the signing of the peace, on June 23, 1919," was given out today, as follows: Number killed outright and identified, 4,934; number of deportees who died in Germany, 1,311; number who died as deportees in France and Flanders, 1,228. The total is 7,473.

Good times will not return until the purchasing power of the farmer has been restored, Representative George M. Young of North Dakota, named by the House Ways and Means Committee to introduce the emergency tariff bill at the extra session of Congress, declared in an address before the Zach Chandler Republican Club at Lansing, Mich.

We must not overlook the fact that one-third of our population are farmers," Mr. Young said. "They are not normally big consumers. The purchasing power of farmers will not be restored until 3,000,000 men now out of employment are profitably employed, and until we prevent the

dumping of farm products from every part of the globe."

Discussing a permanent tariff measure, Mr. Young said the most difficult problem was to fix rates of duty sufficiently high to afford protection against products of countries whose exchange and labor wages were extremely low, and not fix them so high as to oppressive to American consumers, or harmful to America's best customers abroad. Imposition of duties upon the basis of American valuation, he declared, would help neutralize this trade problem.

Mr. Young insisted that the tendency of American costs would be downward and the foreign tendency upward.

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Congressman Wants Farmers Protected

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Good times will not return until the purchasing power of the farmer has been restored, Representative George M. Young of North Dakota, named by the House Ways and Means Committee to introduce the emergency tariff bill at the extra session of Congress, declared in an address before the Zach Chandler Republican Club at Lansing, Mich.

We must not overlook the fact that one-third of our population are farmers," Mr. Young said. "They are not normally big consumers. The purchasing power of farmers will not be restored until 3,000,000 men now out of employment are profitably employed, and until we prevent the

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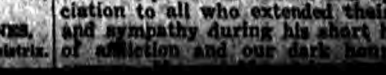
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News of Spring Suits



WILMINGTON CONFERENCE ENDS MONDAY

Final Session Brought To Close In Time For Visitors To Leave On Noon Train.

DR. HERSON IS RETURNED TO ASBURY

Bishop McDowell Also Re-appoints Rev. W. P. Taylor To Grace And Stangle For Another Year—E. C. Prettyman Superintendent Of Peninsula Dist. Anti-Saloon League.

The final session of the Wilmington conference was held in Caledon on Monday morning, and Bishop McDowell read the appointments in time for the ministers and laymen to leave on the 12:45 train for their homes. Dr. J. T. Herson, of Salisbury, will return to Asbury M. E. Church for another year, and Rev. W. P. Taylor also was returned to Grace and Stangle by the bishop. Next year the conference will be held in Cambridge.

Following is a list of the appointments:

Wilmington District.
Robert Watt, Superintendent.
Wilmington: Asbury, G. W. Dawson; Brandywine, W. E. Greenfield; Brack-Ex and Elmore, R. H. Adams; Cookman, W. G. Harris; Eastlake, E. C. Sanford; Edge Moor, B. Webster; Gilbert, Epworth, E. P. Thomas; Grace, J. W. R. Sumwalt; Harrison Street, W. E. Habbart; Hillcrest, M. D. Nutter; Italian Mission, To be supplied; Kingswood, G. W. Bounds; Madeley, L. M. Broadway; McCabe, G. C. Williams; Mt. Salem, Leonard White; Richardson, E. P. Goodhand; Scott, T. J. Sard; Silverbrook, R. K. Stephenson; St. Paul's, C. L. Hubbard, assistant; St. W. Cooke; Trinity, E. H. Collins; Union, H. W. Ewing, Wesley, Z. H. Wells; Bellefonte and Holly Oak, To be supplied; Bethel and Town Point, O. L. Martin; Charlestown, Md., J. H. Wilson; Cherry Hill, Md., Milton McCann; Chesapeake City, Md., O. B. Reed; Chester-Bethel, J. H. Hudson; Christians, W. P. Pardee, supply; Claymont, Howard McDade; Colora, Md., J. P. Anderson; Delaware City and Port Penn, L. W. Layfield; Ebenezer, G. F. Newton; Elk Neck, Md., E. T. F. Morton, supply; Elkton, Md., G. T. Alderson; Hockessin, C. J. Clarke; Hopewell, Md., C. T. Jones; Marshallton and Cedar, Ivanhoe Wilby; Mt. E. James, To be supplied; Pleasant, W. W. Sharp; Newark, Frank Herson; New Castle, J. R. Bickling; Newport, W. V. Moore; Northeast, Md., D. J. Givan; Perryville, Md., H. B. Kelsor; Port Deposit, Md., Warren Burr; Red Lion, J. H. George; Rising Sun, Md., C. C. Harris; St. George's and Summit, J. C. McCoy; St. John's, G. A. Cooke; Zion Circuit, Md., J. A. Buckson.

Middletown District.
W. A. Wise, Superintendent.
Bayside, Md., H. W. Gallion; Boxman, Md., J. W. Sutton; Burrville, Md., To be supplied; Cecilton, Md., T. E. Van Dyke; Centerville, Md., M. E. Wheatley; Chestertown, Md., O. E. Jones; Cheswold, G. P. Smith; Church Hill, Md., A. B. Frye; Clayton, Del., J. C. Bolton; Concord, Md., To be supplied; Cordova, Md., J. H. Whedbee; Crumpton, Md., J. T. Rowlenon; Denton, Md., V. E. Hills; Easton, Md., W. H. Briggs; Fairlee, Md., G. W. Stallings; Galena, Md., G. E. Sterling; Greensboro, Md., J. A. Leach; Henderson, Md., C. D. Sharpless; Hillboro, Md., W. H. Revelle; Kent Island, Md., Ralph C. Jones; Kenton, J. W. Easley, supply; Maryland, Md., Edwin Gardner; Middletown, V. P. Northrup; Millington, Md., O. H. Connelly; Odessa and Friendship, R. S. Hodgson; Oxford, Md., W. B. Horner; Piney Neck, Md., F. L. Hicks; Pomona, Md., To be supplied; Preston, Md., J. P. Outton; Queenstown, Md., Henry Covington, supply; Ridgely, Md., Frank White; Rock Hall, Md., T. C. Smoot; Royal Oak, Md., S. L. Hanby, supply; St. Michael's, Md., C. N. Jones; Salem Circuit, Md., To be supplied; Smyrna, R. P. Nichols; Still Pond, Md., Thigman, Smith; Sudlersville, Md., Robert Lawson; Tilghman's, Md., Leolan Jackson; Townsend, G. P. Jones; Trappe, Md., D. J. Moore; Wye Mills, Md., W. N. Conway.

Dover District.
W. R. Mowbray, Superintendent.
Armory and Asbury, Alonzo Travers; Beckwith and Spedden, Md., O. T. Baynard; Bethel, G. E. Wood; Blades and Epworth, R. W. Mills; Bridgeville, W. L. White; Cambridge, Md., W. E. Gandy; Camden, C. W. Moore; Canterbury, W. C. Buckson; Church Creek and Taylor's Island, Md., E. M. Byrd; Crapo, Md., J. H. Gardner; Dover, J. W. Coloma; East New Market, Md., O. B. Rice; Ellendale, T. S. Barrett; Elliott's Island, Md., W. F. Atkinson; Epworth, C. T. Gehman; Farmington, George T. Jones, supply; Federalburg, Md., F. C. MacSorley; Felton, M. W. Marine; Frederica, Harry Taylor; Galestown and McKendree, Md., H. E. Truitt; Georgetown, J. L. Spaulding; Georgetown Circuit, C. W. Spry; Greenwood, To be supplied; Harrington, J. T. Richardson; Hooper's Island, Md., C. H. Hudson; Houston, J. M. Kelsor; Hurlock, Md., J. T. Price; Lakesville, Md., E. S. Tyler; Laurel, W. O. Bennett; Leipsic, R. L. Kirby; Lewis, Howard Davis; Lincoln, C. H. Atkins; Little Creek, Ernest Wright, supply; Magnolia and Barratt's Chapel, G. R. Ellis; Milford, D. W. Jacobs; Milford Neck, To be supplied; Millsboro, B. T. Moore; Milton, Harry E. Reed; Mt. Pleasant, E. H. Marshall; Nassau, L. T. McLain, supply; Rehoboth, W. S. Grant; Reliance, Md., J. H. Thornton, supply; Seaford, F. F. Carpenter; Seaford Circuit, N. C. Benson; Vienna, Md., John McGrath.

Williamsburg, Md., J. P. Kelley; Wyoming, G. W. Richmire; Zoar Circuit, To be supplied.

Salisbury District.
Vaughn S. Collins, Superintendent.
Annapessex, Md., R. H. Wilson, supply; Ayres, Va., T. S. Dixon, supply; Berlin, Md., J. J. Bunting; Bishopville, Md., A. F. Zimmerman; Cape Charles, Va., E. H. Dashiell; Chincoteague, Va., L. B. Morgan; Claremont, Va., W. A. Wright; Asbury, Crisfield, Md., W. F. Corkran; Immanuel, Crisfield, Md., J. L. Johnson; Dagsboro and St. George's, J. S. Eldridge; Deals Island, Md., C. S. Thomas; Delmar, J. W. Jones; Fairmount, Md., W. H. Cummings; Frankford, W. C. Poole; Fruitland, Md., J. W. Wooten; Girdletree, Md., D. P. Prettyman, supply; Gumboro, C. L. Marsh; Hebron, Md., W. E. Matthews; Holland's Island, Md., S. T. Horseman; Mardela Springs, Md., T. W. Williams; Quantico, Md., J. M. S. Van Blunk; Marion, Md., J. E. Parker; Mt. Vernon, Md., D. J. Ford; Nanticoke, Md., Harry Compton; Newark, Md., W. A. Hearne; Ocean City, Md., W. T. Maguire; Ocean View and Millville, E. C. Hallman; Onancock, Va., Daniel Wilson; Parsonsburg, Md., C. D. Steininger; Phoenix, Va., P. P. Truitt; Pittsville, Md., C. W. Strickland; Pocomoke City, Md., E. W. McDowell; Pocomoke Circuit, Md., M. H. Smith, supply; Powellville, Md., E. B. Taylor; Princess Anne, W. F. Dawson; Roxana, J. T. Graham; St. Peter's, Md., G. S. Allen; Asbury, Salisbury, Md., J. T. Herson; Grace and Stangle, Salisbury, Md., W. P. Taylor; Selbyville, T. F. Beauchamp; Sharptown, Md., H. S. Dulany; Smith's Island, Md., J. L. Derriksen, supply; Snow Hill, Md., L. E. Poole; Somers, Md., J. W. Prettyman; Stockton, Md., W. L. Hens; Tangier, Va., W. F. Godwin; Westover, Md., A. A. Bickell, supply; White Haven, Md., T. N. Given; Whitesville, J. B. McCabe.

J. H. Beauchamp, assistant manager of Goodwill Industries and member of Asbury Quarterly Conference, Wilmington.

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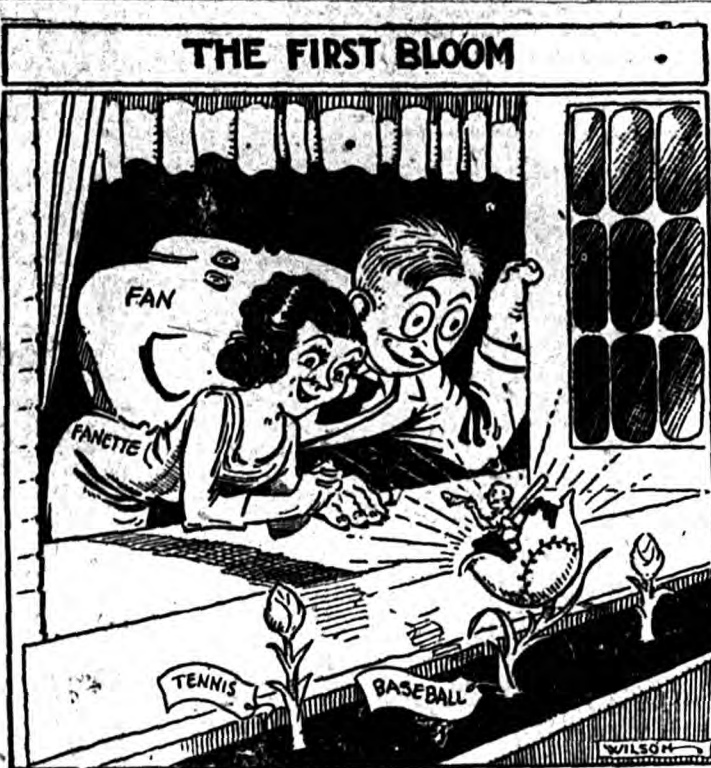
E. C. Prettyman, superintendent of the Peninsula district of the Maryland-Delaware Anti-Saloon League and member of St. Paul's Quarterly Conference, Wilmington.

Henry G. Budd, president of Wesley Collegiate Institute and member of Wesley Quarterly Conference, Dover.

George E. Reed, president of the National Society for Broader Education and member of Grace Quarterly Conference, Wilmington.

R. L. Minker, C. A. Gilbert, L. E. Windsor, M. S. Andrews, C. E. Davis, H. D. West, W. H. Alderson, E. M. Shockey, R. T. Thawley, and E. W. Hennis, left without appointment to attend school.

John W. Chappell, soldier in United States Hospital, Salem, Va., F. H. Faulkner, Sabbatical year.



ROTARIANS ENJOY DINNER AT ARMORY

Local Club Entertained Thursday By Co. "T"—Big Affair Marked End Of Recruiting Drive.

The affair arranged by Company "T" and held last Thursday night was a unique one and thoroughly enjoyed by all. Members of the Rotary Club visited the Company and were served dinner in the basement of the Armory. This dinner was prepared on an Army field kitchen by Mr. Roland Cahall, a member of Co. "T" during the war.

Immediately after dinner the visitors congregated in the drill hall of the Armory and were entertained by exhibition company drill and competitive drills. The competitive drills were held for two classes. The first was for enlisted men of the company who have had no military training previous to their present enlistment period. First, second and third prizes were won by Edward Serman, Allan Houston, and Scott Pusey respectively. Cash prizes of five, three and two dollars were awarded.

The ex-service men's competitive drill resulted in a tie for first place between Vaughn Grey and Dewey Messick, both former members of Co. "T".

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"I". Second place, third prize was won by Alfred Truitt. The judges for the competitive drills were: Messrs. Samuel R. Douglas, H. Winter Owens and Sgt. McNeale who is stationed here as Sergeant Instructor.

Thursday night marked the close of the campaign for new members at which time six recruits were secured. The officers of the company realize that the town is beginning to understand what it has in the National Guard unit here which fact is evidenced by the number of "Big Brothers" who have become honorary members of the company. Their number has now reached 32.

Twenty recruits are still needed for the company. While the recruiting drive has ended, personal work for recruits will be continued.

"SPINSTERS RETURN" WILL BE PLAYED AT ROCKAWALKIN

By special request, the "Spinsters Return" which was given at the Y. M.C.A. on March 18 will be repeated at the Rockawalkin Hall on Friday evening, April 8, starting at 8 o'clock. The public is invited, and an evening of fun is promised to all who come.

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INCREASING CONFIDENCE SHOWN AS RESULT OF NATIONAL SURVEY

David P. Houston, Analyzing Fidelity and Deposit Company's Review, Says Business Feels Worst Has Passed—Credit Situation Is Improved, Tendency To Go Forward.

David P. Houston, commenting on the Second Survey of National Confidence, prepared by the Fidelity and Deposit Company, said: "The survey indicates that the business world is still feeling its way, but with increasing confidence and optimism. Among those who suggested a complete and comprehensive public life were consulted to make it more useful to the business community. In preparing the questionnaire, the Fidelity and Deposit Company's review, says business feels worst has passed—credit situation is improved, tendency to go forward."

Mr. Houston, formerly Secretary of Agriculture, and more recently Secretary of the Treasury, made his comment after a careful study of the survey report prepared from the telephone replies. His statement in part follows:

"The survey is suggestive, and will be helpful. At all times information of the sort here gathered is valuable. It is particularly so now when there is still uncertainty in the business world, and leaders are debating the details of their industrial programs and policies."

"While the survey shows that no action of the country reports a marked increase in industrial activity and that the public is still hesitating in buying, and probably will continue to purchase cautiously until retail prices are reduced more nearly to the level of the cost of production, the survey indicates that the public is planning definite production, and manufacturers are growing more optimistic."

"The survey is reported from all districts, and is representative of the country as a whole. It is a very valuable contribution to the knowledge of the business world, and is a most timely and helpful report."

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ELLY MANSION ON LONG ISLAND MAY BE SUMMER WHITE HOUSE

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DELAWARE CONFERENCE ENDS AFTER SUCCESSFUL SESSION

Bishop Berry Brings Meeting To A Close By Reading Appointment Cards Sunday Night—Will Be Held In Atlantic City Next Year.

The Delaware conference, which was held in Salisbury, Md., last week, ended after a most successful session. Bishop Berry, who presided over the conference, brought the meeting to a close by reading the appointment cards for the next year's conference, which will be held in Atlantic City.

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The colored population of Salisbury did itself proud in the entertainment of the Delaware Conference.

The Old School Baptist held their yearly meeting in Forest Grove meeting house last Wednesday and discussed the sermon by the Rev. Mr. J. H. Taylor, pastor of the Forest Grove Baptist Church.

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“DRY” ERA

Bellevue Neurologists Aver De-crease Shown Since Prohibition.

DROP FROM 10.8
TO 1.9 IN N. Y. STATE

Statistics Are Cited To Refute Claim That Insanity Due To Alcoholism From Drinking Spurious Concoctions Has Increased 25 Per Cent In Empire State.

The thinking of "Booth" since the advent of prohibition has not changed an inch, and, furthermore, it is impossible that there has been the result in Chicago, according to opinion expressed by Dr. Menas S. Gregory and Dr. Charles L. Dana, well known neurologists of Bellevue Hospital. The statement was made by Dr. James Whitney Hall of Chicago in the trial of Carl Wanders for murder since prohibition and he admitted that there has been an increase of 25 per cent. in insanity in the State since prohibition and labelled it "whiskey." The facts as to the situation in Chicago are not available in New York, the Bellevue doctors said, and a glance at statistics in New York State shows that prohibition has decreased rather than increased the percentage of insane cases due to alcohol.

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A report published recently by Horatio M. Hyatt, D. of the New York State Hospital Commission, shows a steady decrease in insanity, due to alcoholism, in the thirteen hospitals for mental diseases in this State since the year 1908. Out of 4,222 first admissions in 1909 there were 1,035 cases of insanity to the State hospitals in 1909 there were 108 cases of alcoholic psychoses, in other words 10.8 per cent of the total number of cases of insanity were due to alcohol. For the fiscal year ending 1910 the percentage of cases of insanity due to alcohol was 10.5 per cent.

with June, 1920, there were 6,571 cases of insanity, of which only 13 were alcoholic psychoses, or 1.9 per cent of the total number of cases. Insanity were due to alcohol.

A study of the percentages of alcoholic cases among the total number of inmate admissions in the years between 1909 and 1920 shows a decline down to the year 1915. The year 1916 and 1917, due to the report of the commission to the excitement of the war, since 1917 the decline has been probably to the excitement of 1918 and 1919, falling from 8.5 per cent. to 4 per cent. in 1919 and to 1.9 per cent. in 1920. The drop from 4 per cent. to 1.9 per cent. is the sharpest of any amendment went into effect.

The proportion of alcoholic cases in the total population of the State shows a similar decline. In 1909 a 0.5 per cent. were admitted to hospitals as a result of alcohol. In 1916, when it was 4 per cent. increased to 0 per cent. in 1917. Still, that time it has dropped to 1.2 per cent. In 1920, the decline after Eighteenth Amendment being passed, was in any other two years or less. "The greatest reduction," Dr. Poll states, "in the rate of admissions now alcoholic cases since the amendment went into effect indicates a general decrease in drinking habits."

"I do not know what kind of poison they may be selling in Chicago," Dana said, "but I should think that the explanation that is given in history was due to the so-called 'hoople' was impracticable. We had a meeting a short time ago at the Holleran hospital to discuss the increase in cholera cases in the last six months. Our conclusion was that most of the cases were forms of very acute and holic poisoning, but that they were not well. There are few cases of cholera. My opinion is that these conditions are due to the fact that people do not get liquor or when they do get it, as they get it suddenly, and as they get it."

Bulls Break Duke's Leg.
Madrid.—The Duke of Vera, owner of a herd of fighting bulls, broke his leg one day last week while driving several of his animals to the Madrid bull ring.

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• Chevrolet Sales Record

In the production schedule of Chevrolet Model "Four-Ninety," announced last month from January 1st to July 31st, 1921, is a cash retail purchaser of a new Model "Four-Ninety" car at present list prices, we will make the following cash payments—
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This refund represents savings in materials under present readjusted conditions which savings can be made provided Chevrolet factors continue to operate on the estimate average quantity production basis.

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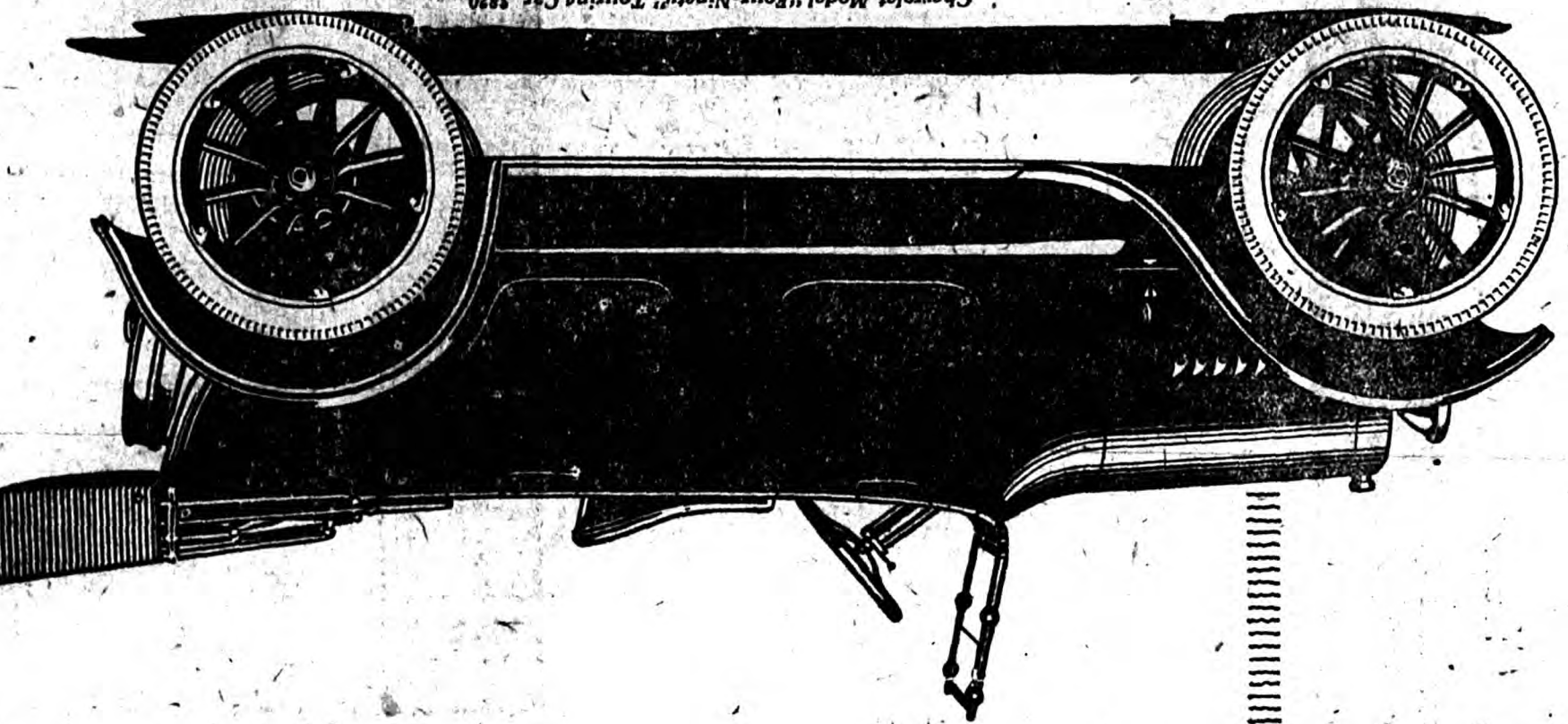
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REVIVAL MAY MAKE STATE GREATEST FLAX PRODUCER

Chesapeake Flax Fibre Corporation Selects Del-Mar-Via Peninsula.

DELAWARE BIDS FAIR TO BECOME LEADER

Flax Growing in Delaware and Maryland About To Begin—Retting Process Reduced From 16 Weeks To 2 Hours By Invention—Bring Machinery From Ireland.

If the plans now being developed to revive the flax growing industry on the Delmarvia peninsula are successful, Delaware bids fair to become the leader in restoring the United States to the prestige this country held as a flax producer during pre-Revolutionary days.

A company, known as the Chesapeake Flax Fibre Corporation, has been formed, which has selected the Delmarvia peninsula as the most favorable section in which to grow flax fibre, which the promoters are confident will ultimately rival the cotton industry of the South.

The directors of the company are Charles D. Stokely, of Smyrna, Del.; Daniel O. Hastings, Wilmington, Del.; Joseph H. Mendenhall, Wilmington, Del.; Theodore P. Haughey, engineer, Wilmington, Del.; Simon Friedberger, president Sanitary Textile Company of Philadelphia; James V. Watson, Emergency Fleet Corporation of Philadelphia, and William Jay Robinson, president of American Linen Flax Corporation, of New York City. John Bader, of Wilmington, will have charge of the building operations for the company and Nesbit and Company, of Wilmington, investment bankers, are the fiscal agents.

Speaking about the new enterprise, and its possibilities, William Jay Robinson, a flax expert from the north of Ireland, who was in Delaware recently, said:

"In the early days of this country's history America was a linen producing country. Every farmer grew his own field of flax, reeled it, broke it, scutched it and hatted it as a home industry. The women spun the thread on the spinning wheel and wove it into household linens on the old hand looms. Delaware alone produced for years over one million yards of linen per year. The invention of the cotton gin by Whitney in 1794, and the invention by Arkwright of the spinning jenny a few years later, combined to give America and the world the great cotton industry, which has become one of the largest industries in the United States and in the world."

Mr. Robinson said: "Flax is the oldest known vegetable fibre, and was used very largely in early Bible times; the linen damask that we know got its name from the city of Damascus, where the finest linens were manufactured. Egypt for thousands of years was the centre of the linen trade of the world. Russia, since the days of Ivan the Terrible, has grown 94 per cent of the world's supply of flax as a compulsory tax crop, and every family was compelled under penalty of imprisonment or death, to grow flax or produce flax fibre."

"Strange as it may seem, there has been no change in the method of producing the flax fibre from the flax straw in six thousand years." Mr. Robinson, who was called into conference with the War Industries Board in Washington during the war, has succeeded in inventing a process by which flax fibre can be obtained from the flax straw of a higher grade and better quality, than that produced in Ireland, Russia or continental Europe in the space of two hours, whereas it has required sixteen weeks to produce it by any other known method.

In order to test out the Robinson process a large firm of New York bankers had grown fifteen miles from Wilmington a crop of flax from imported, pedigreed flaxseed under the direction of Day and Zimmermann, flax experts of Philadelphia. A commercial plant was erected and a considerable quantity of flax fibre was produced from this flax straw. This flax fibre has been spun into twelve different flax and linen products, and has been woven into linens which have undergone the strict and thorough examination of the United States Bureau of Standards in Washington, D. C.

The certified report of the bureau states that the flax fibre grown near Wilmington and spun and woven in Philadelphia into woven products, is higher in quality by actual test than

that of Ireland and other foreign countries. This would indicate that there is no obstacle in the way of America at least coming into its own and establishing a linen industry which in due time would rival cotton. The states of Delaware, Maryland, and especially the Delmarvia peninsula, have been chosen as the location for the first linen plant because of the similarity of climatic and soil conditions with that of Ireland, Belgium, Holland and leading flax growing countries of Europe.

Under the Robinson process 90 per cent of the disagreeable labor which has heretofore been the barrier against the largest success of the linen industry in America has been removed, and it is a direct saving of 90 per cent in labor costs. For instance, in Ireland, the flax is submerged in water and allowed to rot, and the entire period required for the production of the fibre is sixteen weeks. No American farmer could be induced to stand in water up to his waist for days at a time and handle this rotting, slimy mass, and perform the resultant labor necessary to the production of the finished fibre.

The location of the first plant of the Chesapeake Flax Fibre Corporation has been selected in Smyrna on the Smyrna river, where water transportation can be had to a large number of farms, which will grow flax in the surrounding territory. A spinning mill will be dismantled in Ireland and shipped in its entirety, together with a large number of trained operatives, and the spinning and weaving of the flax fibre into linens is expected to be actively inaugurated this fall.

RAILWAY COMPANY FAILS TO PAY INTEREST COUPON

Maryland, Delaware & Virginia Railway Company Defaults Interest On \$50,000 Bonds.

The annual report of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company for the year ending December 31, 1920, shows a deficit of \$84,983, or a decrease of \$25,877 as compared with the deficit reported for the preceding year.

President Turnbull Murdock in his annual report to shareholders gives an assurance of any early attempt to reorganize the finances of that company. It will be recalled that more than two years ago announcement was made that owing to conditions surrounding both the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Company and the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, steps would have to be taken to readjust the financial structure of both companies. Committees were accordingly appointed to consider such plans, but so far nothing has been done in the matter.

President Murdock explains that as the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company was unable to provide for the \$50,000 of first mortgage coupons which matured February 1, 1920, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company purchased \$46,000 of these coupons.

"Your company was also unable to provide for the \$50,000 of coupons on said mortgage bonds which mature August 1, 1920," said Mr. Murdock, "and applied to the guarantor, the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, to advance the amount necessary to pay same. The latter company, in turn, not being in a position to meet its guarantee, your company again applied to the Pennsylvania Railroad to purchase the coupons, but that company replied that it would make no further purchase of such coupons. Your board of directors being advised that a tentative organization of the holders of the first mortgage bonds was about to be formed, the special committee of the board of directors of your company, which, together with a similar committee of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, have given serious consideration to financial conditions of these companies, as explained in previous annual reports, were requested to give consideration to any proposition which may come from the said bondholders' organization, but so far no proposition has emanated from it nor has any such organization taken any active interest in the situation."

Mr. Robinson, who was called into conference with the War Industries Board in Washington during the war, has succeeded in inventing a process by which flax fibre can be obtained from the flax straw of a higher grade and better quality, than that produced in Ireland, Russia or continental Europe in the space of two hours, whereas it has required sixteen weeks to produce it by any other known method.

In order to test out the Robinson process a large firm of New York bankers had grown fifteen miles from Wilmington a crop of flax from imported, pedigreed flaxseed under the direction of Day and Zimmermann, flax experts of Philadelphia. A commercial plant was erected and a considerable quantity of flax fibre was produced from this flax straw. This flax fibre has been spun into twelve different flax and linen products, and has been woven into linens which have undergone the strict and thorough examination of the United States Bureau of Standards in Washington, D. C.

JOKE SAILOR NOW FASHION FAD



The Mitsi sailor which started its eventful career three years ago as a 65-cent joke hat—designed to get laughs for the famous musical comedy star, was accepted seriously by Paris. In all the metropolitan shops—new Paris models of the famous hat were shown—and on Easter scores of them were worn by society leaders. The pictures show the original Mitsi sailor and the new 1921 Paris model as worn by Mitsi herself. It is of black cellophane straw—with a band and bow of black tulle ribbon and trimmed with a cluster of colored fruit.

DELMAR LOCALS

The F. F. Society met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. K. Ellis.

Mr. J. H. Ellegood went to Philadelphia last week and returned in a new Willis-Knight car.

Messrs. Harrison Jones, E. E. Powell and S. H. Jones were Philadelphia visitors last week.

Messrs. S. N. Culver and Irving Culver were Baltimore visitors last week.

Mr. Ira F. Hearn left Monday by motor for a visit to Philadelphia.

Miss Laura Ellis left last Wednesday for West Chester, Pa., where she will resume her studies at the West Chester Normal School.

The Martha Washington Sewing Circle met at the home of Mrs. W. Q. Purnell on Thursday.

Rev. E. M. Jones and Mr. C. M. Ellis are in Newark, N. J., this week attending the session of the Maryland Annual Conference of the M. P. Church.

The Maryland Elementary School of Delmar will hold an oyster supper on Friday and Saturday evenings, April 8 and 9. The proceeds are for the benefit of the school. The public is invited.

Mr. Thomas Ed Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. West and son, Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Workman, of Georgetown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hudson, of Delmar.

Miss Mattie E. Hudson, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her brother, Harry E. Hudson, of Delmar.

Miss Harriett W. Hudson, of Delmar, is visiting her relatives in Wilmington and Washington, D. C.

Misses Minnie and Mildred Ellis spent the Easter holidays in Salisbury as the guests of Miss Evelyn Brittingham.

Miss Lillie Adams, of Delmar, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Levin Collins and Muriel Maricce, near Salisbury.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION PLAN ROAD CONTRACTS

Plans are being made by the State Highway Commissions to let all contracts needed to finish broken links in the road north and south through Delaware as soon as possible so that the work may be completed this year. The missing links are between Wilmington and Smyrna and Dover and Woodside and the open places at Bridgeville Seafood and Laurel. The cost of the work will be about \$1,000,000, which also includes the excess on the duPont road.

GOVERNOR DENNEY SIGNS TWO LOCAL BILLS

Governor Denney last week approved the act authorizing Sussex county to borrow \$1,000,000 for permanent improvement of certain public highways in Sussex county and an act to reincorporate the town of Delmar.

THORINGTON RE-ELECTED AS MAYOR

Opposition Appeared At Last Minute In Town Election.

OVER 140 VOTES—CAST ON MONDAY

S. N. Culver and F. E. Lynch Are Elected To City Council—W. H. Hayman Heads Opposition Ticket. Which Was Reported To Be Opposed To Sewerage Plans.

That the people on the Delaware side of Delmar are determined to allow nothing to interfere with the plans for sewerage, was demonstrated at Monday's town election, when the ticket headed by Mayor Thorington was elected at one of the most interesting elections in Delmar's history. Early in the day it became apparent that there was an opposition ticket in the field, and the report was soon circulated that the opposition ticket, which was headed by W. H. Hayman for Mayor, was opposed to the sewerage plans. This soon caused more interest and instead of the election being a quiet affair as it has been in the past when only a few votes were cast, about 140 votes were cast. Mayor Thorington received 104 votes, while W. H. Hayman had but 36 to his credit.

Under Mayor Thorington's administration, he has been behind every movement for progress. Through his efforts a bill was passed during the recent legislature which authorizes the Mayor and City Council to call an election on a proposed \$58,000 bond issue for sewer and sewerage disposal plant on the Delaware side. For the successful conclusion of this campaign for sewerage in Delmar, it was necessary that a Mayor and City Council favorable to same should be elected. Even as late as last Saturday it was thought the town election on Monday would be a very quiet affair, but on Monday with the appearance of the opposition ticket in the field, it was soon seen that the opposition was going to make a fight.

Word was sent down the line that it was necessary for the people favorable to the sewerage plans to get busy and the vote shows that they did.

The vote was as follows: For Mayor, J. F. Thorington, 104; W. H. Hayman, 36. For Councilmen, S. N. Culver, 108; F. E. Lynch, 105; Charles S. Hearn, 34; Willard O. Stephens, 35.

On the Maryland side a caucus of voters has been held and E. E. Gordy, W. S. Parker and L. H. Hearn have been endorsed for re-election to the Town Commissioners. W. W. Whayland and J. P. Brown, two hold-overs compose the rest of the board. These men will, no doubt, be re-elected Town Commissioners.

The sewerage question also enters into this election, inasmuch as it is hoped that the officials on the Maryland side will take up the good work started by the Delaware neighbors and lay plans for the presentation of a bill to the Maryland Legislature in 1922 so a referendum election can be held on this subject.

DELIGHTFUL PARTY IS ENJOYED BY MANY

Mr. and Mrs. Levin Collins, of near Delmar, gave a party on Wednesday evening, March 30 in honor of their son, Levin, Jr. Among those present were: Misses Grace Hastings, Beatrice Parsons, Byrd Lecates, Lola Wooten, Mary Taylor, Mildred Layfield, Orabelle Reddish, Carrie T. Wiley, Mildred Pilgrim, Lizzie Pusey, Blanche Marvel, Lena Marvel, Jennie and Ruth Taylor, and Mabel Fisher and Lillie Adams, of Delmar; Daisy Miles, of Laurel, and Pearl Thompson, of Salisbury; Gertrude Collins, Messrs. Paul Kennerly, Howard Marvel, Alfred Waller, Marion Bailey, Becon Humphings, of Hebron; Patrick O'Reilly, Albert Wilson, Lucas Harrington, Carl Pollitt, Carl Lewis, Joe Marvel, Judge Hastings, Albert Reddish, John Pusey, Walter Taylor, Garley Baker, Luke Reddish, Alexander Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reddish, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson and Mr. James Thompson, of Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Levin Collins. The all enjoyed a very pleasant evening. They remained until a late hour and then all returned to the homes.

WHICH ONE?



Here are principals in the most startling divorce suit of recent years. On one side, James A. Stillman, President of the National City Bank, N. Y. and international banker; on the other side, his wife, Mrs. "Fifi" P. Stillman, rich, pampered society woman, and the French-Canadian Indian guide, Fred Beauvais. In between is the innocent little thirty-one month old child—Baby Guy Stillman, whom the harker claims is illegitimate—naming the Indian guide as correspondent. Mrs. Stillman denies all charges. Look at the two men and the child. Which do you think little Guy resembles? The court is going to try to decide.

THE RAILROADS TO FIGHT FIRE

Will Clear 100-Foot Areas On Each Side of Track Which Will Lessen Fire Risk.

Railroads and property owners along the roads are co-operating with the State Forester in an effort to cut down fire hazards by keeping 100 feet on each side of the tracks clear of inflammable brush and leaves. The roads have agreed to burn this much ground over and the State Forester is getting permits from the owners for this work.

The permits place responsibility on the railroads for any damage that may occur in the actual burning. The work is to be done, however, by men who will see to it that the burned area is limited to the stretch indicated. Trees within this 100-foot distance will not be disturbed.

State Forester F. W. Besley is certain this plan will greatly reduce fires from sparks from locomotives. For a number of years in the State forests this has been done and fires there have been completely prevented from this cause. It has been figured that about 16 per cent of the forest fires are caused by sparks from locomotives.

It is proposed to extend the work along 400 miles of tracks.

MISS HEARN ENTERTAINS.

Miss M. Thelma Hearn entertained a few of her friends at a 4 o'clock last Friday. Covers were laid for ten, the guests including Miss Dorothy Hobbs, of Laurel, and Misses Louise Marvel, Aline Cannon, Emily Long, Violet Glivans, Mary Elizabeth Elliott, Minnie Ellis, Pearl Livingstone and Elizabeth Elliott.

FEEDING POTATOES TO HOGS.

Farmers in Southern Delaware, who last fall buried hundreds of bushels of white potatoes, hoping to obtain high prices this spring, are unable to find any demand for the tubers, and in order to realize a little something for them are now forced to sell at 25 cents per bushel or allow them to rot. Many growers refusing to accept the offer made by the brokers, are feeding them to their cattle and hogs.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS LOST TO DELAWARE FRUIT GROWERS

UNEMPLOYMENT BEING REDUCED IN DELAWARE

Resumption of work in many directions in Lower Delaware has become noticeable and the unemployed are becoming scarcer. Work has been started on the concrete highways and over 60 miles are now under construction. The Milford Shipyards are now working full time, notwithstanding the fact that they have materially reduced wages. The timber business is picking up, one firm at Milton turning out 1,000 railroad ties a week, with orders which will keep it busy until next year. The Milton Crate and Box Factory has received several large orders and is now running full time after a shutdown, of several months. Wages throughout Lower Delaware have been cut on an average of 20 per cent.

JR. O. U. A. M. TO HAVE BIG CARNIVAL AT DELMAR

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics, No. 6, of Delmar have just signed up with Mr. E. D. Boswell, the general agent of the James M. Binson Shows, to exhibit their attractions in the city of Delmar for one week, beginning April 25. This show comes highly recommended. They carry their equipment on a train of fifteen cars, consisting of flats, diners, coaches and sleeping cars. This is the first time this show has been in this section and it is one of the largest of its kind on the road. The order seems very much pleased in having such an attraction to come to Delmar to show for their benefit.

ENTERTAINING PROGRAM AT NEW CENTURY CLUB

Mrs. J. Fred Stevens Arranged Interesting Program For Regular Meeting on Tuesday.

On Tuesday afternoon, March 29, the New Century Club of Delmar held its regular meeting in the club room. As the president, Mrs. H. D. Renning, was at the bedside of her sick daughter, the first vice president, Mrs. Arthur Brewington, presided over the business meeting with dignity. Our faithful secretary's vacant chair was ably filled by Miss Elsie Hearn. Mrs. J. Fred Stevens arranged the following entertaining program: Singing—"Onward Christian Soldiers," by A. S. Sullivan-The Club. Accompanist, Miss Elsie Hearn. Piano Solo—"Venelean Love Song," by Ethelbert Nevin—Miss Elsie Hearn. A Paper—"Evolution of the Modern House," written by Mrs. James Brayshaw, read by Mrs. H. E. Locates. Vocal Solo—"O Dry Those Tears," by Teresa Del Riego—Miss Catherine Hearn. Accompanist, Mrs. J. Fred Stevens. Vocal Solo—"Just A Thinkin' O'You," by J. Will Callahan, music by Blanche M. Tire—Miss Lydia Wilson. Accompanist, Mrs. J. Fred Stevens.

April 12—Tree Planting. The club members are requested to be at the club room promptly at 2.30 P. M. After a short business meeting, the club members will go in a body to the grounds, where Mrs. G. Hall Riggan and her assistants will conduct the ceremony of tree planting.

PARKER-VAUGHN WEDDING.

The home of Capt. and Mrs. W. G. Vaughn, of Rockawalkin, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Thursday evening, when their daughter, Gladys Irene, became the bride of Mr. Wm. Stanford Parker, youngest son of Mrs. W. H. Parker, a prosperous farmer on the Rockawalkin road. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. S. Van Blunk, pastor of Rockawalkin M. E. Church. Miss Beulah White, of Siloam was bride's maid, while Mr. Ellwood Williams, of Salisbury, acted as best man. A bounteous repast was served the large number of guests.

COUNTY LEVY COURT HELPS GEORGETOWN FIRE COMPANY

The Sussex County Levy Court has made an appropriation of \$500 to the Georgetown Fire Company, to be applied to the fund for the purchase of an auto fire truck, with the understanding that said sum does not exceed one-tenth of the cost of the truck.

Winter Flare-Back Last Week Plays Havoc In Delaware Fruit Sections.

APPLE MEN HAD PLANNED HUGE CROPS

Reports From All Sections of State Are Pessimistic—Damage Will Range From One and One-Half To Two Million Dollars—Kent and Sussex Counties Are Hard Hit.

Various estimates made by prominent fruit growers throughout the State, all indicate that the prospects of a bumper fruit crop in Delaware were blighted on Monday night of last week when the temperature dropped to 26 degrees, and ice formed to the thickness of over half an inch. While the exact damage will not be ascertained for several days, preliminary examinations of orchards in all parts of the three counties indicate that the damage will range from one and one-half to two million dollars. While the estimates differ as to the monetary value of the loss sustained by fruit growers, all agree that the fruit crop is almost destroyed.

Orchards in Kent county, and especially in that section in the immediate vicinity of Dover, Wyoming, Rising Sun and Magnolia, seem to have been the hardest hit. Reports from that section all agree that the trees were almost all damaged by the ice and frost. The later the report received, the greater seems to have been the damage.

According to Dr. C. A. McGee, chief of the experimental station at the University of Delaware, the fruit crop in Delaware this year was estimated to be worth three million dollars. He said that the growers had made efforts to make this year's apple crop the largest in the history of the Diamond State and that an accurate estimate could not be made as yet, as that all depended upon the temperature Tuesday night. If it remained cold, or the temperature fell, the fruit crop in the State would be a total loss for this year. Frost formed on Tuesday night and it is safe to say that it completed the damage already started.

Strawberries in some sections were reported killed, in other section the plants were reported not far enough advanced for the frost to reach them. Garden truck generally was in this stage of its growth.

In Sussex and Kent counties the growers consider the peach and apple their money crop and these have been about 90 per cent damaged. It is said the year would be a total loss to the farmers in these two counties. Some little hope is held for apples, however, as some were not far advanced, and it is possible that the buds were not killed.

Later reports from orchardists in lower Sussex county to the Farm Bureau at Georgetown, found that early reports had been entirely too optimistic, and that despite the heavy winds of Monday night the rain had frozen in the blossoms of the fruit. Agents of the big commercial orchards reported late Tuesday afternoon that peaches were entirely killed as were the pears, but that early apples were about ninety per cent killed and late apples about eighty per cent killed. Strawberries suffered but little damage. These reports were official.

Reports from Laurel say that fruit trees and small fruits were damaged beyond all hopes. The amount of the damage cannot be estimated at this time but the opinion of the farmers and fruit growers is that the entire crop is killed.

A short fruit or crop year means the throwing out of employment persons who depend on picking fruit and working in the crops to make a livelihood. The basket factories of this section will be obliged to close, as there will not be a sale for the fruit carriers.

MISS HELEN ELLIS GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise party was given Miss Helen Ellis at her home on East Ellaketh street, last Wednesday in honor of her 12th birthday. Those present were: Misses Paula Ellis, Ada Elliott, Alice Lowe, Catherine Phillips, Mildred Ellis, Belvia Sullivan, Margaret Harris, Dora Mills, Thers Griffin, Elizabeth Morris, Minnie and Helen Ellis. Refreshments were served after which the guests departed for their home wishing their hostess many more happy birthdays.

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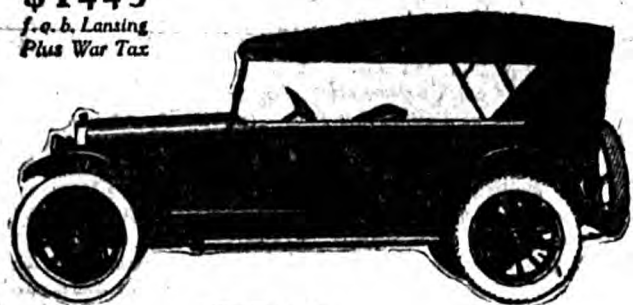
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TO STUDY MARKETING METHODS IN EUROPE

Dr. Symons Sails Abroad and Will Closely Investigate Co-operative Systems in Vogue There.

Dr. Thomas B. Symons, director of the University of Maryland Extension Service, sailed from New York on Friday for Plymouth, England. He was accompanied by Mrs. Symons and will spend four months visiting the leading countries of Europe.

While Dr. Symons is going abroad primarily for a needed rest and a complete change of environment, he expects to be able to undertake first hand investigations of European co-operative marketing as applied to agricultural products and the various forms of co-operative organization among farmers, the results of which should be of immense value to the agricultural interests of Maryland.

He has been commissioned by the president of the University of Maryland and the State Board of Agriculture, as a representative of the agricultural interests of Maryland, and has received a special commission from the Secretary of Agriculture which will give him official recognition in many of the countries of Europe and open up sources of information on practically all agricultural subjects.

In addition to co-operative marketing, Dr. Symons will study methods of distribution, transportation and grading in vogue in those countries where fairly normal conditions have been restored, viewing these conditions both from the standpoint of the producer and consumer in an effort to secure constructive ideas which may be adapted to the rapidly expanding co-operative movement in this State.

During his stay in England, Dr. Symons will pay some attention to the apple market in an effort to ascertain the demands of the English consumer and the methods employed in handling American grown fruit. His efforts in this connection will be directed toward gathering information which will aid the Maryland grower in preparing his fruit for export, a considerable quantity of which is now finding sale in England.

In France and Holland and probably in other countries of central Europe, Dr. Symons will make an inquiry into the conditions of the tobacco market with particular reference to the use of the Maryland-grown product which has been in favor in many foreign countries for years.

Dr. Symons has long been in touch with the agricultural interests of Maryland and is thoroughly conversant with every phase of the situation. His investigations abroad will have a direct bearing on co-operative marketing in this State and on the general conduct of agricultural affairs and it is expected that the information which he will collect will be of distinct value to the agricultural welfare of the State.

Dr. F. B. Bomberger, assistant director of the Extension Service, will be acting director in Dr. Symons' absence.

MARYLAND HIGH

WINS 7 TO 5

Another Highly Interesting Game Is Played In The Scholastic Series.

The Delmar Maryland High School met the Delaware High School in a hotly contested game on Monday, March 28, which resulted in a defeat for the Delaware team by a score of 7 to 5.

Both pitchers showed good form, but the Maryland boys, by great playing in the field, staved off defeat. The features of the game were the timely hitting of M. Powell and the fielding of R. Pusey.

The line-up was as follows: Maryland High—M. Powell, 1b; A. Powell, 2b; R. Cox, 3b; W. Truitt, 4b; R. Pusey, ss; T. Powell, cf; E. Smith, lf; C. Whayland, rf; T. Parker, p.

Delaware High—H. Culver, 1b; Jones, 2b; C. Marvel, 3b; J. Melson, cf; C. Lewis, ss; A. Crewcut, cf; W. Draper, lf; E. Phillips, rf; A. Baker, p.

The Delmar Maryland High School would like to hear from other High Schools and arrange for games in the near future. Those wishing to schedule games may correspond with Murdoch Powell, Delmar, Del.

ST. PETER'S VESPERYMEN ARE RE-ELECTED

At the annual election in St. Peter's P. E. Church, Easter Monday, all of the present officials of the church were re-elected for another year. These officers include F. W. C. Webb, senior warden; Herbert H. Hinch, junior warden; Messrs. B. H. Parker, Van-dalia Perry, E. Riall White, Wm. M. Cooper, Chas. J. Birkhead, J. Cleveland White, Wm. E. Booth and Arthur R. Leonard, board of vestry; E. Riall White and Wm. M. Cooper, treasurer. Mr. Cooper was also unanimously elected as delegate to the Diocesan Convention in Berlin on May 7.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Notices of changes in the Church Calendar must be at the News office not later than Tuesday morning, otherwise the calendar of the previous week will be repeated.

St. Peter's Church, Rev. Herbert D. Cone, Rector.

At St. Peter's Church next Sunday the rector will preach at the 11 A. M. service on "The Plant of Renown" and at 7:30 P. M. on "The Worship of the Golden Calf."

Presbyterian Church, Robert Alexander Boyle, Minister.

Morning, communion service; evening, "Post-Communion Thoughts." Preparatory, Friday, 7:30 P. M.; Rev. Dr. Reeves will preach.

Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church Joseph T. Heron, D. D. Pastor.

Preaching by the minister, Dr. Heron, at both services next Sunday. Morning subject, "Some Ideals For the New Conference Year." Evening subject, "An Unrecognized Companion."

Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church Broad Street, near Division Street, Rev. Richard L. Shipley.

Sunday School will be held at the usual hour, 9:30 A. M. There will be no other services during the day as the pastor is away attending the session of the Annual Conference. The members of the church and congregation are urged to join the congregations of the other churches in the city in the worship of God. Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening as usual.

Grace and Stengel M. E. Churches, Wm. P. Taylor, Pastor.

At Grace next Sunday the Sunday School will meet at the usual hour, 9:45 A. M.; preaching, 11 A. M. by Rev. Alfred Brewington; 2 P. M. class meeting; 6:45, Epworth League prayer meeting; 7:30 P. M., preaching by Rev. Mr. Brewington. At Stengel Sunday School, 2 P. M.; preaching, 3 P. M. by Rev. Alfred Brewington; Epworth League prayer meeting, 7:30 P. M.

St. Andrew's & Washington Church, Rev. J. H. Ainsworth, Pastor.

The pastor will preach at Washington Church in the morning and at St. Andrews in the evening. The subject of the sermon will be "Making Christianity Beautiful."

Quantico M. E. Church, J. M. S. Van Blunk, Pastor.

There will be preaching at Royal Oak Church Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m.; Green Hill Church, Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching at 3 p. m.; Quantico M. E. Church, preaching at 7:30 p. m. by pastor, Rev. H. J. Mason. Everybody welcome.

Division Street Baptist Church, H. Lloyd Parkinson, Pastor.

At the communion service last Sunday morning, eighteen new members were received into the Church, sixteen by baptism and two by letter. Sunday School, 10 A. M.; classes for all. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; topic, "The Christian's Pattern." Baptist Young People's Union, 7:15 P. M.; leader, Group No. 2, S. E. Little, captain. Evening service, 8 o'clock. Note change in hour from 7:30 until eight. Preaching by the pastor. We invite you to worship with us.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Thomas Rosser Reeves, Pastor.

At the morning service the rite of baptism will be administered to children. Parents desiring to dedicate their little ones to God will bring them to this service. This will be followed by the Holy Communion. In the evening Dr. Thomas Rosser Reeves will preach on "The Christian's Two Ways of Approach to Christ." Special musical numbers will be sung at both the morning and evening services, the same being a partial repetition of the Easter music.

Apostolic International Holiness Church, John A. Snyder, pastor:

Sunday services. Preaching 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M. and at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30; Mrs. Ada Short, superintendent. Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30; class meeting, Thursday, 7:30. All welcome.

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church, Rev. W. S. Knight, pastor.

Sunday Masses: at 8:00 and 10:30 a. m., week days; at 8:00 a. m. Sunday. Evening service, at 7:30 p. m.

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GEORGE L. LONG ENDORSED.

At a special meeting of the Delmar Democratic Club of Delmar District, Geo. L. Long was unanimously endorsed as a candidate for County Commissioner for Wicomico county from this district.

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SYNOPSIS

PROLOGUE

In the little town of Glitchopolis small Dan Felling dreams boyish dreams, tinged with melancholy over his supposed physical weakness. There, years later, he meets Darnley.

BOOK I—REPRIATION.

CHAPTER I.—Warned by his physician that he has not more than six months to live, Felling sits despondently on a park bench, wondering where he should spend those six months. A friendly squirrel practically decides the matter for him. His blood is pioneer blood, and he decides to end his days in the forests of Oregon. Memories of his grandfather and a deep love for all things of the wild help him in reaching a decision.

CHAPTER II.—In a large southern Oregon city he meets people who had known and loved his grandfather, a famous frontiersman. He makes his home with Silas Lennox, a typical westerner. The only other members of the household are Lennox's son, "Bill," and daughter, "Snowbird." Their abode is many miles from "civilization." In the Umpqua divide, and there Felling plans to live out the short span of life which he has been told. His extreme weakness in the face of even a slight exertion convinces him that the doctor had made a correct diagnosis of his case.

CHAPTER III.—From the first Felling's health shows a marked improvement, and in the company of Lennox and his son and daughter he fits into the woods life as if he had been born to it. By quick thinking and a remarkable display of "nerve" he saves Lennox's life and his own when they are attacked by a mad coyote. Lennox declares he is a reincarnation of his grandfather, Dan Felling I, whose fame as a woodsman is a household word.

BOOK TWO—THE DEBT.

CHAPTER I.—Dan, now thoroughly proficient in woods lore, learns from Lennox that an organized band of outlaws, of which Bert Cranston is the leader, is making trouble in the vicinity. Lennox, however, overlooks the fact that Hilbreth, a former member of the gang, has been induced to turn state's evidence. On his way to the city Hilbreth is waylaid by Cranston, shot, and left for dead. Cranston, however, overlooked the fact that Hilbreth might have documentary evidence on his person, and is satisfied that his enemy will never reach the city to tell what he knows of the operations of the gang.

CHAPTER II.—A cougar, on a personal hunting expedition, finds Hilbreth in a thicket, where he had crawled after being shot by Cranston. The cougar finished Cranston's work, and is striking down man becomes a forest outlaw. Felling, on his way home from a visit to "Snowbird's" lookout station, comes upon Cranston in the act of starting a forest fire. The men quarrel and fight. Felling is no match for the sturdy mountaineer, and is saved from death only by the intervention of "Snowbird," who drives the outlaw from his victim by threatening him with a revolver.

CHAPTER III

Dan Felling was really not badly hurt. The quick, slashing blows had not done more than severely bruise the flesh of his face; and the mists of unconsciousness that had been falling over him were more nearly the result of his own tremendous physical exertion. Now these mists were rising. "Go away," the girl was commanding. "I think you've killed him." Dan opened his eyes to find her kneeling close beside him, but still covering Cranston with her pistol. Her hand was resting on his bruised cheek. He couldn't have believed that a human face could be as white, while life still remained, as hers was then. All the lovely tints that had been such a delight to him, the play of soft reds and browns, had faded as an after-glow fades on the snow.

Dan's glance moved with hers to Cranston. He was standing easily at a distance of a dozen feet; and except for the faintest tremble all over his body, a muscular reaction from the violence of his passion, he had entirely regained his self-composure. This was quite characteristic of the mountaineers. They share with the beasts a passion of living that is wholly unknown on the plains; but yet they have a certain quality of imperturbability known nowhere else. Nor is it limited to the native-born mountaineers. No man who intimately knows a member of that curious, keen-eyed little army of naturalists and big-game hunters who go to the north woods every fall, as regularly and seemingly as inexorably as the waterfowl go in spring, can doubt this fact. They seem to have acquired from the silence and the snows an impregnation of that eternal calm and imperturbability that is the wilderness itself. Cranston wasn't in the least afraid. Fear is usually a matter of uncertainty, and he knew exactly where he stood.

It is extremely doubtful if a plainsman would have possessed this knowledge. But a plainsman has not the knowledge of life itself that the mountaineer has, simply because he does not see it in the raw. And he has not half the intimate knowledge of death, an absolute requisite of self-composure. The mountaineer knows life in its simple phases with little tradition or convention to blur the vision. Death is a very intimate acquaintance that may be met in any snowdrift, on any rocky trail; and these conditions are very deeply to any delusions that are in regard to himself. He ac-

quired an ability to see just where he stands, and of course that means self-possession. This quality had something to do with the remarkable record that the mountain men, such as that magnificent warrior from Tennessee, made in the late war.

Cranston knew exactly what Snowbird would do. Although of a higher order, she was a mountain creature, even as himself. She meant exactly what she said. If he hadn't climbed from Dan's prone body, she would have shot quickly and very straight. If he tried to attack either of them now, her finger would press back before he could blink an eye, and she wouldn't weep any hysterical tears over his dead body. If he kept his distance, she wouldn't shoot at all. He meant to keep his distance. But he did know that he could insult her without danger to himself. And by now his lips had acquired their old curl of scorn.

"I'll go, Snowbird," he said. "I'll leave you with your sissy. But I guess



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you saw what I did to him—in two minutes."

"I saw. But you must remember he's sick. Now go."

"If he's sick, let him stay in bed—and have a wet nurse. Maybe you can be that."

The lids drooped halfway over her gray eyes, and the slim finger curled more tightly about the trigger. "Oh, I wish I could shoot you, Bert!" she said. She didn't whisper it, or hiss it, or hurt it, or do any of the things most people are supposed to do in moments of violent emotion. She simply said it, and her meaning was all the clearer.

"But you can't. And I'll pound that milk-sop of yours to a jelly every time I see him. I'd think, Snowbird, that you'd want a man."

He started up the trail; and then she did a strange thing. "He's more of a man than you are, right now, Bert," she told him. "He'll prove it some day." Then her arm went about Dan's neck and lifted his head upon her breast; and in Cranston's plain sight, she bent and kissed him, softly, on the lips.

Cranston's answer was an oath. It dripped from his lips, more poisonous, more malicious than the venom of a snake. His features seemed to tighten, the dark lips drew away from his teeth. No words could have made him such an effective answer as this little action of hers. And as he turned up the trail, he called down to her a name—that most dreadful epithet that foul tongues have always used to women held in greatest scorn.

Dan struggled in her arms. The kiss on his lips, the instant before, had not called him out of his half-consciousness. It had scarcely seemed real, rather just an incident in a blissful dream. But the word called down the trail shot out clear and vivid from the silence, just as a physician's face, will often leap from the darkness after the anesthesia. Something infinitely warm and tender was holding him, pressing him back against a holy place that throbbled and gave him life and strength; but he knew that this word had to be answered. And only actions, not other words, could be its payment. All the voices of his body called to him to be still, but the voices of the spirit, those higher, nobler promptings from which no man, to the glory of the breed from which he sprang, can ever quite escape, were stronger yet. He tugged upward, straining. But he didn't even have the strength to break the hold that the soft arm had about his neck.

"Oh, if I could only pull the trigger!" she was crying. "If I could only kill him—"

"Let me," he pleaded. "Give me the pistol. I'll kill him—"

And he would. There was no flinching in the gray eyes that looked up to her. She leaned forward, as if to put the weapon in his hands, but at once drew it back. And then a single sob caught at her throat. An instant later they heard Cranston's laughter as he vanished around the turn of the trail.

For long minutes the two of them were still. The girl still held the man's head upon her breast. The pistol had fallen in the pine needles, and her nervous hand plucked strangely at the leaves of a mountain flower. To Dan's eyes, there was something transitive, a hint of paralysis and insensibility about her posture. He had never seen her eyes like this. The light that he had always beheld in them had vanished. Their utter darkness startled him.

He sat up straight, and her arm that had been about his neck felt at her side. He took her hand firmly to his, and their eyes met.

"We must go home, Snowbird," he told her simply. "I'm not so badly hurt but that I can make it."

She nodded; but otherwise scarcely seemed to hear. Her eyes still flowed with darkness. And then, before his own eyes, their dark pupils began to contract. The hand he held filled and throbbled with life, and the fingers closed around his. She leaned toward him.

"Listen, Dan," she said quickly. "You heard—didn't you—the last thing that he said?"

"I couldn't help but hear, Snowbird."

Her other hand sought for his. "Then if you heard—payment must be made. You see what I mean, Dan. Maybe you can't see, knowing the girls that live on the plains. You were the cause of his saying it, and you must answer—"

It seemed to Dan that some stern code of the hills, unwritten except in the hearts of their children, inexorable as night, was speaking through her lips. This was no personal thing. In some dim, half-understood way, it went back to the basic code of life. "People must fight their own fights, up here," she told him. "The laws of the courts that the plains people can appeal to are all too far away. There's no one that can do it, except you. Not my father. My father can't fight your battles here, if your honor is going to stand. It's up to you, Dan. You can't pretend that you didn't hear him. So as you are, weak and sick to be beaten to a pulp in two minutes, you alone will have to make him answer for it. I came to your aid—and now you must come to mine."

Her fingers no longer clasped his. Strength had come back to him, and his fingers closed down until the blood went out of hers, but she was wholly unconscious of the pain. In reality, she was conscious of nothing except the growing flame in his face. It held her eyes in passionate fascination. His pupils were contracting to little bright dots in the gray irises. The jaw was setting, as she had never seen it before.

"Do you think, Snowbird, that you'd even have to ask me?" he demanded. "Don't you think I understand? And it won't be in your defense—only my own duty."

"But he is so strong—and you are so weak—"

"I won't be so weak forever. I never really cared much about living before. I'll try now, and you'll see—oh, Snowbird, wait and trust me: I understand everything. It's my own fight—when you kissed me, and I cried down that word in anger and jealousy, it put the whole thing on me. No one else can make him answer; no one else has the right. It's my honor, or one else's, that stands or falls."

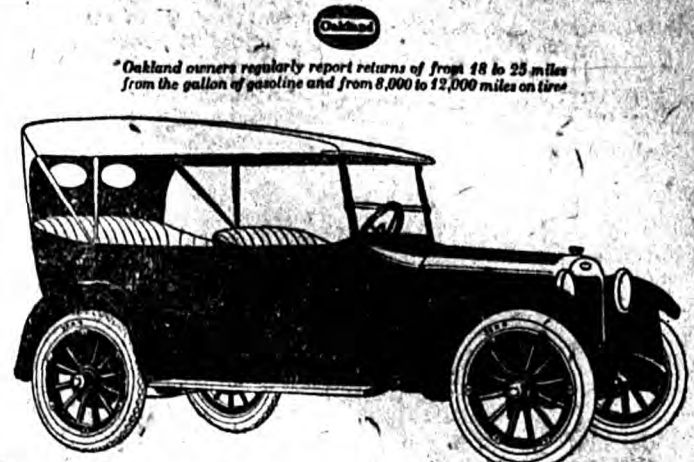
He lifted her hand to his lips and kissed it again and again.

And for the first time he saw the tears gathering in her dark eyes. "But you fought here, didn't you, Dan?" she asked with painful slowness. "You didn't put up your arms—or try to run away? I didn't come till he had you done, so I didn't see." She looked at him as if her whole joy of life hung on his answer.

"Fought? I would have fought till I died! But that isn't enough, Snowbird. It isn't enough just to fight, in a case like this. A man's got to win! I would have died if you hadn't come. And that's another debt that I have to pay—only that debt I owe to you."

She nodded slowly. The lives of the mountain men are not saved by their women without incurring obligation. She attempted no barren details. She made no effort to pretend he had not incurred a tremendous debt when she had come with her pistol. It was an undoubted fact. A life for a life is the code of the mountains.

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that savings accounts have increased in the industrial sections, however, would seem to indicate that in such districts wage and salary reductions have not been as great as the reductions in the prices of commodities and that therefore, fortunately, the decrease in wages has not necessitated a lowering of the standard of living.

"Except in New England and the Rocky Mountain States building operations are increasing. This increase, however, is nowhere sufficient to meet the demand and in every part of the country there is a need for low priced dwellings. But sentiment is not favorable to building at present prices, and until costs fall to materially lower levels, the unfavorable attitude toward building operations on a wider scale will continue.

Credit Situation Better.

"The credit situation is improved. Interest rates range from six to eight per cent for the country as a whole, but banking funds are reported available by every section except the South and Rocky Mountain regions. It should be noted in this connection that Federal Reserve banks in the South and West have practically ceased rediscounting with banks in the Northeast. Corporate balances everywhere are reported to have decreased, and this is one of the unfavorable aspects of the present situation. Yet it can be partly explained by the fact that the growing purchasing power of the dollar permits a reduction in the size of such accounts.

"The crop outlook is stated to be good everywhere. Except in the Central West and on the Pacific Coast, farmers are reported to be reducing their acreage. But this must be taken with reservations. Such statements are always common at this time and frequently turn out to be incorrect. It may be, too, that in certain areas farmers are shifting their operations and working back to a more balanced agriculture.

"The reports from some agricultural sections of farm labor shortage also may need interpretation. In not a few cases a report of a shortage may mean that the employers cannot get labor at their own price; and it is significant that outside of the farming communities in the industrial sections, the reasons assigned for the reported

acreage reductions are low prices of farm products, rather than shortage of money.

"A demand for farms by renters is observed in Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and in the South Atlantic and Pacific States. Western and Southern farmers are reported to be withholding payment of bills and the condition of the cattle and sheep raisers in Kansas, Nebraska and the Rocky Mountain districts, where there is a congestion in wool, is reported to be poor.

"Nowhere is there a noticeable movement of men to the farms from the industrial centers. But this is not abnormal or necessarily undesirable. After all, farming must pay, and in the long run there will be as many engaged in farming as will produce the commodities which the consuming public will buy at a profitable price.

"The housing shortage leads as the most important legal question in the hundreds of communities covered by the Fidelity and Deposit Company's reports. Unemployment is second and taxation third. Sections which report a noticeable increase in crime since last September are the Middle West, Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast States.

Taxation Big Question.

"The big national question, according to the Survey is taxation, with peace settlement and international trade conditions next. Taxation is uppermost in the minds of the average man. The country is opposed to the present tax system, and is becoming increasingly impatient for change.

"In its reflection of the attitude of business men generally toward the highly technical questions of tariff and other forms of raising revenue, the survey has perhaps its greatest significance to me. It indicates that as a whole we are talking of legislative, and other means of stimulating the return to normal conditions without clearly understanding the fundamental economic questions involved—with-out accurately defining the terms used. It may be doubted whether those who answer the questions concerning tariff and domestic taxation had an opportunity to give the subjects the requisite investigation and consideration.

"According to the survey many business men and the Western farming interests desire a higher tariff on European commodities. Yet it is difficult to see how, now that we have a large surplus to export and are seeking foreign markets—now that Europe is indebted to us for large and increasing sums—this nation can profit

from a higher tariff or desire it; especially when its chief competitor, Europe, is sadly stricken and will take years to recover.

"In the field of domestic taxation, the survey reports that the country is unanimously in favor of the repeal of the Excess Profits Tax. This tax should be repealed. It is difficult of administration; it is cluttering up the administration of the Government's tax laws; it does not work equitably as among businesses; and its yield is decreasing.

Survey Favors Sales Tax.

"Obviously a sales tax, reported by the survey to be universally recommended, would be no substitute for an Excess Profits Tax. The Excess Profits Tax falls on corporations. The Sales Tax would, without much question, be paid by consumers. If it is proposed to abolish all profits taxes, and to raise the revenue needed through sales taxes, then we should run into this equally great difficulty, that whereas now about twenty-one per cent of our Federal taxes are consumption taxes, then perhaps fifty per cent would be consumption taxes. No student of taxation could or would defend making consumption the basis

for such a percentage of our Federal revenue.

"It is astonishing that there should have been a unanimous expression in this survey in favor of a rebate on the Federal income and other taxes. I do not believe that any authority on taxation or public finance would for a moment countenance this proposition. The relief sought can and should be secured along the lines of economy in expenditure, and reform of taxation under the most expert guidance that can be obtained, coupled with a genuine and thorough-going budget system."

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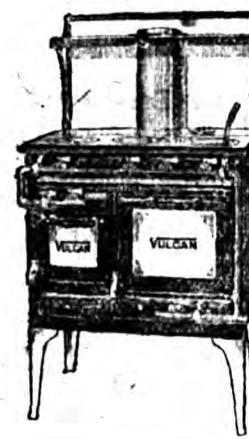
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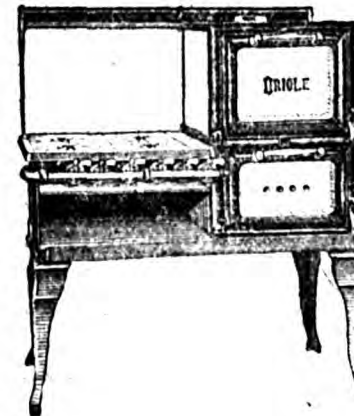
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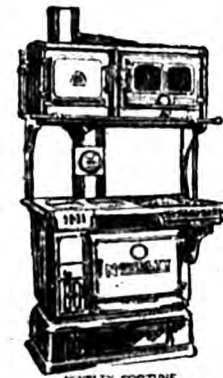


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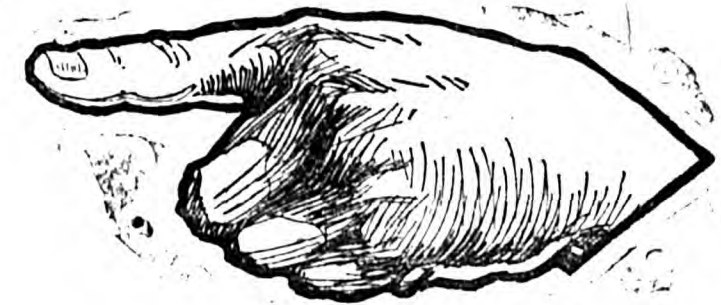
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Mr. Burroughs spent the winter in California and had been ill for several weeks. He was chafing continually to return home and he was thought strong enough to undertake the journey so that his wish for a birthday celebration might be fulfilled.

His physician, Dr. Clara Bennett, his grand daughter, Ursula Burroughs, and the Misses Elinor and Harriet Burroughs were with him when he died. The end came suddenly, due apparently to heart failure, shortly after Mr. Burroughs had asked, "How near home are we?"

Was Born On A Farm.

John Burroughs dated his birth, a little before the day the wake-robin, one of his favorite owls, showed itself. He was born on a farm in Roxbury, N. Y., April 3, 1837, coming, as he said, from "an uncultivated and unreading class," and growing up amid surroundings least calculated to awaken the literary faculty.

There were nine children in the Burroughs family, and "Johnny," as the neighbors called him, had to make his own way in the world and do his share of farm labor. First, he went to the schoolhouse across the valley from the Burroughs homestead. He worked on the farm, saving his money and attending for brief periods in turn the Reading Literary Institute at Ashland, and a pretentious seminary in Cooperstown. Then his student days closed and he journeyed to Illinois on borrowed capital. Near Freeport he found a school that employed him at \$40 a month, but he did not stay there long. He came back East and married Ursula North on September 13, 1857.

Boyhood Friend Of Jay Gould.

Mr. Burroughs taught for several years, and at twenty-five had charge of a school near West Point. While there he read one of Audubon's books, and this led him to investigate birds, animals, trees and flowers in a way he had never done before. To be sure, he had taken a passing interest in nature, and had even made notes as a boy, but now he became a trained observer, going to the woods with new interest and the desire to write upon topics of outdoor life.

Jay Gould and John Burroughs were friends in boyhood, although their roads lay far apart. The material in life attracted Gould, and he accumulated great wealth, while Burroughs regarded mental achievement as his ideal, and was content with a small portion of worldly goods. Put it was necessary for John Burroughs to try his hand at finance before he could settle down to the life of a naturalist and philosopher. The Civil War attracted him to Washington and he joined the clerical staff of the Treasury Department, his principal duty being to guard a vault and keep a record of the money that went in and out. It was not arduous work. Mr. Burroughs had many leisure moments at his disposal, and in the sombre atmosphere of the Treasury vault he composed the essays which made his first book—"Wake-Robin."

Becomes Bank Receiver.

In 1878, after having spent nine years at his Treasury desk, Mr. Burroughs resigned to become receiver of a broken bank at Middletown, N. Y. He put the institution on a paying basis, and then took the post of bank examiner in the eastern part of the State.

All the while his longing to return to the soil increased, and as a preliminary step he bought a farm on the shore of the Hudson, near West Park, building a substantial house of field stone, and naming it "Riverby." Not until 1885 did he feel that he could give up his Government position with the assurance of a safe support. Then he retired to Riverby, to lead the simple routine of a vine dresser, to dream, to study, and to put his thoughts on paper.

After that Mr. Burroughs's life was one of leisurely contentment. To be sure, he was an industrious craftsman when the spirit moved him, but he never hurried, nor was he ever overtaken by the desire to obtain

wealth. A moderate competence sufficed him. In order to get away from conventionalities, he built a small bark-covered study at the edge of his vineyard, and here for several years he did much of his indoor thinking. Later he reclaimed a woodland swamp among the hills a mile or so from the river, and on a shoulder of rock raised a rustic house, sheathed with slabs, and having no trace of ornamentation within. This he named "Slabside."

His Methods Of Observation.

While staying at "Slabside" Mr. Burroughs made daily visits to the valley to lend a hand in the vineyard and to get his mail. These walks were often loitering excursions, for he always stopped to study anything interesting that the birds or creatures were doing. A tramp with Mr. Burroughs was sufficient to stimulate one's dormant interest in nature. His eyes were keen; he had an acute sense of smell; the drone of insects and notes of birds carried their meaning to his ears, and he was able to act as interpreter for those who could not understand the language of wild life. In "A Year in the Fields," Mr. Burroughs tells how to arrive at true values in nature.

While Mr. Burroughs did much to popularize the study of outdoor life, he thought that nature study as a fad was wrong. "I've never approved of it in the schools, where they try to put nature on the blackboard," he said. "Take the children out and let their feet take root in the soil. Don't take thought of nature; take love of her. In the schoolroom the teachers make it dry. I never took much stock in biological studies in the colleges. They dissect a cat or dog to pieces and they think they know about it. I'll tell you, a child who has made a friend and companion of a dog knows more about dog's insides and outside than all the dissection in the world could find out about it." Regular exercise enabled Mr. Burroughs to keep himself fit. He belonged to what he called the "Order of Walkers."

Shunned The Cities.

One of Mr. Burroughs's close friends was John Muir, the Californian naturalist and discoverer of glaciers. They were known as John O'Birds and John O'Mountains, respectively. Muir, a Scotchman, was born a year after Burroughs, and although each sought the secrets of nature, their methods and field of research were totally different. Muir was a great traveller, an intrepid explorer, who would go 10,000 miles to view a glacier or satisfy himself about the height of some strange tree. Burroughs, on the other hand, was happier when at home, and he knew best the Catskill region, the district about his birthplace, and the Riverby country.

Both, however, were philosophers and shunned the cities. They went together on the Harriman expedition to Alaska, and Muir acted as Burroughs's guide on a trip through the Grand Canon and the Yosemite Valley. Burroughs also accompanied President Roosevelt on a camping expedition through the Yellowstone Park and wrote a book about his experiences.

Mr. Burroughs's writings were not confined to nature topics. He was a critical writer on phases of American literature, and in late years turned his attention to philosophic reflections, discussing scientific and religious topics from the viewpoint of the naturalist.

Among Mr. Burroughs's books were "Winter Sunshine," "Locusts and Wild Honey," "Fresh Fields," "Indoor Studies," "Bird and Poets, With Other Papers," "Pepacton and Other Sketches," "Signs and Seasons," "Riverby," "Whitman: A Study," "Literary Values," "Far and Near," "Ways of Nature," "Squirrels and Other Fur-Bearers" and "The Light of Day," which embodied religious discussions from the standpoint of a naturalist. His latest work was a collection of articles under the general title "Accepting the Universe."

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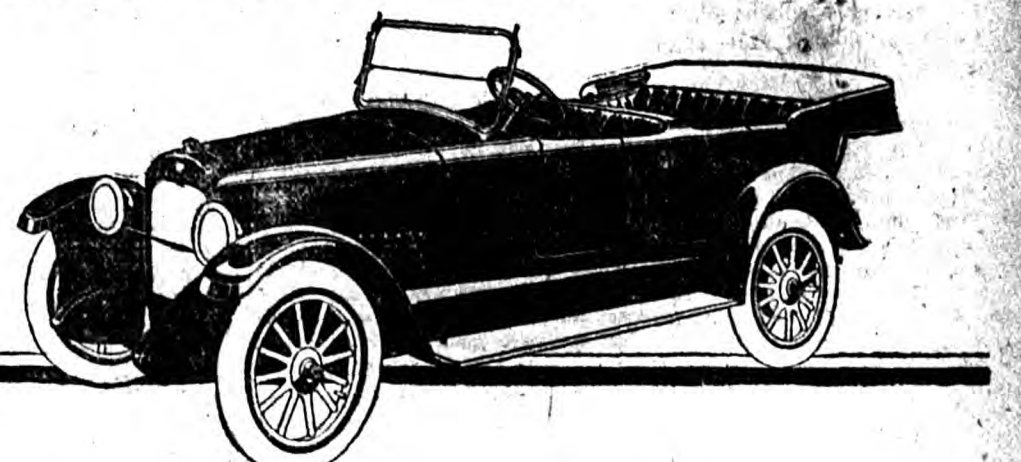
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May Oust Profiteers From Church. Pittsburgh. — A resolution under which "rent profiteers" would be ousted from the churches adopted by the Pittsburgh Baptist Ministers' Association was made public here. Unwarranted rent advances constitute an un-Christian "Phariseism," according to the resolution, which urged all Pittsburgh ministers "to combat gouging landlords, to take a

prominent part in community protests against these wrongs and to use the influence of their ministerial associations to prevent new burdens of greedy extortion being imposed upon the general public."

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tility.

The remark that "alfalfa will not
grow on the Eastern Sho'" is very
much out of date and erroneous, and
instances are too numerous where al-
falfa is doing well to allow any such
statement holding water, recently said
a prominent agriculturist of Wicomico
county. When a yield of 29 tons of
hay can be secured from about four
acres no excuses need be offered.

According to Schmitz, the best al-
falfa soils on the Eastern Shore are
the oyster shell soils along the water
fronts. It is not uncommon for a field
of this type of soil to last 8 or 10
years. Neither the light nor the dark
sandy soils will produce good yields
of alfalfa unless they are well drain-
ed, well limed and in a good state of
fertility.

Soil for alfalfa must be well drain-
ed as this is one crop that will not
stand wet feet. Land that is wet or
springy in the spring although dry
in the summer is not well drained so
far as alfalfa is concerned.

Alfalfa is a "lime lover" and will
not do well on land that is deficient in
this particular. The amount of lime
to apply will depend upon the amount
of acidity in the soil. Have the soil
tested for acidity by the State College
or County Agent.

Plow The Land Early.

The crop to precede alfalfa should
be one that will leave the soil in good
mechanical condition free from weeds
and well supplied with humus or or-
ganic matter. When potatoes are
grown they may be harvested early
enough to seed alfalfa and as potatoes
are usually well fertilized, well cul-
tivated and free from weeds they
make a good crop to precede alfalfa.
After the potatoes are dug the land

may be harrowed and rolled, or com-
pacted in some manner, and seeded.
Truck crops that are not dug leave
the land in such a condition that it is
almost necessary to plow before seed-
ing alfalfa.

Because of the liability of weeds
choking out the alfalfa the crop is
very often seeded about September
first instead of in the spring. The
land is plowed early, except when fol-
lowing some truck crop like potatoes,
and harrow for two or three weeks be-
fore seeding thus getting a good seed
bed well compacted. When seeded in
August it is absolutely necessary that
the seed bed be prepared in the above
manner so that moisture will be found
beneath the surface.

Many growers apply fertilizer be-
fore seeding, except when following
potatoes which have been well fertilized,
at the rate of 400 pounds acid
phosphate and 150 pounds of nitrate
of soda. On land lacking humus ma-
nure should be applied after plowing
and harrowed in. After the first year
a top dressing of manure or fertilizer
will produce profitable results.

Inoculation is necessary in many
cases and advisable in most every case
where alfalfa has not been grown to
any extent. One may use any of the
several methods advised such as the
soil method or commercial inoculation.

Suited To Eastern Sho'.

Alfalfa may be seeded with a grass
seed drill, grain drill with grass seed
drill attachment or one of the many
broadcast machines on the market.
Sow from 20 to 30 pounds per acre
depending on the method of sowing
and the state of the soil as a soil well
prepared and a favorable season
would require only 20 pounds. Amer-
ican grown seed has proved to be best
for Maryland conditions and seed
from Turkey, Arabia and Persia
are not suited to conditions here.
Seed may be bought from any alfalfa
state except the southern tier of Kan-
sas, Nebraska, Dakota, etc., produce
seed that seem suited to conditions on
the Eastern Shore.

Too many growers seem to feel that
after a stand of alfalfa has been ob-
tained the work is ended and they do
not take the proper care of it after
the first year. For the first year af-
ter seeding the crop will need very lit-
tle care but in following years it may
be necessary to apply a top dressing
of fine manure, put on with a manure
spreader to get even distribution, or
a fertilizer composed of nitrate of
soda, acid phosphate and a small
amount of potash. Very often the
crop will show up weak in the spring
and many growers will go into the
field with a harrow, then perhaps

spread some lime, reseed the bare
spots, apply about 150 pounds of ni-
trate of soda to get a more even
stand.

There are at present several differ-
ent machines for harrowing alfalfa
but any one that will loosen up the
soil around the plant take out the
weeds and not hurt the crowns will
fill the bill. If a disk harrow is used
care must be taken to have the disks
so that they will not tear out the
plants nor split the crowns. Con-
trary to general opinion the disk har-
row is not a desirable tool to use in
the cultivation of alfalfa but if the
disks are adjusted correctly and the
season is favorable the results may
justify the use of the disk harrow.

Harrow After Crop Cut.

Harrowing will not be necessary
except when weeds and grass make
their appearance. Experience has
shown that the best time to harrow
is after the crop is cut and if thor-
oughly done this harrowing will tend
to keep the weeds and grass down so
that the alfalfa may make its best
growth.

The majority of failures with al-
falfa on the Eastern Shore may be
traced to a poorly prepared seed bed,
lack of lime and lack of care after the
seed has made a stand. Alfalfa must
have a well prepared seed bed and will
need cultivating manuring after the
first year in order to preserve a good
stand. Be careful that the manure used
does not contain weed seeds which will
tend to crowd out the main crop. Ap-
ply the manure evenly so that it will
act as a mulch as well as a top dress-
ing. Phosphoric acid applied at the
rate of 400 pounds per acre is all that
is necessary when manure is used.

The best general rule is to cut al-
falfa when it starts to bloom but at-
tention must be paid to the new shoots
starting from the base of the plants.
About the time the blossom starts
these shoots start out from the bottom
of the plant and the crop should be
cut before these basal shoots get tall
enough to be cut with the main crop.

After the first cutting the blossoms
will indicate the proper time to cut as
weather conditions may delay the
starting of the shoots at the base of
the plants.

Hay-Caps Are Desirable.

Alfalfa should be cured so that it
preserves as many of the leaves as
possible. It may be cut, allowed to
lie in the swath until wilted, then
raked up and raked until cured. Do
not let it dry too much in the swath
so that the leaves will be lost in hand-
ling. Growers using a side-delivery
rake, simply rake it up into windrows
and let it cure, then house it. If it
gets wet, it is turned over, spread out,
and then raked up into windrows.

Hay caps are very desirable for at
least part of the crop as the caps pre-
vent the hay getting wet from rain
or dew and prevent to a certain ex-
tent the bleaching of the hay which is
undesirable. New Jersey growers sum
up alfalfa as follows: Can be fed to
practically all classes of livestock;
very satisfactory hog pasture; will re-
place a number of very high protein
concentrates used in daily rations;
profitable cash crop; good cover crop;
can be used in a rotation of crops and
the market for alfalfa hay is good.

Bathers Must Dress Modestly.

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41 MORE JOIN ASSOCIATION AT PITTSVILLE

Wicomico Farmers Association Enrolled That Many At Last Friday's Meeting.

MR. IRVING CULVER NOW SALES MANAGER

Delmar Man Will Handle Sales End In Conjunction With Mr. Nock—Directors Are Elected For Willards, Mardela and Pittsville Divisions—Membership Drive Will Soon End.

At a most enthusiastic meeting of the Wicomico Farmers Association held in Pittsville last Friday night, forty-one new members were added to the organization's list of stockholders, which is said to be the greatest number yet enrolled at a single meeting, and all along the line word is being received that the growers are flocking to the co-operative standards in fine style.

Last Saturday afternoon the board of directors of the Association, at its meeting held in the Masonic Temple, this city, appointed a sales manager to assist Mr. H. A. Nock with the duties that will soon reach extensive proportions. Mr. Irving Culver, of Delmar, is the new appointee, and he brings to the association a wealth of experience in co-operative selling work that admirably fits him for the department which he will head.

Both Mr. Nock and Mr. Culver are well equipped to put the new association across with great success for the growers of Wicomico county, and it only remains now for all the growers to do their part by joining the co-operative body and by supporting it loyally at all times. By doing so, it is believed that the Wicomico Farmers Association will be able to do for the growers of this section what the Eastern Shore of Virginia Produce Exchange has accomplished for the growers of Northampton and Accomac counties in Virginia.

Three new directors were added to the directorate this week. They are: Mr. J. P. Wright, for Mardela division; Mr. L. A. Richardson, for Willards division; and Mr. L. W. Farlow, for Pittsville division. The Delmar division will elect its general director, its four associate local directors, agent and inspector, at an election to be held Friday night at the school house on the Maryland side. Other divisions will hold elections in the very near future, or just as soon as arrangements can be made for the meetings.

Mr. Nock stated today that interest in the association is increasing rapidly each day, but that the membership drive must soon be dropped as the shipping season is rapidly approaching and in a short while that end of the business will require the entire time and attention of the organization's officials. Therefore, he earnestly solicits the hearty and immediate co-operation of all growers who intend to avail themselves of the benefits and privileges of the association this season. If they will join at the earliest possible moment, he said, the association's officials will be able to plan all the more intelligently for the best interests of all concerned.

DR. COOK TO LECTURE HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Dr. Albert Cook, State Superintendent of Schools, will deliver an interesting address in the Court House on Thursday evening, April 14, his subject being "Relation of Schools to Business." He comes to Salisbury upon the invitation of the local Chamber of Commerce, and is the first of a number of prominent speakers who will be invited here from time to time by the local chamber to deliver talks. Thursday night's lecture is free, and everybody is invited to be in attendance.

PNEUMONIA DEVELOPS AFTER HIKE IN NIGHT ATTIRE

Virgil Smith, who shot and killed his cousin at a dance near Parsonsburg a short time ago, and who walked ten miles to his home while dressed in his night clothes and in bare feet, after escaping from the hospital here, is back at Peninsula Hospital suffering from double pneumonia as a result of exposure sustained in his early morning walk. He was removed from the jail last week as soon as pneumonia developed, and at the time of going to press it was said that his condition was very critical.

HE REJECTS LEAGUE OF NATIONS



WARREN G. HARDING

DEDICATION SERVICES WILL BE HELD AT "Y" BUILDING SUNDAY

All Ministers in City Asked To Take Part In Event—Association Will Conduct Religious Services At Industrial Plants Twice A Week.

To officially commemorate the opening of the local Young Men's Christian Association, Dedication Services will be held in the auditorium of the new home at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. All ministers of the city have been asked to participate in the services, and the public generally is invited to attend.

Dr. Thos. Rosser Reeves, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, South, and Mr. Walter B. Miller will deliver the addresses. An attractive musical program also has been arranged, and the soloists will be Miss Mildred Matthews, soprano, and Mr. William A. Sheppard, baritone.

The new "Y" building, which formerly was used by the Salisbury Young Men's Association, was officially opened last Wednesday for Y. M. C. A. activities, and already a large number of both men and boys have availed themselves of the opportunity to make use of the privileges which the "Y" affords.

Mr. R. W. Hammerslough, new secretary of the local "Y," stated today that a part of the Association's program consists of religious meetings which will be held twice every week at the different industrial plants located throughout the city. Plans now are being arranged to conduct the first of these meetings within a few days, and they will take place on Thursdays and Fridays of every week thereafter.

The meetings will be held during the lunch hour, beginning at 12:30 and lasting until 1 o'clock on each occasion. Local ministers will be the speakers at the various meetings, and special music will be arranged for each day.

Mr. Hammerslough further stated that a special department in the "Y" building is being fitted up for the younger boys in the room on the second floor formerly known as the Game Room. Many boys already have voluntarily taken out membership in the association, said Mr. Hammerslough, and everything is being done to help promote their enjoyment of the "Y" work.

Other innovations, too, have been made, he said, and the room which was formerly used as an office for the secretary will in future be known as the Public Committee Room. The Association officially extends, said Mr. Hammerslough, an offer for the use of this room by all civic and church organization committees. The only requirement is that the secretary of the Y.M.C.A. be notified in advance when it is desired to make use of it.

While the "Y" building will be closed on Sundays, it was stated that upon those occasions when meetings are held therein on the Sabbath Day, the reading room will be open that afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. During week-days, the building will be open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M.

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That the local announcement of this sale was made exclusively in the advertising columns of The News last week proves conclusively the drawing power of this paper as an advertising medium, and we naturally are highly pleased with the part that The News played in helping to put the sale across in big time.

As a matter of fact, the sale was so largely attended that many persons were disappointed in not being able to purchase a piece of the ware, and in order that everyone may have an opportunity to participate in it, the company has announced that it will hold a similar sale within the near future. The date when the second big event will be put "over the top" will be made known in the company's advertisement shortly.

Last Friday's sale was started at 9:30 A. M., and at exactly 9:58 A. M., the last piece of ware had been tucked away in the yawning shopping bags—and The News' columns were used to make announcement of the sale! Think it over, Mr. Advertiser.

Two Years In House Correction For Farlow

Judge Jones Imposes Sentence On Negro For Carrying Concealed Weapons.

Charlie Farlow, the colored man who was arrested here last Saturday week after he had given an alleged revolver display on the city streets, was sentenced to serve two years in the House of Correction by Judge Jones when the negro appeared before him to answer to the charge of carrying concealed weapons. His brother, Wash Farlow, was fined \$14.75 by Judge Jones for disorderly conduct alleged to have been indulged in at the time of Charlie's arrest.

Timothy Flaherty, 19 years old, who claims Boston as his home, and George Smith Creese, 16 years old, formerly of Salisbury, were arrested early last Saturday morning by Officer Cahall, of the local force, and are being held here awaiting disposition of their cases by the local officials. Creese, it is said, is wanted for an offense alleged to have been committed some time ago, while Flaherty, it is said, is being held on a charge of vagrancy.

Officer Cahall discovered the youths in the rear of the Farmers and Merchants Bank building about 2:20 A. M. Saturday. They are said to have been hiding behind the large billboard in that vicinity and when questioned about their presence are alleged to have replied that they were seeking refuge there in order to keep out of the rain. The officer stated that they were carrying a flashlight and a small jimmy, so he took them in tow and locked 'em up.

INCREASE FOR TEACHERS NOW UP TO COUNTY

Commissioners Will Hold Meeting Tuesday To Consider Salary Question.

BOARD OF EDUCATION SUGGESTS THAT PLAN

At Special Meeting of Board It Also Is Decided To Rescind Former Resolution Regarding Including Purchase Price of Gordy Park in Next Year's Budget.

The Board of Education held a special meeting on Tuesday for the purpose of putting the final touches on the school budget for the next scholastic year. At this meeting also was considered the request from the Teachers' Association of Wicomico county for a raise in salaries of white teachers \$50 per year. This request came before the board two weeks or so ago, but was not favorably endorsed by the board until it was ascertained from the County Commissioners that they were in a position to add more than \$8,000 to the school budget next year. The Board of Education expressed itself as not opposed to the salary increase if the funds can be found without imposing extra tax burdens upon the taxpayers, and the board advised the Teachers' Association to wait upon the County Commissioners to hear upon their plea.

At Tuesday's meeting of the Board of Education a conference was held with the County Commissioners and the position of the board was made plain. It was agreed that the County Commissioners would hold a special meeting on Tuesday, April 19, beginning at 2 o'clock, P. M., to give opinion on the matter.

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RACE TRACK GAMBLING IS PLAYED HARD

Methodist Protestant Ministers at Annual Conference Strongly Urge Its Death-Knell

SESSIONS AT NEWARK ENDED MONDAY NIGHT

Brought To Close With Reading of Appointments—Rev. R. L. Shipley Will Return To Bethesda For Another Year—Dr. A. M. Ward Again To Head Western Md. College.

Legalized gambling at the Maryland race tracks was strongly denounced at the closing session of the Methodist Protestant Church held in Newark, N. J., and it was earnestly urged that voters in the church use their influence in helping elect candidates for the Legislature who are in favor of its elimination.

The Conference came to an end on Monday night with the reading of the appointments. Rev. R. L. Shipley was returned to Bethesda M. P. Church for another year; Rev. G. J. Hooker will return to the Pittsville charge, and Rev. C. P. Butler returns again to the Whaleyville charge. The appointments follow:

President—Western Maryland College—A. N. Ward.
Professor Western Maryland College—E. A. Warfield.
President Westminster Theological Seminary—H. L. Elderdice.
Editor Methodist Protestant—F. T. Benson.

Superintendent Church Extension—J. M. Sheridan.
Loaned—Women's Home Missionary Society—T. R. Woodford.
Chaplain United States Army—J. R. Wright.

Superannuates—J. W. Gray, A. W. Mather, W. D. Litsinger, J. L. Mills, W. M. Strayer, J. M. Hobbes, F. H. Mullineaux, E. T. Tagg, G. J. Sullivan, C. F. Faring, C. E. McCullough, W. M. Sherwood, J. L. Elderdice, G. S. Bacchus.

Request—E. L. Rice, W. P. Jump, Dorsey Blake.
Superannuates—G. A. Morris, Accomac, Va.—W. C. Mumford, Alexandria, Va.—Robert Browne, Amelia, W. Va.—V. A. Miller, Baltimore—Alnutt Memorial, Louis (Continued on Page 7.)

THE BEST SPRING TONIC



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO HOLD COMMERCIAL LIGHTING EXHIBIT

Expert From General Electric Co. Will Demonstrate Value Of Properly Lighting Stores And Other Business Places.

An affair that will be of tremendous importance and interest to every merchant and other commercial user of electricity in the city of Salisbury will be held here in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium on April 28. It is the commercial lighting exhibit of the Edison Lamp Works of the General Electric Company which will be held under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce both in the afternoon and evening of that day.

The exhibit is not in any measure intended as a sales talk, but is rather to demonstrate to the merchants and business men of this city the value of obtaining sufficient light for their stores and factories at a minimum of expense and a maximum of efficiency. A lecturer who will be a lighting expert from headquarters will be on hand at both sessions to demonstrate every point that may prove helpful to users of electricity in bettering their present schemes of lighting.

Conclusive demonstrations will be made showing the value of sufficient light, of light of the proper quality, of light properly controlled. Paraphenalia will be installed in the "Y" auditorium that will make the demonstration extremely effective. All varieties of lighting arrangements will be gone into thoroughly, and the onlookers will see demonstrated before their very eyes the practicability of using lighter backgrounds in order to obtain a maximum of lighting intensity.

This will be made doubly effective by showing the exact intensity of

light that is obtained from a white background, and, then, by using a black curtain to show how the darker background reduces light intensity. Foot candle meters will be installed at the various tables in the auditorium that will be accessible to all visitors when these experiments are conducted, and these visitors can see for themselves just how the various arrangements of lighting facilities reduce or increase intensity of light. The foot candle meter measures intensity of light in a manner similar to the measuring of heat by a thermometer.

By giving this exhibit the importance of quality instead of quantity in commercial lighting will be brought forcibly to the attention of those interested. How to eliminate the glare in lighting effects, color lighting, illumination with respect to color matching and to best arrangements for display windows, show-cases, etc., are only a few of the subjects that will be demonstrated at the exhibit.

It will be the first time that an exhibit of this kind has been given by the General Electric Company in this section, and Salisbury is fortunate indeed to have succeeded in having it come here. Since Jan. 17, exactly 14 of these exhibits have been held in larger cities, and in every city in which they have been held the benefits derived therefrom have been manifold. The afternoon session here will start at 3:30 o'clock while the evening exhibit will take place at 8 o'clock.

Wicomico Red Cross Serving The Public

Miss Kell, Public Health Nurse, Ready To Care For All Who May Need Her Services.

Miss Mary Kell, the new public health nurse employed by Wicomico Chapter, American Red Cross, already has several patients under her care, and it is the desire of the Nursing Committee of the local chapter that Miss Kell's services be utilized by all who may be in need of her assistance.

The best of care will be given to both sexes, to those of all ages and all nationalities and in all varieties of illnesses except the contagious diseases. All cases are attended to on the "visit" basis, the nurse calling at the home and giving the necessary care and attention daily, or as often as required, but not remaining except in cases of emergency. No one will be refused such assistance because of inability to pay, but a minimum fee of fifty cents will be charged those who are able to pay.

As soon as possible it is hoped to have clinics for pre-natal instruction and infant welfare work. Classes in home nursing will be formed wherever there seems to be a desire for them. In fact, the nursing committee expects to develop public health nursing to the point of greatest efficiency and service in this county. Miss Kell has been admirably trained for the work, and Wicomico county is especially fortunate in having secured her.

The committee in charge of the work consists of the following: Mrs. George R. Cobb, chairman; Miss Cora Gillis, Mrs. Lee Allen, Mrs. Calvert Estill, Dr. S. N. Pilchard, Mr. L. O. Taylor, Rev. H. D. Cone and Mr. J. M. Bennett.

"HOSPITAL DAY" HERE MAY 12TH

Will Be Celebrated All Over U.S. In Commemoration Birthday Florence Nightingale.

8,000 HOSPITALS TO MAKE DAY AUSPICIOUS

Local Citizens Are Asked To Help In Its Observance—They Are Invited To Visit Peninsula Hospital—Nurses Training School Commencement Will Be Held Same Day.

The Peninsula General Hospital will join with other progressive institutions throughout the United States in observance of National Hospital Day which will be appropriately celebrated on May 12 in commemoration of the birthday anniversary of Florence Nightingale, who was the pioneer in hospital and nursing methods.

To further commemorate the birthday of Miss Nightingale and to make the date one always to be remembered by everyone, the local hospital authorities also have decided to hold the annual commencement exercises of the Nurses Training School on the same date—May 12. There will be seven graduates this year at the Peninsula General Hospital, and the details regarding the commencement will be announced at a later date.

In designating May 12 as National Hospital Day, it marks the first organized effort to have a day set aside for the 8,000 hospitals that are daily caring for the 3,000,000 people who, according to the health survey, are sick every day.

The men and women of this community are extended a cordial invitation by the Peninsula General Hospital officials to pay a visit to the institution on May 12 and see for themselves just what is being done to care for their relatives, friends and fellow citizens who may be ill and undergoing treatment there. It is believed that those who take advantage of this opportunity will be wonderfully impressed with the excellent work that is being done at the local hospital—a work that is broad in its scope and of the highest standard.

A similar invitation has been given to the girls and women of Wicomico county to visit the Training School for Nurses on the same day, at which time they may inspect the Home for Nurses and learn some interesting facts about the profession.

That National Hospital Day should be earnestly observed by every citizen in this community is apparent to all, for there is nothing more important, more essential to the well-being and comfort of a city than a hospital that ever stands ready to care for those who are ill and afflicted. The Peninsula General Hospital, through its efficient and able staff, has accomplished wonders in performing its functions in this community, and by helping to observe May 12 in an appropriate manner we can at least show in this way our measure of sincere appreciation of the great work that it is doing.

Small Vote Cast In City Primary

Democrats Nominate Three New Men For Members Of The City Council.

Very little interest was manifested by the Democratic voters of the city of Salisbury on Tuesday in the nominating primaries for three members of the City Council.

Although the registered vote of the city is more than 1,200, only 40 Democrats took enough interest in the primary to go to the polls and vote. The vote was as follows:

W. F. L. Bounds.....40
John G. Melson.....40
Ernest L. White.....41
C. J. Birchhead.....1

Two of the nominees—Bounds and White—have served in the Council during recent years, and Mr. Bounds has also served as Mayor of the city. Mr. Melson is a well-known business man connected with the C. R. Disharoon Co. He has never served on the Council.

HOLD RECEPTION.

A large reception was given last night (Wednesday) by the Official Board of Asbury M. E. Church to Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Herson and Dr. and Mrs. Vaughn S. Gollins.

Fishermen Snare Old Indian Canoe

Best Believed To Have Been Used By
Indian Years Ago Found In
Nanticoke River.

An old Indian canoe, apparently
hewn out of an immense log, was
caught in the fishing net of William
Dutton, in the Nanticoke River, one
night last week. The canoe, which is
in a fair state of preservation, is now
on exhibition off the point where it
was caught. It will later be taken
to Sanford to be exhibited.

For the past several seasons fisher-
men along the Nanticoke river have
experienced considerable trouble off
Dutton's wharf by having their seines
caught and torn by some unknown ob-
ject on the bottom of the river. While
Dutton was floating his shad seine off
the point he felt a heavy tugging, and
summoning other men in the boat,
they succeeded in bringing the object
to the top of the water. Realizing it
was a boat of some description the
men towed it ashore, leaving it there
until Monday morning when they ex-
amined it. They were surprised to
find they had caught an old Indian can-
oe.

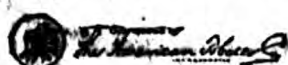
This canoe was presumably used by
the Nanticoke Tribe of Indians which
inhabited this Peninsula more than
two hundred years ago.



Cigarette

To seal in the
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tobacco flavor.

It's Toasted



\$500 IN PRIZES FOR BOYS IN 5 COUNTIES

W. B. Tilghman Co. To Hold Another
Contest This Year—Prizes Award-
ed For Last Year.

Prizes offered by the Wm. B. Tilgh-
man Company for the winners in the
Boys' Corn and Potato Clubs for last
year's crops were mailed to them last
week. Prizes were awarded on four
points: yield, records kept, cost and
exhibition. It happened that the boy
with the largest yield per acre was
not awarded first place on account
of high cost per bushel yield.

In the Corn Club the winners and
cash prizes were as follows: First,
Preston Smith, Salisbury, R. F. D. 4,
\$35.00; second, Oscar Hudson, Wil-
lards, \$20.00; third, Wade Britting-
ham, Pittsville, \$15.00; fourth, Gil-
lis Mills, Hebron, Route No. 1, \$10.00;
fifth, Reginald Mills, Hebron, R. F.
D. No. 1, \$5.00; sixth, Earl Strange,
Hebron, \$5.00; seventh, Llyne Gra-
ham, Hebron, \$5.00.

In the Sweet Potato Club first
place was given to Edwin Powell of
Hebron with a cash prize of \$35.00,
second place to Llyne Graham of
Hebron, \$20.00; third place, James
Albert Brittingham, Delmar, \$15.00;
fourth, Everett Hearn, Parsonsburg,
\$10.00; fifth, Louis Preston Parker,
Pittsville, \$5.00; sixth, Harlan Mezik,
Salisbury, \$5.00.

For the coming season the Wm. B.
Tilghman Company are offering
prizes of \$100.00 to each of the fol-
lowing five counties: Worcester, Som-
erset, Dorchester and Wicomico of

PRESIDING OVER SENATORIAL BODY



CALVIN
COOLIDGE

Maryland and Sussex county, Dela-
ware.

In addition to the cash prizes, schol-
arships to Maryland University for a
week's course in some selective sub-
ject will be given to the five boys in
these Clubs finishing the season with
the best crops.

The contest last season proved very
interesting and will probably cause a
much larger enrollment in Boy's Club
work for the coming summer.

BIG MEETING ODD FELLOWS NEXT WEEK

Grand Lodge of Maryland To
Hold Annual Session in Bal-
timore Starting Monday.

\$100,000 DRIVE FOR
HOME ENDS APRIL 19

Monster Rally Will Bring It To Close
At Lyric Theatre—Salisbury Lodge
Will Be Represented At Sessions—
Will Work Hard To Have New
Home Located Here.

With the ninety-third annual ses-
sion of the Grand Lodge of Maryland,
Independent Order of Odd Fellows,
convening in Baltimore, April 18 to
20, there will also be one of the great-
est events ever staged by the order in
the state when a monster rally is held
at the Lyric Theatre on April 19, at
which time the drive for \$100,000 for
an Odd Fellows' Home for Orphans
and Aged will end. Grand Secretary
Wm. A. Jones will call the roll, and
each lodge will present its contribu-
tions for this worthy cause on the al-
tar of Odd Fellowship, and from in-
formation received the fund will be
oversubscribed. Keen rivalry is ex-
pected from the various districts for
the honor of raising the largest sum.

Representatives from every lodge
in the state, including the Rebekahs,
will be in attendance, and in interest
and importance this convention will
be one of the largest ever held by the
mother jurisdiction.

Salisbury Odd Fellows are not only
enthusiastic about the showing they
will make, but are anxious to see the
Home in this vicinity, and have offer-
ed 10 acres of land as a gift for this
purpose.

Other offers made to the Board of
Grand Officers include: 20 acres at
Forestville, on the Baltimore-Wash-
ington road; 36 acres at Hagerstown;
40 acres at Woodsboro; 10 acres near
Salisbury; 40 acres at Haver de Grace,
and two acres at Elkton. Besides
two sites near Baltimore are under
consideration. It is the desire of the
committee that the Home be built this
year, and that it should be in keeping
with the most handsome and impos-
ing structures maintained by the or-
der in other parts of the country. All
this data and information will be plac-
ed before the delegates at the conven-
tion of the Grand Lodge for their ap-
proval.

Reports of the Grand Secretary will
show that Maryland has had a re-
markable year of activity, and has
added over 3,500 members to the sub-
ordinate lodge and 1,600 to the Re-
bekahs, making the total membership
for the state over 26,000.

Odd Fellowship had its birth in Bal-
timore on April 26, 1819, when Thom-
as Witley and five associates institut-
ed Washington Lodge, No. 1, which is
still in existence and is one of the
more progressive lodges in this juris-
diction. From this humble beginning,
the order has expanded until today
there are 17,374 subordinate lodges,
3,377 Encampments and 8,725 Rebe-
kah lodges, with a total membership
of over 3,000,000. Grand Sire Joseph
Oliver, of Toronto, Ontario, head of
the Sovereign Grand Lodge, has is-
sued a proclamation calling upon all
Odd Fellows to observe the 102nd an-
niversary on Sunday, April 24, by at-
tending divine services and in giving
thanks to Him who has blessed and
preserved the institution of Odd Fel-
lowship these many years.

Will Hold Civil Service Examinations

Commission Seeks To Fill Positions
Of Computer U. S. Coast And
Geodetic Survey.

The United States Civil Service
Commission, of Washington, D. C.,
will hold examinations on April 27-28
and June 8-9 to fill positions of com-
puter in the United States Coast and
Geodetic Survey.

Miss Ola Day, local secretary of the
commission, has received a communi-
cation from Mr. Martin A. Morrison,
president of the commission, request-
ing that a strong effort be made to
secure applications for these two ex-
aminations. Although examination
has been held frequently within the
past year or so for this position, it
is said that a sufficient number of
eligibles has not been obtained.

CELEBRATES 90TH BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Edwin J. Townsend, one of
Pocomoke City's oldest lady residents,
celebrated her 90th birthday on Fri-
day of last week. Notwithstanding
her advanced years Mrs. Townsend
enjoys good health and seems desti-
ned to many more years of life. Her
husband, Mr. E. J. Townsend, is her
senior by about five months and will
have his 91st birthday in the early
fall.

Big Bargain Counter Shoe Sale

Will Begin on Sat. April 16
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put on the counter at a price far below the
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an's individuality so much as
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plest gowns that elusive
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	Planked Maryland Shad	
	Potato Saute	
	Lettuce and Tomato Salad	
	en surprise	
Green Peas		Crushed Corn
Ice Cream		Apple Pie
Orange Layer and Chocolate Cake		
Coffee	Tea	Milk
Orchestra will play during all meals.		

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MARYLAND

COUNTY AGENT COBB'S WORK IS EXCELLENT

Report For 1920 Shows That
More Than 500 Persons
Sought His Assistance.

**ENDORSED BY CIVIC
BODIES AND INDIVIDUALS**

During The Year, He Was Instrumental In Putting Many Practical Plans Into Working Effect—Federal Appropriation Is Less For This Year.

The work being done in Wicomico County by County Agent George R. Cobb is being more and more appreciated every day, as attested by the many calls made in person, at his office, and over the telephone by farmers and growers in the county during the past year. During 1920, Mr. Cobb received more than 500 such calls from persons seeking advice on agricultural matters.

During the year Mr. Cobb made 300 visits to Wicomico farms in giving assistance on farm problems, and in every other way he always stood ready to help the growers. Under his guidance, the Boys' Pure-Bred Pig Club was organized with 25 members, the local banks financing the boys in securing their products. One club member, it was said, sold \$140 worth of pigs and still has the original pig in his possession. As a result of this work, there now are more than 300 pure-bred pigs in Wicomico county.

Agricultural clubs were formed in 16 schools, and meetings were held each month to discuss among other things such subjects as testing seed corn, feeding of all farm animals, etc. The work on legumes, too, has raised the acreage of clover, vetch, alfalfa, cow-peas and soy-beans over the 1000-per cent mark, thus providing hay and green manures as well as supplying a cheap source of ammonia.

Work on lime has increased the proper use of that commodity to such an extent that Col. William B. Tilghman is reported to have said that so many people wanted lime that his firm had all it could do in keeping up with the many orders received.

Advice on dusting strawberries as a protection has saved many dollars. Mr. Charles Wilkins stated that dusting had saved 65 per cent of the strawberry crop on 32 acres, which shows the importance of that method of protecting the berry crops.

Spraying of fruit trees was another project to receive the County Agent's attention, and his advice in this regard was so generally followed that Mr. Charles Gordy remarked: "Mr. Cobb, five years ago there wasn't 10 pounds of spray material used in the county, while now the dealers can keep a supply on hand."

Inoculation of legumes resulted in superior crops of alfalfa, vetch, soy-beans, etc. The formation of the Community Leagues has been a great help socially as well as instructively to the several communities. Mr. Cobb was instrumental in organizing the

Prepare Now For "Clean-Up Week"



It is flower-box time—if we are to have the town beautiful again this year. Every home in this town should be a balm of flowers. Let's make it so with flower boxes, flower beds and flower gardens. One of the newest beauty boxes is a huge flower box basket which may be moved all about the porch—or from window to window.

Wicomico Board of Agriculture which initiated and fostered the Wicomico Farmers Association.

The work of County Agent Cobb has received the hearty endorsement of Salisbury and Mandela Granges, the Tomato Growers Association, the superintendent of schools, Chamber of Commerce and countless numbers of individuals, and it should not be permitted to drag or be hindered from a lack of funds. The Federal appropriation is less this year because of the decreased number of farmers in Maryland, according to the latest census.

In view of this fact, it is contended by many persons, that this work should be financed mainly by the county, as the benefits therefrom accrue to the county as a whole, and if everyone within its confines will but make use of what is offered through the medium of the County Agent they will be obtaining invaluable advice on farm matters that will ever stand them in good stead.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Notices of changes in the Church Calendar must be at the News office not later than Tuesday morning, otherwise the calendar of the previous week will be repeated.

St. Peter's Church, Rev. Herbert D. Cone, Rector.

On next Sunday at the 11 A. M. service a window in memory of Rev. Dr. William Fulton, one time rector of St. Peter's Church, will be unveiled. The rector will preach on the subject, "The Fishers of Men." At 7:30 P. M. the children's choir will sing and the rector will preach on "How We Got the Ten Commandments." At 4 P. M. is the anniversary service for the Little Helpers' Missionary Society.

Presbyterian Church, Robert Alexander Boyle, Minister.

Morning, communion service; evening, "Post-Communion Thoughts." Preparatory, Friday, 7:30 P. M.; Rev. Dr. Reeves will preach.

Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, Joseph T. Herson, D. D., Pastor.

Preaching by the minister at both services on next Sunday. Morning subject, "The Source of Power." Evening subject, "The Immorality of Selfishness."

Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church, Broad Street, near Division Street, Rev. Richard L. Shipley.

Sunday School will be held at the usual hour, 9:30 A. M. There will be no other services during the day as the pastor is away attending the session of the Annual Conference. The members of the church and congregation are urged to join the congregations of the other churches in the city in the worship of God. Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening as usual.

Grace and Stenzle M. E. Churches, Wm. P. Taylor, Pastor.

Preaching services at Grace next Sunday, 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School will meet 9:45 A. M.; John E. Niblett is the superintendent. The Epworth League prayer meeting will be held beginning 6:45 P. M.; the subject is "How Can We Improve Our Recreations?" The leader will be Miss Velma Smith. Class meeting will be held at 2:30 P. M. The Brotherhood meets every Tuesday night. The mid-week prayer meeting every Thursday night. Junior Epworth League meets every Thursday, 4 P. M., except during the summer months. At Stenzle (Riverside) Church the Sunday School, 2 P. M.; preaching 3 P. M.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 7:30 P. M. The mid-week prayer meeting is held every Wednesday night.

St. Andrew's & Washington Church, Rev. J. H. Ainsworth, Pastor.

The pastor will preach at Washington Church in the morning and at St. Andrews in the evening. The subject of the sermon will be "Making Christianity Beautiful."

Quantico M. E. Church, J. M. S. Van Blunk, Pastor.

There will be preaching at Royal Oak Church Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m.; Green Hill Church, Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching at 3 p. m.

Quantico M. P. Church, preaching at 7:30 p. m. by pastor, Rev. H. J. Mason. Everybody welcome.

Division Street Baptist Church, H. Lloyd Parkinson, Pastor.

The minister will preach at both services Sunday. Morning service at 11, evening at 8. The theme of the evening sermon will be, "Some Facts Concerning Baptists—What We Believe." We invite you to worship with us.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Thomas Rosser Reeves, Pastor.

Next Sunday morning the pulpit will be occupied by Dr. W. Asbury Christian, President of the Blackstone College for Girls in Virginia. Dr. Christian is a gifted and eloquent preacher and the public is invited to hear him. In the evening Dr. Thos. Rosser Reeves, the pastor, will preach on "The Letter to the Church at Pergamum—the Church Which Stood Near Satan's Seat."

Apostolic International Holiness Church, John A. Snyder, pastor:

Sunday services. Preaching 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M. and at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30; Mrs. Ada Short, superintendent. Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30; class meeting, Thursday, 7:30. All welcome.

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THURSDAY, : : : APRIL 14, 1921.

Y. M. C. A. WORK IN SALISBURY.

It is very gratifying to learn of the excellent results that already are said to be attending the recently started Young Men's Christian Association work in Salisbury. Despite the fact that the doors of the local "Y" building have been officially opened only about a week, many youngsters have voluntarily taken out membership in the association and now are actively engaged in its activities. This in itself is a good augury for the future success of the organization, and is an example which many of the older citizens might do well to emulate.

In mapping out a program of "Y" work for the local association, the new secretary, Mr. R. W. Hammaersloough, has undoubtedly planned wisely and well. By paying particular attention to the important part which the Boys' Department is expected to fulfill, he is laying a foundation for the work here that will have its salutary effect on the years to come. The youths who join the association now, and who grow up under its influence and training, undoubtedly will arrive at manhood far better equipped to face the problems of life than if they had not received that training. They will be better citizens, and the "Y" also will be greatly benefited by having them in their ripened experience to help carry the good work ever onward.

Just at present it is said that the Salisbury "Y" is making no drive for members such as oftentimes is the case when a new organization is started, but the advantages to be derived from membership in the Association are so manifestly obvious that such a course should hardly be necessary. Everything pertaining to "Y" work should find an instant appeal in the hearts of every boy, young man and the older men-folk of this community. Both spiritual and physical development play an important role in its program, the social work is such as to greatly promote the fellowship of man, and the entire environment is one that is strongly conducive to a better citizenship. Let the good work go on, and may each year find an ever increasing number of Salisbury's boys and men joining the Young Men's Christian Association.

SO NEAR AND YET SO FAR.

Between the town of Mardela and the Wicomico side of the Nanticoke River opposite Venna there is a strip of road stretching about three and one half miles in length that because of its unimproved condition is said to be keeping many of Vienna's citizens from making more frequent journeys to Salisbury. With this road in such terrible shape as to make traffic over it almost impossible, it is claimed that in order to reach Salisbury, citizens of Vienna must travel thirty-one miles, whereas, with an improved road covering the short strip in this county, the journey could be made, direct, by traversing only 16 miles—a tremendous saving of distance.

In response to an advertising circular sent by a Salisbury firm to a citizen of Vienna several days ago, soliciting that citizen's business, the reply received was one that should furnish ample thought to those who have the best interests of this city at heart, and especially should it receive the careful attention that it deserves from the road officials of this county. The letter was written by a reputable physician, and he states his facts concisely and straight to the point. His letter follows:

"Gentlemen:

It is no use for Salisbury to expect Dorchester county to trade until the road between Nanticoke River and Mardela Springs is improved, which would make the distance for the automobilist between here (Vienna) and Salisbury only sixteen miles. As it is at present, it is thirty-one miles, and we consequently go over the State Road to Cambridge. People today travel by automobile, largely, and we seldom visit Salisbury, and do not expect to until this road is improved. Only three and one half miles of it, and yet Salisbury is not interested. Consequently, we are not interested in Salisbury."

The indictment appears to be a severe one, but we desire to inform the writer of the letter that Salisbury is very much interested in having this strip of road put into first class condition. As a matter of fact, we understand that ways and means for putting this road into shape have been seriously considered upon many occasions by both the local Chamber of Commerce and the county officials. One of the drawbacks to its immediate construction is said to be the insecure foundation upon which to build, it being claimed that every attempt to build a suitable road there has resulted in failure because of the sponge-like marshy under-surface which discounts permanency.

However, despite the apparent presentation of Nature's obstacles, we hope that some way will soon be found to permanently improve this small strip of land. In the meantime, we want to assure our good neighbors from Vienna that Salisbury is always eager to do everything within its power in order to have them visit us without any resulting inconveniences of travel.

CLEAN-UP WEEK.

The movement started by the Woman's Club to make this city as spick and span in appearance as human hands can make it, is a project that should commend itself to each and every citizen of Salisbury. The first week in May has been designated as the time for the general cleaning-up process, and when the magic clean-up wand has been energetically waved over Salisbury during the seven-day period the attendant results should be such as to cause us to let out a few more notches in the belt of our civic pride.

That such a project will meet with success or failure exactly in proportion to the measure of support it receives from our citizens is plainly apparent. While the Woman's Club undoubtedly will do everything within its power to carry the campaign through successfully, it must be remembered that it cannot accomplish the desired end without receiving the help and co-operation of the inhabitants of the city—the assistance of each and every house-

holder, the owners of vacant lots, business men, and all others. So it is up to all of us to bend every effort in helping to promote the worthy object, and we must "pitch in" with might and main to help give our city a thorough renovation from top to bottom.

One of the things that in pre-war times impressed the American traveler abroad most forcibly was the clean appearance of most of the European cities. The practice of keeping its civic centers in splendidly clean condition was extended to the smaller towns and in most instances even to the miniature villages. Clean streets that were almost always kept scrupulously in order; absence of rubbish and such ilk in back-yards or other places, were only a few of the external things that quickly attracted the eye of the tourist. And they are things that can be as easily accomplished here as on the other side of the ocean. All that is needed is the proper display of civic pride. We confess to having a lot of that quality stored within our breasts, so let's give it a most thorough and practical demonstration during the first week in May.

HIGH LIGHTS OF HARDING'S FIRST MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

PEACE

"Declaratory resolution" by congress "with qualifications essential to protect all our rights" which would end the "technical state of war against the central powers of Europe."

TREATY, PERHAPS, BUT NO LEAGUE

Unreservedly against "the existing league of nations," but: "The wiser course would seem to be the acceptance of the confirmation of our rights and interests as already provided and to engage under the existing treaty, assuming, of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom from inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests."

TAXATION

Readjustment of internal taxes and revision or repeal "of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose." He says the government is committed to the repeal of the excess profits tax.

TARIFF

Instant tariff enactment, "emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only."

RAILROADS

Efficient operation "at a cost within that which the traffic can bear." "Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced." "The remaining obstacles which are the heritage of capitalistic exploitation must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays is the public to be served and simple justice is the right, and will continue to be the right of all the people."

GOOD ROADS

The strengthening of laws governing federal aid.

MERCHANT MARINE

The United States means to establish and maintain a great merchant marine.

COMMUNICATIONS

"Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities should be prohibited. Government-owned facilities wherever possible without unduly interfering with private enterprise or government needs should be made available for general usages."

AVIATION

Regulation by the federal government and encouragement of aviation for development for military and civil purposes.

SERVICE MEN

"The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the world war." The immediate extension and utilization of government hospital facilities to "bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of."

PUBLIC WELFARE

Co-ordination of various government agencies now working on the subject and indorsement of the pending maternity bill.

LYNCHING

"Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy. A proposal for a commission with representatives of white and black races to study and report on the subject has real merit."

ARMY AND NAVY

Early consideration of pending appropriation bills urged. "The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament. The United States will ever be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace. But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to co-operate with other nations to approximate disarmament, but merest prudence forbids that we disarm alone."

NATIONAL FINANCE

"The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burdens if we strike resolutely at expenditure."

ADMINISTRATION

Enactment of a national budget system and general reductions by efficient management of the cost of government.

BUSINESS

Less of government in business as well as more business in government. "There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortunate, untrammelled business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods." "Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance."

AGRICULTURE

"The maintained retail costs in perishable goods cannot be justified." "Reduced costs of basic production has been recorded, but high cost of living has not yielded in like proportion. For example, the prices on grain and live-stock have been deflated, but the cost of bread and meats is not adequately reflected therein."

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Two corporations—the Camden Realty Co. and the Salisbury Lime Co., through their representatives, made an appeal for abatement of city taxes assessed in error. In both cases satisfactory adjustments were made. Most of the session was taken up in reviewing the recommendations of City Engineer Dryden for the re-arranging and the filling up of holes in the streets before the work of top-dressing the streets is begun in June.

"REJOICE WITH HER."

You, who do not realize, perhaps, so keenly, the bitterness of the Valley of Despondency here on earth, will protest when I say of Her: Happy, innocent Child-Spirit, to have passed over to that greater Sphere, where, indeed, there is no misunderstanding; where all is bright and sunny for those who love the Light and where Progress is not the stony way that it is here.

"She was happy here," you say. Even so; but think of her abundant happiness, yonder.

"Many, too, there were here who loved her." Ah, yes, but joy here is such a flickle thing and now, we are sure of her full consciousness of the abiding Love of God.

Her happy little face, her quick smile, will be sorely missed here, but let us not spend our time in pitying ourselves, but rather rejoice with her in her greater and more joyous Freedom.

STUART LAIDLAW.

April 6, 1921.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS CITY AND COUNTY

Fifteen Transactions Recorded Since Last Week's Issue Of The News.

Walter J. Dryden from Arthur E. Shockley, et al., 1.6 acres, more or less, in Parsons District; consideration \$10, etc.

John W. Davis from John H. Adkins and Martha J. Adkins, his wife, 39 acres, more or less, near Salisbury; consideration \$500.

Edgar P. Willis from Stansbury C. Matthews, et al., 41 acres, more or less, in Nutters District; consideration \$10, etc.

Jackson Pitts from William P. Jackson, Katherine S. Jackson, his wife, lot in City of Salisbury, on Second Street; consideration \$900, etc.

Raymond D. Smith, Lillian F. Smith, his wife, from Mary C. Wilson, Richard W. Wilson, her husband, lot in City of Salisbury on Fitzwater St., consideration \$1,000, etc.

Edith L. Williams from Eva B. Gillis, Llewellyn B. Gillis, her husband, lot in City of Salisbury, on Hazel Ave., consideration \$100, etc.

Elmer C. Williams from Reuben P. Bailey, Lida E. Bailey, his wife, lot in City of Salisbury, on South Division Street; consideration \$100.

Josephus E. Adkins from Maria E. White, John W. Covington, 13 1/2 acres more or less, in Parsons District; consideration \$10, etc.

Cambridge Ice Company from Elmer C. Williams, Edith L. Williams, his wife, lot in City of Salisbury on Upton Street; consideration \$1,000, etc.

Thomas A. Hearn from Arthur E. Shockley, et al., 2 acres, more or less, in Parsons District; consideration \$100, etc.

Stanford Mitchell from Thos. H. Lewis, Jr., 3 1/2 acres, more or less, in Willards District; consideration \$100, etc.

John R. Pruitt from William K. Leatherbury and Lillian M. Leatherbury, his wife, 23 acres, more or less, in Camden District; consideration \$1,000, etc.

William C. Disharoon, Mary F. Disharoon, his wife, from Rona May Smith and John W. Smith, her husband, land in Parsons District; consideration \$1400, etc.

Bentree Bounds from Bertie E. Dykes, land in Trappe District; consideration \$100, etc.

Elmer H. Purnell from Mary E. Perry, et al., land in City of Salisbury on Main Street; consideration \$16, etc.

Peninsula Cafe Will Open Friday

(Continued from Page 1.)

tionally attractive appearance to the interior as a whole. Other lighting fixtures, too, have been installed. There will be about 30 tables, and, altogether, when the gong sounds Friday, the restaurant's patrons will indeed find much to please them.

All of the colored waiters formerly employed by Mr. R. Harry Phillips, proprietor of The Peninsula Hotel, in his dining room, will be retained by Mr. Bounellis, as also will the Peninsula's colored cook, William Parker, who has been piloting the good ship "Cook Stove" at the Peninsula for the past 15 years. Mr. Bounellis also stated that the management of the kitchen part of his establishment will be under the direction of his French chef, Christ Sarris, who has been in his employ for a number of years.

The operators of the new restaurant are Messrs. Nick Bounellis, Paul Karches and Pete Bounellis. These gentlemen own and operate the Capitol Restaurant, at Annapolis, and also the one at Morristown, Tenn. The local cafe will be under the personal management of Mr. Nick Bounellis, who will make Salisbury his home town.

ORGANIZER OF OWLS DOING GOOD WORK HERE

Mr. J. G. Robertson, organizer for the Order of Owls, reports that his work is going along splendidly. About two weeks ago he re-opened the Salisbury Nest, which has for some time been dormant, and on Monday night took in 12 new members. According to the best information obtainable, the Owls will shortly organize a Ladies' Nest in the city. It is the hope of the authorities in charge of the work to organize a degree team here, after which the regular initiation will be introduced.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO HOLD OPEN MEETING TUESDAY

The first open meeting of the Wicomico Women's Club has been arranged for Tuesday night, April 19th, at 8.15 P. M. This meeting will be held in the Young Men's Christian Association building.

Each member of the Club is entitled to be accompanied by two guests at the best evening affair, which is entitled "Living Pages From Many Ages."

SCHOOL ATHLETICS CONTESTS.

Preparations are being made for the athletic meets to be held in Salisbury within a few weeks. Thursday, May 19, is the date for the white schools, and Wednesday, April 20, for the colored schools. It is expected that there will be a larger number of contestants than usual in the different contests. The games are arranged under the direction of the Public Athletic League of Maryland.

EDITORIAL LETTERBOX

The News invites letters on any and all subjects of general interest which will be published if possible in this column. All communications must be signed, though signature will not be published unless the writer so desires. Anonymous epistles will not be considered. Manuscripts will be returned if desired. While judging all correspondence on its merits from the viewpoint of good ethics of journalism, The News disclaims responsibility for any statement made herein incompatible with its policies and good judgment.

To the Editor, Wicomico News, Salisbury, Md.

Dear Sir:—Through the columns of your valuable paper will you kindly permit me to thank the people of Wicomico and Somerset counties who took such great interest in my recovery from the operation for gallstones under which I went at the Peninsula General Hospital in this city on March 1.

I had every thing that could make a sick man happy and cheerful. Flowers, inquiries and messages of sympathy and cheer from far and near, and I wish to assure all who took such interest of my appreciation.

The Peninsula General Hospital and the doctors of this vicinity are a god-send to this Peninsula, and the average man in health cannot realize it until he gets in the position in which I was placed for several weeks.

I have been a patient in larger hospitals twice prior to this operation and have had friends both in Philadelphia and Baltimore hospitals and am glad to say I never found better attention or care in any than is given at the Peninsula General in Salisbury, and every one connected with the hospital, seems to take great interest in the welfare of all patients and such an institution is a credit to the whole Eastern Shore.

The people of Salisbury and of Princess Anne (my former home) have certainly caused me to be more thankful than ever before that we live in this part of the world and with God's people.

Thanking you for your interest and favors, I am,

Yours truly,
O. STRAUGHN LLOYD.
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To Parents who want to save on their Boys' Clothes. Now is the time to buy them. The new styles are here, and our prices are very much lower. We have a great showing of good clothes for boys. We invite you to come in and look.—Kennerly & Mitchell. Adv. 108.

Listen, Brother--

—BY—

"Observer"



MONDAY'S snow may have been a trifle damp, but it has not one whit dampened our ardor for an Eastern Shore League.

"HARDING Message Scraps World League" reads newspaper headline. We were sorter under the impression that the "irreconcilables" had left very little of it to scrap.

AND still we are waitin' for something tangible to develop about that Baseball League and a cracker-jack 1921 team for Salisbury. Let's not permit Our League to drift to the scrap heap.

WE observe that many big strikes are being planned in United States for May 1. Which again reminds us that the majority of the May-Day strikes usually happen in the April "Air Castles."

GREAT agitation, we understand, is goin' on out "Lake Hope" Way. Someone has been puttin' a few loads of dirt in that cavernous abyss. All of which seems to be perfectly proper, bein' that this is time for makin' mud pies.

CARLOAD of whiskey was captured in Jacksonville, Fla., recently, it having been billed as tomatoes. If it was a batch of the bootleg brand, they should have added the prefix "rotten" to furnish adequate description.

A NOO York newspaper article informs us that the Erie trains are to observe the daylight saving time. Which gives the Metropolitan wags another chance to say that it will be the first time-table the Erie trains ever observed.

IN his ancient search for an honest man, Old Diogenes at least had something on our modern searchers for "honest" likker. Brother "Diog" occasionally got results.

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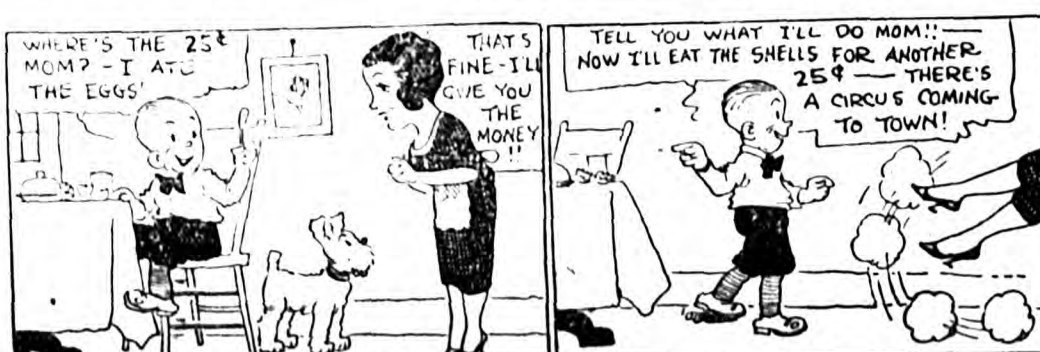
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**LOCAL
HAPPENINGS**

Miss Mable Johnson is visiting in Baltimore.

Miss Mae Powell spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Nell Hopkins has returned from a visit in Baltimore.

Miss Lois Bloxom spent the week-end with her parents in Bloxom, Va.

Mrs. Charles E. Johnson is spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. R. Ker, who has been critically ill for several weeks, is recovering.

Mrs. Lee G. Insley returned from Baltimore on Saturday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. White.

Mr. Norman C. Stiles, of Baltimore, spent the week-end in town with his family.

Mr. William S. Gordy, Jr., returned from a short trip to Philadelphia on Friday.

Mr. B. Franklin Kennerly, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Ella L. Kennerly.

Mrs. Laura V. Costen left Tuesday for New York City, where she will spend several weeks.

Miss Annie V. Johnson, treasurer of the News Publishing Co., spent a few days in Philadelphia this week.

Misses Edith Larmore and Julia Horseman spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. Wade H. Insley.

Mrs. Sarah W. Carey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Morrow, in Wilmington.

Mr. John Smith, of the Smith & Williams Company, spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Smith spent the week-end in Sharptown with her mother, Mrs. C. J. Mooney.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby boy.

Mrs. M. T. Wilson has returned to Baltimore after spending some time with her parents on Camden avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Lankford and Mrs. Marietta Watts, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor.

Mrs. William M. Cooper and William M. Cooper, Jr., are spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Miss Katherine Todd has returned to Wilson College, Chambersburg, after spending the holidays in town.

Mrs. Mamie Pusey and Miss Vivian Campbell spent the week-end in Princess Anne.

Messrs. Courtlandt Hardesty and Olin Willis, of Dover, Del., were week end guests in town.

Mr. Marvin Evans attended the Rotary Club Convention in Atlantic City last week.

Rev. R. A. Boyle left on Sunday to attend the Rotary Club Convention in Atlantic City.

Miss Gladys Gordy spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Gordy.

Mr. Walter Mitchell, who was operated on for tonsils, is improving very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Perdue, of Snow Hill, were guests in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Alonzo Miles and Messrs. Hooper and Clarence Miles attended the wedding of Mr. Lee Miles and Miss Myrtle Jester, in Baltimore, this week.

Miss Mamie Woodcock has returned after spending sometime as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Abram Lansing, St. Louis, Mo.

Misses Bessie and Hester Bounds and Messrs. Gilbert and Herman Robinson, of Marcella, spent last week in Baltimore.

Miss Mildred Dolbey, of White Haven, was the guest of Miss Katharine Dolbey, on Maryland avenue, last week.

There will be preaching at Parker's Church on Sunday morning, April 17, at 10:30, with Rev. George Morris in charge.

Mrs. Fred N. Strudwick returned Wednesday from Baltimore, where she has been the guest of relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. W. Newton Jackson, of Fayetteville, N. C., arrived in Salisbury Monday for a short visit with his parents, Senator and Mrs. William P. Jackson, Camden avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Phelps Todd, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. Todd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Todd, Park avenue.

Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvine, a member of the faculty of the Ogontz School at Ogontz, Pa., spent the week end in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Bell, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., are spending some time in Salisbury as the guests of Mr. George W. Bell.

Col. and Mrs. M. A. Humphreys, Miss Nellie Rider and Miss Anne Humphreys left Wednesday for a visit in New York City.

Miss Wilsie Adkins and Mr. Harry S. Adkins have returned from a visit in Camp Dix, N. J., and New York City.

Miss Kathleen Neely returned to her home in Crisfield, on Friday, after a visit with Mrs. E. Wilson Booth, High street.

Mrs. Isaac Ulman and Miss Helen Ulman left Sunday afternoon for Atlantic City, N. J., where they will spend several days.

Mr. William H. Jackson, a student of the Philadelphia Technical School, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jackson at the Towers.

There will be a Social at Allen school on Friday, April 15. The public is invited.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry S. Wailes have leased the Vanderborgat bungalow at Tony Tank and will occupy it about June 1.

The entertainment given by the students of the Wicomico High School on Tuesday night proved a very delightful affair. Financially it was also a great success.

Mr. Clarence Hall, of Snow Hill, was operated on for appendicitis at the Salisbury Hospital last week. He had a serious case, but is getting along very well.

Messrs. Robert A. Rouse, sales manager Continental Can Co., Baltimore, and Clayton H. Englar, assistant sales manager, were Salisbury visitors last week.

The Comrade Missionary Circle of the M. P. Church will hold a bake at Leeds and Twilley's millinery store, Main street, on Saturday, April 16, beginning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. T. Rodney Jones, Jr., of the Goodrich Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, has been assigned by the company to Virginia territory in the vicinity of Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. Henry Hanna, of the D. W. Perdue Auto Co., was quite ill for several days last week, but we are pleased to report his condition improved.

Mr. Harry C. Adkins attended the session of Maryland Annual Conference, Thursday of last week, and visited friends in Camp Dix, as the guest of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Veale.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Division Street Baptist Church will hold a bake on Saturday, in the office of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, Church street. There will be lots of good things for sale.

The wedding of Mr. Jackson Reddish, a well known farmer of near Spring Hill, and Mrs. John T. Parsons, was solemnized Saturday evening. The bride is the widow of the late J. T. Parsons and has resided in Salisbury for several years.

The Eastern Shore District Conference, Southern Methodist Church, will meet at Andrews Chapel, Cashville, Va., April 19, 20 and 21, instead of Cambridge, as announced. Trinity Church, Salisbury, will be represented by delegates.

Ex-mayor James H. Preston, of Baltimore; Mr. Joseph Marvel, of Suffolk, Va.; Mr. H. B. Phillips, of Wicomico; Mr. G. R. Robertson, and W. T. Phoebe, of Fayetteville, N. C., attended the annual meeting of the Jackson Bros. Co., in this city on Tuesday.

Mr. Henry W. Roberts, one of the best known farmers and canned goods packers of Clara neighborhood, Wicomico county, has been elected a director of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Somerset and Worcester counties, to succeed W. T. G. Polk, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tighman and daughter, Mrs. Smack, and Mr. W. J. Brewington motored to Philadelphia Sunday, returning on Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. W. J. Brewington and daughter, who had been spending about two weeks in Philadelphia.

Students of Wicomico High School gave an entertainment in the Armory Friday night. Two sketches, "The Teeth of the Gift Horse" and "The Crimson Coconut," and several literary and musical numbers formed the program. The entertainment was given for the benefit of High School athletics and netted the school \$125.

Past Great Sachem Edward Tindall, of Salisbury, delivered an address at a big rally of Wicomico Tribe of Red Men held in Cambridge Thursday night. This meeting was largely attended and the program proved very interesting. Many of the State officers also were present and delivered addresses pertaining to the order.

Those who desire to witness a total eclipse of the moon must keep watch on the night of April 21, for they will not have another opportunity for fifty or sixty years. The earth will be between the sun and moon at that time, causing a partial shadow about 11 p. m. and full shadow an hour and a half later.

At the town election in Delmar on Tuesday on the Maryland side, the regular ticket, composed of E. E. Gordy, W. S. Parker and L. A. L. Hearn, received 155 votes against the independent ticket, composed of Albert A. Waller, Doda Hearn and Joseph J. Elliott, 81. The regular ticket was elected by a majority ranging around 71.

Invitations have been received by friends in Salisbury from Mr. and Mrs. L. Samuel Lawson, of Crisfield, to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mae Bernice Lawson to Mr. Charles Irwin Jones, of Snow Hill. The ceremony will be performed at Inman's M. E. Church, Crisfield, on Thursday evening, April 21.

The weather report in this section for the month of March shows that the maximum temperature was 86 degrees on the 21st; the minimum temperature was 25 degrees on the 30th. The total precipitation was 2.85 inches. Clear days, 11; partly cloudy, 16; cloudy, 4. Killing frosts on the 11th, 12th, 19th, 23rd and 30th; ice on the 11th, 19th, 25th and 30th; sleet on the 29th; thunderstorms on the 18th, 21st, 26th and 28th.

The State Roads Commission opened bids last week on various sections of roads throughout the state. For the construction of a mile of concrete road through Princess Anne, together with a bridge, there were two bidders, the low bid being \$38,550, and the high bid \$38,070. The bid of J. R. Phillips, Jr., of Berlin, was low on the El Dorado-Federalburg road, Dorchester County. This called for a concrete road 2.01 miles, the bid of Mr. Phillips being \$58,476.

Young Men, we offer you a great showing of Royal Shoes, both low and high. We invite you to just come in and look. The new colored leathers and the new shapes are all here and the prices are very much less. We assure you that no store can serve you better—Kennerly & Mitchell.

County News

MARDELA SPRINGS

That is a noble thing that the Athol folks are doing for their fellow citizens, Mr. Howard D. Hazon. Some five weeks ago, Howard, while felling timber, made a fearful wash in his leg and also fractured a bone and his neighbors have gone to his home and cut his wood and done his early plowing and planted his early potatoes. Sometimes we may feel that no one cares for us, but let some serious trouble come to any of us and how quickly the people rally to our help. The age may be selfish, but, thank God, generosity has not quite faded out of our nature.

Charlie Bacon is improving the appearance of the corner of the street next to his house by continuing the pavement line along the whole side of his property. How nice it would be if all the property owners on that side of the street would lay out a pavement all along the front of their properties. This would be a much needed improvement on Bridge street. Who will keep the ball rolling?

Nathaniel O. Austin has greatly beautified his property by the erection of a new wall, with pillars and balls. He has made an open driveway at the side, put water in his house and also inaugurated an electric lighting plant.

The bungalow that Mr. Stirling Jackson is building on Bridge street is far enough advanced for us to see what it is going to be like. This will add beauty to that part of the street. Next!

Miss Annie Brattan is home for some days. The Brattan home is very pretty, nestling as it does behind those splendid trees. The location is very desirable and the grounds around are kept nicely.

Rev. J. W. Hittman has been sent by the M. E. Conference to Hancock, Md.

Dr. B. G. Parker was the speaker at our school on Wednesday morning and because of his age and experience, he begged the privilege of speaking to the scholars as a father. He then proceeded to show the benefits of an education. He gave facts and figures to prove that an educated person stands a better chance of success in life than an uneducated person. He cautioned against ungrammatical sentences in their common speech and gave ridiculous expressions that he had heard from their own lips. He dwelt somewhat on the subject of manners, but declared that, primarily, manners should be taught in the homes and that the teachers should not be held responsible for the bad manners of children upon the street and in public places. The teachers thanked the reverend gentleman for his plain and pointed speech.

The matter of looking for another doctor for this field was left in the hands of Mr. Robert Robertson and he has had letters from several men who desire a new location. To locate a doctor here, it will be necessary for the whole community to rally around him and give him our support, for unless this is done no man in this limited field can get a support for his family. If any large proportion of our people should send for doctors outside of our town, then we will not be able to keep a doctor here.

The Wicomico Farmers' Association had a meeting in Wilson's Hall on Wednesday night for the purpose of the election of District officials. Mr. John P. Wright was elected general director; C. W. Bacon, Edgar Venables, Richard Wilson and John B. Elliott were elected as directors. Mr. Edgar L. Venables was elected shipping agent. There were several new members whose names were announced during the meeting. Things are booming in this association.

On Wednesday afternoon there were brought before Magistrate R. G. Robertson, Mr. Mack Dickerson, of Delaware, for running two trucks without licenses, as it was charged by the State policeman, also his two drivers, James Walker and Fulton Bradley. The drivers were fined \$1 each, while Dr. Dickerson was fined \$10 each for the two trucks.

According to the present prospects, there will be plenty of coal on hand for next winter, as Uncle Robert Robertson has ordered three car loads to be delivered this summer. Book your orders now.

Mrs. May Venables entertained for dinner the following on Thursday, Mrs. Oliver Catlin, of Josterville, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Jones and Mrs. Margaret Walter, of Tyaskin, and Mr. George Bonds. Mrs. Maggie Walter returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Catlin.

Two pastors of the same church on the same day. At least this is according to the announcement made in our M. E. Church on Sunday morning. It was understood that Rev. G. W. Williams had been appointed for this charge and he was at the ground to begin his work on Sunday morning. Then appeared on the scene Rev. D. J. Ford, bearing the news that he had been appointed to this field. A mutual compromise was made and Rev. Williams remained and preached, while Rev. Ford went elsewhere to hold services for the day, but to return here to take up his work next Sunday. Brother Williams will go to the Mount Vernon field.

Our enterprising fellow citizen, Mr. Clarence Glasgow, has gone down into Virginia to look after a big deal. Clarence knows how to handle big business. Mr. Glasgow is an active member of our Baptist Church and is much respected in the entire community.

PITTSVILLE

Mrs. Edward White and little daughter, Rosalind, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shockley.

Miss Alma Truitt, of Salisbury, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Leonard Truitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Benton Parker, of Salisbury.

Miss Ada Truitt has returned home after spending the past two months with relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. Clementina Townsend, of Snow Hill, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Mary E. Truitt.

Rev. G. J. Hooker has returned home after attending the Maryland Annual Conference held at Newark, N. J. His many friends are very glad to welcome him back again.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bunting and daughter, Marie, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Truitt.

Miss Bessie Brittingham entertained a number of her friends last Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

Elder and Mrs. Melott and daughter were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Farlow last Sunday evening for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tingle, Miss Grace Davis and Mr. Frank Parsons spent Sunday in Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith and son, Winford and Misses Mattie L. Truitt, Bertie McNeal and Nellie Truitt were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Derriekson, of Salisbury, last Monday evening in honor of his birthday.

Mrs. Alonzo Parker and Mrs. Oran Brittingham spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Washington Dennis.

Miss Anella Wallace, of Hebron, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Larry Farlow.

SHARPTOWN

Miss Cora S. Bennett is spending several weeks with Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Donovan at Worlton, near Chestertown.

Mrs. Harry Russell and daughter, Esther, are home from New York City and the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McFarlane.

Dr. L. L. Gordy and N. W. Owens are calling on the week.

Capt. E. G. Bennett and son, Donald, have returned to New York to take charge of their schooner, George W. Truitt. They will sail in a few days with a mixed cargo for Haiti.

Mrs. William Twilley, of near Laurel, Del., is visiting her aunt, Miss Lavinia Bennett.

Mr. Oscar Smith, of the Steamer Cambridge, is spending several days with his family here.

Mrs. Harry Covington and daughter, Elizabeth, of White Haven, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Willing.

Mrs. John Smith and children, of Salisbury, spent much of last week as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mooney.

Rev. H. L. Schlinke, of Cumberland, a former pastor here, was the guest Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper. He preached in the M. P. Church on Sunday morning and evening to large congregations. While here he met many of his former friends.

Wilmer Marine is home from Chester.

The High School rendered one of Shakespeare's plays in the Pythian Hall on Friday evening and repeated it on Monday evening. It was well received and largely patronized. On Wednesday evening of last week they gave it at Delmar and on Thursday evening at Harlock. Much credit is due Miss Emma Calk of the High School faculty for her special work in training and in selecting such very elaborate costumes. All the characters played their part well, giving a fine exhibition of talent.

Iona Council, of the Degree of Po-cantans, will hold special anniversary entertainment on Thursday evening, marking the seventeenth mile post in its existence. It is a splendid order, composed mostly of ladies.

WILLARDS

Misses Jessie and Orlah Taylor, of Salisbury, were the guests of Mrs. Margie Davis during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Rayne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Brittingham.

Mr. E. B. Fuller has purchased a new Ford coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Parsons, of Pittsville, were visitors in Cambridge Sunday.

Mrs. Mitchell Parker and sons, Mitchell and Eugene, spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Frank Richardson, who has been ill for sometime with the rheu-

matism, is slowly improving.

Misses Ethel Hearn and Lillian Rayne, Messrs. Ryallie Hobbs and Phineas Davis were the guest of Miss Mabel Davis for dinner Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perdue, of Snow Hill, were visitors here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCabe have moved in their new home.

WHITE HAVEN

Mr. Fred Moore, of Chester, spent the week-end with his family here.

Misses Mayne Insley and Mildred White, of Tyaskin, were the week-end guests of Miss Lucy Bloodsworth.

Mr. Edgar Malone spent Friday and Saturday with relatives here.

Mrs. Florence Simpkins and son, Stephen, of Baltimore, returned to their home after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. W. H. Dolby.

Misses Lucy Bloodsworth and Mildred White spent Saturday in Salisbury.

Miss Mildred Dolby was the guest of her cousin, Miss Katherine Dolby, of Salisbury, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Newman Robertson is visiting relatives in Sharptown.

Sorry to report Mrs. Fanny Dolby on the sick list.

Miss Esta Davis was in Princess Anne Monday.

Messrs. Ronald Watson, William Carrow and Harley Wilson, of Princess Anne, spent Sunday evening in town.

Mr. Leo Carey and sister, Miss Evelyn, spent Sunday evening with Miss Gertrude Larmore, of Tyaskin.

Mr. Harry Messick spent Sunday in Salisbury and Rockaway.

MT. HERMON

Holland Ruark, of Sharptown, is visiting his brother, Mr. Howard Ruark, near Mt. Hermon.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Niblett Wednesday evening leaving them a fine baby girl.

The Mt. Hermon Community League will be held at school next Thursday evening. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Columbus Dykes' daughter, Nina, is getting along fine after undergoing an operation and staying at the hospital two weeks.

Preaching will be held at Parker's Church next Sunday, April 17. Rev. George Morris will be in charge of the services. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Walter Dykes was entertained Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Levin Niblett and children and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Howard Ruark, also Mae and Rosie Niblett.

Mrs. Alfred Niblett was entertained Friday morning at her home by Mrs. Edith Kegn and Mrs. Martha Smith.

Mrs. G. S. Parsons is being entertained at her home by Mrs. Hooker and children.

Mrs. Amelia Ruark, who has been operated on and is now in the hospital, is getting along finely and will be able to come home this week.

SILOAM

Miss Florence Davis, of Hebron, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac White.

The young people of Siloam will present "An Early Bird," a three act comedy, on Wednesday evening, April 20. Admission, adults, 25c; children, 15c.

Mr. Eld Malone, of White Haven, has returned home after spending a few days with relatives and friends of Siloam.

Mrs. Henry Chatham is spending a few days with Mrs. Will Vaughn, of Hebron.

The Missionary Society of Allen met at the home of Miss Beulah White on Saturday evening, April 9. The event was enjoyed by music and talks on various subjects. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes after spending a delightful evening.

Miss Irma Cantwell and friend, Mr. Marion Leconte, spent Sunday evening with friends at Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Banks, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with Mrs. Banks' sister, Miss Sarah White.

KELLEYS

Mr. and Mrs. Sampy Wimbrow spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Esham.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matthews and children spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Esham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sampy Wimbrow visited Mr. and Mrs. Severn Riggan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Foskey and Mrs. Samuel Lemmon, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Esham.

Misses Lattie and Eva Matthews, Misses Maude and Grace Wimbrow, of Wango, and Messrs. Walter Mat-

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FRUIT CROPS AGAIN HARD HIT BY FREEZE

Monday Night's Cold Weather
Puts End To Peaches, Pears,
Plums and Cherries.

**STRAWBERRIES MAY
YIELD 50% CROP**

Klondykes Suffer 75% Damage, But
Later Berries Expected To Produce
Fairly Good Yield—Apple Trees
Also Suffer, and the 1921 Crop May
Reach Only 25% of Forecast.

The snow storm of early Monday morning which was preceded by freezing weather and which was followed Monday night by a heavy freeze is said to have practically annihilated the fruit crop of Wicomico county with the possible exceptions of strawberries and apples. Estimates made Tuesday afternoon placed this year's strawberry crop at about 50 per cent and the apple crop at about 25 per cent.

County Agent Cobb made a trip of inspection throughout the county on Tuesday afternoon, and, upon his return here, said that many of the large growers of strawberries in the Pittsville section are of the opinion that despite the damage wrought, there will be plenty of berries this year. This in a measure is said to be due to the fact that increased acreages had been planted. Seventy-five per cent of the early berries—the Klondykes—however, are said to have been killed, but it is believed that at least 50 per cent of the later berries have been left unhurt.

On the farm of Senator C. R. Disharoon, which is located on the Ocean City Road near here, it is said that Monday night's freeze practically destroyed the crop that was expected from the 6,000 winesap apple trees growing there, and that probably not more than 5 per cent will produce. After the first heavy frost several days ago, it was figured that at least one-third of the crop had been saved. The crop expected from one thousand York Imperial apple trees on the same farm, too, is said to have been completely destroyed.

In making a summary of a part of the damage inflicted, Mr. Cobb stated that the peach crop had been entirely destroyed; pears, plums and cherries also had been killed; crimson clover was hit very heavily; wheat, especially that which got a good growing start, had been seriously damaged, and that alfalfa also had suffered to a great extent at the hands of the unfavorable weather.

It was further stated that the damage inflicted Monday was not the result of the snow but was attributable to the freezing weather that ensued Monday night. The temperature was so low that night that icicles formed on the edges of buildings, and many farmers throughout the county reported breaking them off their water troughs. The ice that formed beneath the snow, too, was a big factor in helping to wreck the damage even before Monday night's freeze.

THREE CENTS A DAY MAY SAVE A LIFE

Estimated That 15,000,000 Persons
Are Starving In China—Small
Pittance Will Help.

Within the next few weeks the Sunday schools and churches of the county will be asked to take a special collection for the benefit of the starving people of Northern China. Hon. L. Atwood Bennett has charge of the work in Wicomico and will receive and forward any contribution.

Mr. V. Walter Pryor, a constructing engineer, who has just returned from China and who knows of conditions there said that there are at least 15,000,000 people in Northern China who are actually starving. The 15,000,000 are dependent upon the people of Great Britain, the United States and the government of China.

It is estimated that three cents a day will keep one of these people from starvation and that this amount must be provided for them until the first of July, the time of the harvest in Southern China. The Chinese government and Great Britain are providing 60 per cent of the requisite amount and the United States has been asked to furnish the additional 40 per cent. The United States has subscribed \$5,000,000 already.

Mr. Pryor stated that there is sufficient food in Southern China, and that this food is being bought and transported by the Chinese government free of charge. Further, that the work in this country is being done by volunteers and that practically 100 per cent of the contributions is spent for food.

Tag days for the Chinese Famine Fund are being held in many of the cities with much success.

SHRINERS TO HOLD BIG ORIENTAL BAZAAR

Affair Will Take Place At Fifth Regiment Armory, and Large State Delegations Will Attend.

Baltimore Shriners and all other Masonic bodies in the city are working for the Bazaar to be held at the Fifth Regiment Armory April 14, 15 and 16. Officers and leaders in all branches of

that fraternity, together with several hundred of their wives and sisters, are bending every effort to make the Bazaar a success. It will be the largest ever held in the City of Baltimore.

Walter A. Raleigh, the general manager, announces that the entire floor space of the Armory will be arranged to represent street scenes in Bagdad and other cities of Turkey, the women will be gowned in costumes of Oriental design and during the day and night will saunter up and down the "streets" bargaining for the sell-

ing their wares. A space in the center of the Armory will be roped off for dancing and there will be nightly contests, with music by the Shriner's Band.

The entertainment and the program committees have arranged for special amusement features during the three days, so that no matter at what hour in the day or night a person may come, he will have plenty to amuse him.

The decoration committee is planning a big surprise for all who go to the Armory, and while the general

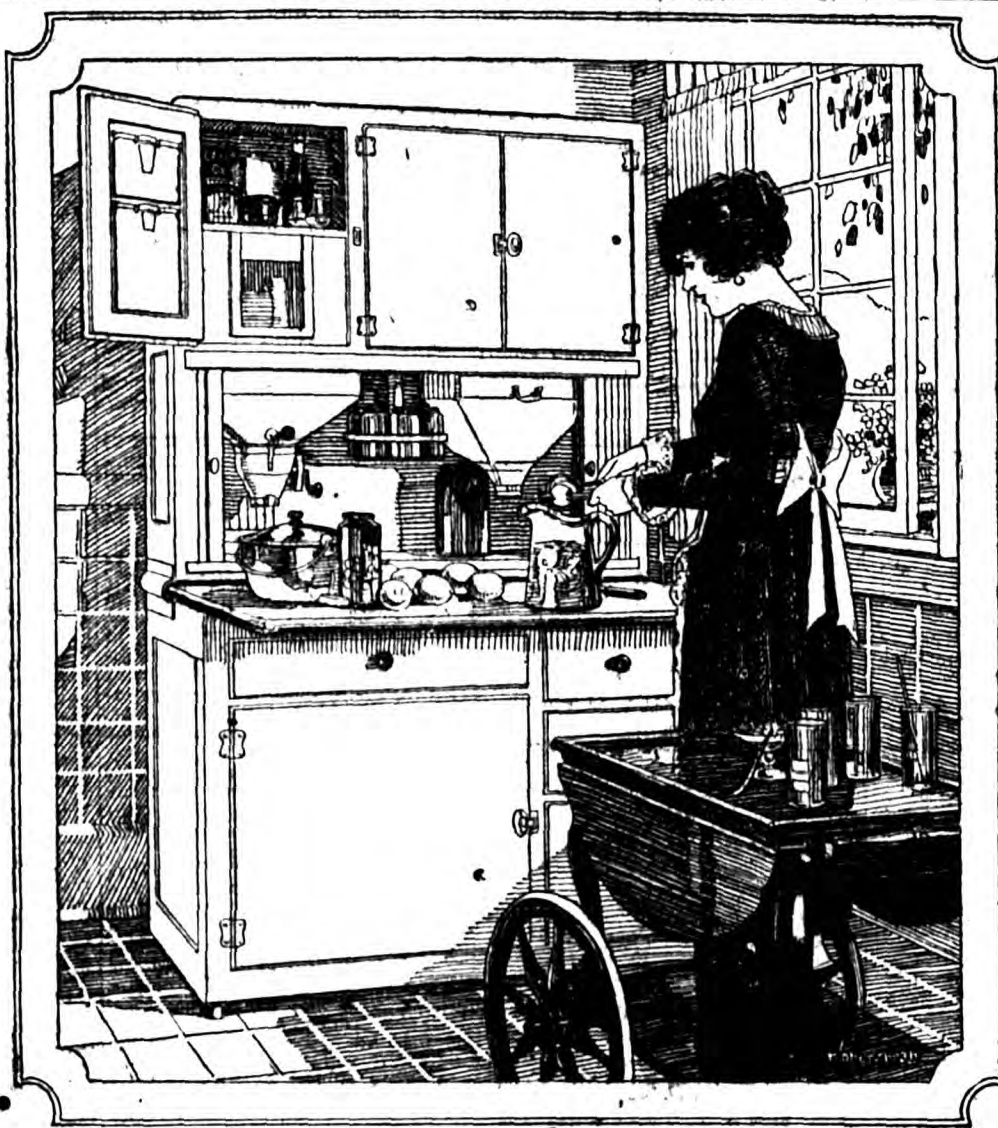
scheme of decoration will be of Oriental type, other novel ideas will be carried out.

A large delegation from all over the State is expected to motor to Baltimore each day. An attractive feature at the Bazaar will be the automobiles to be given holders of lucky numbers on season tickets. No less than ten machines will be awarded during the three nights.

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COUNTY NEWS.

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KELLY'S.
They and Avery Wimbrow spent Saturday evening with friends near Snow Hill.
We are glad to report that Mr. David Wimbrow is much better at this writing.
Messrs. Berry Morris and Stanley, Mr. A. W. Reddish and Mr. E. P. Gordy visited Mr. J. W. Esham Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. Hite Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Avery Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Avery Sunday.
Messrs. John W. Esham and Henry Mitchell made a business trip down the bay last Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkins spent Sunday with Mr. Henry Mitchell and family.
HEBRON
Mrs. J. A. Wright and son, George, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Ritchie, of Delmar.
Miss Edith Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Taylor, and Mr. Louis Dorsey, of Delmar, were married on

ternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Esham.
Mrs. Burk and daughter, Bertie, spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly.
Mr. and Mrs. Berry Morris and children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morris spent Sunday with Mr. E. P. Gordy.
Messrs. John W. Esham and Henry Mitchell made a business trip down the bay last Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkins spent Sunday with Mr. Henry Mitchell and family.
PARSONSBURG
Mrs. L. J. Powell visited her sister at St. Martins last Thursday.
Miss Lena Knowles spent the week end with Miss Agnes Brittingham.
Messrs. Charles and Earl White, of Greenbackville, Va., visited their brother, Mr. Herman White, a part of last week.
Mrs. Ella Moore spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Wilkins.
Rev. W. C. Poole and Mr. E. R. Ennis spent Tuesday with Mr. Ennis' father, Mr. Samuel Ennis.
Mr. L. J. Powell made a business trip to Snow Hill this week.
Rev. D. C. Steiner, the new pastor, preached in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning.
Rev. W. C. Poole left for his new appointment at Frankford, Del., Saturday. We wish him much success in his new field of labor.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis, of Pittsville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith, Sunday.
Mrs. Laura J. Parsons and Mrs. G. R. Adkins spent Saturday with Mrs. John Adkins in Salisbury.
BIVALLE
Mrs. Caroline Larmore returned home Sunday from a visit to her son, George W. Larmore, at White Haven. John D. Messick, of Wilmington, Del., visited relatives here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Clark Robertson spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lord, at Tyaskin.
Mrs. Ida Horner is improving the appearance of her home by a fresh coat of paint.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Langrall and Mrs. Ernest Horner and little daughter, Gussie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Larmore at White Haven last Sunday.
Miss Sadie Insley spent the week-end with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. John H. Insley.
Capt. S. A. Langrall spent a few days in St. Michaels last week.

Saturday last by Rev. Matthews, pastor of the M. E. Church. They left on the 3 o'clock train for Baltimore and Philadelphia. On their return they will reside at Delmar.
Mr. and Mrs. Showard Culver spent Sunday with Mrs. Culver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, at Queen Anne.
Mrs. Flora Parsons and Mr. Jack Reddish were quietly married on Saturday last.
Mrs. J. M. Wallace and son, Dorsey, who have been visiting her parents at Marion, returned home last week.
Mr. Allison Parsons, of Norfolk, visited his mother, Mrs. Flora Parsons, on Saturday last.
Mr. Harlen Wright, of Chester, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Wright.
Miss Emma Bradley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bradley, one day last week.
Miss Anna Davis is spending some time with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cann, at Atlantic Highlands, N. J.
Mrs. Harry Highman is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, at Marion.

Race Track Gambling Is Flayed Hard

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Randall; Bethany, Broadway, G. E. Brown; Brooklyn, H. B. Jester; Calvary, N. C. Clough; Chesaco Park, H. A. Kestner; Christ Church, A. A. Sexsmith; East Baltimore, G. A. Ogg; Eutaw, W. P. Roberts; Evergreen, F. T. Little; Hampden, E. D. Stone; Keene Memorial, A. S. Beane; Laura-ville, H. S. Johnson; Linthicum Heights, B. W. Kindley; Lowe Memorial, W. A. Melvin; North Baltimore, W. D. L. Sagger; Payson Street, E. I. Ballar; South Baltimore, W. F. Johns, L. F. Warner; St. Paul's, D. F. Reynolds; Trinity, R. W. White; Violentville, W. B. Judeford; Waverly, Z. J. Turkington; West Baltimore, P. M. Gill; Wilton Heights, C. C. Day; Baltimore Circuit, S. F. Cassen.
Bedford, Pa.—A. A. Bryan.
Belair—C. P. Nowling.
Bivalle—L. E. Haddaway.
Buckeystown—J. W. Kirk.
Cambridge—Circuit—Earl Cummings.
Cannon, Del.—J. W. Townsend.
Caroline, Del.—A. W. Betts.
Cecil—G. E. Turner.
Centerville—G. M. Clayton.
Chesterdown—N. O. Gibson.
Cincoteague, Va.—H. H. Garroll—(supply).
Clayton, Del.—E. C. Graham.
Concord, Pa.—(To be supplied).
Conquest, Va.—E. Hungerford.
Crisfield, C. M. Elderdice; Lawsonia, C. M. Jenkins; Mariners, F. K. McOrkle.
Cumberland, First Church, H. L. Schlinke; Maple Side and Fairview, F. W. Siffin; Melvin Chapel, F. M. Volk.
Deer Park—J. N. Link.
Delmar, Del.—E. H. Jones.
Delta, Pa.—A. W. Ewell, Jr.
Denton—J. A. Dudley.
Dorchester—D. W. Anstine.
Dover and Leipsic—T. C. Jones.
Easton—E. T. Read.
Elizabeth, N. J.—J. W. Balderson.
Fairfax, Va.—C. M. Kelsier.
Fawn Grove, Pa.—F. A. Holland.
Federalburg—J. L. Nichols.
Felton, Del.—H. F. Butler (supply).
Finksburg—C. K. McCaslin.
First Church, Newark, N. J.—E. C. Makosky.
Franklin City—R. W. Sutcliffe.
Frederick, Md.—J. W. Parris.
Georgetown, Del.—J. T. Bailey.
Greenbush and Tasley, Va.—G. J. Leister.
Greenwood, Del.—H. L. Murphy.
Grove—F. J. Phillips.
Harbeson, Del.—C. S. Larrimore.
Harmony, Va.—G. S. Ross.
Harper's Ferry, W. Va.—E. W. Simms.
Harrington, Del.—K. H. Warchheim.
Howard—Carroll Maddox.
Hurlock—C. M. Adams.
Indian River—Dorsey Blake.
Kempston—A. H. Green.
Kennedyville—J. F. Wooden.
Kent Island—Tracy Penby.
Laurel, Del.—W. L. Hoffman; Laurel Circuit, J. P. George.
Leeds—Ziba Adams.
Liberty—W. A. Sites.
Lisbon—F. S. Cain.
Lynchburg, Va.—A. N. Ward.
Mandela—C. N. Alexander.
Marley—T. C. Mulligan (supply).
Milford, Del.—C. E. Dryden.
Milton, Del.—T. O. Crouse.
Mount Nebo—S. C. Wood.
New Church, Va.—G. A. Morris.
New Market—P. M. R. Schauer.
Nichols Memorial and Glenburnie—J. H. Lynch.
Northumberland, Va.—C. H. Dixon.
Oxford—H. W. D. Johnson.
Parksley, Va.—W. H. Hodges.
Patapsco—(To be supplied).
Philadelphia—Emmanuel, J. F. Bryan; St. Luke's, J. W. Trout; Taylor Memorial—H. O. Keen; Pipe Creek, B. F. Crowsen.
Pittsville—G. J. Hooker.
Pocomoke City—E. L. Bunce; Pocomoke Circuit, (To be supplied).
Potomac—J. L. Green.
Powellville—J. S. Owens.
Quantico—H. J. Mason (supply).
Queen Anne—E. McKean.
Reliance—F. M. Cliff.
Rowlandville—L. E. Bee (supply).
Salem—J. W. Baxley.
Salisbury—R. L. Shipley.
Seaford, Del.—S. W. Coe.
Selbyville, Del.—(To be supplied).
Sharpton—G. R. Tompkins.
Snow Hill—C. E. Strauburg.
Stewartstown, Pa.—G. H. Stocks-dale.
St. James—Avery Donovan.
St. Michael's—G. E. McDorman.
Susquehanna—J. M. Brown.
Texas—W. S. Simms.
Trinity—George Hines.
Union—J. A. Wright.
Union Bridge—W. S. Hanks.
Wallace Memorial—W. F. Bauscher.
Warwick—C. M. Cullum.
Washington—Cherrydale, W. M. Snyder; First Church, C. M. Compher; Georgetown, B. F. Riley; Mount Taber, E. T. Kirkley; North Baltimore, P. W. Crosby; Rhode Island Avenue—G. I. Humphreys; Wesley Chapel of Kent—A. F. T. Raum; Westminster—E. H. Vandyeke.
Wilmington, Del.—First Church, F. G. Holloway; Peninsula, L. B. Martin.
Whaleyville—C. P. Butler.
Wye—L. W. Gordon.

asked the board to erect an addition to the present building. The board decided, however, that it was not in a position to erect more school houses, but could find room in the Mardela High School building for all pupils who could not be accommodated at Double Mills, and the board would pay the cost of transportation, which would be much cheaper than the erection and maintenance of an extra room at Double Mills.
The Board of Education on Tuesday voted unanimously to rescind the resolution passed at the previous meeting to include in next year's budget an appropriation for the purchase of "Gordy Park" for use as an athletic field. This action was taken not because the board has changed its mind as to the need of such an addition as an athletic field to the Wicomico High School, but because it would be very inconsistent for the board to include an item of several thousand dollars in the budget for the purchase of an athletic park and at the same time refuse to include one for increasing the salaries of teachers.

"Y" CONVENTION WILL BE HELD IN CUMBERLAND

The convention of Young Men's Christian Associations of Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia and West Virginia, will be held in Cumberland, Md., on April 15 to 17, inclusive. Owing to the fact that Dedication Services will be held at the Salisbury "Y" on Sunday, Mr. Hamersloough, the local secretary, will be unable to attend the sessions. Mr. Fred P. Adkins is a member of the Interstate Executive Committee.

Miss Frances Price, who has been ill at her home on Walnut street, for several days, is we are glad to report, improving.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE—I HAVE BEEN APPOINTED Justice of Peace in Parsons District with an office in the Humphreys Bldg., East Main street, Salisbury. Collections a specialty. L. T. Hearn. 2-21-150

Notice to Merchants Traders, Etc.

Requiring Licenses

This is to give notice to all persons requiring licenses, that I have received from the Comptroller of the State the various forms of license blanks and that I am ready to issue licenses to all persons, firms, or corporations required by law to secure licenses. The law requires that licenses be taken out before May 1st, 1921.
J. CLAYTON KELLY,
Clerk of Circuit Court.
4-28-152.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES—Ten cents a line for each insertion—minimum five lines. Count six words to line and include address. Obituaries, memorials, announcements and reading notices at same rate. Replies can be sent in care of The News. All classified advertising must be paid for in advance.

ANNOUNCEMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT—I DESIRE TO make this formal announcement of my candidacy for the Legislature to represent Wicomico county, subject of course to the Democratic Primaries. If nominated and elected I will represent them to the best of my ability. Jehu D. Dolby, White Haven, Maryland. T-114

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF Wicomico County—I herewith announce my candidacy for the nomination as one of the County Commissioners, subject to the Democratic Primaries. I will appreciate the support of all those who believe I possess the proper qualifications to fill this important office. Theodore S. Hearn, 5-5-117

ANNOUNCEMENT—IN RESPONSE to the earnest solicitation of many of my friends throughout the county, I have determined to become a candidate for nomination on the Democratic ticket to the office of County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primaries. I shall be my purpose, if nominated and elected to this office, to at all times endeavor to serve the interests of the county at large, to the best of my ability. George L. Long, Delmar, Md. T-1777

ANNOUNCEMENT—IN SUBMITTING my candidacy to the Democratic voters for representative from Wicomico County to the next House of Delegates, I desire to make no pledges but if nominated and elected I will be ever mindful of the best interests of the taxpayers of this county and State. My past legislative experience will greatly aid me in being of even greater service to the taxpayers and it will be my pleasure and duty to cast my vote according to the sentiments of Wicomico County. Soliciting the support of all Democratic voters, I remain, Yours very respectfully, Nathaniel O. Austin, Mardela Springs, Md. T-1807

ANNOUNCEMENT—TO THE VOTERS of Wicomico County: Having always aspired to the Clerkship of Wicomico County, I hereby announce my candidacy for this important office. I feel that my long experience and training in this office as Deputy Clerk qualifies me to fill this position. All assistance given me will be appreciated. IRA D. TURNER. 4-28-56

ANNOUNCEMENT—HAVING A DESIRE, and upon the solicitation of friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Delegates, subject to the Democratic Primaries. If nominated and elected, I promise to serve Wicomico county to the best of my ability. L. Thomas Parker. 2-24-rx-1748

ANNOUNCEMENT—I DESIRE TO announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Wicomico county subject to the Democratic primaries. John H. Farlow. T-1890

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—TWO UNFURNISHED rooms, good location, all conveniences. Reasonable. Address Box 123 care Wicomico News. 123

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS WITH bath. Apply Mrs. L. D. Windsor, 500 Camden Avenue, City. 4-21-142

FOR RENT—OFFICES CONVENI- ently situated in the heart of the city, newly finished, clean, bright, and attractive. Rent extremely reasonable. For further particulars apply to Box 1001, care Wicomico News. 2-17-1690

FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT— In the best location of Salisbury, close to station. Gentleman preferred. Apply to D. W. S., c/o Wicomico News. T-41

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—WHITE LEIGHORN eggs for hatching from two year old hens, on free range. C. C. Hastings, R. F. D. No. 3, Salisbury, Md. Telephone 1827-21. 2-24-8-1722

FOR SALE—ONE 16 H. P. DOUBLE cylinder Reeves steam engine, A. No. 1 condition; one 14 H. P. Aultman & Taylor steam engine in first class condition; one Peerless 14 H. P. steam engine, fine condition; also an agent of the well known Aultman & Taylor threshing machine. E. Wilson Pusey, Hebron, Md. 4-14-48

FOR SALE—ONE TON TRUCK Trailer—solid rubber tires—newly painted—excellent condition. Good bargain. Apply to L. P. Coulbourn, Phone 345. 4-21-140

FOR SALE—REED BABY CARRI- age, Stroller style, reasonable, wooden bed, springs and mattress. Apply Mrs. C. K. Tanner, 112 E. Isabella St. 135

FOR SALE—ONE HAYWOOD AND Wakefield Baby Carriage, one Bassinet, with stand, one natural reed stroller, one play pen. Mrs. E. C. Hammerly, Wicomico St., Phone 356. 4-21-120

FOR SALE—ONE DODGE TOUR- ing, 20 model, in good condition. Price reasonable. George T. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 4-21-103

FOR SALE—ONE FORD RACER type, reasonable price to a quick buyer. George T. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 4-21-102

FOR SALE—OAK BEDROOM Suite and White Enamel Child's Crib. Call at 114 Isabella street or 135

FOR SALE—MODERN SEMI-DE- tached house in one of the best locations in Salisbury. 7 rooms. Bath, gas and electricity; garage; large lot. Address Box No. 145, care The Wicomico News. T-145

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT IN town of Fruitland, where I now live. Also one Ford truck. H. J. Bounds. 4-14-47

FOR SALE—8 FT. LIQUID SODA Fountain with back bat. Practically new. Address Saltz Bros. Crisfield, Md. T-14

PUMPING OUTFIT FOR SALE—1 6 H. P. Fairbanks Gasoline Engine complete with magneto, Goulds Pyramid pump, 1,000 gallons capacity; 1 lot shafting, pulleys and hangers. This outfit is complete. Has had little use and will be sold at a bargain. For prices apply to Mark Cooper, Salisbury, Md. 2-10-tf-kx-1658

FOR SALE—1 ELECTRIC MOTOR A. C. 1 Electric Generator, D. C. 1 Air Compressor, 1 1-ton chain hoist, 1 Wireless Outfit, Rayfield Carburator, Sterling Tires, U. S. L. Batteries, etc. All of the above I will sell at cost. Nevins W. Todd, Main street, Salisbury, Md. Phone 43. 4-14-55

FOR SALE—PAIR OF MATCHED mules with leather harness, also three pure bred Jersey Bull Calves, cheap to quick buyer. J. B. Wood, Quantico Wharf, Md. 4-14-53

FOR SALE—BUICK TOURING CAR. Buick 25 in good condition. Will sell very reasonably. Motor in excellent condition. Suitable for truck as well as for touring. Would make an A-1 truck. Must sell at once. This is your opportunity for a REAL bargain. See Rev. John L. Pretymann, Mardela Springs, Md. 4-14-54

FOR SALE—1918 SAXON 6 ROAD- ster. Good condition, electric lights and starter. \$250. J. H. Cordery, Hebron, Md. 4-28-52

FOR SALE—CAR IN GOOD RUN- ning condition, 7 passenger Studebaker, cheap to quick buyer. Apply to W. C. Carew, 224 Isabella street, Phone No. 445-W. T-1777

FOR SALE—ONE BOOKKEEPER'S mahogany standing desk. Electric attachments. Good condition. Bargain to quick buyer. May be seen at the Wicomico News office. T-1800 S. Hearn and Children.

DELMAR HOME FOR SALE—I OF- fer at private sale the home of the late Elder A. B. Francis located at Delmar, Del., containing nine and one-half acres of land. Improvements consist of a good eleven room dwelling in good condition, good barn, garage, carriage house and poultry house. Good orchard of apple, peach, pear and cherry trees in bearing. Good grape arbor. Modern conveniences. Apply to M. Fannie Francis, Executrix. T-1851

FOR SALE—SPLIT OAK AND Pine wood, cut to stove lengths. Smith and Williams Co., Salisbury, Md. T-1872

FOR SALE—GRINDING MILL AT Cod Creek. Apply owner, Mrs. P. Hogan, Sharptown, Md. 4-14-83

MISCELLANEOUS

TOILET VAULTS CLEANED— Phone 733-J. T-112

Phone 51. 4-21-143

WANTED

FARM WANTED—Wanted to hear from owner of a farm or good land for sale for fall delivery. L. JONES Box 551, Olney, Ill. 153.

WANTED—SALESMAN FOR 6,000 mile guaranteed tires. Guaranteed salary \$100.00 weekly with extra commissions. Cowan Tire & Rubber Co., Box 784, Chicago, Ill. 149

WANTED—TWO OR THREE cheap Fords, model must be later than 15. See E. S. Insley at G. T. Insley's Garage, Fruitland, Md. 4-14-105

WANTED TO BUY—SMALL SIZE iron safe. Price must be right. George T. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 4-14-104

WANTED—SOMEONE TO CLEAN the M. P. Church, Delmar, weekly. Apply to Mrs. Clarence Calhoun, 3 E. Elizabeth St., Delmar, Del. 137

WANTED—A POSITION AS BOOK- keeper by young man, graduate of Beacom Business College. Apply to Box 57, Bloxom, Virginia. T-141

WANTED—RELIABLE AGENT IN each district of Wicomico county to sell slightly used clothing, hats, etc., to the retail trade. Splendid business. Big profits. Address Box 1978, c/o The Wicomico News. 4-14-1978

WANTED—RELIABLE PERSON TO solicit orders for our products in your town and vicinity. We have a full line of necessities which we sell to the consumer, your compensation will average 30 cents for each order you take, our salesmen average twenty new orders a day, therefore you can make \$6.00 a day at this work. Apply Grand Union Tea Co. Euphrates Carey, Light St., Salisbury. T-bx-1804

WANTED—TENANTS FOR SEVER- al excellent offices in splendid location. Apply today. Box 1001, care The Wicomico News. 2-24-tf-1712

IN MEMORIAM

ELLIOTT—IN SAD BUT LOVING remembrance of our dear mother, Lula A. Elliott, who departed this life April 3, 1921.
Dearest Mother, thou hast left us, And our loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that has bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.
So beautiful in death you lay,
'Twas hard to think you could not stay,
On earth, 'twas hard to give you up,
Again to drink the bitter cup.
God called her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts we love her still,
Her memory is as dear today,
As the Sunday she passed away.
Mother has gone but not forgotten,
Never shall her memory fade,
Sweet thoughts shall ever linger,
Around the grave where she is laid.
All is dark within our dwelling,
Lonely are our hearts today,
She had never been forgotten,
Since the angels came and took her away.
O, silent grave, to three we trust,
This precious share of earthly dust,
O, guard it well, most silent tomb,
Until we, too, shall ask for rest.
118 BY SON, EARL.

HUGHES—IN SAD BUT LOVING remembrance of our dear son, William Hughes, who departed this life one year ago, April 11.
God called him home on Sunday morn,
He called us all to follow on,
How calm and peaceful he passed away.
To await us all some glorious day.
Oh, the memory of that morning,
As we watched with aching hearts,
It was so hard, but God knew best,
And may we all find that sweet rest.
113 "MAMA."

CARDS OF THANKS—We take these means to thank our many friends who assisted us during our recent bereavement. Especially those who furnished their automobiles at the funeral. W. H. Moore and children. 119

CARDS OF THANKS—WE WISH TO thank our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our daughter, and wife, Linda Adams, also for the beautiful flowers and automobiles that were furnished for the funeral. Mother and Husband. 147

CARD OF THANKS—THROUGH the columns of this paper we wish to thank the many people for their kindness during the illness of our husband and father and for the use of automobiles at the funeral. Mrs. E. S. Hearn and Children. 144

GARFORD TRUCKS

I have nine trucks on my floor, all sizes, 3/4 ton up. Am compelled to turn them back into cash. I hereby offer them at Factory cost, the discount off, while they last.

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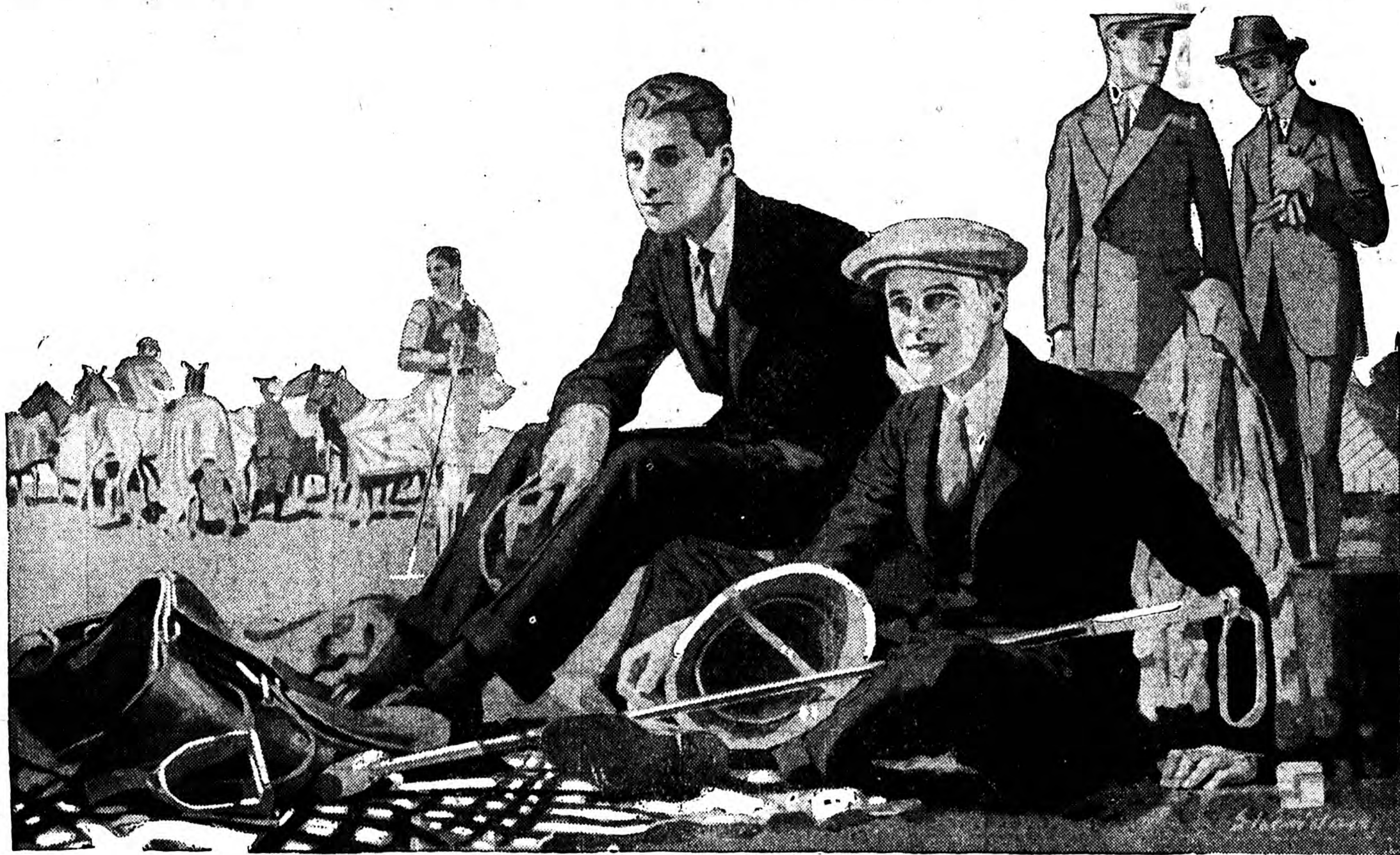
Lard 2lbs 25c	Puffed Rice 14c package
Pure Hog	
Kirkmans Soap 4 Bars 25c	Lenox Soap 10 Bars 35c
Campbell's Soups, can 25c	Wheat Farina pk. Same as Cream of Wheat 19c
Corn, 3 Cans fine quality 25c	Macaroni, pkg 3 packages 25c 8 1-3 c
Tomatoes, 2 cans fine quality 15c	Shredded Wheat 2 Packages 25c
Pork and Beans, can none better 9c	Flour A. & P. Brand 12 lb. Bag 63c
Campbell's beans, can you know the quality 10c	Oleomargarine, A. & P. Golden Spread, lb. 27c
Teas of quality, lb. 45c	Chocolate 1/2 lb. cake 19c
Navy Beans, fine for soup or baking, lb. 5c	Colmans Mustard can 29c
Tuna fish 1/2 lb. can 18c	Ivory Soap small, 2 Bars 15c
Peaches Evaporated Delicious fruit, lb. 19c	Cheese, N.Y. State Full Cream 29c
Corn Flakes, A. & P. None better, pkg. 8c	Spaghetti, pkg. 3 packages 25c 8 1-3 c
Flour Mill Brands 12 pound bag 69c	Nutto Nutmargarine, lb. 26c
Coffee, It is the talk of the town, lb. 29c	Baker's Cocoa None better 1/2 lb. can 22c
Rice Fine quality head rice 5c	Apricots Evaporated Delicious fruit, lb. 27c

The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.
207 N. Division Street, Salisbury, Maryland.

Increase For Teachers Now Up To County

(Continued from Page 1.)

portunity to the teachers to present their case to the Commissioners. The conference will be held in the court room, as a large attendance is expected.
At Tuesday's meeting a set of resolutions from the colored teachers of the county was laid before the board, asking an increase of \$35 per year in the salary of each teacher. This request will, of course, be considered by the County Commissioners in their action affecting the increase asked by white teachers.
Patrons of Double Mills school, near Barren Creek, sent a delegation which



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SECOND SECTION.

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FINE REPORT FOR SALISBURY M. E. DISTRICT

Presented By Dr. Collins And
Shows Remarkable
Achievement.

MINIMUM SALARY IS
FIXED AT \$1,200.00

Every Charge in the District Except
Four Advanced Salaries of Pastors
Last Year—Church Improvements
Costing Nearly Fifty Thousand
Dollars Were Made.

Remarkable achievements by Methodists of the Salisbury District were related by District Superintendent Collins, of Salisbury, in his report read at the recent session of the Wilmington Conference. The great work accomplished in the district during the conference year will be read with interest by Methodists everywhere.

Dr. Collins, at the outset said 1302 accessions to the churches on his district were made during the conference year, ending June 1, 1920. He told of a revival conducted in the Rev. Dr. Wilbur F. Corkran's church, Asbury, near Crisfield, which resulted in 450 conversions. He also told of the great success of the Rev. J. L. Johnson, of Immanuel Church, Crisfield, a former Wilmington pastor. Dr. Collins also referred to the excellent results attained by the Rev. Thomas S. Dixon at Ayres' Chapel, the Rev. R. H. Wilson at Annapessex, the Rev. J. P. Outten, at Deal's Island, with 80 accessions to his churches; the Rev. J. W. Prettyman at Somerset with 145 conversions.

Salaries Increased.

Dr. Collins' report shows up well in the matter of increases in salaries of pastors: "The District continues its fine advance in pastoral support. For the first time in the history of the District, if not in the history of the Conference, it is possible to report that no pastor on Salisbury District, whether a member of the Conference or a supply, will receive less than \$1,200 for his year of service. Every charge but eight set their salaries at \$1,200 or more, and every one of the eight has been sufficiently supplemented from Domestic Missions to reach the minimum. Every charge on the District but four advanced their pastor's salary this year, says Dr. Collins.

The salary increases on the District totaled for the year \$10,892. "Add this to the \$18,304 advance for pastoral support secured during the three

preceding years, and it gives a grand total of \$20,186 for the four years of my administration," said Dr. Collins.

Paid-On Church Debts.

"During the past year debts aggregating \$13,656 have been paid by 12 charges as follows: On churches, Delmar, \$3,000; Girdlestone, \$650; Ocean View, \$225; Pocomoke City, \$3,000; St. Peter's, \$50; Somerset, \$100; Remson Church, Stockton, \$3,137. On parsonages, Pittsville, \$1,050; Powellville, \$110. On both churches and parsonages, Deal's Island Church, \$500; parsonage, \$200; Hebron, church \$1,260, parsonage, \$60; Onancock, church, \$100; parsonage, \$125.

Twenty-eight churches improved their churches and twenty-seven their parsonages, calling for the expenditure of \$39,702 on churches and \$6,116 on parsonages, making a grand total for improvements of \$45,818. He also said:

"The record of building achievement for the year, however, reaches high water mark in the completion of our beautiful church at Ocean City, Md., Rev. E. P. Thomas, pastor. The total costs of building, grounds and equipment amount to approximately \$19,000, fully provided for."

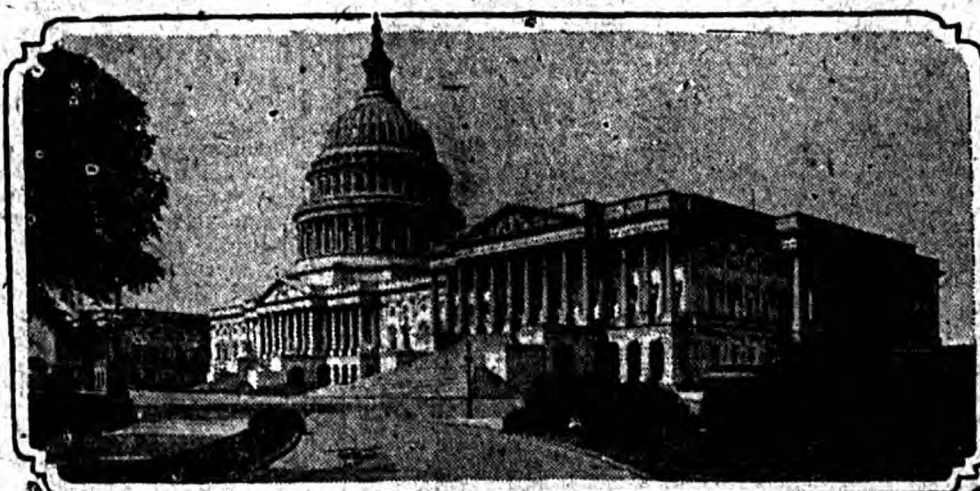
"Asbury (Salisbury), the Rev. J. T. Herson, pastor, continued its forward march. Revival services held this year resulted in 150 conversions, and a total of 191 accessions during the year. Asbury this year improved the parsonage at a cost of \$500; gave \$700 for Near East relief, and \$296 for China relief; has 21 students away in schools and colleges, one of whom is studying for the ministry; advanced her pastor's salary \$600; gives \$200 for Domestic Missions; and lays on the altar the full apportionment for every Disciplinary Benevolence.

"What has been my share in this wonderful work? Well, I hold from six to ten Quarterly Conferences each week, and preach three times every Sunday. I average 2,500 miles in the automobile every three months to cover the work, and yet it took two books of clerical orders besides to do the work. I have sent out some hundreds of letters and slept in enough different beds to please the most changeable minded."

"EXERCISE BOY" KILLED AT THE RIDDLE FARM

"Johnny" Egan, aged 16, "exercise boy," employed at the Glen Riddle Farm, near Berlin, was thrown from a horse he was exercising on the Riddle track Monday morning, April 4, and died a few hours later. Egan was on the back stretch when the accident occurred, and no one saw him fall, but from appearances it seems that the saddle slipped, and as he fell his foot caught in the stirrup, causing him to be dragged some distance. Death was due to a fractured skull.

Special Session Congress Started Monday.



CAPITOL AT WASHINGTON

NEWS PICKED UP AROUND COURT HOUSE

Items Gathered In Rambles By the
Reporter For The Wicomico
News.

Clerk J. Clayton Kelly is now ready for the annual issuance of traders' licenses which must be secured not later than May 1st.

The county commissioners are now giving much attention to the forthcoming levy to be made the first of June. Every possible consideration is being given to needed objects, and at the same time the commissioners feel the absolute necessity of cutting the rate to the lowest possible point. The board has no discretion in what to do in over half of the levy, as this amount is made compulsory under the law. For court expenses, roads and schools, etc., they can use discretion, but even in the matter of schools much of it is designated and required by law. With the reduction in farm revenues especially the board realizes that the tax rate must be cut to the limit of safety.

The matter of roads gives the most concern as a great deal of money is needed to keep them in shape. From now until the levy is struck the board will have its hands full in determining the amounts to be raised.

The County Treasurer reports that tax collections are "very slow." Usually the months of March, April and May show the smallest collections of taxes, but this year there is a greater falling off than usual, and the Treasurer cannot find money necessary to pay urgent bills. There is barely enough coming in to pay the ordinary running expenses of the county, which leaves expenditures for schools, roads, and other extraordinary purposes almost impossible. So far the schools have been taken care of by issuing short-term script for several thousand dollars, but many road bills are being deferred. It is believed, however, that within the next two or three months, when the berry and other crops come on, money will be a little easier and tax collections will be about normal.

The report of Treasurer Dennis for the quarter ending March 31, 1921, shows total receipts of \$86,983.43 (including a balance on hand Jan. 3 of \$11,878.36) and disbursements of \$78,056.18, leaving a balance of \$8,927.25.

SPEEDING UP SALES.

The Wicomico Motor Car Company is making a special effort to increase the sale of Chevrolet "Four-Nineties" in this territory. The manufacturers have made an offer of substantial refunds if the total sales for this model reach 50,000 cars this year.

The Wicomico Motor Car Company now is under the management of Mr. J. Preston Short, who for several years was sales manager of The D. W. Perdue Auto Company. Mr. Short is well acquainted with the auto business on the Eastern Shore.

BAPTISTS TO GIVE SOCIAL.

The annual social of the First Baptist Church will be held Friday evening, April 15, in the basement of the M. E. Church. Among the attractions will be a playlet entitled, "Ruth's Donation Party," fancywork table, parcel post package sale and fish pond. Ice cream and cake for sale. Admission free.

Fractures Thigh; Shock Kills Her.

London—At a Hackney inquest, says the Times, it was stated that a woman rose from her chair and stretched herself, and in doing so fractured her thigh and died from shock.

BIG OPPORTUNITIES FOR SALISBURY'S MEN AND BOYS

That was a significant hour for the boys and men of Salisbury when Mrs. E. E. Jackson presented that magnificent memorial building to the men and boys of Salisbury and decided to join hands with the Young Men's Christian Association in putting on a community-wide program of work with the boys and men of Salisbury.

The directors of the local Young Men's Christian Association in directing and promoting this work have taken the initiative in a far-sighted and constructive policy for the development of young men to whom the city fathers of today can confidently entrust Salisbury's future. A large number of citizens of Salisbury who have already contributed to the support of this noble work have acted in accordance with a very sound principle, namely, that it is better to place a railing around a precipice than to furnish an ambulance at the bottom.

The wisdom of this progressive step will be better understood when twenty years from today the young men upon whose shoulders will rest the commercial, civic, social and religious interests of Salisbury will rise up and call blessed those men who gave them opportunity in their boyhood to prepare for such responsibilities. These men have recognized that the community's greatest asset is its boys, and they have dealt intelligently with the most serious problem that confronts any community—the conservation of its boyhood.

Some of the objectives of the Young Men's Christian Association are: First—To bring individual boys and men to a personal knowledge of Jesus Christ as their Saviour, to lead them to dedicate their lives to Him, and to train them as His disciples in active service for others.

Second—To relate the association program to the churches of the community and to enlist boys and men in active church membership.

Third—To stimulate in the community a program of activities for the welfare and uplifting of boy life and man life in all that stands for the highest manhood.

Fourth—To include in this program such practical steps toward eliminating causes of evil as may be in harmony with its objectives, and not to be content merely with alleviating the results of evil.

Fifth—To co-operate with other agencies working to Christianize community life.

Sixth—To supplement and strengthen the Home, the Church, the School, and the Municipality in their relations to the social, educational, recreational, moral and spiritual life of the community.

Membership in the local Young Men's Christian Association is open to all men and boys from 12 years of age and upward. Its members come from every calling, profession and religion, clerks, merchants, book-keepers, bankers, doctors, lawyers, ministers, farmers, students, church members and non-church members, poor and rich—ALL ARE WELCOME. THE ONLY TEST IS CHARACTER.

The Y. M. C. A. building will be open every day from 9 A. M. till 10 P. M. Special class hours will be arranged for the boys to use the shower baths through the summer and gymnasium classes during the fall and winter. There are many privileges to be had at the "Y" during the coming year. WHICH DO YOU WANT? TAKE YOUR CHOICE. Men's meetings, Bible classes, men's gymnasium classes, boys' gymnasium classes, basketball leagues, baseball leagues, volleyball leagues, billiard tables, chess and checker rooms, shower baths, annual circus sootals, banquets, public reading room and writing

room and dormitories.

The privilege of helping to carry on this work is yours. A large number of boys and men are now using the many privileges. Don't you wait to be asked to join, go around to the "Y" and take out a membership and meet the new secretary. Full membership fees are \$10 a year; \$6.00 for students and \$3.00 for juniors.

"Y" not join the "Y" today? DO IT NOW.

LOCAL FIRM BUYS NEW PAINTING DEVICE

R. G. Evans & Son To Install Equipment Which Sprays Paint By Means of Compressed Air.

Salisbury homes, stores, churches and general buildings can shortly be painted at less than one-half of the present cost, according to Mr. Marvin C. Evans, of R. G. Evans & Son, Incorporated, who has just purchased a machine manufactured by the Devilbiss Company which sprays the paint by compressed air.

The equipment consists of a portable engine and air compressor mounted on a truck trailer, a portable paint tank which can be carried up on the workingmen's scaffolding, and many lengths of hose. The paint is applied to the house in a fine spray through an automatic nozzle directed by the painter, and gives a coating that is said to be greatly superior to that obtainable with a brush.

Oil paints, mill whites, asphaltum, flat wall paints, enamels and first coats are equally usable in the Aeron System, and there are no skimped places, lays, or brush marks in the sprayed coating. There is practically no waste as all the material reaches and remains on the surface.

The speed of covering is from three to five times faster than hand-brushing, and as much as 2,000 square feet can be covered an hour. Cutting in around trim is an easy matter, for the operator simply slides a metal guard along the side of the nozzle and thus does away with wiping up.

Mr. Evans, it is said, has arranged to paint the interior of J. Waller Williams' Garage on Church street and the home of Dr. D. B. Potter as soon as his new equipment arrives. Further announcement will be made at a later date and it is expected that this innovation will be demonstrated before a large and interested crowd of spectators.

U. S. NAVY RECRUITING RESUMED IN BALTIMORE

Commander Archibald G. Stirling, in charge of the naval recruiting station in Baltimore, has announced that Navy Recruiting has been resumed at the Baltimore station and that any healthy young men in good standing in this community who desire to enter the navy will be forwarded transportation to Baltimore if their names are sent in by the postmaster of Salisbury.

The minimum age for applicants is 18 years and enlistments are for a term of four years. It also was announced that sub-recruiting stations in Maryland and West Virginia have been closed and will not be re-opened in the near future.

WILL BOND WORCESTER CO.

On Tuesday the Board of County Commissioners for Worcester county voted to bond the county to raise Worcester's portion of the amount required to finish the lateral and post roads from Showell to the Delaware line and from Stockton to Snow Hill.

Apply At Armory For Victory Medals

Applications Will Be Received There And Forwarded To Baltimore For Issuance.

All men who served in the United States Army from April 6, 1917, to November 11, 1918, or at any time during that period, and have an honorable discharge, are entitled to a Victory Medal. These medals are to be issued through the office of Lieut. Harry L. Hagan, Inspector Instructor, Maryland National Guard, Baltimore.

Application for Victory Medals may be made at the First Regiment Armory, Salisbury. Sergeant Alonzo McNeale, who is stationed in Salisbury as Sergeant Instructor may be found daily, at the Armory from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. This will offer an opportunity for all ex-service men in Wicomico county to get their medals with little trouble.

In making application for medals it is necessary to show an honorable discharge and if the applicant does not wish the discharge forwarded to Baltimore an extract from the discharge will be made and sent with application. Victory Medals will be mailed direct from the Baltimore office. In case the discharge is mailed with the application, it will be returned as soon as the application has been checked.

Well-Known Citizen Died Last Week

Mr. Elijah S. Hearn, of Parsons District, Was 77 Years Of Age.

One of Parsons District's oldest and best known residents passed away last Thursday in the death of Mr. Elijah S. Hearn. Mr. Hearn was operated upon for bladder trouble at the Peninsula General Hospital and rallied from the operation, but suffered a relapse and passed away.

Deceased was 77 years of age and had been a resident of Parsons District all his life, residing on a farm near Zion Church, where he was born, until 1912, when he moved to Salisbury. Mr. Hearn was active in religious affairs, having become a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church before he reached his majority. Besides his widow, Mrs. Melissa C. Hearn, he is survived by the following children, Mr. E. Virgil Hearn, Miss Annie Hearn and Mrs. Lloyd Chandler, all of this city, and Mrs. Ernest E. Brown and Mr. H. Lloyd Hearn, both of this county.

Funeral services were held at his late home on East Church street, Salisbury, Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. Herson. Interment was in Parsons cemetery.

For croup or sore throat, use Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Two sizes, 30c and 60c. At all drug stores.—Adv.

POPPIES TO BE MEMORIAL DAY FLOWER

American Legion Wants Emblem Of Flanders Field Worn By Everyone May 30.

FLOWERS BEING MADE ON HALLOWED GROUND

Request Made That Insignia Be Not Commercialized—All Profits From Sale of the Flower Will Go For Relief of Children in Devastated France.

When in 1917 the honor of the flag and the safety of the country were assailed by the foe, unheeded of danger, brave men rushed to the defense of American traditions. They went ready to give their all. Some went across the seas, some stayed in camps at home, but all did a "man's work." And when victory had been achieved THEY CAME HOME, but NOT ALL many were lying in Flanders Fields forming the corner stone of the foundation of the peace of the world.

For these heroes, for their sorrowing mothers, and in gratitude for the security we are enjoying today, thanks to their sacrifice, let us keep in a sacred and reverent manner Memorial Day, May 30, 1921.

Profits For Worthy Cause.

The American Legion has chosen the Poppy of Flanders Field as the Memorial flower to be worn on May 30. It has requested that the emblem be not commercialized. Therefore the flowers are being made in the very places where the boys fought and won and where—so many sleep.

The profits will be given to the relief of children in devastated France. Any auxiliary, society, club or Federation of Clubs, who wish in a patriotic and loyal spirit, to undertake the sale of poppies in their city or county, will receive 200 poppies for every 1,000 population, payments for these to be made after Memorial Day when returning unsold poppies.

It is intended that May 30 shall prove to be a "NATIONAL DEMONSTRATION OF REVERENCE AND ADMIRATION" for the men who served in 1917-18, bringing GLORY TO THE FLAG—HONOR TO THE COUNTRY—PEACE TO THE WORLD.

Three Kinds of Poppies.

Let every true American, man, woman and child consider it a sacred obligation to wear the bright red poppy on that day. Let the school children hear of the deeds of heroism of (Continued on Page 14.)



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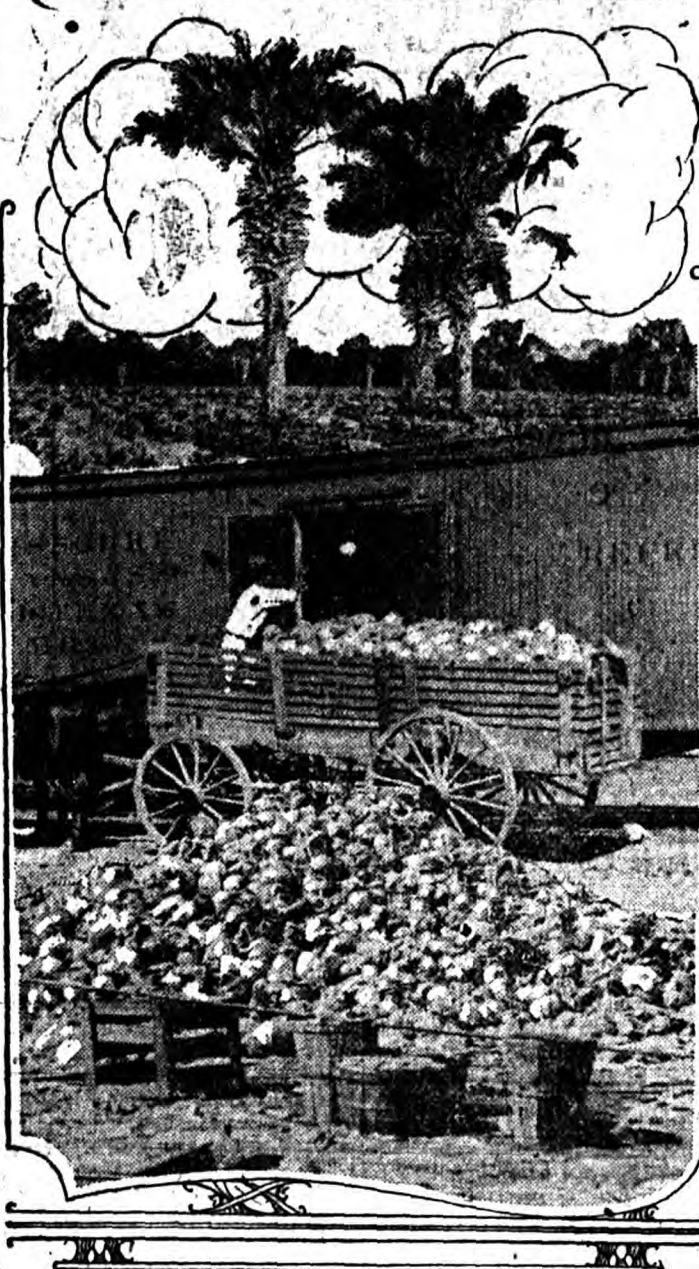
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Don't put your eggs all in "one basket" is the lesson which falling crop prices have taught agriculturists in southern states, say Texas farmers—and one that might well be observed in every state in the Union. Many southern states have "stayed with cotton" through fat and lean years alike—always at a big sacrifice in the end. But—as these pictures show—midst the cabbages and palms, Texans at least are mixing the crops—but the point is—southern soil will grow most anything if the tillers will give it the opportunity.

THE FARMERS' FORUM

A column devoted to the interests of the Farmers who read The News and to the Interests of their Families.
Communications Will be Welcomed.

TO DEMONSTRATE PINE-TREE THINNING

Will Take Place Friday To Show That Such Trees Can Be Thinned At a Profit.

The pine tree is one of the most profitable crops that can be grown on the Eastern Shore. As Mr. Cooper expresses it, "Three crops can be harvested during a lifetime."

In order to prove that "pine thickets can be thinned at a profit," a demonstration in thinning will be held Friday, April 15, 1921. This demonstration will be held on the farm now owned by the E. S. Adkins Co. and known as the Charles Williams farm.

Assistant State Forester Cobb will have charge of this work and as soon as the trees are marked by Mr. Cobb they will be cut down and removed so that "the before and after effect" can very easily be seen. The trees removed will be hauled to the cutting and splitting machine close by and worked up into stove wood.

Accurate costs of all these operations will be kept so that it can be definitely shown whether the thinning can be made at a profit or not.

The work will start about 9:15 A. M., and everyone is invited to be present. For further information apply to County Agent Cobb.

ONION SEED SHOULD BE PLANTED EARLY

Onion seed for the production of ripe onions should be planted as early in the spring as possible. The onion is a cool season crop and makes its best growth during the cool moist spring weather. Although the onion grows and develops best during cool moist weather it requires the opposite conditions at the end of the growing period for the proper ripening of the bulb. Get the seed in and help this crop at least in giving it congenial climatic conditions in so far as it is in your power. The onion should be found in every garden, not only to be used as green onions, but for storage throughout the fall and winter months.

ELIMINATE POOR MILKERS.

Is it good business to keep a poor milk when her place can be more profitably taken by an animal yielding a good and definite profit? It is only by testing the milk that the non-paying cow, or the poorly-paying one, can be detected and gradually eliminated from the herd.

\$3000 In Prizes For Boys Pig Club Work

County Agent Cobb Will Help Boys Secure Pigs—Wants 50 Pigs Exhibited at Local Fair.

There will be about \$3,000 in prizes awarded at the Timonium Fair this year for boys pig club work. In addition to this sum each county will have prizes to be awarded to the boys in the county.

The pigs winning the county prizes will be shipped to the Timonium Fair to compete for the state-wide prizes. There will be two classes:

- (1) Pigs 6 months and over.
- (2) Pigs 6 months and under.

These classes will include Berkshires, Durocs, Poland Chinas and Hampshires.

Twenty-five of the Wicomico county boys already have pure bred pigs but that is not enough. We ought to have at least 100 boys enrolled in this work.

There is (1) the County Fair at Salisbury to place an exhibit; (2) county-wide prizes in money; (3) Timonium Fair and (4) prizes of pure bred pigs to the winners in addition to the above. So that the best pig stands to win four premiums.

Arrangement can be made to secure pigs for the boys if they will get in touch with County Agent Cobb. Do this now and let's have at least 60 pigs exhibited at our own fair in Salisbury next August.

Telephone to County Agent Cobb or write to him telling him what breed you want. Phone, office, 693; house, 624.

KEEP WEEDS FROM COMPOST MANURE HEAPS

Compost manure is valuable for the garden. Use all kinds of waste such as sweepings, spoiled fodder, ashes, weeds gathered before seeding, leaves, dish and wash water, etc. The various materials are heaped up in layers alternating with the soil and kept moist by occasional sprinkling with water or liquid manure. To insure uniformity in the admixture of the various materials in the compost, the heaps should be frequently turned. When the admixture is thorough the compost can be used. Care must be taken that weeds do not grow on the heaps. If possible, the heaps should be located near where the manure is to be used.

The day of harsh physics is gone. People want mild easy laxatives. Doan's Regulets have satisfied thousands. 30c at all drug stores.—Adv.

OFFERS GOLD PRIZES TO BOYS AND GIRLS

Wicomico Agriculture Board Conducting Sweet Potato Contest Which Will Close May 14.

As the first step toward advertising the sweet potato, the Wicomico County Board of Agriculture has offered the following prizes:

- (1)—\$5.00 in gold to the school girl offering the best way to use sweet potatoes in the home, and
- (2)—\$5.00 in gold to the school boy offering the best method of growing, harvesting and storing sweet potatoes.

The contest will close May 14, 1921, and all recipes, etc., must be sent to County Agent Cobb on or before that date. The judges will decide and the awards will be given before the schools close for the summer.

This contest should be a popular one, and many boys and girls should take part. It is well known that there are no better cooks in the country than we have right here in Wicomico county. Our sweet potato pie is known almost everywhere, but our cooks use sweet potatoes in so many different ways that it seems well to advertise that fact.

Our men folks have learned the art of growing, harvesting and storing the sweet potato crop, so why not be generous and advertise ourselves and the crop at the same time.

Remember the contest will close on Saturday, May 14, and all reports must be in County Agent Cobb's hands by that night. If sent by mail, the time each is received will be noted, so that if more than one recipe of the same kind is sent in, the one received first will receive first consideration. Start now and be the first one to respond.

PEACH TREES RESPOND TO NITROGENOUS FERTILIZERS

Recent investigation work in the fertilization of peach orchards has shown that peaches respond very profitably to applications of some nitrogenous fertilizer. Results from the use of phosphorus or potassium have not been clear cut and it is questionable if it will pay to apply either of these ingredients. If Nitrate of Soda is used as the nitrogenous fertilizer it should be applied in the following amounts:

One year old trees—One quarter pound per tree.

Two year old trees—One half pound per tree.

Three year old trees—Three quarters pound per tree.

Four year old trees—One pound per tree.

Five year old trees—One and one quarter pound per tree.

Six year old trees and older—One and a half to two pounds per tree.

This should be applied just as the buds are showing pink. It should be spread on the surface of the ground, out under the ends of the limbs. This material dissolves readily and is quickly available for the tree's use.

1921 FAIR PREMIUMS WILL TOTAL \$12,000

Mr. Theodore Hearn, chairman of the Community Fair Committee, is very anxious that every body in Wicomico county secure a premium list. The list this year will cover about the same things as last year, and the premiums will total about \$12,000. These premium lists can be secured from Mr. Hearn, County Agent Cobb.

Wills \$4,000,000 To Daughters.

Chicago—Mrs. George M. Pullman's will, filed for probate, disposed of an estate valued at \$4,000,000, the bulk of which is left to her two daughters, Mrs. Florence Lowden, wife of former Governor Frank O. Lowden and Mrs. Harriet Carolan. With the filing of will it was announced that Mrs. Pullman had given to charities, within recent years, approximately \$12,000,000. Mrs. Pullman was the widow of George M. Pullman, pioneer railway coach builder.

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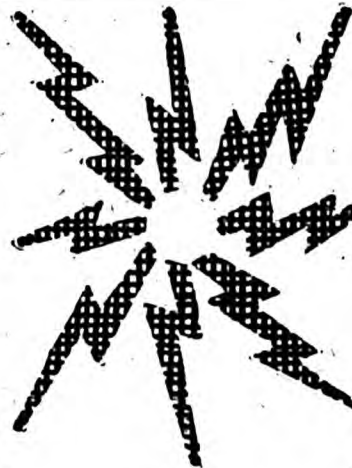
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DIGEST OF WORLD'S NEWS

Orders State-Wide Vaccination.

Trenton—Statewide vaccination of school children and teachers has been requested by the 'State Board of Health here. Local boards of education throughout the State will have the vaccinating done. The State instructed local and county boards to provide equipment for the vaccination.

Penniless Man Commits Suicide.

Millburn, N. J.—Beside the body of a man who had killed himself off Millburn avenue with a bullet, the police found this note: "I trust God will forgive me for this deed. I am out of work and have no money. I forgive everyone that has deceived me. My battles have been difficult. This is not an act of cowardice or bravery. I have been honest all my life. I hope my remains will not be recognized."

Should Eliminate Fashion Whims.

Boston—Feminine fashion demands are deplored by Professor Felix Frankfurter of Harvard University, as unnecessary whims which increase the labor in making clothes 50 per cent. He told the Massachusetts branch of the Consumers' League that women should adopt simpler styles to eliminate waste effort.

160,318 Forest Fires Since 1916.

Washington—Damage of \$85,715,747 was caused by forest fires which burned over 45,483,307 acres in forty-five States from 1916 to 1920, inclusive, it was reported by the Forestry Service of the Department of Agriculture. A total of 160,318 forest fires occurred during the five years' period, Minnesota being the chief sufferer with a loss of \$30,895,868.

Cat Cares For Mouse.

Lewiston, Me.—The discovery that his grocery cat was mothering a mouse with her own litter of kittens astonished Charles Dube and his customers. Snuggled together in the bottom of a barrel the rodent and three kittens seemed a happy family, with all sharing in the food supply.

Wilson To save a Country Home.

Philadelphia—Woodrow Wilson will have a handsome country home near Washington, D. C., it has been learned here. A Philadelphia architect has been at work on plans for the former President since November.

Bare Legs Shock Mayor.

Detroit—No more bare legs in chorus or cabaret in Detroit. Mayor Couzens visited a musical revue where the girls came prancing down a runway into the audience, displaying the plump, but naked calves and knees. The mayor was displeased. The order went out from the police censor's office that hereafter the chorus and cabaret girls must wear tights.

G. H. Mifflin, Publisher, Dies.

Boston—George Harrison Mifflin, president of Houghton, Mifflin Company, publishers, died at his home here, after several months illness. He was born in Boston. Mr. Mifflin was a member of the Union Club of Boston and the Century and University Clubs, of New York.

76 Per Cent Favor Prescribing Alcohol.

New York—A referendum vote of 23,245 physicians of the United States, conducted by the R. and C. Medical Pocket Quarterly to learn whether the profession favored transferring to some government agency the right granted it by the Volstead act to prescribe alcohol for non-beverage purposes shows that 76 per cent of the physicians value retention of the right. Eighteen per cent replied in the affirmative and 6 per cent elected not to register their opinion.

Britain's Drink Bill Is Big.

Washington—Great Britain's drink bill increased by more than \$400,000,000 last year as compared with 1919, says a report to the Department of Commerce from Consul Hunter Sharp, at Edinburgh, Scotland. The amount spent on intoxicating liquors in the United Kingdom in 1920, the Consul says, is estimated at \$2,285,795,000, as against \$1,878,469,000 in 1919. The total, however, is about 24 per cent less than before the war.

Harding "Docked" \$729.16.

Washington—President Harding received his first monthly pay check. It was for \$5,520.84. Ordinarily the monthly check sent to the President by the Treasury Department is made out for \$6,250, but Mr. Harding was "docked" for the three and a half days that Woodrow Wilson served as President last month.

Germans To Buy Chilean Nitrate.

Santiago, Chile—Announcement was made by the Minister of Finance recently that an association of German farmers was negotiating for the purchase of 50,000 tons of Chilean nitrate. The Minister stated the Government would work for the success of the deal.

Brazil Bans Cattle Imports.

Buenos Aires—The Brazilian Government is preparing a decree prohibiting the importation of cattle or forage into Brazil as a result of the appearance of the epizootic among the cattle herds in the southern states of Brazil. The Government's action follows a similar prohibition imposed by the Government of Uruguay.

"King of Opium Smugglers" Seized.

Ogdensburg, N. Y.—Harry Stone, of Chicago, known to Federal authorities as the "king of opium smugglers" was arrested by customs inspectors on a train bound from Montreal to Massena. Morphine, cocaine and opium valued at between \$25,000 and \$50,000, which, it is charged were in his possession, were seized. The drugs, which were found in a trunk, two suitcases and two satchels, were brought here and the prisoner was locked up in Massena.

Advocates Eugenic Marriages.

Albany, N. Y.—So that future generations will not be born blind, Senator W. W. Campbell, of Niagara Falls, has introduced a bill advocating eugenic marriages. Under the provisions of the Campbell bill all persons seeking a marriage license would be required to undergo an examination of their eyes. Further, they would be required to state whether or not their blood relatives in the third degree have suffered from visual defects.

Says Milk Is Plentiful.

The United States is developing a surplus of milk for the first time since the beginning of the World War, the Department of Agriculture reported in urging increased use of milk for human food and as feed for live stock in producing districts. The situation is chiefly due, it was asserted, to a decrease in the manufacture of condensed and other milk products for export.

Shakespeare and Bible.

Cambridge, Mass.—An acquaintance with the Bible and with twelve plays of Shakespeare will be necessary hereafter for students specializing in the ancient or modern languages at Harvard, including English, when they come up for examination for graduation. The announcement also says if a man specializes in any field of modern languages, he must show acquaintance with two ancient authors. Ancient language students must know two modern authors.

Soviets To Have Wire Service.

Reval, Esthonia—Soviet Russia will be in commercial telegraphic communication with the world for the first time in more than two years when the Esthonian Telegraph Company opens a line from Narva to Petrograd soon. This depends on the Esthonian-Russian treaty becoming effective. The capacity will be limited and it is believed there will be censors at both ends.

Accused Pastor Ends Life.

Maletta, O.—Rev. J. H. Mindling, a Methodist minister of Waterford, Washington County, committed suicide by drinking poison, after being turned over to the Sheriff, following a coroner's inquest into the death of his daughter, Ester, nineteen. Mindling admitted at the inquest he had performed an operation on his daughter, resulting in her death.

Women To Rule This Town.

Thayer, Kan.—Two widowed grandmothers, three housewives and a woman telephone operator will administer the affairs of this town of 400 population for the next year. An entire woman's ticket, campaigning without a platform was swept into power in last week's election by a majority of four to one. Members of the new administration include: Mayor, Mrs. A. H. Forest, widow, three children and eight grandchildren; Police Judge, Mrs. Hattie Brewster, widow, four children and four grandchildren. All of the new Town Council are women. Every member of the new administration is also a church worker.

Pay Their Dues Promptly.

Geneva—Member countries of the League of Nations have been prompt in remitting their dues, the Financial Section of the Secretariat of the League announced. The statement shows that 97 1/4 per cent of the 297,029 pounds representing the first budget of the League was paid, and that all member states, except Argentine, Paraguay and Salvador, forwarded their dues.

Finds Prehistoric Relics.

Portland, Ore.—A. G. Ames, farmer, brought in parts of a mastodon's tooth and tusk and a peculiar curved tooth of some prehistoric animal. Ames found the relic in the mountains of Linn county. They will be sent to Washington, D. C., as the subject of research.

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Sunday Schools An Agency For Teaching Democracy

(This is the seventh of a series of articles written by Mr. Towne and recently published in the Philadelphia North American. The eighth article will appear in The News next week.—Editor's Note.)

By ROBERT D. TOWNE.

Go! There is the mightiest imperative ever delivered into human speech.

Go and teach the nations. There is the fountainhead of modern democracy. Jesus Christ is more modern than we moderns are. He is more talked about than any man of this or any other generation, bulks larger in the discussions of the age than statesmen, generals or any other leader of men.

Take down your encyclopedia and look up the word "Jesus," and you will find that no other name in the language has drawn after it such a volume of books. Every age has focused its best talent upon Jesus. Every age has its own literature which revolves about Him, as the planets wheel about the sun.

Historians have won renown by linking their names with His. Philosophers, scientists, travelers and explorers, great reformers and leaders, have all borrowed from Him their ideals and enthusiasm.

And the wonder of it all is not merely that Jesus has been a subject of perennial interest to each generation, as it has come along, but that He has been looked to as the Great Commander. "Go and teach the nations." And they have gone—gone by the millions.

They started there at the Jerusalem gate. They went by twos and threes. They wandered off through the deserts of Arabia. They fled off through the Lebanon mountains and into Syria. They went down into Egypt. They skirted both shores of the Mediterranean and on into Rome and Gaul and then Britain.

And they have kept going through the years. It is the strongest, weirdest, most fascinating story which history has to tell. Some day we shall quit finding our romance and adventure in war and conquest and turn to the Christian missionaries for the real stories that thrill and throbs with the great destinies of men and nations.

The average man thinks of all the years preceding our own century as belonging to the "Dark Ages." And they were dark. But through that murk and gloom of human savagery men and women who had heard that "Go" of Jesus were threading the night, picking their way into unknown lands, suffering, untellable hardships at every step, but keeping on.

There was Nina, an American girl way back in the fourth century. She brought theria out of paganism. There was Ulfilas making his way, sandal-footed, among the Goths. Frumentius down among the Abyssinians. Gregory, the "illuminator," working through Armenia and the east. And Patrick, now Saint, setting off for Ireland. And in our own time Livingston in darkest Africa.

Always Democracy.

Go and teach the nations. What did they teach? Democracy. Always democracy. Not all of it. Not the whole message as the centuries have slowly spelled it out. But always improving, uplifting, inspiring democracy. They found a world steeped in pagan ceremonies. Animal sacrifices sent up their acrid fumes from all the popular altars of religion.

Indeed human sacrifice still lingered in many barbarous lands. And everywhere, what we very little understand under the name of heathen practices were universal. Two-thirds of Rome's world population were slaves. Brutal despots sat upon every throne. The sports of every city were smeared with blood on a background of sordid lust and brutal passions.

And these "goers" with the gospel of the great democrat were against these ancient and established depravities. See how they enraged Demetrius and Ephesus, who had a very profitable trade making and selling the little idols of Diana. They quenched the burning fires on the altars. They boldly faced the lions in the arena as the only way they could defy an empire which boasted that it was suckled into being by a wolf.

They preached the rights of women and children. They set themselves against the laws and customs that brutalized men. They were the torch-bearers and light-bringers in one land after another until they had streaked all that savage world with the dawn of the coming civilization.

And here is the mystery of it all—it is the mystery of democracy. It is the mystery of Christian civilization. What has put it into all these millions of souls to be under such concern about other people? Why bother about people away off in other lands who are behaving themselves pretty badly, but who apparently like to behave that way?

Somewhere or other are folks who like to eat each other. But why should I worry about that? Why

should I pack off to such wretched lands and run the risk of having them eat me? When we cipher this thing down to its roots we arrive at a mystery beside which all the rest of the mysteries of life pale into insignificance.

Why should anybody ever have said, "Go and teach the nations?" And why should anybody have jumped to the command? There is the miracle of human history. Jesus was standing in the shadow of the cross. The son of a carpenter. Come from a people of small repute. A fringe of country almost crushed out by Roman oppression. And here in this shabby little frontier of imperial Rome stands this gentle man of peace.

No Human Explanation.

And to a handful of fishermen and publicans and devoted women He says: "Go ye into all the world and teach my good news to every people. And, Lo, I am with you to the end of the world." Farrar and Edersheim. Renan and Mosheim. Gibbon and Cardinal Newman. Huxley and Spencer. Historians and philosophers by the thousands. They have all looked at this simple picture and then glanced across the centuries at its stupendous fruitions in the accomplished events of one age following another. And they have tried to explain it and failed.

Each age renews the investigation. But we are no nearer to unraveling the mystery now than we were at the beginning.

Go and teach the nations. If you and I stood up in a brutal time where no such thing had ever been attempted, nobody would hear our feeble call. But this masterful command has become the marching order of the best portions of the human race.

Go and teach. There is the original charter of every school and college. There is where public education began in our modern world. There is where preachers got their license to preach. Oratory was born out of that command—the oratory of reason and persuasion. And this great edifice of Christian civilization which we call democracy has slowly evolved, while the ancient savagery has been retiring defeated from the field.

We are in the habit of saying that all of this has grown out of the Golden Rule, but that is a mistake. The Golden Rule is only a fresh codification and condensation of the old commandments. The Golden Rule is not self-operative. There is a greater rule. "A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another as I have loved you." To the ancient world that was a brandnew morality as well as a new kind of religion. We moderns are slowly learning that it is also good business.

To just the extent that good will has permeated the business of the modern world it has become good and paying and profitable business. Why, we have even come to list it among our most reliable assets, "good will."

American Democracy.

And what is democracy as Jefferson wrote it into the declaration? What did Franklin mean by democracy? What did democracy mean to Abraham Lincoln? What to Theodore Roosevelt? And why were all these men such devout admirers of Jesus, every one of them undertaking at one time or another to reduce the principles to a short compendium for easy reference?

Equal rights? Yes. Equal and exact justice to all? Certainly. Freedom and justice-loving citizenship? Always. But there is more to it than that. When the flag floats on the breeze and you lift your hat, you feel something more than that. When Lincoln read his second inaugural he was throbbing with something deeper than those words signify.

When Theodore Roosevelt made his great speech ending with "We stand at Armageddon and we battle for the Lord," he was speaking out of a passion deeper than justice and equality. It is that deeper something which Jesus put into democracy, and that is the kind of democracy that is building civilization.

"A new commandment I give unto you that ye love one another as I have loved you."

Saul the persecutor hears that and becomes Paul the Apostle. Jefferson and Garibaldi and Mazzini expand it into charters for states. Wesley and Whitefield, Wiclif and Luther, St. Bernard and Francis, of Assisi, walk and ride up and down the earth preaching it. Robert Raikes hears it 1800 years after it was uttered and sets off for Sooty alley and his kitchen Sunday Schools.

And the Sunday Schools have been teaching it—not as forcefully as they might; but they teach it. It is the only school whose sole business is to teach it. When it learns how to teach it with power, to teach it ruggedly and in dead earnest, to teach it as the best rule of life, of government, of business, as at once the highest form of selfishness enlightened selfishness, the Sunday School will stand

up alongside of the public schools as one of our greatest institutions of education.

NEW YALE PRESIDENT FAVORS SPORTS



Dr. James R. Angell broke a 200-year precedent when he was elected president of historic Yale college recently, the first time the directors have gone outside the faculty or alumnus to fill the office. In his first address—he went on record as favoring athletics—the moral qualities of the coaches to be first consideration.

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB GIVES SOCIAL AT WILLIAMS

The Boys and Girls Club at Williams, with the assistance of Mrs. Evans, their parents and Miss Mullen, held a social in their School Friday evening, April 1 for the purpose of raising funds to help decorate the school room.

There were about one hundred and fifty people present. Everyone seemed to be having a good time and enjoying the refreshments which consisted of home made ice cream, cake, and candy. The Program included recitations by the Club members and a short talk by Miss Kell the Public Health Nurse.

It will soon be necessary to increase the size of the school to accommodate the pupils and the people of the community who come to the Community League meetings and Socials.

ACCEPTS NEW POSITION.

Albert E. Ackworth, colored, has accepted a position as butler in the home of Hon. and Mrs. Henry Foster Morris, Philadelphia. The Morris family will spend the summer at Atlantic City, N. J.

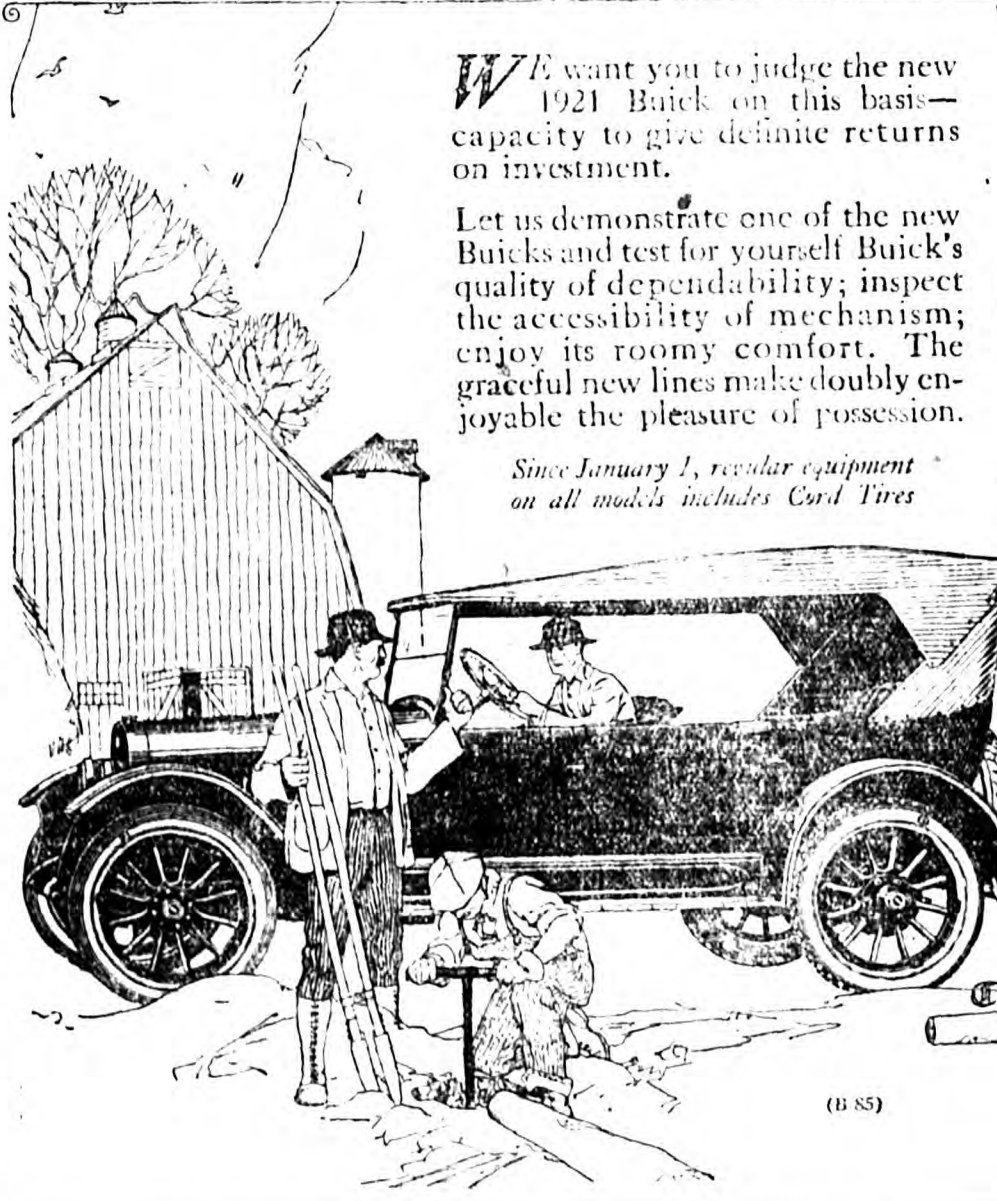
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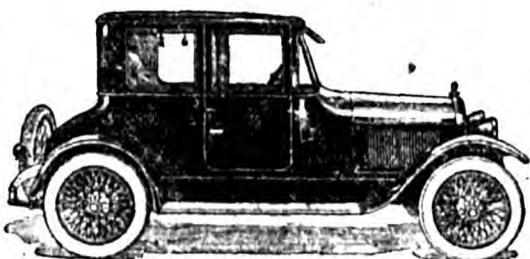


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THE MAN-ABOUT-TOWN.

**Scraps He Picks Up Here, There
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I recently had the pleasure of reading a most interesting article from the pen of Rev. W. C. Poole, of Parsonsburg, under the caption of "A Methodist Pilgrimage Along Asbury Trails In Wilmington Conference." The article is replete with historic sketches and presents many facts unknown to the average Eastern Shoreman. The article shows that there are shrines on every hand which tell of early heroes who blazed the way of Methodism down the Peninsula. References are made to many old churches, still standing, where the early followers of Asbury worshipped. The following important facts and figures, culled from the article will no doubt be interesting to The News' many readers:

"Probably no conference in American Methodism covers territory more associated with early Methodist history in America than the Wilmington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Covering as it does the small area of the Eastern Shore of Maryland and the State of Delaware, it serves a population of about 400,000 people and 4,000 square miles of territory.

"Probably no part of the country was better developed in the days of Asbury than this territory, which determined his preacher garden, in which he was raising his preachers. The ninth college in America was in this territory in his day—Washington College at Chestertown, Md.—founded in 1782. On the very edge of this territory across the Susquehanna river was founded Cokesbury College—the first Methodist college in the New World. In this territory lived two of Maryland's signers of the Declaration of Independence—William Paca, in Queen Anne county, and Samuel Chase, of Somerset.

"Nor was Methodism the only church to first begin its work in America in this territory. A hundred years before the coming of Asbury the Presbyterians were growing so strong that the first Presbyterian church in the United States was built by Francis Makemie at Rehoboth, Somerset county, Maryland, and the building still remains.

Bohemian Manor, in Cecil county, was established one of the first 100 Methodist preaching places in America. In the village churchyard three preachers have been buried over 100 years. One of these—John McClaskey—was one of the first men of power in Peninsula Methodism, though little mentioned by historians. Buried in 1814, two years before Asbury's death, his grave is close beside the church and marked by a plain slab of marble.

In Kent county was organized the first Methodist congregation on the Eastern Shore of Maryland by Pilmoor, in 1773, at Hynson's Chapel. The chapel has been removed, but the churchyard still remains. Not far away is old St. Paul's Episcopal Church, erected in 1689-1713, and still used as a place of worship.

"In Church Hill a Methodist congregation was formed in 1792, and in the same village is located an Episcopal Church, which has been standing for two centuries. Only a few miles distant is the spot where Bishop John Emory was converted at a quarterly meeting in 1806.

"Nearly all of the early Methodist preachers preached at some time in Talbot county and lived in Easton. Bishop John Emory studied here and had an early religious experience in a revival here. Bishop Collins Denny, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, served an appointment of his church in this county. Jesse Lee died at a camp meeting near Hillsborough some 12 miles away on the edge of Caroline county over 100 years ago. Old White Marsh parish graveyard contains the grave of Robert Morris, one of the financiers of the Revolution who walked the streets of Philadelphia till he borrowed money enough to relieve the distress of Washington's troops at Valley Forge.

"No visit to Easton is complete without a visit to the quaint old frame meeting house of the Friends, built in 1682-1684, in which William Penn preached. It stands today with the same frame and outside weather boarding and on the same spot as when built.

"Ten miles south of Easton is Trappe and Bolingbroke, where Asbury in his journal records a big revival one year and the next he records that the devil had gotten most of his converts. If one wishes to make a side trip of some 20 miles from the main motor road at Hurluck, he may visit Cambridge, where Freeborn Garretson was put in jail for preaching. Some 15 miles back toward the main road will take him to Salem, the birthplace of Bishop Hurst, who did so much for Methodist literature, history, education and the American University. Reaching the main road

road again at Rhodesdale, one passes the Old McKendree Church—organized in 1817.

"Crossing the Nanticoke river at Sharptown, one speeds on to Salisbury, some 20 miles further, over a road which is comparatively new, leaving the old historic trails to the right. At Quantico, five miles to the right from Hebron, was born in the Methodist parsonage, the son of a Methodist preacher, who afterwards became Governor of the great State of Pennsylvania—Robert E. Pattison. From an humble circuit parsonage to the Governor's mansion in 40 years was rapid progress.

Salisbury, which now claims to be the metropolis of the Peninsula, was only a village of less than a dozen houses in Asbury's day. Here one may see the home of a former Methodist Governor of Maryland—Elihu E. Jackson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. The home of a former Methodist Congressman, his brother, William H. Jackson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, both of whom are now dead. Ex-United States Senator William P. Jackson is a son of William H. Jackson and is now an official of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church of Salisbury. Salisbury also claims the honor of giving the aggressive temperance leader and bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, the Rev. James Cannon, Jr., to the Methodist Church South.

"If one follows that trail of Asbury he will here go south to Princess Anne some 15 miles distant, the county seat of one of the oldest counties in Maryland, founded about 1660. In Somerset county and the islands on its borders is located the scene of the labors of Joshua Thomas—born in 1776—died in 1852 the parson of the islands. In Somerset is located Annamess—so often mentioned in Asbury's Journal. In Somerset is also located the first Presbyterian house of worship in the United States—built by Francis Makemie in 1682—and still standing at Rehoboth.

"Maryland and Delaware are still in the business raising preachers for Methodism and other churches. Among the bishops given Methodism by Maryland and Delaware are Bishops Robert R. Roberts, John Emory, Levi Scott, John F. Hurst and among the living bishops are Luther B. Wilson, of New York, and James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Episcopal Church South."

MAN ABOUT TOWN.

May Make Refund To Auto Purchasers

Chevrolet Co. Proposes Refund Contingent On 50,000 Production Before August 1.

The Chevrolet Motor Company in a recent announcement deals with the present price problem in the following way:

It seems that a part of the company's program is based on the production of 50,000 Model "Four-Ninety" cars. This model is well known and there are about 500,000 in use. The company proposes to build the 50,000 before August 1, 1921, and if it reaches this number, and it has every reason to believe that it is going to be successful, each purchaser of an open car of the "Four-Ninety" type will, it is said, receive a refund of \$70, and those who buy closed cars of this type will receive a refund of \$100.

A certificate setting forth the terms of the plan will be given to each retail purchaser and the total number of Model "Four-Nineties" produced by Chevrolet factories during the period which governs the proposed plan will be published not later than August 10, 1921.

Those who purchased Model "Four-Ninety" Chevrolets under the Chevrolet Motor Company's price guarantee of last October, it is said, will benefit by the refund plan.

During the period of readjustment, the Chevrolet Motor Company, it is claimed, refrained from making any impulsive price change. But conditions have changed. Raw material prices have found new low levels. Inventories have been readjusted to the bottom of the market, and it is, therefore, possible for the company to make a definite proposition based on quantity production.

Whiskey Given To Hospitals.

New York—Distribution of whiskey seized in Federal raids was begun last week to hospitals. Government hospitals received their supply free. Private and city hospitals paid a nominal charge of \$1 a case. Two hundred and six cases were distributed to twenty hospitals. They were part of a lot of 1,706 cases seized last August at Long Island City.

MR. BENNETT WORKING ON SCHOOL BUDGET

Superintendent Bennett is still busy in the preparation of the school budget to be presented to the County Commissioners in May. The indications are that more money will be required than was levied last year. Worcester county leads the Shore and the entire State with 95 cents, while Talbot's is 58 cents. The Eastern Shore average is 78.3 cents. Dorchester county is the lowest on the Shore with 55 cents. As an indication of Talbot's position in the matter of school support some figures given to a bulletin issued by the State Superintendent of Schools show that the county ranks seventeenth in the matter of school tax rates. Compared with the Eastern Shore counties it ranks next to last in the amount levied.

Indigestion

Many persons, otherwise vigorous and healthy, are bothered occasionally with indigestion. The effects of a disordered stomach on the system are dangerous, and prompt treatment of indigestion is important. "The only medicine I have needed has been something to aid digestion and clean the liver," writes Mr. Fred Ashby, a McKinney, Texas, farmer. "My medicine is

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PROHIBITION LEADERS SUM UP SITUATION

In The Southern and Western States Prohibition Is Being Successfully Enforced.

N. Y. AND PHILADELPHIA BIG "WET" CENTRES

Violations Have Been Flagrant In Both Cities—Enforcement Law Will Soon Help Matters In New York—Similar Laws For Other Eastern States Will Be Big Help.

It would not be at all true to say that prohibition is a failure in the United States, nor would it be true to say that it is a complete success, if that statement is to be interpreted as meaning that it has entirely stopped drinking in all parts of the country or even that it is operating in a satisfactory way in all communities.

Following is a summary of the present situation made by leaders of the "dry" forces:

"Broadly speaking, throughout the South and entire West, the operation of the law is so effective that its success is beyond question. This does not mean that there is not a great deal of violation of the law in 'backwoods' sections, in small centers of turbulent population and in some large cities. It does mean that the law is sufficiently well enforced to make clearly apparent the fact that it is to be preferred to any other method of dealing with the liquor traffic. Practically every class of the population subscribes to this fact. In some States, and in large portions of other States, the law is almost absolutely effective, having driven the drink habit to the very lowest dregs of the population and leaving the remainder of the community free even from the drink tradition.

"In the east there is quite a different story. In general, the rural and small town sections of the eastern states have fairly effective prohibition. Even in some of the large states the benefits of prohibition are perfectly obvious.

"Any one who considers the indisputable facts drawn from government records in Boston would deny that the policy has established its desirability there. In New York and in Philadelphia there is deplorable violation of the law. Many months ago a study was made of the operation of prohibition in these two states and the result was both surprising and gratifying. The people of New York and Philadelphia had accepted the law in good faith and were reaping the favorable results.

"Reports made at that time, however, would not apply now. This is due to the fact that there are certain very powerful interests in New York and Philadelphia which thrive upon bad government. It soon became apparent after the prohibition law went into effect, that bad government could not continue indefinitely if the saloons remained closed. The present effort, therefore, is really a covert rebellion against the Federal Government with a view to re-establishing the saloon and perpetuating the old system of misgovernment.

"New York, however, has passed a prohibition enforcement measure which will to some extent relieve the federal government from full responsibility for enforcement of the law. The authorities at Washington at first were inclined to avoid drastic interpretation and application of the prohibition law in order to forestall any tendency toward reaction. It has now become apparent that what is needed is the most drastic possible interpretation and enforcement. Any reaction is against lax administration.

"The prohibition enforcement office recently prohibited the further withdrawal of alcoholic liquors from registered distilleries and bonded warehouses until it should be demonstrated that further withdrawals were 'needed' for the purposes defined as legitimate under the law. This has had a most favorable effect upon the situation in New York and elsewhere. The illegitimate trade cannot survive the inability to procure bonded liquors, as otherwise the criminals are driven to the sale of so-called 'moonshine,' 'home brew,' etc.

"These beverages are not only produced under circumstances of great danger but they are not palatable and the consequences of drinking them are so feared by people of even rudimentary intelligence that very little of such product is consumed.

"It may be considered therefore that the enforcement of prohibition over the greater part of the United States is reasonably satisfactory. In the remaining communities, enforcement will probably follow a line of development very similar to the line it has followed in various states where at first there has been good enforcement, followed by widespread violation of the law, finally succeeded by enforcement almost ideal.

CHILD TRAINING AT HOME

This is No. 26 of the fourth series of articles issued by the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West 40th street, New York City. They are appearing weekly in these columns.

THE VALUE OF AN EDUCATION.

By Edward N. Capper, Ph. D. Some time ago, the United States Bureau of Education at Washington, printed a statement which showed the amount of money that had been earned by different groups of young people up to the time they were twenty-five years of age. Those who had remained in school until they were eighteen had earned nearly 50 per cent more than those who had left school at fourteen and had been working four years longer.

Such a statement of facts will convince intelligent parents that they should keep their children in school and not yield to the temptation of permitting them to go to work because the family's expenses are high and children are paid better wages than formerly.

Men and women are always grateful for the sacrifices which their parents made in order to give them education. They know that in the struggle to make a living, the educated man or woman has a great advantage over the ignorant and can reach higher places and receive better pay. Today the competition among those who work, whether they work with hand or brain, or both, was never so keen, and the ones who are best equipped are the winners. An education is one of the chief items in the necessary equipment.

Your state law tells you that you must send your child to school until he is of a certain age and then he may leave and go to work—if you let him. And he may want to do so and beg you to let him take that job in the factory where his friend Joe works. But you are older and know better than he does what is for his best interest. You know that if you let him leave school as soon as the law allows, you are giving him no better chance in this world than all children get—for the law requires them all to go to school that long—and if you yield to his urging now you will have to bear his disappointment later when he finds out that it was a great mistake.

The education which the public school now gives is better adapted to the needs of children than the courses which were taught a generation ago. Today the child learns how to make himself useful and how to do this in an intelligent way.

Every child should begin his education in the kindergarten, for in it the seeds of good citizenship are sown. It is in the kindergarten that honesty, loyalty and consideration for the rights of others are instilled during the child's most impressionable years. Patriotic songs and stories of our great heroes implant deep love of country; marching and games develop self-control, team work and adaptability; hand work and modeling promote efficiency and appreciation for labor. Surely the foundations of the skilled artisan and the loyal citizen of the future can be laid in no better place than in a well-equipped kindergarten!

After starting in the right way, the longer the child stays in school, the more useful he will become and the better able to take upon himself the responsibilities of life. The school of today aims to make intelligent, efficient citizens, but it will not succeed if the child is taken out and put to work at the earliest possible moment. The people pay for the kindergarten, elementary, grammar and high schools so that their children may have the benefit of them. You are one of the people and you help to support these schools. They are your schools, built and kept up for the sake of your children as well as for all other children. Use them, then. Keep your child in school. Let him begin in the kindergarten and graduate from the high school.

Poppies To Be Memorial Flower

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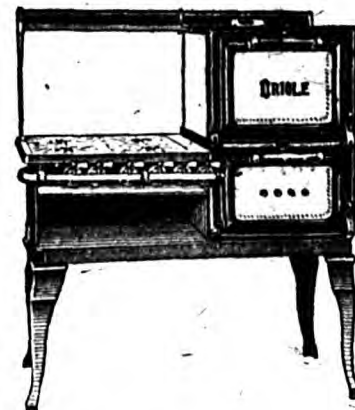
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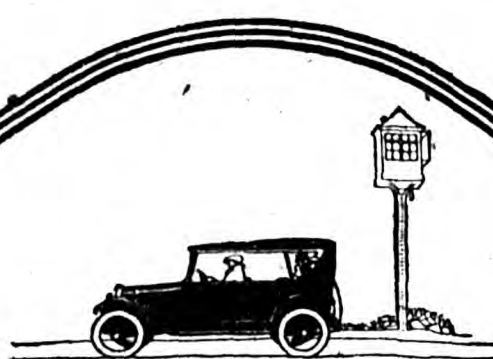
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DELMAR ROAD STILL DREAM OF FUTURE

Other Sections Will Get Improvements This Year Under Present Plans.

IMPROVEMENT HOPED FOR NEXT YEAR

The Improving of Different Routes This Year Will Remove Obstructions To Improving Delmar Road Next Year—"Lake Hope" Still a Scene of Beauty and a Joy Forever.

Two important factors in the road situation in Wicomico county have come to the front during the past week that are looked at with interest by many residents of Delmar who are still hoping that some day the Delmar Road will be reached by those in authority as a part of Wicomico's road building program.

First is the issue of \$60,000 worth of bonds by the County Commissioners for road building. The money realized from the sale of these bonds, which incidentally sold at above par, will be turned over to the State Roads Commission, who will add a similar amount for road work in Wicomico—but not one cent of this money is planned to be spent upon a permanent Delmar Road.

Second, the State Roads Commission has appropriated \$20,000 for use in connection with connecting links on West Main street and East Church street, in Salisbury. The City Council has also made the State Roads Commission a proposition that if both of these links are built, they will pay one-half of the expense over the \$20,000 appropriated for this work, providing same does not amount to over \$7,500. This offer is made so that the work can be completed this year if possible.

Delmar people look upon these two moves, not so much through envy and selfishness, as pleasure, for thus are removed two more contending factors that have been thorns in the sides of the advocates of a permanent Delmar Road. They realized that there was no hope of any permanent improvement on the Delmar Road this year, but they felt that with the fixing of the plans for road improvement in the county next year, this road should be considered.

If the improvement wanted and planned by the issue of bonds by the county is taken care of this year, Delmar Road will stand a better chance next year and this is the attitude of the Delmar people, who incidentally will be called upon to pay their part of all bond issues in Wicomico county of the past, present or future for road improvements wherever they may be in the county. It would seem that some time their needs should and will be considered.

Delmar people are not selfish. They are glad to see other deserving communities receive improvements; they are glad to help to pay for permanent road improvement in Wicomico, but they do feel that they have a just claim on the county and State for consideration. They feel that the day has come when they should be given some consideration and that the importance of building a connecting link between the Delaware State Highways and the improved roads of Maryland should be seen by the authorities and thus the hopes of years be realized.

"Lake Hope" still remains as a silent witness of the patience of the Delmar people. With the coming of the spring season, and the rains that are sure to follow, "Lake Hope" will become more and more a monument that will call the attention of the hundreds of people who are compelled to use this road daily to the fact that the Delmar Road needs attention. Will the County Commissioners and State Roads Commission see this need and remedy it in their next year's program?

PUBLIC DRINKING UTENSILS ABOLISHED BY STATE BOARD

The State Board of Health has passed two resolutions which will become a part of the health laws of Delaware, namely (1) industrial diseases will hereafter be reported to the State Board of Health, and (2) no drinking utensils or towels will be permitted in any public place, meaning any place such as theatres, churches, parks or places to which the general public has access.

CITIZEN'S RESERVE TO POLICE ROADS

Highway Department Considers Formation of Corps To War on Speeders—No Pay In Jobs.

"Someone is always taking the joy out of life," is the slogan that will be adopted by the "Gasoline Burners' Club," when the State Highways Commission organizes its Citizens' Reserve Corps to aid the State Highway police in breaking up attempts of speed demons to transform Delaware's highway into speedways and race tracks.

The commission has directed Charles M. Upham, chief engineer of the department, to make recommendations of persons using the highways every day who will be willing to act in the capacity. From the list compiled, the crops will be selected and its members will be vested with the rights to make arrests, with the authority of the commission and badge given them, when breaches of traffic regulations are witnessed.

The commission has been considering employing additional officers but hope this plan will prove a better solution, as members of the corps can "mix" with reckless drivers on the highway and not be detected, as they will not wear uniforms. The service will be offered by the auxiliary to the State gratis, and will be on the highways of the State. Their duty will be to either arrest the offenders or take the number and report it to the proper authorities.

The period of service of the corps will be only for a short time, to determine if the plan is worthy of continuing. If it is, the highway commission will save money that might otherwise be spent in employing additional officers.

Governor Has Plenty Time To Sign Bills

Has Until Ten Days After Adjournment of Legislature, Which Will Be After May 9.

Following the wind-up of business by the Legislature a week ago, Governor Denny has received numerous inquiries regarding the fate of bills awaiting his signature. The impression prevails that he has only ten days from the day the two houses finish work to sign or disapprove measures passed during the session.

When the Governor was asked concerning the matter, he announced that he had plenty of time to act on the bills as the law allows him ten days after the adjournment of the Legislature sine die, which will not be until May 9. Some 350 bills are to be acted on by the Governor.

The Legislature will meet on that day to act on the school appropriation bills, having recessed until that time. The educational committee of both Houses will meet at Dover beginning April 29, when the State Board of Education will submit its budget on which the appropriation bills will be based.

FATHER ACCIDENTALLY KILLS HIS DAUGHTER

As the result of an altercation Sunday night with his son, Oscar Travers, at their home on Middle Hoopers Island, Md., Samuel Banks Travers shot and accidentally killed his daughter, Rosy Travers, aged 13 years, the bullet entering her left cheek, killing her almost instantly. The shooting occurred in the bedroom of the second floor of the dwelling where the family lived.

The father attempted to punish the boy for not obeying some instruction given and the two fell on a bed. The father reached for and got a pistol that was hanging over the bed and sought to beat the boy with it. The weapon was discharged and the girl was shot. Travers surrendered to the Dorchester county authorities.

GRAND JURY WORK IN SUSSEX COUNTY

The Sussex County Grand Jury concluded its deliberations last week, reporting indictments as follows: Agnes Yalch, breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny; William Davis, alias William Miller, larceny, and also for carrying concealed, deadly weapons; Alfred Davis, alias Alfred Miller, accessory to larceny and receiving stolen goods; Laurence Reynolds, desertion and non-support; Howard S. Brittingham, desertion and non-support; Arnold Street, assault and battery, larceny and pointing a gun; Jacob Williams, using female child for immoral purposes; Rodney Lynch and Rodney Daymon, using female child for immoral purposes.

RAILROAD RATES ARE TOO HIGH

Railroads Are Driving Business Away By The Continuance Of High Rates.

AUTOMOBILES TAKING PLACE OF RAILROADS

Figuring on a Trip From Philadelphia To Atlantic City, Party of Five Can Save \$2 Each By Making The Trip By Automobile—Use of Automobiles Are Necessary.

Not only are the railroads suffering a loss of freight traffic because the rates are too high, but they are experiencing a loss of passenger traffic as well for the reason that fares have been advanced too much. Many States have been endeavoring to put a stop to the high charge of 3.6 cents per mile within their territory, and it has not been determined whether the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission sanctioning the high fares or that of the State commissions disapproving of a fare above that fixed by State laws shall prevail.

Irrespective of the dispute the use of automobiles is very likely to settle in a measure the question of high fares on the railroads. Prior to the war a round trip from Philadelphia to Atlantic City or Ocean City cost but \$2.00. Today it costs \$3.80 for the round trip, including the Federal tax. This is nearly double the old rate.

That the new fare is too high is easily demonstrated. To go from Philadelphia to the shore and back by rail would cost a party of five adults just \$19.45 from Philadelphia. For the Saturday-Easter trip a party of five, one of thousands, made a journey in an automobile, using but ten gallons of gasoline for the round journey. At 27 cents per gallon the cost for power was only \$2.70, an average of 54 cents per passenger. This total saving was \$16.75, which was less than five round trip tickets by rail would have come to. The sum of \$6.75 might be set aside for the upkeep or wear and tear on the car and still the party would have been \$10 ahead, or \$2 each.

The automobile makes what the railroad people term a "door delivery." Passengers get into a car at their homes and step from it at the point of destination without experiencing either the cost of riding in a street car or the inconvenience of walking to some point where a car may stop and then suffer the penalty of standing up in a crowded car.

The improved roads, too, have made automobile traveling so attractive that thousands are using this means in preference to the crowded and inconveniences of railroad travel. With the coming of the automobile trucks, an outcome of the increased freight charges, the railroads are practically driving business away, and month after month, are losing trade both in the passenger and freight business that they may never regain.

"Necessity is the mother of invention," is an old adage that fully applies, and if the railroads of the country wish to save their valuable passenger and freight business, both passenger and freight rates must be adjusted to a more reasonable figure.

SECURITY OWNERS BACK LABOR PLEA FOR PARLEY

The National Association of Owners of Railroad Securities have joined with the five railroad unions in proposing that President Harding call a conference of representatives of both owners and employees to discuss the railroad problems, particularly as it affects wages and working conditions, now in dispute before the Railroad Labor Board.

SEAFORD MAN DIES IN SALEM, N. J., HOSPITAL

News has been received in Seaford of the death of Herman Oehlrich, far about 20 years proprietor of a bakery at Seaford. His death occurred in a Salem, N. J., hospital, where he had been a patient for several months, following an operation of the removal of a leg. Some time ago Oehlrich stepped on a nail which penetrated his foot, causing an infected wound, later developing blood poisoning. He was about 60 years of age. His remains were taken to Oxford, Md., for burial.

MR. IRVING CULVER IS CHOSEN SALES MANAGER

On Monday the announcement was made by Mr. Nock, manager of the Wicomico Farmers' Association, that Mr. Irving Culver, well known commission agent of Delmar, had been selected as the Sales Manager of the Association, and will assume his new duties at once.

Mr. Culver's experience of years in the produce business in this territory makes him a valuable addition to the Association, and his many friends in and around Delmar will welcome the announcement.

PASSENGERS ON P. R. R. TO HEAR ALL

Operating Forces Will Keep Patrons Informed of Traffic Conditions and Causes of Delay.

For the convenience of passengers of the Pennsylvania Railroad, renewed instructions are being issued in the Eastern Region to conductors, trainmen, ticket agents and others concerned to give passengers all available information about serious delays to traffic. The instructions provide as follows:

"Whenever passenger train service is disarranged, the station master or station agent will inform the public by posting in a conspicuous place at the station (or otherwise, where posting of a notice is not practicable) and by announcement to passengers when purchasing tickets, the probable length of time of interruption, and when it is expected that service will be restored.

"When unusual or serious delay occurs to a passenger train, the conductor shall notify the passengers, either directly or through the agency of the trainmen and Pullman employees, regarding the cause and the approximate time the train shall be delayed, except at night, when, of course, passengers should not be awakened to give them the information.

"When delays occur at points where it is safe for passengers to get out for exercise, luncheon, etc., they should be given such information as will enable them to take advantage of the opportunity.

HAD WHISKEY FOR HIS SICK WIFE

But Sussex County Man Had To Pay Fine of \$200—\$25 Per Quart—Just The Same.

To have more than one quart of whiskey in any home in Delaware these days is an expensive proposition, under the liquor laws of the State, if the fact becomes known to the authorities and they see fit to make an arrest. Possibly no man in lower Delaware is more firmly convinced of that fact than Frank Richards, a farmer residing one mile from Selbyville, who in the Court of General Sessions, was fined \$220 or an equivalent of \$25 per quart for eight bottles, which he had in his home he says for medicinal purposes.

In addition to the fine, he was sentenced to serve thirty days in prison, but under the parole law the court granted him leniency, because of the circumstances and paroled him for two years to Deputy Attorney General C. S. Richards.

Statements to the court disclosed the fact that Mrs. Richards, who last year underwent an operation, was told by the surgeon to obtain some whiskey for medicinal purposes, whereupon the husband succeeded in getting the wet goods for his wife. In some manner it became known that he had it in his possession and the officers arrested him. He pleaded guilty to the charge.

I. O. R. M. INSTALL OFFICERS AT SEAFORD

Deputy Great Sachem George W. Christopher, of Laurel, visited Tuscarora Tribe, No. 22, Imp'd O. R. M., of Seaford, Tuesday night, and installed chiefs as follows:

Proprietor, R. S. Wakeman; sachem, W. Burton Wainwright; senior sagamore, C. H. Marvel, Jr.; junior sagamore, Fred H. Lecates; guard of the forest, Robert B. Tull; chief of records, W. A. Wheeler; keeper of wampum, C. A. West; chief degree team, S. S. West; trustees, Harry Handly, Cyrus B. Fawcett, and George W. Lecates.

After the installation speeches were delivered and a collation was served.

DELA. NEGRO POPULATION ON DECLINE

Director Of Census Has Issued A Preliminary Statement of Delaware's Population.

NEGROES DECREASED 2.7 IN LAST TEN YEARS

According To Statement The Total Population Is 223,003, of Which 113,755 Are Males and 109,248 Females—Total Population Increased By 10.2 Per Cent in Decade.

The Director of the Census has issued a preliminary statement showing the composition of the population of Delaware, according to sex, color or race, and nativity, as shown by the census taken as of January 1, 1920.

The total population of the state, 223,003, comprises 113,755 males and 109,248 females as stated. The corresponding figures for 1910 were 108,435 and 98,887, respectively. During the decade the total population increased by 10.2 per cent and the female population by 10.5 per cent. The ratio of males to females in 1920 was 104.1 to 100, as against 104.6 to 100 in 1910.

The distribution of the population according to color or race in 1920 was as follows: White, 192,615; Negro, 30,355; Indian, 2; Chinese, 43; Japanese, 8. The corresponding figures for 1910 were as follows: White, 171,102; Negro, 31,181; Indian, 5; Chinese, 30; Japanese, 4. During the decade the white population increased by 12.6 per cent, while the negro population decreased by 2.7 per cent.

The foreign-born white population numbered 19,840 in 1920, as against 17,420 in 1910. This element of the population constituted 8.9 per cent of the total in 1920, as against 8.6 per cent in 1910.

According to the census 28.3 per cent or a little more than one-fourth of the people in the state, are either infants or children under 15 years of age; 8.3 per cent are young people 15 to 19 years old; 38.9 per cent, over one-third, are men and women in the prime of life, being from 20 to 44 years old; while 23.7 per cent, being 45 years of age and over, are well along in middle life if they have not reached old age.

The urban population, as compared with the rural, shows some rather striking differences in age, the percentage 20 to 44 years of age being 42.8 for the urban population, as compared with 34.2 for the rural, while the percentage under 15 years of age is 27.2 in the urban population as against 30.8 in the rural. These differences may indicate larger families of children in the country than in the city, but probably indicate also the fact that country children as they grow up have a tendency to flock to the cities thereby increasing the active adult population of the cities at the expense of the rural districts.

Over three-fifths of the population, 61.2 per cent, are old enough to vote, being 21 or over; and in this class the men outnumber the women in the ratio of 107 to 100. The males of military or fighting age, 18 to 44, constitute 42.4 per cent of the male population and 21.6 per cent, or a little more than one-fifth of the total population.

FIRE ON A FARM IN LOWER SUSSEX COUNTY

Thursday morning the large barn and stables on the farm of Harry W. Bowden, a farmer living five miles east of Seaford, was discovered to be on fire. The family had retired late in the evening and Mr. Bowden said everything was all right around his place. Shortly after midnight the family was awakened by the cracking of the flames and the reflection of the blaze on the windows of the home. Mr. Bowden found his barn and stables a mass of flames and they were both destroyed together with three mules, one cow and some hogs, lot of hay, corn and other feed, wagons, etc. Most of the farm machinery was saved. The loss will reach \$5,000 with no insurance.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. Mr. Bowden is a son of Burjon B. Bowden, of Seaford, and besides being engaged in farming is in the sawmill business.

More Delmar News on Page 16.

F. A. ROBERTSON ASSUMES NEW DUTIES

Becomes Director of Washington, N. J., Band, Along With His Newspaper Work.

The Washington (N. J.) Star contains the following which will prove of interest to the many friends of Mr. F. A. Robertson in Delmar:

"The members of the Washington Band have asked F. A. Robertson, owner of The Star, to become director of the band and reorganize it. Mr. Robertson told the band that he already had more than he could do, and do satisfactory to himself, but he has consented to undertake the work as a public duty if the citizens of Washington will take some interest in the band, and if the members of it will endeavor to give it sufficient time and practice to learn to play good music creditably and well.

Mr. Robertson states that some people, too many of them, have the idea that they owe the town nothing, and their only interest in it is how much they can get out of it. He believes that every citizen in town should help in anything that he or she can do, whether it be in music, school, library, or church. There are a number of men in Washington who can play some musical instrument. These men are wanted to help give Washington a band of which its people will be proud. The men are here; the instruments are here. All is needed is sincere interest and friendly cooperation. Men who can play at all are invited to take part as a public duty. If you can play, or if you know of any one who can, Mr. Robertson will be glad to know of it."

Mrs. Martha E. Moore Died Sat. Afternoon

Prominent Church Worker of Melson's District Passed Away At Her Home.

Mrs. Martha E. Moore, wife of Mr. W. H. Moore, who was stricken with paralysis on Wednesday, March 30, died at her home near Melson's, Saturday afternoon, April 2, at six o'clock. She was 63 years old and had been a resident of Melson's since 1882.

Mrs. Moore was a faithful church worker and had a kind heart and loving disposition and was loved by all who knew her.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Strickland on Tuesday afternoon at Melson's church, of which she was a member. Interment was made in Melson's cemetery.

She is survived by her husband and six children: Mrs. William Workman, Mrs. Barkley Wingate, of Laurel; Mr. Leonard Moore, Mrs. John Cordrey, of Melson's; Mr. Levin Moore and Mr. Charles Moore, of Delmar; also several grandchildren.

The sympathy of a large circle of relatives and friends goes out to the bereaved family.

SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN —MR. IRVING ADKINS

Mr. Irving Adkins, of near Delmar, was greatly surprised by his friends on Friday evening, in honor of his twenty-eighth birthday. Among those present were: Mrs. H. S. Lowe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lowe, Mrs. Wilmer Adkins and son, Mr. J. S. Robertson and son, Mrs. Laura J. Insley, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Figgs and family, Mr. and Mrs. George McNeill, Mrs. Benj. Baker, Mr. Vernon Baker, Mr. and Mrs. McCallister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tingle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dottie Robertson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Adkins. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, lemonade and candy were served at 8 at late hour. After enjoying music, singing, old time jokes and a bounteous repast the guests departed for their homes wishing their hosts many more happy birthdays.

P. R. R. TO STOP REBATES AND COLLECT PENALTIES

Notice that on May 1 the Pennsylvania Railroad will abolish its present ten cent rebate system for cash fares paid on trains and will substitute a five-cent penalty, has been posted. Accompanying the notice was a statement that the company estimates that more than four million cash fares were paid last year and that the practice delays conductors. The new plan will not affect passengers boarding trains at non-agency stations or where the ticket offices are closed.

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DELAWARE'S ROAD FUNDS ARE SMALL

Highway Commission Faces A Lively Scramble For Appropriations.

LESS THAN \$400,000 TO AID THREE COUNTIES

Kent and Sussex Counties Have Each Pledged County Funds—Bond Issue of \$1,000,000 in Sussex and \$500,000 in Kent—Counties Were To Pay One Half of Road Costs.

Less than \$400,000 will be available with the closest figuring and good luck, for State roads other than the main artery north and south, according to Charles M. Upham, engineer for the State Highway Commission. At the meeting of the commission on Tuesday, numerous delegations from all sections of Delaware appeared before it and asked to have work started on sections in their county immediately. An examination of the money available led to the discovery that there was not likely to be any money for county lateral roads, after the main north and south road had been completed.

Engineer Upham examined the law, with which he was familiar, through the numerous debates that took place during the session of the Legislature, and stated, when asked about the matter, that there would be about \$400,000 available. This is all predicted on conservative figures and no bad luck. Just how disappointed the citizens of the rural sections will be may be judged by the fact that Kent and Sussex counties had each pledged county funds to a bond issue of \$1,000,000, and New Castle county \$500,000. So that instead of two and a half millions of dollars, the State will have only about a third of a million to meet the county offerings, it being understood that the counties would give an equal amount for roads, to the sum provided by the State.

During the time that the argument before the Legislature as to how much the State should arrange to contribute to new roads, was in progress, the appropriations that the various counties were seeking were pared down considerably. Some of those responsible for the paring process made it plain that as far as they were concerned, they were not interested in State aid for roads, being more concerned in seeing that the north and south road was completed.

The contest was a warm one and the bill that was finally agreed upon contained provisions that will place about \$1,200,000 at the disposal of the Highway Commission. Engineer Upham has estimated that about \$800,000 will suffice for the north and south road, and if his figures are not too close, this will leave the \$400,000 noted for lateral roads. How the Highway Commission can appropriate this \$400,000 among the three counties that sought \$2,500,000 is one of the problems that confront the commission.

MANY CANDIDATES IN SUSSEX FOR STATE JOBS

Thomas N. Rawlins and Robert B. Elliott, both of Seaford have announced themselves as candidates for the office of State Probation Director to succeed W. Truxton Boyce. James H. Wright, of Bethel, is also a candidate, and it is rumored that before the selection is finally made there will be a candidate or two from the eastern side of the county. The Deputy United States Marshall will also come from Sussex. At present there is only one candidate, William Fleetwood, of Concord, five miles from Seaford.

VA. NEGRO ARRESTED FOR ROBBERY IN SEAFORD

Railroad Detective Burke and Chief of Police Ollie Wright, of Seaford, arrested Eugene Wright, a negro of Cape Charles, Va., at Bridgeville, last week on suspicion of being connected with a robbery at the Seaford railroad station Sunday morning, when a basket containing \$45 worth of fishing tackle was missed. Wright was arraigned before Magistrate J. M. Phillips, who held him under \$500 bail for his appearance at court. He was unable to furnish bail and committed to Georgetown jail. He protested his innocence and none of the stolen property could be found in his possession.

EVERY STREET IN SALISBURY.

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SYNOPSIS

PROLOGUE.

In the little town of Gilchepolis small Dan Felling dreams boyish dreams, tinged with melancholy over his supposed physical weakness. There, years later, he meets Destiny.

BOOK I—REPATRIATION.

CHAPTER I.—Warned by his physician that he has not more than six months to live, Felling sits despondently on a park bench, wondering where he should spend those six months. A friendly squirrel practically decides the matter for him. His blood is pioneer blood, and he decides to end his days in the forests of Oregon. Memories of his grandfather and a deep love for all things of the wild help him in reaching a decision.

CHAPTER II.—In a large southern Oregon city he meets people who had known and loved his grandfather, a famous frontiersman. He makes his home with Silas Lennox, a typical westerner. The only other members of the household are Lennox's son, "Bill," and daughter, "Snowbird." Their abode is many miles from "civilization," in the Umpqua divide, and there Felling plans to live out the short span of life which he has been told is his. His extreme weakness in the face of even a slight exertion convinces him that the doctor had made a correct diagnosis of his case.

CHAPTER III.—From the first Felling's health shows a marked improvement, and in the companionship of Lennox and his son and daughter he fits into the woods life as if he had been born to it. By quick thinking and a remarkable display of "nerve" he saves Lennox's life and his own when they are attacked by a mad coyote. Lennox declares he is a reincarnation of his grandfather, Dan Felling I, whose fame as a woodsman is a household word.

BOOK TWO—THE DEBT.

CHAPTER I.—Dan, now thoroughly proficient in woods lore, learns from Lennox that an organized band of outlaws, of which Bert Cranston is the leader, is making trouble in the vicinity. Lennox, a former member of the gang, has been induced to turn state's evidence. On his way to the city Lennox is waylaid by Cranston, shot, and left for dead. Cranston, however, overlooked the fact that Lennox might have documentary evidence on his person, and is satisfied that his enemy will never reach the city to tell what he knows of the operations of the gang.

CHAPTER II.—A cougar, on a personal hunting expedition, finds Lennox in a thicket, where he had crawled after being shot by Cranston. The cougar finishes Cranston's work, and in striking down man becomes a forest outlaw. Felling, on his way home from a visit to "Snowbird's" lookout station, comes upon Cranston in the act of starting a forest fire. The men quarrel and fight. Felling is no match for the sturdy mountaineer, and is saved from death only by the intervention of "Snowbird," who drives the outlaw from his victim by threatening him with a revolver.

"One of them is to pay you; the other is to pay Cranston for the thing he said. Maybe the chance will never come for the first of the two; only I pray that it will. Maybe it would be kinder to you to pray that it wouldn't; yet I pray that it will! Maybe I can pay that debt only by being always ready, always watching for a chance to save you from any danger, always trying to protect you. You didn't come in time to see the fight I made. Besides—I lost, and little else matters. And that debt to you can't be paid until sometime I fight again—for you—and win." He gasped from his weakness, but went on bravely. "I'll never be able to feel at peace, Snowbird, until I'm tested in the fire before your eyes! I want to show you the things Cranston said of me are not true—that my courage will stand the test."

"It wouldn't be the same, perhaps, with an Eastern girl. Other things matter in the valleys. But I see how it is here; that there is only one standard for men and by that standard they rise or fall. Things in the mountains are down to the essentials."

He paused and struggled for strength to continue. "And I know what you said to him," he went on. "Half-unconscious as I was, I remember every word. Each word just seems to burn into me, Snowbird, and I'll make every one of them good. You said I am a better man than he, and sometime it would be proved—and it's the truth! Maybe in a month, maybe in a year, I'm not going to be from this malady of mine now, Snowbird. I've got too much to live for—too many debts to pay. In the end, I'll prove your words to him."

His eyes grew earnest, and the hard fire went out of them. "It's almost as if you were a queen, a real queen of some great kingdom," he told her, "tremulous with a glow, as if she were stealing over him, a mist steals over water. "And because I had kissed your fingers, for ever and ever I was your subject, living only to fight your fights—maybe with a dream in the end to kiss your fingers again. When you bent and kissed me on that hillside—for him to see—it was the same; that I was sworn to you, and nothing mattered in my life except the service and love I could give you. And it's more than you ever dream, Snowbird. It's all yours, for your battles and your happiness."

The great pines were silent above them, shadowed and dark. Perhaps they were listening to an age-old

story, those vows of service and self-sacrifice which the race has struggled upward from the darkness. "But I kissed you—once before," she reminded him. The voice was just a whisper, hardly louder than the stir of the leaves in the wind.

"But that kiss didn't count," he told her. "It wasn't at all the same. I loved you then, I think, but it didn't mean what it did today."

"And what—she leaned toward him, her eyes full on his, "does it mean now?"

"All that's worth while in life, all that matters when everything is said that can be said, and all is done that can be done. And it means, please God, when the debts are paid, that I may have such a kiss again."

"Not until then," she told him, whispering.

"Until then, I make oath that I won't even ask it, or receive it if you should give it. It goes too deep, dear—and it means too much."

This was their pact. Not until the debts were paid and her word made good would those lips be his again. There was no need for further words. Both of them knew.

In the thick gray clouds were gathering swiftly, as always in the mountains. The raindrops were falling one and one, over the forest. The summer was done, and fall had come in earnest.

The rains fell unceasingly for seven days; not a downpour but a constant drizzle that made the distant ridges smoke. The parched earth seemed to smack its lips, and little rivulets began to fall and tumble over the beds of the dry streams. All danger of forest fire was at once removed, and Snowbird was no longer needed as a lookout on old Bald mountain. She went to her own home, her companion back to the valley; and now that his sister had taken his place as housekeeper, Bill had gone down to the lower foothills with a great part of the live stock. Dan spent these rainy days in toil on the hillside, building himself physically so that he might pay his debts.

It was no great pleasure, these rainy days. He would have greatly liked to have lingered in the square mountain house, listening to the quiet murmur of the rain on the roof and watching Snowbird at her household tasks. She could, as her father had said, make a biscuit. She could also roll up sleeves over trim, brown arms and with entire good humor do a week's laundry for three hard-working men. He would have liked to sit with her, through the long afternoons, as she knitted beside the fireplace, to watch the play of her graceful fingers and perhaps, now and then, to touch her hands when he held the skins. But none of these things transpired. He drove himself from daylight till dark, developing his body for the tests that were sure to come.

The first few days nearly killed him. He over-exercised in the chill rain, and one anxious night he developed all the symptoms of pneumonia. Such a sickness would have been the one thing needed to make the doctor's prophecy come true. But with Snowbird's aid, and numerous hot drinks, he fought it off.

She had made him go to bed, and no human memory could be so dull as to forget the little, whispered message that she gave him with his last spoonful of medicine. She said she'd pray for him, and she meant it too—literal, entreating prayer that could not go unheard. She was a mountain girl, and her beliefs were those of her ancestors—simple and true and wholly without affectation. But he hadn't realized that. He knew the time had come to make the test. Night after night he would go to bed half-sick from fatigue, but the mornings would find him fresh. And after two weeks, he knew he had passed the crisis and was on the direct road to complete recovery.

Sometimes he cut wood in the forest: first the felling of some tall pine, then the trimming and hewing into two-foot lengths. The blisters came on his hands, broke and bled, but finally hardened into callouses. He learned the most effective stroke to hurt a shower of chips from beneath the blade. His back and limbs hardened from the handling of heavy wood—and the cough was practically gone. His frame filled out. His face became seaworthy from constant exposure. He gained in weight.

One cloudy afternoon in early November found Silas Lennox, cutting wood on the ridge behind his house. It was still an open question with him whether he and his daughter would attempt to winter on the Divide. Dan of course wanted to remain, yet there were certain reasons, some very definite and others extremely vague, why the prospect of the winter in the snow fields did not appeal to the mountaineer. In the first place, all signs pointed to a hard season. Although the fall had come late, the snows were exceptionally early. The duck flight was completed two weeks before its usual time, and the rodents had dug their burrows unusually deep. Besides, too many months of snow weigh heavily upon the spirit. The wolf packs sting endlessly on the ridges, and many unpleasant things may happen. On previous years, some of the cabins on the ridge below had human occupants; this winter the whole region, for nearly seventy miles across the mountains to the foothills, would be wholly deserted by human beings. Even the ranger station, twelve miles across a steep ridge, would soon be empty. Of course a few ranchers had homes a few miles beyond the river, but the wild cat tracks did not freeze in the coldest of seasons, and there were no bridges. Besides, most of the more prosperous farmers wintered in the valleys. Only a few more days would the road be passable for his car; and no time must be lost in making his decision.

Once the snows came in reality,

there was nothing to do but stay. Seventy miles across the uncharted ridges on snowshoes is an undertaking for which even a mountaineer has no fondness. It might be the wisest thing, after all, to load Snowbird and Dan into his car and drive down to the valleys. The fall roundup would soon be completed, Bill would return for a few days from the valleys with new equipment to replace the broken lighting system on the car, and they could avoid the bitter cold and snow that Lennox had known so long. He chopped at a great log and wondered what would suit him better—the comfort and safety of the valleys or the rugged glory of the ridges.

But at that instant, the question of whether or not he would winter on the Divide was decided for him. And an instant was all that was needed. For the period of one breath he forgot to be watchful—and a certain dread Spirit that abides much in the forest saw his chance. Perhaps he had lived too long in the mountains and grown careless of them: an attitude that is



He Fell Struggling.

He had been punished with death. He had felt a tree, and the trunk was still attached to the stump by a strip of bark to which a little of the wood adhered. He struck a furious blow at it with his ax.

He hadn't considered that the tree lay on a steep slope. As the blade fell, the great trunk simply seemed to lean. Lennox leaped too, in a frenzied effort to save his life; but already the heavy logs, like the tendrils of some great amputee, had whipped around his legs. He fell, struggling; and then a curious darkness, streaked with flame, dropped down upon him.

An hour later he found himself lying on the still hillside, knowing only a great wonderment. At first his only impulse was to go back to sleep. He didn't understand the grayness that had come upon the mountain world, his own strange feeling of numbness, of endless soaring through infinite spaces. But he was a mountain man, and that meant he was schooled, beyond all things, to keep his self-control. He made himself remember. Yes—he had been cutting wood on the hillside, and the shadows had been long. He had been wondering whether or not they should go down to the valleys.

He remembered now: the last blow and the rolling log. He tried to turn his head to look up to the hill.

"He found himself wholly unable to do it. Something wracked him in his neck when he tried to move. But he did glance down. And yes, he could turn in this direction. And he saw the great tree trunk lying twenty feet below him, wedged in between the young pines.

He was surrounded by broken fragments of limbs, and it was evident that the tree had not struck him a full blow. The limbs had protected him to some extent. No man is of such gold as to be crushed under the weight of the trunk and live to remember it. He wondered if this were the frontier of death—the grayness that lingered over him. He seemed to be soaring.

He brought himself back to earth and tried again to remember. Of course, the twilight had fallen. It had been late afternoon when he had cut the tree. His hand stole along his body; and then, for the first time, a numbness came upon him. His flag was warm and wet when he brought it up. The other hand he couldn't stretch at all.

The forest was silent around him, except a bird calling somewhere near the house—a full voice, rich and clear, and it seemed to him that it had a quality of distress. Then he recognized it. It was the voice of his own daughter, Snowbird, calling for him. He tried to answer her.

It was only a whisper, at first. Yet she was coming nearer; and her own voice sounded louder. "Here, Snowbird," he called again. She heard him then; he could tell by the startled tone of her reply. The next instant she was at his side, her tears dropping on his face.

With a tremendous effort of will he recalled his speeding faculties. "I don't think I'm badly hurt," he told her very quietly. "A few ribs broken—and a leg. But we'll have to winter here on the Divide, Snowbird mine."

"What does it matter, if you live?" she cried. She crawled along the pine needles beside him, and tore his shirt from his breast. He was rapidly sinking into unconsciousness. The thing

she dreaded most—that his back might be broken—was evidently not true. There were, as he said, broken ribs and evidently one severe fracture of the leg bone. Whether he had sustained internal injuries that would end his life before the morning, she had no way of knowing.

At this point, the problem of saving her father's life fell wholly into her hands. His broken body could not be carried over the mountain road to physicians in the valleys. They must be transported to the ranch. It would take them a full day to make the trip, even if she could get word to them at once; and twenty-four hours without medical attention would probably cost her father his life. The nearest telephone was at the ranger station, twelve miles distant over a mountain trail. The telephone line to Bald mountain, four miles off, had been disconnected when the rains had ended the peril of the forest fire.

It all depended upon her. Bill was driving cattle into the valleys, and he and his men had in use all the horses on the ranch with one exception. The remaining horses had been ridden by Dan to some distant marshes, and as Dan would shoot until sunset, that meant he would not return until ten o'clock. There was no road for a car to the ranger station, only a rough steep trail, and she remembered, with a sinking heart, that one of Bill's missions in the valley was to procure a new lighting system. By no conceivable possibility could she drive down that mountain road in the darkness. But she was somewhat relieved by the thought that in all probability she could walk twelve miles across the mountains to the ranger station in much less time than she could drive, by automobile, seventy miles down to the ranches at the foothills about the valley.

Besides, she remembered with a gladdening heart that Richards, one of the rangers, had been a student at a medical college and had taken a position with the forest service to regain his health. She would cross the ridge to the station, phone for a doctor in the valleys, and would return on horseback with Richards for such first aid as he could give. The only problem that remained was that of getting her father into the house.

He was stirring a little now. Evidently consciousness was returning to him. And then she thanked heaven for the few simple lessons in first aid that her father had taught her in the days before carelessness had come upon him. One of his lessons had been that of carrying an unconscious human form—a method by which even a woman may carry, for a short distance, a heavy man. It was approximately the method used in carrying wounded in No Man's Land: the body thrown over the shoulders, one arm through the fork of the legs to the wounded man's hand. Her father was not a particularly heavy man, and she was an exceptionally strong young woman. She knew at once that this problem was solved.

The hardest part was lifting him to her shoulders. Only by calling upon her last ounce of strength, and tugging upward with her arms, was she able to do it. But it was fairly easy, in her desperation, to carry him down the hill. What rest she got she took by leaning against a tree, the limp body still across her shoulders.

It was a distance of one hundred yards in all. No muscles but those trained by the outdoors, no lungs except those made strong by the mountain air, could have stood that test. She laid him on his own bed, on the lower floor, and set his broken limbs the best she could. She covered him up with thick, fleecy blankets, and set a bottle of whisky beside the bed. Then she wrote a note to Dan and fastened it upon one of the interior doors.

She drew on her hob-nailed boots—needed sorely for the steep climb—and pocketed her pistol. She thrust a handful of jerked venison into the pocket of her coat and lighted the lantern. The forest night had fallen, soft and vibrant and tremulous, over the heads of the dark trees when she started out.

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Famous Linguist Dies.

New York—Maximilian D. Berlitz, who founded the Berlitz Schools and the Berlitz method of teaching languages, died suddenly last week of heart disease at his home, 263 Edgecombe avenue, at the age of 67 years. He was born in Southern Germany and came to this country as a child. In 1878 he organized his first school in Providence, R. I. It was so successful that he established others throughout the East, and later in Europe, the system finally comprising more than 300 schools and covering nearly every large city in the world.

"Hootch" Billed As Tomatoes.

Jacksonville, Fla.—With the capture here of a carload of whiskey valued at more than \$45,000, billed as tomatoes en route from Perrine, Fla., to Chicago, federal prohibition officials believe they have found the source of a nation-wide liquor smuggling syndicate.

HIGHER EDUCATION ON EASTERN SHORE

Washington College Presents Figures Showing Need of Such Institutions Here.

The Washington College Bulletin contains some interesting facts and figures showing the need of having institutions of higher curriculum on the Eastern Shore. The articles has the following to say on the subject:

Many persons have asked why there should be a college on the Eastern Shore. Maryland has too many colleges, it has been argued, so why sacrifice and struggle to maintain one on the Eastern Shore? This reasoning seems to confuse some people.

The Eastern Shore of Maryland has a population of almost exactly 200,000 people, which is roughly five hundredths of the population of the United States. There were in the United States last year about 500,000 college students. There should be, therefore, about 1,000 college students from the Eastern Shore. A high authority in the United States Bureau of Education estimated that the ideal college should have 500 students. It is obvious, therefore, that the proper answer to the above question is that the Eastern Shore does not need a college—it needs two colleges.

A few more comparative figures should be of interest to Eastern Shoremen. The fourteen counties of the Western Shore have eight colleges. Their taxable basis is \$412,000,000, or \$51,500,000 per college. The taxable basis of the nine counties of the Eastern Shore is \$106,000,000, which according to the ratio of the Western Shore counties is more than enough to support two colleges.

If we compare the Eastern and the Western Shore counties on the basis of high school attendance the results are still more striking. According to the report of the Superintendent of Schools for 1919 there were 629 graduates of approved four-year high schools in the Western Shore counties, and 356 in the Eastern Shore. If the Western Shore needs eight colleges to care for its 629 high school graduates, it follows that the Eastern Shore should have four and one-half colleges for its 356 graduates.

If we compare the Eastern Shore with Baltimore City the results are also favorable. There are in Baltimore City about 625,000 people, 653 high school graduates (1919), and four standard colleges, not to mention numerous other schools doing more or less of college work (Milton University, several business colleges, the Y. M. C. A. schools, the Berlitz School of Languages, etc.). This gives an average of about 156,000 people and 163 high school graduates per college. The one college on the Eastern Shore, therefore, serves about 30 per cent more people and 118 per cent more high school graduates than the average college of Baltimore City.

Or let us take the State of Delaware for our comparison. Delaware has a population about equal to that of the Eastern Shore of Maryland. In 1919 it had only 242 high school graduates. Yet, Delaware supports a flourishing college with about 450 students. Thus, the Eastern Shore demonstrates a far more lively interest in education than the State of Delaware, and ought to support a college about 50 per cent larger than Delaware College.

It is obvious that whether we draw our comparison from the entire country, from the Western Shore, from Baltimore City, or from Delaware, the result is always the same—the Eastern Shore furnishes an ample field for one or even two very flourishing colleges. In view of these facts can the Eastern Shore afford to let its college fail? With such a field as this, if Eastern Shoremen will but lend their interest and support, Washington College can quickly develop into the foremost college of Maryland and one that will compare favorably with the best known colleges of the land.

BOOK RECEPTION AT NEW CENTURY CLUB

The New Century Club of Delmar held its annual Book Reception in the club room Wednesday evening, April 6. The room was artistically decorated and the program was prepared for the occasion by Misses Blanche Long and Elsie Hearn.

Instrumental Duet—"March from Taunhauser," by Wagner—Madams Marion Hastings and Frank Lynch, Jr. Vocal Solo—"That Old Irish Mother O' Mine"—Lyric by William Jerome, music by Harry Von Tilyer—Miss Lydia Wilson.

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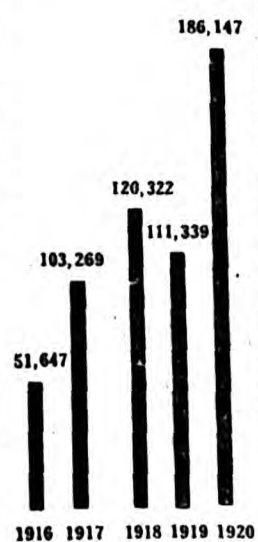
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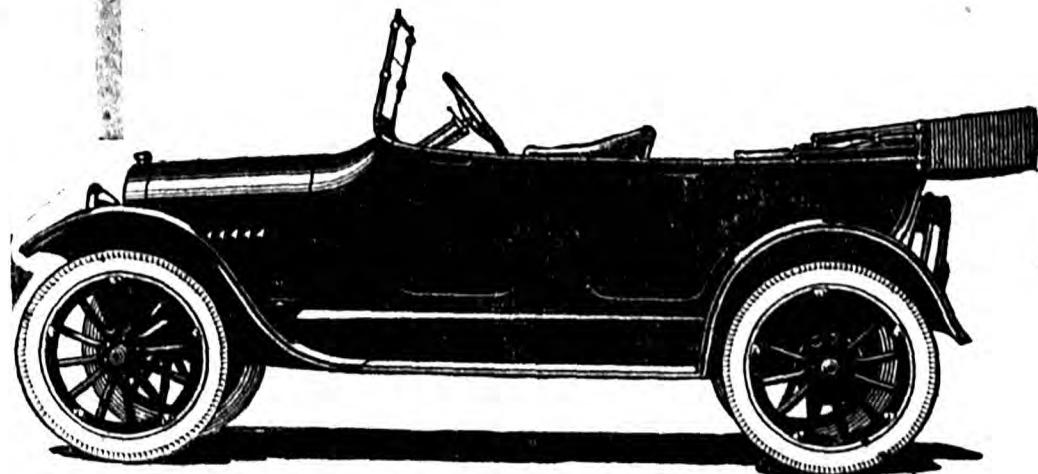
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The Voice of The Pack

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CHAPTER IV

Snowbird felt very glad of her intimate, accurate knowledge of the whole region of the Divide. In her infancy the winding trails had been her playground, and long ago she had acquired the mountaineer's sixth sense for traversing them at night. She had need of that knowledge now. She slipped into her free, swinging stride; and the last beams from the windows of the house were soon lost in the pines behind her. It was one of those silent, breathless nights with which no mountaineer is entirely unacquainted, and for a long time the only sound she could hear was her own soft tramp in the pine needles. The trees themselves were motionless. That peculiar sound, not greatly different from that of running water which the wind often makes in the pine tops, was entirely lacking. Not that she could be deceived by it—as stories tell that certain tenderfeet, dying of thirst in the barren hills, have been. But she always liked the sound; and she missed it especially tonight.

She felt that if she would stop to listen, there would be many faint sounds in the thickets—those little hushed noises that the wild things make to remind night-wanderers of their presence. But she did not in the least care to hear these sounds. They do not tend toward peace of mind on a long walk over the ridges.

The wilderness began at once. Whatever influence toward civilization her father's house had brought to the wilds chopped off as beneath a blade in the first fringe of pines. This is altogether characteristic of the Oregon forests. They are much too big and too old to be tamed in any large degree by the presence of one house. No one knew this fact better than Lennox himself who, in a hard winter of four years before, had looked out of his window to find the wolf pack ranged in a hungry circle about his house. Within two hundred yards after she had passed through her father's door, she was perfectly aware that the wild was stirring and throbbing with life about her. At first she tried very hard to think of other things. But the attempt wasn't entirely a success. And before she had covered the first of the twelve miles, the sounds that from the first had been knocking at the door of her consciousness began to make an entrance.

If a person lies still long enough, he can usually hear his heart beating and the flow of his blood in his arteries. Any sound, no matter how faint, will make itself heard at last. It was this way with a very peculiar noise that crept up through the silence from the trail behind her. She wouldn't give it any heed at first. But in a very little while indeed, it grew so insistent that she could no longer disregard it.

Some living creature was trotting along on the trail behind, keeping approximately the same distance between them. Foregoing any attempt to ignore it, she set her cool young mind to thinking what manner of beast it might be. Its step was not greatly different from that of a large dog—except possibly a dog would have made slightly more noise. Yet she couldn't even be sure of this basic premise, because this animal, whatever it might be, had at first seemingly moved with utmost caution, but now took less care with its step than is customary with the wild denizens of the woods. A wolf, for instance, can simply drift when it wishes, and the silence of a cougar is a name. Yet unless her pursuer were a dog, which seemed entirely unlikely, it was certainly one of these two. She would have liked very much to believe the step was that of Old Wolf the bear, suddenly curious as to what this dim light of hers might be; but she couldn't bring herself to accept the lie. Wolf, except when wounded or cornered, is the most amiable creature in the Oregon woods, and it would give her almost a sense of security to have him waddling along behind her. The wolves and cougar, remembering the arms of Wolf, would not be nearly so curious. But unfortunately, the black bear had never done such a thing in the memory of man, and if he had, he would have made six times as much noise. He can go fairly softly when he is stalking, but when he is obliged to trot—as he would be obliged to do to keep up with a swift-walking human figure—he cricks twigs like a rolling log. She had the impression that the animal behind had been passing like smoke at first, but wasn't taking the trouble to do it now.

The sound was a soft pat-pat on the trail—sometimes entirely obliterated but always recurring when she began to believe that she had only fancied its presence. Sometimes a twig, rain-soaked though it was, cracked beneath a heavy foot, and again and again she heard the brush crushing and rustling as something passed through. Sometimes, when the trail was covered with soft pine needles, it was practically indistinguishable.

The animal was approximately one hundred feet behind. It wasn't a wolf, she thought. The wolves run in packs this season, and except in winter were more afraid of human beings than any other living creature. It wasn't a lynx—one of those curiosity-devoured little felines that will mew all day on a trail and never dare come near. It was much too large for a lynx. The feet fell too solidly. There were no dogs in the mountains to follow at heel; and she had no desire whatever to meet Shag, the faithful hybrid that used to be her guardian in the hills. For Shag had gone to his well-deserved rest several seasons before. Two other possibilities remained. One was that this follower was a human

being, the other that it was a cougar.

Ordinarily a human being is much more potentially dangerous to a woman in the hills at night than a cougar. A cougar is an abject coward and some men are not. But Snowbird felt herself entirely capable of handling any human foe. They would have no advantage over her; they would have no purpose in killing from ambush; and she trusted to her own marksmanship implicitly. While it is an extremely difficult thing to shoot at a cougar leaping from the thicket, a tall man standing on a trail presents an easy target. Besides, she had a vague sense of discomfort that if this animal were a cougar, he wasn't acting true to form. He was altogether too bold.

The animal on the trail behind her was taking no care at all to go silently. He was simply pat-patting along, wholly at his ease. He acted as if the fear that men have instilled in his breed was somehow missing. And that is why she instinctively tried to hurry on the trail.

The step kept pace. For a long mile, up a barren ridge, she heard every step it made. Then, as the brush closed deeper around her, she couldn't hear it at all.

She hurried on, straining to the silence. No, the sound was stopped. Could it be that the animal, fearful at last, had turned from her trail? And then for the first time a gasp that was not greatly different from a de-



She Heard the Steps Again.

spairing sob caught at her throat. She heard the steps again, and they were in the thickets just beside her.

Two hours before Snowbird had left the house, on her long tramp to the ranger station, Dan had started home. He hadn't shot until sunset, as he had planned.

He rode one of Lennox's cattle ponies, the only piece of horse-flesh that Hill had not taken to the valleys when he had driven down the live stock. She was a pretty bay, a spirited, high-bred mare that could whip about on her hind legs at the touch of the rein on her neck. She made good time along the trail. And an hour before sunset he passed the only human habitation between the marsh and Lennox's house—the cabin that had been recently occupied by Landy Hildreth.

He glanced at the place as he passed and saw that it was deserted. No smell of wood smoke remained in the air. Evidently Landy had gone down to the settlements with his precious testimony in regard to the arson ring. Yet it was curious that no word had been heard of him. As far as Dan knew, neither the courts nor the forest service, had taken action.

He hurried on, four miles farther. The trail entered the heavy thickets, and he had to ride slowly. It was as wild a section as could be found on the whole Divide. And just as he came to a little cleared space, three strange dark birds flung up on wide-spread wings.

He knew them at once. All mountaineers come to know them before their days are done. They were the buzzards, the followers of the dead. And what they were doing in the thicket just beside the trail, Dan did not dare to think.

Of course they might be feeding on the body of a deer, mortally wounded by some hunter. He resolved to ride by without investigating. He glanced up. The buzzards were hovering in the sky, evidently waiting for him to pass. Then, mostly to relieve a curious sense of discomfort in his own mind, he stopped his horse and dismounted.

The twilight had started to fall, and already its first grayness had begun to soften the harder lines of forest and hill. And after his first glance at the curious white heap beside the trail, he was extremely glad that it had. But there was no chance to mistake the thing. The elements and much more terrible agents had each wrought their change, yet there was grisly evidence in plenty to show what had occurred. Dan didn't doubt for an instant but that it was the skeleton of Landy Hildreth.

He forced himself to go nearer. The buzzards were almost done, and one white bone from the shoulder gave unmistakable evidence of the passage of a bullet. What had happened there after, he could only guess.

He got back quickly to his horse. He understood now why nothing had been heard of the evidence that Landy

Hildreth was to turn over to the courts as to the activities of the arson ring. Some one—probably Bert Cranston himself—had been waiting on the trail. Others had come thereafter. And his lips set in his resolve to let this murder measure in the debt he had to pay Cranston.

The Lennox house seemed very silent when, almost an hour later, he turned his horse into the corral. He had rather hoped that Snowbird would be at the door to meet him. The darkness had just fallen, and all the lamps were lighted. He strode into the living room, warming his hands at the instant beside the fireplace. The fire needed fuel. It had evidently been neglected for nearly an hour.

Then he called Snowbird. His voice echoed in the silent room, unanswered. He called again, then went to look for her. At the door of the dining room he found the note that she had left for him.

It told, very simply and plainly, that her father lay injured in his bed, and he was to remain and do what he could for him. She had gone for help to the ranger station.

He leaped through the rooms to Lennox's door, then went in on tiptoe. And the first thing he saw when he opened the door was the grizzled man's gray face on the pillow.

"You're home early, Dan," he said. "How many did you get?"

It was entirely characteristic. Shaggy old Wolf is too proud to howl over the wounds that lay him low, and (Continued on Page 20).

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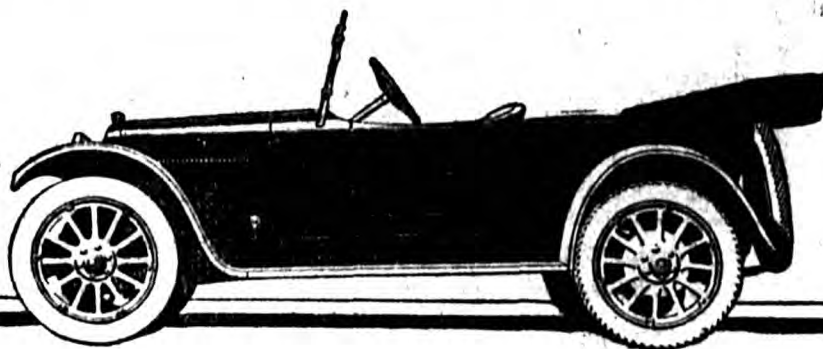
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NASH FOUR

The Voice of The Pack

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This gray old bear on the bed had taken of his spirit.

"Good Lord," Dan answered. "How badly are you hurt?"

"Not so bad but that I'm sorry that Snowbird has gone drifting twelve miles over the hills for help. It's dark as pitch."

And it was Dan could scarcely make out the outline of the somber ridges against the sky.

They talked on, and their subject was whether Dan should remain to take care of Lennox, or whether he should attempt to overtake Snowbird with the horse. Of course the girl had ordered him to stay. Lennox, on the other hand, said that Dan could not help him in the least, and desired him to follow the girl.

"I'm not often anxious about her," he said slowly. "But it is a long walk through the wildest part of the Divide. Some way—I can't but accidents tonight. I don't like to think of her on those mountain alone."

And remembering what had lain beside the trail, Dan felt the same. He had heard, long ago, that any animal that once tasted human flesh loses its fear of men and is never to be trusted again. Some wild animal that still hunted the ridges had, in the last month, done just that thing. He left the room and walked softly to the door.

The night lay silent and mysterious over the Divide. He stood listening. The girl had started only an hour before, and it was unlikely that she could have traversed more than two miles of the steep trail in that time. Although the horse ordinarily did not climb a hill more swiftly than a human being, he didn't doubt but that he could overtake her before she went three miles farther. But where lay his duty—with the injured man in the house or with the daughter on her errand of mercy in the darkness?

Then the matter was decided for him. So faint that it only whispered at the dim, outer frontiers of hearing, a sound came pricking through the darkness. Only, his months of listening to the faint sounds of the forest, and the incredible silence of the night enabled him to hear it at all. But he knew what it was, the report of a pistol. Snowbird had met an enemy in the darkness.

He called open to Lennox, snatched the shotgun that still stood where he had placed it in the corner of the room, and hastened to the corral. The three whickered plightfully when he took her from her food.

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DRAINAGE URGED FOR WICOMICO

Many Acres Of Land In County
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It is estimated that there are over 100 million acres of land needing drainage before they will produce the maximum yields of even moderate yields of crops. This subject has received careful attention from the United States Department of Agriculture and the State College and advice can be obtained from these sources as well as material assistance without charge to the farmer.

There are many acres of land in Wicomico County which need drainage and this should be probably the first thing to be considered in improving this land. Without proper drainage these lands cannot and will not produce what they should for in addition to holding back farm operation in early spring the crop may be ruined by weather conditions during the growing season. In the summer of 1919 a very heavy rainfall, or several rainfalls occurred on the Eastern Shore, and the Irish potato crop, planted on the low, undrained lands of the county was ruined. Adequate drainage would have helped this situation a great deal even if it did not prevent the loss entirely.

There is no question but that it pays and pays big to drain land that needs it. Instances are numerous where drainage has returned a profit of 50 per cent during a single season.

Seldom Drain Thoroughly.

There may not be, at present, any ideal system of drainage but any system employed that is adequate, permanent and using the least possible land can be used to advantage. The open ditch system although it has its place and is better than no system at all, is not the best possible system as these ditches occupy too much of the land that could be devoted to crop. The open ditches seldom give a thorough job of drainage and the cost of maintenance is very high. The time, labor and money spent in keeping the open ditch clean of weeds and brush and doing the necessary excavation would pay for an adequate system of tile drainage in a few years. Open ditches have their place when they serve as an outlet for tile drains, as a protection around the fields and to carry off surplus water from fields during excessive rainfalls.

The size of the main will vary with the several factors mentioned before, such as the amount of ground to be drained into main, the fall, the nature of the soil and the amount of water to be carried off. A steep grade in a light soil will need a larger main than one in a heavier soil as water passes through a light soil much more easily and rapidly than it does through a soil of a heavier nature.

Ditching By Dynamite Practical.

The cost of tile drainage, as might be expected, varies a great deal but any farmer by estimating the number of feet of tile needed, and the cost of digging ditches in this section can arrive very closely to the total cost as soon as he has obtained the price on the tile. Assistance in this matter can be obtained from his County

Agent, the State College, or the United States Department of Agriculture. Plans and complete instructions can be obtained from the Department at a very small cost to the farmer.

Open ditches can be dug with machines made for that purpose and usually at much less expense than digging by hand labor. Ditches have been dug on the Eastern Shore with one of these machines costing \$32, at a saving of, in one instance 75 per cent of the cost of digging by hand. On open soils of a fairly light nature these machines will dig a ditch almost as fast as the mules or horses will walk. The farmers in any community could join together in buying one of these machines and it would more than pay for itself in one year.

Ditching by dynamite is practical in many cases and can be done for about 40 per cent of the cost of hand digging. This method of ditching is not practical in every case but where it is practical it has much to recommend it. The cost will vary, but an ordinary ditch 4 1/2 feet wide and 2 1/2 feet deep with one stick of dynamite placed every 2 feet will cost from 13 to 15 cents per yard.

Improves Soil Conditions.

Drainage will improve the physical condition of the soil so that stiff soils are made more easily handled as well as allowing more air to enter the soil. Very few plants thrive with "wet feet" and drainage will open up the soil, give more room for roots to grow.

Under-drainage by means of tile is perhaps the best system used up to the present time. Two kinds of tile, clay and cement, are the most popular and although some men claim that "round tile is best" we find many farmers using the hexagonal tile. These shapes are easier to lay and will not choke or clog up as easily as other shapes. In the clay tile the hard burned are considered the best while cement tile made of the best cement and clean sand are said to give good satisfaction. There are many cement machines for making tile on the market and in sections where clay tile is not made or high in price it is practical for a community to invest in one of these machines and make their own tile.

No general statement can be made that will cover the arrangement of drains on each farm for the arrangements will depend largely upon the nature of the soil, the lay of the land as to the "outlet" and "inlet." As a rule the outlet is the first consideration and care must be taken especially on level land, to have the outlet properly placed. The outlet, and main, should be placed on the lowest land so that they will be low enough to permit the proper fall.

Flow Should Be Rapid.

Some land will need only a few lines of tile when they are low or wet in spots. The drains are laid from 2 to 4 1/2 feet deep and lines of drain from 30 to 200 feet apart depending upon the nature of the soil to be drained. On heavy soils the drains should be laid comparatively shallow while on light soils, sand or gravel, they may be laid deeper and the lines farther apart.

The grade, or pitch, should be enough to allow rapid flow and if this is done the tile will be kept clean automatically as it were. The grade may vary from 1 inch to 100 feet to 4 inches or even more. Small tile, such as 2 or 3 inch are very seldom practical and in many sections of the Eastern Shore nothing less than a 4 inch tile is ever laid. When the laterals are on clay land and placed close together 3 inch tile might answer the purpose but a 4 inch tile, or larger, will give better satisfaction and service in practically all cases, and result in increased crops and increased profits.

Many illustrations might be given showing the benefit of tiling, but these few may show the purpose: "put in 8,000 feet of tile in the last four years at an approximate cost of \$10 per acre and my crops were practically doubled after drainage." "I have laid 1,500 feet of tile in the last year on the very low ground, at an approximate cost of \$8.50 per acre. The increase in crops the first year more than paid for the cost of drainage. On one piece I was getting practically no corn from, made me 50 baskets per acre after drainage." "I have drained about 10 acres, laying about 10,000 feet of tile. The yield of grass was trebled after drainage." "In the last four years I have drained a 40 acre field; the first 20 acres drained four years ago gave me two crops of corn, a 30 bushel crop of wheat and cut over two tons of timothy hay in the season of 1915. The two crops of corn paid for the drainage by their increase."

—GEORGE R. COBB,

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During the rush season, when every minute of your time counts in dollars and cents, you find that unprotected implements couldn't stand the strain, and your work is held up, perhaps in the harvest field, while your equipment is being repaired.

Isn't it foolish to stand for such a loss when a slight investment in an implement shed would do away with the unnecessary expense, and the costly, vexing delays?

HERE IS WHAT ONE FARMER HAS DISCOVERED—

His machinery cost him \$1000 and had to be re- every five years because it was not properly cared for. In other words his account looked like this:—

Interest on \$1000 at 6%.....	\$ 60
Wear and tear on unhouse machinery at 20%.....	\$200
Total.....	\$260

SO THAT MAN WENT TO THE MILL AND BOUGHT SOME LUMBER.



After he had his implement shed built, his account looked like this:—

Interest on \$1000 at 6%.....	\$ 60
Interest on \$400 for shed at 6%.....	\$ 24
Wear and tear on shed at 10%.....	\$ 40
Wear and tear on protected machinery at 8%.....	\$ 80
Total.....	\$204

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STRONG CASE IS PRESENTED BY TEACHERS

Cite Figures To Show County
Commissioners Salary In-
crease Is Justified.

ABOUT 500 ATTENDED
HEARING ON TUESDAY

Court House Is Crowded With School
Teachers Who Are Advocating a
Raise of \$50 Per Year—Representa-
tives of Civic Organizations Also
Were Present.

Fortified with an array of figures
showing comparisons of salaries paid
the public school teachers of Wico-
mico county with the salaries prevail-
ing in the various branches of busi-
ness, the teachers went before the
County Commissioners last Tuesday
and presented their case for an in-
crease in salary in a businesslike
manner.

The hearing was held in the court
room, which was crowded to the doors
with teachers from all over the coun-
ty, white and colored. With them
came members of civic organizations,
parents of Parents' and Teachers' As-
sociations, and many taxpayers. The
crowd was estimated at close to 500.

Miss May Hill, president of the
Wicomico County Teachers' Associa-
tion, was the first speaker and in a
general way presented the teachers'
side of the question at issue, reading
the resolution adopted by the Associa-
tion asking of the Commissioners a
raise in salary of white teachers of
\$50 per year.

Miss Ida Morris followed in an ap-
peal for better trained teachers, which
could only come through a better
equipment of our teachers, which, of
course, would require better prepara-
tion, at increased cost. Miss Morris
presented figures to show that the low
salaries paid were operating to lower
our standard of qualified teachers by
reason of the fact that our best qual-
ified teachers were going into other
counties where higher salaries were
paid. She appealed to the Commis-
sioners to put Wicomico county on
record as favoring advancement in
educational work by increasing the
salaries of teachers.

Miss Margaret Waller presented
working conditions under which the
teachers labored, contending that the
successful teachers were required to
labor long hours in preparation for
their work and would average at least
nine hours daily. She also referred to
the incompetency of some teachers,
but affirmed that they were in a hope-
less minority in comparison with the
competent and successful teachers.

Miss Alma Lankford presented a
very convincing array of figures
showing the expenditures for school
purposes in the various counties of
the State, the taxable basis and the
percent of expenditures. She showed
that Wicomico held a low position in
the expenditures for educational pur-
poses.

Miss Ruth Powell and Miss Alice
Hill referred to the salaries paid Wico-
mico teachers in comparison with the
salaries paid in the business world.

Representatives from the Salisbury
Rotary Club, the Parent and Teach-
ers' Association of Delmar, the Cen-
tury Club of Delmar and the East
Salisbury Community League were
also present and stated that resolu-
tions had been adopted by those bod-
ies heartily favoring the advance
asked for by the school teachers.

At the conclusion of the hearing,
President Mitchell of the Board of
Commissioners announced that the
board would thoroughly consider the
matter of the increased pay and ren-
der its decision next Tuesday.

MEMORIAL WINDOW IS
UNVEILED AT ST. PETER'S

A very large congregation was
present at St. Peter's Church, this
city, last Sunday morning, to witness
the unveiling of a handsome memori-
al window by Miss Nancy R. Fulton,
of Baltimore, in memory of her father,
the late Rev. Wm. Fulton. The
window is a magnificent portrayal of
St. Peter and bears the inscription,
"Rev. Wm. Fulton, D. D., Rector
Spring Hill and Stepney Parishes
1860-1877."

GUILD TO GIVE CARD PARTY.

The Junior Guild of St. Peter's
Church will hold a card party on
Tuesday evening, April 26 at the
Lantern Tea Room.

DR. COOK TO LECTURE HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Noted Educator Will Deliver Address
In Court House on "Relation of
School To Business."

The school authorities and others
interested in the cause of education
are looking forward with great pen-
sance and interest to the address to be
delivered by Dr. Albert Cook, State
Superintendent of Education, this
(Thursday) evening, in the Court
room.

Dr. Cook's theme will be "The Re-
lation of the Schools to Business," and
he comes to Salisbury at the request
of the Chamber of Commerce to de-
liver a message which will no doubt
be highly interesting and instructive
to all who hear him.

Dr. Cook has spent many years in
educational work in Maryland and is
splendidly equipped to speak on the
all-important theme of Education.

A strong sentiment has existed
here among those interested in educa-
tional matters that the State should
have a Normal School on the Eastern
Shore, with Salisbury as the location,
and it is believed that the matter will
be discussed by Dr. Cook during his
lecture.

Y.M.C.A. Building Formally
Opened Sunday With Appro-
priate Exercises.

MR. W. L. BOGGS SELECTED
AS PHYSICAL DIRECTOR

Will Probably Take Charge of That
Branch of Work At Local "Y"
About June 15—Was Formerly
Connected With Athletic Activities
At Staunton, Va., Association.

The Young Men's Association
building of Salisbury was formally
opened last Sunday afternoon at 3
o'clock with impressive services in
the nature of a service of dedication.
The auditorium of the association building
was comfortably filled with a large
and representative audience of Salis-
bury's leading citizens. The princi-
pal addresses was made by the Rev.
Thomas R. Reeves, pastor of the
Southern Methodist Church, followed
by Mr. W. B. Miller, one of Salis-
bury's prominent citizens.

All of the local pastors took part
in the exercises and upon motion of
Dr. J. T. Henson, pastor of the North-
ern Methodist Church, a rising vote
of thanks was extended Mrs. E. E.
Jackson for her most generous gift
of such a magnificent building to the
boys and men of Salisbury. The mus-
ical program was rendered by Miss
Mildred Matthews and Mr. R. W.
Hammerslough, both numbers receiving
applause, showing the apprecia-
tion of the audience.

At the close of the service Mr.
Hammerslough, general secretary of
the association, received many con-
gratulations and assurances of inter-
est and cooperation in his work. Mr.
Walter S. Sheppard, president of the
Y. M. C. A., announced that efforts
were being made to secure a director
of physical activities and that Mr. W.
L. Boggs, of Baltimore, had visited
the association by invitation of the
board with the view of coming here
as physical director.

Mr. Boggs was formerly physical
director at Staunton, Va., where Mr.
Hammerslough was general secretary
before coming to Salisbury. For the
past two years Mr. Boggs has been
connected with the Public Athletic
League of Baltimore. He is a young
man of a pleasing personality and a
varied experience along physical
training lines.

Mr. Hammerslough has known Mr.
Boggs for a number of years and is
familiar with the kind of work he has
done in other fields and with the im-
pressions he has made on the boy life
of these different communities, and
he feels very fortunate in being able
to secure such a competent man to
direct the physical activities of the
association. Mr. Boggs will assume
his duties about June 15.

TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE.

The ladies of Asbury M. E. Church
will hold a rummage sale on this Fri-
day and Saturday in the building used
as a voting place, located on West
Main street.

BOLD THIEVES MAKE \$1,000 HAUL HERE

Loot Dorman & Smyth's Hard-
ware Store On Main
Street.

ROBBERY COMMITTED
EARLY FRIDAY MORNING

Gain Entrance By Climbing Fire Es-
cape In Rear of Ullman's Opera
House, and Walking Along Cornice
To Second Story of the Store—
State Police On Case.

The most daring burglary perpet-
rated in Salisbury in many years was
"pulled off" some time Thursday night
or early Friday morning in the big
hardware store of The Dorman &
Smyth Hardware Company, located on
the corner of Main and Dock streets.

The location is one of the most
prominent in the city, only a few feet
from Ullman's Opera House on Main
street and equally as close to the big
Lowe Garage on Dock street. A big
arc light at the intersection of Main
and Dock streets burns brightly all
night and sheds its rays clear across
the first floor of the Dorman &
Smyth building. One would think
this the last place in Salisbury that
would be chosen by burglars to oper-
ate in. The corner is also directly on
the beat of the night policemen and
they pass it many times each night,
frequently trying the doors to ascer-
tain if they are locked.

Mr. Levin W. Dorman, who was the
first one to discover the robbery Fri-
day morning, says he is positive that
his place of business was securely
closed, as usual, when the business
for the day was over Thursday, as he
was the last to leave the building.

When Mr. Dorman entered the
store Friday morning he found that
the show cases had been almost com-
pletely of their contents, consisting of
high-class revolvers, repeating rifles,
plated wares, knives, forks and spoons,
razors, razor blades and many other
articles, totalling in value more than
\$1,000. The thieves used bags to
carry away the loot, they having
dumped two bushel bags of seeds on
the floor so as to use the bags in which
to carry away the loot. After pack-
ing the loot in bags the thieves evi-
dently dragged them across the floor
to the elevator, which was used to
carry the loot to the basement. Scars
on the floor and elevator showed con-
clusively that this was the course pur-
sued by the thieves. Reaching the
basement, the thieves found the key
which unlocked the door and it is cer-
tain they loaded the loot in either an
automobile or vehicle of some kind
and beat a hasty retreat. The base-
ment door was left wide open by the
thieves. The lock had not been broken
and the key was inserted on the
inside of the lock. All these happen-
ings went on within twenty feet of
the big Dock Street Garage, from
(Continued on Page 7.)

Wm. F. Allen Elected
President Rotarians

Well Known Nurseryman Chosen As
Head of Local Body At Last
Thursday Night's Meeting.

Election of officers and the report
of delegates to the convention at At-
lantic City were the main features of
the program Thursday night at the
regular meeting of The Rotary Club.
The directors who were nominated
the latter part of March were elected,
and they in turn elected the officers
from the governing board.

William F. Allen, head of the Allen
Nursery and one of the most enthu-
siastic and earnest of Rotarians, was
selected to lead the local organization
for the coming year. Supporting him
are Messrs. Augustus Toadvine as
vice president and Carl M. Paynter as
secretary and treasurer. The other
members of the board are Messrs.
Ralph Grier and Fred P. Adkins.

The sergeant-at-arms and the
standing committees are yet to be ap-
pointed. The regular committees are
Boys' Work, International Associa-
tion Relations, Membership and Fel-
lowship. It is expected that the com-
position of these bodies will be made
known at the next meeting.

President Allen told in a very in-
teresting way all that had occurred at
the great meeting at Atlantic City.
The Y. M. C. A. secretary, Mr. Ham-
merslough, was a guest of the club
and outlined his plans for "Y" work
in Salisbury.

ODD FELLOWS HOME GOES TO FREDERICK

The new Odd Fellows Home
for the Orphans and Aged will
be located just outside of Fred-
erick, Md., the site selected be-
ing on the Lincoln National
Highway. It consists of 40
acres and is about one and one-
half miles from Frederick. The
decision to locate the home near
Frederick was made at a meet-
ing held in Baltimore Tuesday
afternoon.

On Tuesday night, the fund
of \$100,000 for the new home
was the occasion for a rally at
the Lyric Theatre, Baltimore,
and at that time the amount
sought was found to be greatly
over-subscribed.

William A. Jones, Grand Sec-
retary of the Lodge, has been
granted an increase in salary in
appreciation of his faithful ser-
vices, and he also will be pro-
vided with an assistant.

ST. JOHN'S STUDENTS TO GIVE PLAY HERE

Annapolis Freshmen Will Present
"Officer 666" At Army Wed-
nesday Night, April 27.

On Wednesday evening, April 27,
at the First Regiment Armory, there
will be presented by the Freshman
Class of St. John's College, Annapo-
lis, a three-act comedy entitled, "Of-
ficer 666." Prof. and Mrs. Handy will
accompany the players. This is a
chance to get a splendid rally from
all the alumnae of St. Johns and all
those who have had an interest there,
also those who contemplate entering
that institution at some future time.

Following the play which will be-
gin at 8:15 P. M. and last two hours
or more, a dance has been arranged
for those who wish to indulge. The
music will be furnished by the St.
John's Orchestra, assisted by the
High School Orchestra, which has
been doing splendid work. The pa-
trons and patronesses will be Prof.
and Mrs. S. S. Handy, of St. John's
College; Prof. and Mrs. R. Lee Clark,
Miss Ruth Powell, Miss Alma Lank-
ford, Mrs. H. S. Wailes, Miss Nellie
Hill, Mrs. W. S. Shepherd, Miss Irma
Graham and Mrs. John Toulson.

A small admission will be charged
for the entire entertainment. Re-
freshments will be served by the High
School Juniors at extra charge.

The entertainment should have an
appeal for both old and young, and it
is hoped that the Armory will be
packed to its utmost capacity. The
boys are talented, thoroughly trained,
and come to us with the best of
recommendation from places where
they have played before. The com-
edy itself is decidedly clever.

SPECIAL MEETING OF WICOMICO POST MONDAY

Many Important Matters Will Be
Taken Up By American Legion
On That Night.

A special meeting of Wicomico
Post, No. 64, American Legion, has
been called for Monday night, April
25. As there are many important
matters to be discussed the Execu-
tive Committee is hoping for a large
attendance.

The matter of immediate interest
is that of appropriate Memorial Day
services. At the last meeting of the
Executive Committee a proposal was
made that some form of service be
held in the Armory on Sunday, May
23rd. A report on this plan will
probably be made at the meeting on
Monday night.

"Poppy Day," too, will come in for
its share of the honors in the Mem-
orial Day observance. The American
Legion wants the emblem of Fland-
ers Field worn by everyone on that
day. Poppy flowers, made in the
very places where our boys fought
and won and where so many lie
asleep, will be sold. The profits will
be given to the relief of children in
devastated France.

What will probably take up most of
the time on Monday night, however,
will be a discussion of details of the
Convention to be held at Ocean City
in the early part of September. This
convention of all the Posts of Mary-
land will be held in Ocean City at the
invitation of the Posts on the lower
part of the Peninsula. Much work
is to be done to make it the biggest
success that it is possible to make a
convention and Wicomico Post is anx-
ious to take up its share of this work.

FARMERS ASSN. TO SOON HAVE 700 IN FOLD

Mr. Nock States That The 700-
Mark Will Be Reached By
End Of This Week.

MORE THAN 640 GROWERS
ALREADY HAVE JOINED

This Week's Meetings Will Bring Ad-
ded Numbers To The Roster—Seas-
on Will Soon Start and Time For
Casting Lot With The Organiza-
tion Is Rapidly Nearing End.

Prospects for a membership of more
than 700 loom bright for the Wico-
mico Farmers Association before the
end of the present week according to
a statement made this morning by
Mr. H. A. Nock, manager of the re-
cently organized co-operative organ-
ization. Just at present there are
more than 640 members in the fold,
and, after the four meetings to be
held this week, the 700-mark not only
will be reached but it also will be far
exceeded, it was said.

In making this statement, Mr.
Nock further said that no person had
been included in the count unless they
had taken out one share or more of
stock in the association.

Owing to the fact that the mem-
ber-ship drive will shortly come to an end,
Mr. Nock again urges that all of
those who desire to join the associa-
tion do so at once. The selling sea-
son will soon begin, and, after that
has opened up, the association's of-
ficials, will have no time to devote to
membership drives. On account of
the great opportunities the associa-
tion offers to the farmers and farm
land owners of Wicomico county, they
should at once take advantage of their
opportunities by joining now. Mr.
Nock's final word on the membership
drive is "do it now; it means too much
to you to delay the matter."

On Friday night of last week, Mr.
Clarence Sturgis was elected director
of the Delmar Division. Elections
will be held this week at Bound's Hall,
Hebron, on Thursday night, and at
Workman's Hall, Walston, on Fri-
day night. Mr. Nock and others will
deliver addresses at these meetings,
and all of those interested in the
Wicomico Farmers Association are re-
quested to be present and get first-
hand information about the organiza-
tion.

On Saturday night of this week a
meeting will be held at Quantico
school house, and on next Monday
night another meeting will be held in
Rockawalkin Hall, Rockawalkin.

Candidates For Naval Academy Here

Eighteen Annapolis Aspirants Are
Taking Mental "Exams" At First
Regiment Armory.

Examinations are now being given
in the First Regiment Armory to 18
young men from the Naval Academy
Preparatory School for entrance to
the Naval Academy at Annapolis as
Midshipmen. Salisbury and Balti-
more are the two points in Maryland
where these examinations are given.
The eighteen young men arrived in
Salisbury on Tuesday night and
started actual work on Wednesday
morning. Miss Ola Day has charge
of the examinations, which will last
three days.

Practically every part of the coun-
try is represented by someone taking
this mental exam. The names and
addresses of those hoping to become
Admirals in the U. S. Navy are:

Earl Olson, Waukegan, Ill.; Ned
Morris, Palestine, Tex.; Wendell
Colburn, Scottsdale, Pa.; Jack Rankin,
El Reno, Okla.; George Price, Pitts-
burgh, Pa.; Arthur R. Quinn, San
Francisco, Cal.; John Chittenden, An-
derson, Ind.; Ellis Durham, Mart,
Tex.; Mansfield King, El Paso, Ill.;
Kenneth Thompson, Racine, Wis.; El-
mer Cripe, Fruitland, Idaho; J. W.
Hodges, Lagrange, N. C.; Stephen
Norris, Cincinnati, O.; James Leeper,
Durmont, Ark.; R. F. Maynard, Fay-
etteville, W. Va.; J. A. Driscoll, Pun-
xutaney, Pa.; R. W. Rickert, Nor-
folk, Va.

MR. CHAS. H. ELLIS DEAD.

Mr. Charles H. Ellis, one of Pocomo
City's best known citizens, died at
the Peninsula General Hospital, Thur-
sday. Mr. Ellis had been in poor
health for some time and for several
weeks prior to his death had been un-
able to prosecute his business.

BANKERS TO MEET IN DELMAR APR. 27

Financial Institutions of That City
Will Entertain Tri-County Asso-
ciated Bankers.

A big time is being planned for the
semi-annual meeting of the Associat-
ed Banks of Somerset, Worcester and
Wicomico Counties, which will be held
in Delmar on the afternoon of April
27. On that occasion officials of the
Bank of Delmar and the First Na-
tional Bank of Delmar will be the
hosts of members of the association,
and no stone is being left unturned
to make the affair a memorable one.

A meeting of the executive commit-
tee of the bankers' association was
held in Princess Anne last Monday,
at which time matters incident to the
coming meeting were fully discussed.
A prominent speaker will be invited
to deliver an address, and at night a
big banquet will be held.

Mr. William F. Brattan, cashier of
the First National Bank of Snow Hill,
is president of the association, and
the following compose the executive
committee: Dr. Samuel A. Graham,
cashier Farmers and Merchants Bank,
Salisbury, Mr. Oscar M. Purnell, presi-
dent Deposit Bank of Snow Hill, and
Mr. Warren F. Sterling, cashier Bank
of Crisfield.

STATE LABOR CONVENTION MEETS HERE

Maryland And District Federa-
tion Annual Meeting Being
Held In "Y" Building.

MR. GLENN H. PLUMB
DELIVERS ADDRESS

Author of Plumb Plan Spoke At
Wednesday's Session Regarding
Railroad Organization—More Than
100 Delegates Are In Attendance—
Trip Made To Ocean City

The seventeenth annual convention
of the Maryland State and District of
Columbia Federation of Labor is in
session here this week in the auditor-
ium of the Young Men's Christian
Association. The opening session was
held at 10 A. M. Monday, and it is
expected that all of the business to
come before the convention will have
been concluded by tonight (Thurs-
day) and the meeting adjourned.

More than 100 delegates from all
parts of the state and the District of
Columbia are in attendance at the
convention, which is being presided
over by Mr. Francis J. Drum, presi-
dent of the Federation. After prayer
by Rev. R. L. Shipley, the opening
day's session was formally launched
with an address of welcome delivered
to the visiting delegates by Mayor W.
Arthur Kennerly.

The Baltimore Federation of La-
bor, which is represented here by de-
legates from 18 local unions of that
city, introduced a resolution on the
opening day looking to the abolition
of the Public Service Commission of
Maryland, the reason given being on
account of the commission's alleged
failure to obtain equitable rates from
gas and electric companies and car
lines for citizens.

It also was urged that the conven-
tion go on record as opposing any re-
peal of the income tax law and the
enactment of a sales or turnover tax
law; that the convention pledge its
moral support to the Irish peoples in
their effort to reclaim their homes
and establish a republic in Ireland;
that President Harding be urged to
declare a general amnesty for all
prisoners who are serving terms for
purely political offenses, and that the
convention protest any attempt to re-
duce the present wage scale by the
employers.

The following resolutions presented
to the convention on Tuesday were re-
ferred to committees:

That it endorse the bill presented by
Senator Johnson giving longshoremen,
shipbuilders and marine workers the
protection of the State Compensation
law in case of accident while employ-
ed on vessels within the boundaries
of the States.

That a program be prepared for
presentation in the next Maryland
Legislature for the passage of such
legislation as will benefit the workers
and farmers of the State.

That it oppose the passage of the
Smith-Towner Educational bill.
That the Baltimore Federationist be
(Continued on Page 7.)

AID OF CITY PROMISED FOR CLEAN-UP WEEK

Mayor Kennerly Tells Woman's
Club Members He Will Help
Make It Success.

CO-OPERATION OF ALL
ORGANIZATIONS WANTED

Clean-Up Movement Will Start May
2 and Last Until May 7—Commit-
tee Members Will Make House-To-
House Canvass—Everyone Should
Help Make Project Big Success.

Official endorsement by the city of
"Clean-Up Week" was extended by
Mayor W. Arthur Kennerly at a meet-
ing of the Woman's Club held last
Monday, at which time the mayor told
the club members that the active co-
operation of the city officials would
be given in helping to make "Clean-
Up Week" a big, rousing success. Dr.
D. B. Potter, City Health Officer, also
attended the meeting, and promised
to lend his aid in furthering the suc-
cess of the project.

"Clean-Up Week" will begin on
Monday, May 2, and will last all
week. During that short period,
citizens of Salisbury should leave no
stone unturned in helping to make
this "The City Beautiful." It is re-
quested that houses, cellars, out-
houses, as well as the yards, should
be thoroughly cleaned and put in tip-
top order. Also, it has been suggest-
ed that a mere superficial raking does
not make a sanitary city—and to
heartily cooperate in the movement,
real participation must be had.

Some of the things that will help to
bring about the desired improvement
to the city's appearance and to its
sanitary conditions, follow: See that
all rubbish is removed from your cel-
lar, backyard and aerway; have it
placed in suitable receptacles so that
it can be readily removed; clear hall-
ways of all obstructions; remove and
clean all carpets for the summer;
scrub floors, hallways and all unvar-
nished woodwork thoroughly; use
plenty of soap and hot water; clean
all windows and keep them open to
fresh air and sunlight; ventilate
damp cellars.

The Woman's Club requests that all
neighborhood nuisances, such as stag-
nant pools and ill-smelling refuse
piles be reported to the city authori-
ties, and that if there is a vacant lot
adjoining your house, make special
efforts to see that it is cleaned off
all decaying and refuse material. War
on the rats and flies will be declared
during "Clean-Up Week," and in
fact, everything will be done to make
the city as presentable in appearance
as is possible.

A house-to-house canvass will be
made shortly by members of the
Woman's Club so that everyone may
be better acquainted with what is
wanted to be done during "Clean-Up
Week." It has been decided, it was
said to request the aid of all the city's
various organizations in putting the
proposition "over the top," and to re-
quest the aid of the churches and the
Salisbury Grange in assisting to "put
it across."

Attention also has been called to the
fact that the City Ordinances relat-
ing to the City's sanitary conditions
fully cover practically everything re-
quested to be done during "Clean-Up
Week," and rigid enforcement of
(Continued on Page 7.)

Negro Who Killed His Cousin Is Dead

Virgil Smith Dies At Hospital Here
Following Short Illness of
Pneumonia.

Virgil Smith, colored, who shot and
killed his cousin at a dance being held
near Parsonsburg a short time ago,
died Saturday morning at the Penin-
sula General Hospital from pneumo-
nia contracted when he escaped from
that institution several days ago and
walked 10 miles in his night attire to
his home.

Smith was originally brought to the
local hospital because of wounds he
inflicted upon himself after commit-
ting the murder, and when the guards
were withdrawn, he got out of bed and
started on his journey to his home,
walking in his bare feet and attired
only in a night shirt over the stone
roads.

Double pneumonia set in shortly af-
ter he was rearrested and he again
was removed to the hospital, where he
lived but a few days.

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MR. PINCHOT OPPOSES SNELL FORESTRY BILL

Writes Local Rotarian That He Believes It Will Not Afford Needed Relief.

FOUR FIFTHS STANDING TIMBER PRIVATELY HELD

Says Steps Must Be Taken To Stop Forest Devastation On Privately Owned Land and Keep Them Growing Trees—Claims Present Bill Will Not Work Public Control.

Mr. Marvin E. Evans, president of the Salisbury Rotary Club, has received a very interesting letter from Mr. Gifford Pinchot, in which the latter sets forth his reasons for being opposed to the Snell bill as relating to forestry control. Mr. Pinchot's letter follows:

"We all remember the shortage and high prices of lumber, wood pulp, and other forest products which made such trouble during and after the war. When the present industrial depression is over, the same causes threaten to produce the same difficulties in even more serious form. Here is the situation:

"The United States consists of 30 wood-importing States, which cannot supply their own needs; 14 wood-exporting States, which for the moment are able to cut more than they use, and four States about evenly balanced. By far the larger part of our agriculture, our industries, our newspapers, our people and our political power are in the wood-importing States. Your own State of Maryland is one of them.

"Five-sixths of our original timber is gone. Forest devastation has converted timberlands as large as the forests of all Europe (excluding Russia) into barren, idle wastes, and this desolation is spreading at the rate of three million acres a year. We are cutting what is left four times faster than it is being reproduced. Moreover, the forest supplies of the world are in such condition that when our own forests are exhausted, we cannot look to other countries for wood to keep our industries alive. We must grow our own or go without.

"Within ten years at the most, the Southern States, which now supply the larger part of the lumber Maryland uses, will be unable to do more than fill their own needs. After that your industries must depend mainly upon wood from Washington, Oregon and California, which contain a full half of all our remaining timber.

"Little Group" Is Powerful.

"Four-fifths of the standing timber in America is in private hands. It is being destroyed as rapidly as ever, and concentration of ownership keeps pace with forest destruction. Half of the privately owned timber in the Nation is held by 250 owners. In the State of Washington, for example, five holders own nearly half the privately-owned standing timber in the State. This control in a few hands, the U. S. Forest Service tells us, will steadily increase as timber depletion continues, approaching a natural monopoly in character.

"It is evident that the most necessary step is to stop forest devastation on privately owned timberlands and keep them growing trees.

"The little group of big timberland owners has grown rich and powerful from forest devastation, and naturally does not want it stopped. They are anxious, rather, to perpetuate the commercial advantage which their unregulated ownership of these huge forests areas brings with it. But they can do so only so long as they can stave off effective public control of forest devastation.

"With this fact clearly in mind, the timberland owners undertook to put through the last session of Congress, and will undoubtedly introduce and attempt again to pass at the coming session, a bill ostensibly intended to bring real control about, but which in fact would do nothing of the sort. Those interests are now, and for some time past have been, conducting for that purpose an extensive propaganda, which has deceived many.

Supporting the Snell Bill.

"The bill they supported was the Snell Bill (H. R. 16327). Briefly, this bill (in addition to various appropriations for general forest purposes, for the most part thoroughly desirable) provided that IF a State with forests still uncut (which so far as our interests go, will soon mean Washington, Oregon and California) will pass laws to control forest devastation satisfactory to the Secretary of Agriculture, and IF it will enforce them to his satisfaction, then the United States will bear a part of the expense, PROVIDED that the State itself will expend an equal amount.

"You will notice that this bill does not undertake to bring about public control of forest devastation—it merely says that if certain unlikely

things did happen, then public control might happen also. You will find this same idea of putting off the actual stopping of forest devastation in whatever bill the timberland interests get behind, whether at the coming session of Congress or later on.

"Regulated lumbering costs more than unregulated. The legislature of any State would hesitate long before passing laws that would put men in business in that State at a disadvantage as against their competitors in an adjoining State where not such laws had been passed. National control, however, would be fair to competitors in all States, for it would treat them all alike.

"The timberland owners know, of course, that they can block, in the legislatures of Washington, Oregon and California, or of any other State where they are strong, the passage of any legislation hostile to the interests. They know, therefore, that the passage of the Snell kind of bill would leave them free to continue the practice of forest devastation which has made them rich, while it has brought the United States face to face with poverty in forest supplies. Knowing this, they are not only supporting such a bill, but are spending considerable sums of money to bring others to support it also.

Relief Offered Is Remote.

"The great timberland owners ask us to believe they are supporting the Snell kind of bill because they want to be regulated. If so, here is a monopolistic special interest actively working to get itself prevented from pursuing its own advantage in its own way; which, if true, is worth remembering. Certainly none of the others are doing so.

"There are too many 'ifs' between the Snell kind of bill and an end to forest devastation. Clearly, it offers nothing more than distant possibility of relief, with no assurance that any State would ever conform to the conditions it proposes. It leaves the timber importing States, of which yours is one, at the mercy of the legislatures of the Pacific Coast States.

"The fact is that the business of the great timberland owners is National in the full sense of the word; that like the other great Nation-wide monopolistic businesses, it is beyond effective State control; that National control is the only control the big timberland holders fear, and that for them State control means no control at all. The Nation must stop forest devastation, or it will not be stopped. Only the Nation can do it.

"A plan for public control of lumbering on private forest lands was proposed by Colonel Graves while he was head of the U. S. Forest Service. At that time it was vigorously opposed by the great timberland holders. Later these interests saw that it could be modified and used by them to their own advantage. Accordingly they succeeded in writing their ideas into what became known as the Snell bill. This bill has behind it the interested support of the lumbermen, and the sincere, but I believe mistaken, backing of the present head of the Forest Service, who himself admits the superiority of Federal control, but doubts (which I do not) that it can be secured.

Farmers Use 50% of Supply.

"I regret most deeply the necessity for opposing any plan supported by Colonel Greeley, the present head of the Forest Service in Washington, but I cannot remain silent when a mistake, however well-meant, threatens to bring upon the Nation the very serious punishment of a timber shortage aggravated by an increasing monopoly of standing timber. We have never had a National forest policy, and it is high time we did. But when we have one it must mean what it says, be capable of getting the results it goes after, and must be in the interest of the public and not of the timberland monopolists. You will find such a policy in the bill introduced by Senator Capper of Kansas.

"Farmers use more than half the wood consumed in America. Without wood they cannot feed the people. Coal cannot be mined without wood, nor can steel be produced. Not a railroad can move a car, nor a factory turn a wheel without the use of wood. Not a family can have a home, not a worker can have a job, without the help of the forest. Every business, every industry, every profession, every trade depends to some degree on the forest.

"Without wood neither you yourself, nor any other human being, could be fed, clothed, or housed. For your own personal safety, comfort and prosperity you must have wood. We are threatened with a nation-wide famine of this indispensable material, complicated by a growing monopoly. But not one man or woman in a thousand realizes the truth. This is my reason for this letter."

MAKE YOUR HENS WORK.

All scratch feed or whole grain should be scattered in the litter. Hens like to work for their living. Troughs or hoppers should be used for dry mash. They keep this feed always accessible. Noon is the time to provide fresh, unfrozen green food. It aids digestion.

SLACKING DOWN IN REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Noticeable Falling Off in Number Of Deeds Left For Record Last Week.

The records in the Clerk's office show a decided falling off in the number of deeds left for record last week, compared with the previous week. Only 11 transfers were noted, as follows:

Robert E. Shockley, from Walter D. Shockley, Lelia E. Shockley, his wife, 5 acres, more or less, in Pittsburg District; consideration \$100, etc.

Edward L. Dixon from Frank Dixon, 16.19 acres, more or less, in Nutters District; consideration \$10, etc.

George W. White, Esale M. White, his wife, from Asa D. White, et al., lot in Hebron District; consideration \$100, etc.

John E. Birkhead from Mary E. Birkhead, lot of land in Hebron District; consideration \$10, etc.

Norman E. Lank, Ethel C. Lank, his wife, from Major L. Phillips, and Belle C. Phillips, 10 acres, more or less, in Parsons District; consideration \$100, etc.

Oscar B. Farlow from Edna O. Farlow, et al., 70 acres, more or less, in Pittsburg District; consideration \$100, etc.

Elmer C. Williams from Austin J. Pusey, Olive B. Pusey, lot in City of Salisbury, Camden District; consideration \$50, etc.

Renn F. Pile from Samuel R. Douglass and wife, lot in City of Salisbury, Camden District; consideration \$10, etc.

Mary E. Leonard from L. Atwood Bennett, Trustee, 45 acres, more or less, in Pittsburg District; consideration \$1.00, etc.

Bertha M. Guthrie from John William Guthrie, lot in City of Salisbury, on Cross Street; consideration \$1, etc.

Ray Hitchens from L. Atwood Bennett, Trustee, 25 acres, more or less, in Parsons District; consideration \$1.

AUTHOR OF FAMOUS

PHRASE IS "STILL HERE"

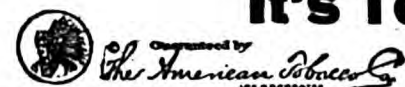
Former A. E. F. men who read recently press dispatches and an item in this magazine announcing the sudden death of Col. Charles E. Stanton, former chief paymaster of the A. E. F., recalled that Col. Stanton was the author of the phrase, "Lafayette, we are here," spoken at the tomb of Lafayette in Paris, July 4, 1917, and erroneously attributed to General Pershing. Now comes from San Francisco a letter to The American Legion Weekly saying "We are still here, Lafayette," and signed by Col. Stanton himself. In explanation Col. Stanton adds: "The person found dead was afterward identified as Charles Edward Stanton, a blacksmith and miner of Northern California."

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"RIGHT WAY" CAMPAIGN GIVEN BIG BOOST HERE

American Railway Express Employees Hold Enthusiastic Meeting Here On Tuesday.

On January 1, 1921, the American Railway Express Company inaugurated a campaign to give better service and to reduce the large loss and damage account through closer cooperation between the Express employees in particular and the shippers.

This campaign was given the title "Right Way Campaign" because it was hoped by it to have the express business of this great country handled in the "Right Way." "Right Way" Committees of employees have been appointed at every express office and throughout the ranks of the train service employees.

Agent Pyle of the local office advises that the campaign is swinging along in good style at Salisbury, and that he has noticed a great display of interest on the part of the local shippers in seeing that their consignments for forwarding are better marked and packed than ever before.

The interest of the express employees is evidenced by the big Right Way meeting held in the local office on Railroad Ave. Tuesday night.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. W. H. Huff, Superintendent of this territory for the Express Company, and there were in attendance Agents from all the offices between Seaford, Del. and Cape Charles, Va.

Among the speakers were Supervising Agent King of the Norfolk Division, Penna. R. R., Mr. McBride, chief clerk to Superintendent Polk of the Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway, Claim Agent Einhorn and Chief Clerk Merritt of the Express Company in Philadelphia, local Route Agents Kinsman, Tanner and Neamand and Route Agent Miller of Harrington, Del.

The express office was tastefully decorated with greens and bunting and the Company's local cashier, Miss Lillian Elliott, presided at the piano. Other musical selections were rendered by the Sterling Quartette of Crisfield and a solo was sung by Agent Favinger of Seaford, which was much enjoyed.

The meeting was the best yet held in Salisbury and the visitors left with the determination of again accepting the hospitality of the Salisbury officials and employees, who provided such an interesting, instructive and entertaining meeting.

ROAD COMMISSION CANNOT BE SUED

So Says Attorney General In Argument Before Court Of Appeals At Annapolis.

The State Roads Commission, though sued before, is not liable to suit for breach of contract, according to the contention of Attorney General Armstrong and Assistant Attorney General J. Purdon Wright.

Acting as counsel for the Roads Commission, the State's legal authorities advanced this view in an argument before the Court of Appeals at Annapolis last Thursday. In support of their position they cited an amendment passed by the Legislature

Frocks of Crepe-de-Chine



JUST why it is that women from Maine to California are all seized at one and the same time with a desire for one particular kind of hat or frock, has never been explained. But so it happens, and some fine morning milliners from everywhere begin wiring into their wholesalers for a certain straw or silk hat and merchants find one fabric has cast all others in the shadow of neglect. Just at present there is a furore for crepe-de-chine. Everybody demands it—in gowns, in blouses, in hats, alone or in company with other materials. Crepe-de-chine we have always with us, having borrowed it from China many generations ago, but we are newly awakened to its beauty.

Two very simple and very pretty afternoon frocks, shown in the illustration, are of the straight-line variety which can only be developed successfully in crepes or other very soft and clinging fabrics. These are in crepe-de-chine, a blue at the left, with deep hem and four tucks about the skirt run with heavy silk floss. The square-necked bodice and short sleeves are finished off with painted 'fills of cream-colored georgette.

Where the frills join the sleeves there appears again the running stitch in silk floss—the utmost in simplicity of finish. The designer must have had in mind the fashioning of a refined and quaint little frock without any frivolity about it, and the little cluster of three crocheted blossoms, posed on the neck frill, bears out this idea.

The frock at the right is more pretentious and boasts several new style features. It calls georgette to its aid and presents the long tunic, the full sash and girle, and bodice with spreading opening at the front, that have all marked this season for their own. It is all in gray with outline embroidery on the tunic and about the arm's-eye. The georgette undersleeves are unusual and becoming, and georgette makes the bloused vestee. The tie of narrow ribbon at the front might be in any of the new shades, as flamingo, pink, tangerine, tourato, red.

Julia Bottomley
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of 1916. This amendment seems hitherto to have been overlooked.

The case in question was the suit of the Fisher & Carozza Brothers' Company against the Roads Commission. The suit involves the contract for the construction of a bridge over the Pocomoke River, at Pocomoke City. It seems that the contractors protested changes in plans for the structure after the contract had been let. Not being able to effect a compromise the Commission re-let the contract to the McLean Contracting Company.

The Fisher & Carozza Brothers Company brought suit against the Commission and was sustained in Circuit court, Part 2, of Baltimore City. The Commission then appealed.

ODD FELLOWS TO ATTEND TRINITY SUNDAY IN BODY

Members of Newton Lodge No. 56 I.O.O.F. will attend Divine worship on Sunday, April 24. They will meet at the lodge rooms at 10 A. M., and march in a body to Trinity M. E. Church, South, where a special Odd Fellows sermon will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. T. R. Reeves. All members of Newton Lodge and all Odd Fellows in Salisbury are invited to attend and thus celebrate the one hundred and second anniversary of the order.

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SALARY INCREASE FOR TEACHERS.

At the hearing given by the County Commissioners to the school teachers of Wicomico County on Tuesday afternoon relative to a salary increase of \$50 per year for white teachers and \$35 annually for colored teachers, figures and statistics innumerable were presented to the county officials to show that the teachers of this county are receiving less for their services than is paid in some of the other counties of the State. A most significant point brought out at the meeting by one of the teachers, and one that should be thoughtfully considered by everyone in the county, is that the low salaries paid here actually tend to lower the standard of our qualified teachers—that the low salary scale, in fact, is compelling many of our best qualified teachers to seek employment in other counties where higher salaries are paid.

We are unable to learn just how many of our teachers have gone into other counties because of the low salaries said to prevail here, but if a single, competent teacher has been compelled to leave for that reason alone, every effort should be made to make the pay here commensurate with the work done. Wicomico's schools have always stood high on the State's list, and that this standard shall be maintained is undoubtedly the paramount wish of every official and inhabitant of the county. We of Wicomico are entitled to the best there is in an educational way, and in order to obtain it, and to keep our high standards of teaching intact, it at least is incumbent upon us to pay adequately for what we are receiving.

It is a deplorable fact that school-teaching is a vastly underpaid profession when viewed by the degree of service rendered, and all during the wage-raising clamor of recent years the increases granted were only slight at best. That such conditions should generally exist is hardly consistent with the good American principle of "honest measure." Upon the public school teachers of this country depends to a great extent the solidity of our national enlightenment—to them is entrusted the foundational work of a higher citizenry. The functions they perform, in fact, are among the most important in our whole social system. These facts are universally recognized. And yet, in view of all this—with the public in general fully aware of the tremendous importance of their work—the fact remains that the teaching profession has been and still is a greatly underpaid one.

To our mind, the school teachers of Wicomico County are asking for something that is neither unreasonable nor unmerited, and when the County Commissioners render their decision next Tuesday we earnestly hope that they will have decided to grant the salary increase which the teachers have requested.

WANTED—A FEW MORE OPTIMISTS.

On Page Nine of this issue we have reprinted an article from a recent edition of the Manufacturer's Record that fairly bristles and sparkles with good old-fashioned "hoss sense" and optimism. It bears the caption "Sound The Charge!" and we recommend it most heartily to each and every one of our readers. It is the kind of article that will make the Optimist ever more optimistic and is one that should cause the Pessimist to take careful stock of himself.

To use a slangy phrase, Mr. Edmonds "has said a whole mouthful" when he says that "every man who is pessimistic, or who permits the discouragements of the hour to dominate him, is beating a retreat." Cities are not built in a day; neither do they arise from pessimism. Today's discouragements are of fleeting moment to the true optimist—they are but fly-specks to his broader vision—he brushes them aside and works all the harder. Instead of deterring him or slowing up his efforts, they act as the "forward" spur—and, in the end, we ever see the Optimist winning out, his accounts all on the right side of Life's Ledger.

During recent months we have heard enough of a pessimistic nature to often cause us to wonder whether the world, and business in general, was really going to the bow-wows, so it comes like a refreshing bit of air on a sultry day to hear the clarion blast of Optimist sounding through a shivering net-work of Pessimism.

What the world needs today is a house chuck full of Optimists. There never has been a time when the Optimist—who, after all, is the real worker—has not found the seed he has planted bringing forth their full measure of fruit in the long run. With the optimistic germ fully inoculated into all of us, with our coats off and plunged into our work, obsessed with the do-or-die spirit that is unfailing in its reward, the skies become brighter and we pause to wonder how in the world the Pessimist can continue living in the miserable hovel of his own creation.

Despite the Calamity Howlers, business conditions are steadily on the improve, and the recruits to the ranks of the Optimists are rapidly filling the rosters. Everywhere, we observe signs that the much-abused Mr. Normalcy will soon be resting in his former abode. Let's make all the backward-looking "run to cover" and in a short time we'll find that our efforts have not been in vain.

AID TO PROPER LIGHTING.

The commercial lighting demonstration that will be held in the Young Men's Christian Association Building on Thursday afternoon and evening of next week under the auspices of the local Chamber of Commerce is an event that should be very helpful to every business man in the county who is desirous of improving the quality of his lighting. By means of special paraphernalia which will be installed in the "Y" auditorium to show the various lighting arrangements, and which will be explained in detail by an expert in the lighting line, many invaluable suggestions for improvement will be offered.

The demonstration to be held here will be the first of its kind ever given in a city of Salisbury's population, and that the Chamber of Commerce has succeeded in having it brought here is an

other evidence of the Chamber's progressiveness in doing everything within its power to help promote the best interests of the city.

Poor lighting or lighting arrangements that are not producing the maximum of efficiency are a drawback to every business place where such conditions obtain. Very frequently, however, in such cases, they are the result of a lack of complete knowledge of the subject rather than due to any carelessness or indifference. Every commercial user of electricity naturally desires to obtain the highest intensity of lighting at a minimum of cost, and it is to demonstrate how this can be effected in a variety of ways that the exhibit will be given.

It is interesting to note that the class in Physics of the Wicomico High School will attend the demonstration in a body next Thursday, and it also is to be hoped that all others who may be interested in the subject of proper lighting will avail themselves of the opportunity to be present.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS TO WITNESS EXHIBIT

Members Physics Class To Attend Lighting Demonstration At "Y" Next Week.

Accompanied by Prof. R. Lee Clark, principal of the Wicomico High School, and Prof. L. C. Randall, the members of the class in physics of the High School will attend the commercial lighting demonstration that will be held in the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association on Thursday, April 28. The students were extended a special invitation to witness the big demonstration, and will eagerly avail themselves of the opportunity thus offered. They will be present at the session which starts in the afternoon.

From reports from many cities regarding the coming commercial lighting exhibit and demonstration, we feel that the Chamber of Commerce should be highly complimented on securing for this city such a demonstration which is of so great a benefit to local business men.

The primary intention of the exhibit and demonstration is to show the effect of different lighting units rather than the units themselves. After all, what the business man is interested in is not the particular shape of his reflector so much as he is in the amount, direction and quality of light that his employee receives.

It is understood that each one of the audience takes part in a small way in the demonstration by proving to himself the statements made by the lecturer. In other words, it is not expected that bare statements should carry enough weight to convince the businessman how he can greatly improve his present system of lighting.

To actually demonstrate and prove this to every member of the audience, several simple interesting and convincing tests are made which demonstrate clearly the principles upon which this educational campaign were founded and show the businessmen the actuality, the realness and the importance of putting these principles into effect in his store or other places of business.

Two More Candidates In The Primaries

Theo. S. Hearn Seeks Commissioner-ship; Jehu D. Dolbey For Legislature.

In The News' classified advertisement columns will be found the announcement of two more candidates in the Democratic primaries—Mr. Theodore S. Hearn for County Commissioner, and Mr. Jehu Dolbey for the House of Delegates.

Both are well-known Democrats, Mr. Hearn being prominent in party affairs in Parsons District. He was a candidate for County Commissioner two years ago but was defeated by a very narrow margin. He was for a number of years a democratic registrar in Parsons District.

Mr. Dolbey is widely known in the western end of the county and it is said that he has received many assurances of support from the people living in that part of Wicomico.

STOLEN AUTOMOBILE FOUND NEAR SHARPTOWN

The automobile stolen from the garage of Leonard Abbott, of near Laurel, Tuesday night by the men who attempted to rob the post office at Milford, has been found. It was discovered at a blacksmith shop near Sharptown, where it had been left by two men. They asked the blacksmith to make certain repairs to the machine, saying they would return for it. They never came back, and are supposed to have gone to Baltimore by boat, either from Seaford or Sharptown.

SALISBURY CONTRACTORS WERE LOWEST BIDDERS

Eastern Shore Construction Company To Build Large School House.

The contract for the erection of the handsome high school building at Onancock, Va., has been awarded to the Eastern Shore Construction Co., of Salisbury, who were the lowest bidders.

This building will be two-story and basement of brick and will contain 12 class rooms and an auditorium which will seat 500.

The plans were drawn by Carnel & Johnson Co., leading architects of Richmond, Va., who have provided all modern appliances in the construction of the building, including steam heat, ventilating system, etc. It is expected that work will be begun about May 1st, and that it will require about ten months to complete the building. It is estimated that the cost of the building will be about \$65,000.

Bids were asked for construction of the building, exclusive of heating plant and plumbing, and the Eastern Shore Construction Co.'s bid was \$57,700, which was the lowest.

Other Salisbury bidders for this work were Hastings & Parsons and Wm. E. Booth.

Will Initiate 125 On Thursday Night

Record Number To Be Inducted Into Order United American Men At Big Rally Meeting.

One of the largest classes of candidates to be initiated into the mystery of the Order of United American Men will be accepted on Thursday night, April 21st, when 125 will be taken into the order. A special program has been arranged for the evening.

This occasion is called the Eastern Shore Rally of the order and it is expected that members from the entire peninsula will be in attendance. The schedule of the evening ceremonies will begin with a parade, starting at the hall on East Church street and ending at the Armory. This parade will start at 6 P. M. and will be led by the Salisbury band.

At 6:45 P. M. Mayor Kennerly will deliver an address of welcome which will be responded to by C. N. Spence, of Secretary. The remainder of the program follows: Music by the band, conferring the degree to be done by the degree team of Salisbury Order, No. 32, entertainment by Brookview Council, and addresses by E. A. Billings, National Councilor; H. O. Holstein, National Secretary, and C. E. Stein, of Baltimore, State Secretary of the order. Refreshments will be served.

On account of the large class to be initiated and the men prominent in the order who will be present an enthusiastic meeting is anticipated.

MR. GEO. S. DICKERSON DROPS DEAD IN HOSPITAL

No little excitement was occasioned among the many friends of Mr. Uriah Dickerson last Wednesday when there were rumors that he had dropped dead at the Peninsula General Hospital.

The rumor was soon found to be untrue, but that Mr. George S. Dickerson, one of the most prosperous farmers of lower Sussex county, had died of apoplexy at the Hospital Wednesday morning. Mr. Dickerson had been undergoing treatment at the hospital and his condition was so much improved that he was preparing to go to his home when he was seized with a stroke of apoplexy and died within a short time. The deceased was 65 years of age and is survived by a widow, several children and grandchildren.

Francis Lynde



This writer of great railroad stories was a railroader in the Rocky Mountains country until he was 37 years of age. Then he took his pen in hand to write big romances about the life he had witnessed and lived. During the first five years he had no conspicuous success, but in 1898 destiny reshaped the point of his fountain pen and he wrote three novels within twelve months. Each of the three was a ten-strike. Then the 25-cent and 35-cent magazines began to bid for his work and the little old 10-cent and 15-cent monthlies that had kept his pot boiling were deserted. During the past 20 years he has written 17 successful novels. Readers of this paper will have an opportunity to read his latest, probably his greatest story, "The Wreckers," as a serial. Watch for it!

ASBURY CHURCH BOARD ENTERTAINS PASTORS

Reception Given To Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Herson and Dr. and Mrs. Vaughan S. Collins.

A very large and beautifully arranged reception was given Wednesday night, April 13, in Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church by the official board, complimentary to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Templeton Herson and Dr. and Mrs. Vaughan S. Collins.

The church was decorated in a most artistic manner with evergreens and bright spring flowers. Special music by an orchestra of young people played before and after the program, which was given in the main auditorium, consisting of an opening hymn by the congregation, an anthem by the choir, "Thy Light Has Come," and a most fitting address of welcome by Hon. James E. Enegood.

Dr. Vaughan S. Collins, District Superintendent of Salisbury District, made the first response with much feeling and touched the hearts of the audience by his kindly and well-merited praise for the ministers, both past and present, which has been Asbury's privilege to enjoy.

Master Francis Oldrich, on behalf of the Junior League, presented Dr. and Mrs. Herson with a large and beautiful basket of roses and sweet peas. Dr. Herson's response followed, thanking the people for their cordial welcome, their co-operation and especially their Christian fellowship.

After the program Dr. and Mrs. Herson and Dr. and Mrs. Collins received in the lecture room in front of a bower of evergreens and blossoms. Miss Matthews sang in her usual charming manner, following which, the young people served delightful refreshments.

The religious zeal and efforts of Asbury under the leadership of its pastor have been many times blest, both spiritually and in the raising of means to carry forward the work of the M. E. During the past year 200 people have been added to the membership, and the church budget, which five years ago was \$3,000.00 is now \$17,000.00.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE DOING FINE WORK

Mrs. Mary Kell, public health nurse for Wicomico county, can be reached by telephone 820 or 24, and her services always are at the disposal of those who may require them. The maximum fee is 50 cents per visit to those who are able to pay, but no assistance will be refused because of financial shortage.

WOMAN'S CLUB GIVES FINE ENTERTAINMENT

"Living Pages From Many Ages," Written By Mrs. John Toulson, Elicits Much Favorable Comment.

Words of hearty approval have come from all who attended the entertainment given at the first open meeting of the Woman's Club held in the Auditorium of the Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday night. The program "Living Pages From Many Ages" was written and arranged by Mrs. John M. Toulson, Chairman of the Social Committee.

Miss Maria Ellegood read the story, which covered the period from Puritan days to the present. A women and men's quartette sang throughout the entire program. Miss Wilkie Adkins was in charge of the music for the evening which in addition to the many songs included several renditions by Miss Faulkner's orchestra.

The program which met with such widespread approval follows:

Overture: Salisbury Orchestra. Welcome: Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett. Reading: "Living Pages from Many Ages" Miss Maria Ellegood.

The Living Pages: Puritan Mother, Misses Gertrude Gordy and Ruth Messick. Music: Love's Lullaby.

Pocahontas and John Rolfe, Miss Mabel Tomlinson and Mr. Claude Dorman. Music: Juanita.

The Minuet, Misses Sommerkamp. Tea: Berrying. Music: Long, Long Ago, Mesdames Adkins and Wilkins, Misses Matthews and Dobson.

Priscilla at Her Spinning, Miss Mildred Matthews and Misses Ruth Messick, Annabelle Dick and Isabelle Toulson.

Betsy Ross, Miss Anne Humphreys, music, "Three Cheers for The Red, White and Blue."

"Virginia Mammy," Miss Anne Messick, music, "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia."

Age of Romance, Miss Nellie Rider and Mr. Burroughs, music, "Love-land."

The Call To Colors, Mrs. H. B. Freeny and Miss Nellie Rider, music, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, The Boys Are Marching."

On With The Tango, Miss Dorothy Porter and Mr. Claude C. Dorman. War Worker, Mrs. Wheaton, Misses Blanche Tomlinson, Esther Shields and Rita Howard, music, "The Long, Long Trail."

The Parting, Mrs. Howard Clark and Mr. Vaughn Butler, music, "Till We Meet Again."

The Home Knitters, Misses Matthews, Graham and Collier, music, "Keep The Home Fires Burning."

Citizens, Mesdames Sheppard and Gordy.

Camp Fire, Scout Song, Misses Adams, Dryden, Gullette, Boyle, Humphreys, Tilghman, Adkins and Hagan.

Life's Paths, "Love's Old Sweet Song," Mrs. Wheaton, Misses Dashiell, Harold and Shields and Messrs. Dorman, Randall and Cobb.

Lullaby, "Sweet and Low," Mrs. Howard Clark.

Victory, Mrs. Howard Clark and Chorus with Orchestra, "The Star Spangled Banner."

The program was especially well arranged and carried out and will long be remembered by those who witnessed it.

Contractor Wetter Is Pushing Road Work

Large Force Of Workmen Expect To Complete Improvement In A Few Weeks.

Mr. J. K. Wetter, of this city, contractor for doing the concrete street work on Sixth street in Pocomoke City, has begun to lay the concrete the start being made at the Market street end. The street has been straightened and nicely graded, and from the viewpoint of a layman Mr. Wetter is giving the State a good job.

Work was also begun last week on the concrete State road from Shovel to the State line at Selbyville, which according to the contract must be finished in 90 more working days. The completion of this road, which connects with the DuPont Boulevard in Delaware, will be a great convenience to motorists traveling northward.

Farmers To Join Federation.

Hagerstown, Md. — The Carroll County Sweet Corn Growers Association, at a meeting decided not to grow any sweet corn this year. The association voted to join the Carroll County Farmers' Federation.

Listen, Brother--

—BY—

"Observer"



U. S. reservations regarding the Pacific Island of Yap have been ignored by Japan. If the Japs keep up their present "sapping" we might make a lil' "reservation" that will have an upper-berth "skup" a mile for comfort.

How about that Salisbury Baseball team?

"A MAN charged with bigamy," beguileth a most enlightening article in a Monumental City newspaper. We've heard of bein' "charged" with likker, but this bein' "charged with bigamy" is surely a new one on us.

Are we goin' to have that Eastern Shore Ball League?

THIS said that a former Follies' beauty is willing to give her multi-millionaire husband a divorce on payment by him of \$1,000,000. If she feels that way about it, perhaps it's more than worth the price.

The baseball "vaccination" seems to be "takin'" slowly.

DURING a recent spiritualistic seance in New York, the astral self of Shakespeare wrote two new scenes of Hamlet, according to Br'er John A. Chaloner. It's a pity the immortal Bard "rang off" so quickly—he might have added a few to the League of Nations.

How about a fresh batch of baseball virus?

BOBBED-HAIR devotees Will De-fy Dame Fashion," reads a newspaper headline. All of which, of course, will cause "turrible" excitement—in bobbed-hair realms.

It's about time we're startin' that League.

MARYLAND Racing Commission O. K.'s Guy Bedwell as trainer for J. K. L. Ross, but N. Y. Jockey Club says "nay." We observe that Br'er Ross salaams to the Metropolitanites and promptly shows Br'er Bedwell the "exit" sign. All of which gives us a pretty good line on Br'er Ross' idea of who's supreme in racin' matters in this State.

The best base ball team on the Sho—that's what we want.

A German woman is trying to have her marriage annulled on the ground that she entered upon it under hypnotic influence and therefore was not conscious of what she was doing. Why, Sister! your "hubby" must have been a pretty poor he-hypnotist to let you come from "under the spell" so quickly. At any rate, sister, when you sing that plea you are accompanied by an augmented chorus. The Matrimonial Boat rocks to the strains of its chant, and the old H. C. L. is about the nearest lil' thing ever invented to restore that lack of consciousness.

Keep the ball a-rollin' and 'help start That Eastern Shore League.



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LOCAL
HAPPENINGS

Miss Adeline Rounds spent Sunday in Hebron.

Miss Lula Wilkinson is on the sick list.

Mr. Jack Wetter and Mr. Harrold spent the week-end in this city.

Miss Mary Riggins is spending sometime in Philadelphia.

Miss Pearl Bridell is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Henry Benjamin is spending the week-end in Baltimore.

Miss Esther Shields will spend the week-end in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor were week-end guests in Baltimore.

Mr. Lyman Baxter, of Cape Charles, Va., spent Sunday in this city.

A social will be held at Charity Church, near Salisbury, Friday evening, April 29.

Mr. Warren F. Sterlin, cashier of the Bank of Crisfield, visited Salisbury last Monday.

Mrs. Emma Stevenson, of Pocomoke, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. U. Polk, of this city.

Miss Laura Farlow entertained a number of friends at her home near Salisbury last Thursday evening.

Mr. Earl Harrison, of Cape Charles, Va., with a party of friends, motored to Salisbury Sunday.

Miss Etta Pusey, of Salisbury, left Saturday for Summit, N. J., where she will make her future home.

Mr. L. W. Insley, manager of the Arcade Theatre, motored to Philadelphia Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. Frederick L. Smith has returned from a visit of five weeks in New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Erma Smith and Miss Erma Ellis spent last week with Miss Lettie Goslee at her home, near Laurel, Del.

Miss Alva Bedsworth left last week for Baltimore where she has accepted a position in a pharmacy.

Miss Sara McB. Phillips, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. William Phillips, Newton street.

Mrs. W. M. Cooper and Mr. W. M. Cooper, Jr., were guests in Philadelphia last week.

Miss Katherine Gunby spent the week-end in Baltimore and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grier and Mr. Charles Browne spent Sunday in Milford, Del.

Miss Margaret Bounds, of Quantico, was the week-end guest of Miss Mary Wilson.

Messrs. Stephen Bailey and George Waller motored to Baltimore over the week-end.

Misses Mattie Pusey, Mabel Davis and Clara Gunby will spend the week-end in Baltimore and Washington.

Miss Louise Tilghman has returned to her home on Camden avenue, after a visit of several weeks in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Springer motored to Wilmington last Saturday and attended the Masque and Wig performance.

Mrs. Harry L. Harcum and three children are spending some time in Philadelphia as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Kennerly.

Miss Eugenia Potts, who underwent an operation at the Peninsula General Hospital, on Tuesday for tonsils, is doing very nicely.

Dr. Samuel S. Graham returned Saturday from Baltimore, where he spent several days last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll C. Bounds and two children, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bounds, of Camden avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Lee Miles, Jr., of Baltimore, are visiting relatives in Salisbury for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Johnson, of Sanford, spent several days last week in town with Mr. Johnson's father, Mr. Sydney S. Johnson.

Mrs. James S. Russell left Wednesday for Snow Hill for a visit with her parents. She will be joined by Mr. Russell over the week-end.

Miss Bernice Thompson, of Princess Anne, spent several days this week with Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Fisher, North Division street.

Miss Alice Elliott returned on Sunday from an extended visit as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Warner Hamm, Palatka, Fla.

The members and friends of Bethesda M. P. Sunday School and church gave a pound party on Monday evening to their pastor, Rev. R. L. Shipley.

Mr. I. L. Benjamin, of Benjamin's Store, is in New York this week purchasing new summer dresses, suits and coats.

The B. Y. P. U. of Division Street Baptist Church will hold a social in the basement of the Church this (Thursday) evening.

Mrs. Daniel J. Elliott and Miss Alice Elliott returned Sunday from Palatka, Fla., where they have been the guests for several weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Warner H. Hamm.

Rev. Herbert D. Cone was a visitor in Easton last Friday in attendance upon a joint meeting of the Bishops and Presidents of the Boards of Religious Education for the two Dioceses of Delaware and Easton.

Misses Henrietta Sommerkamp and Katherine Gunby will attend the Kappa Alpha Fraternity dance at Delaware College on Friday night.

Mrs. Rosa D. Alexander spent the last ten days with relatives in Berlin. Lawrence Chiswick entertained the Junior Choir of St. Peter's Church at his home on North Division street last Saturday.

Mrs. James Elliott and little daughter, Miss Harriett, returned on Sunday from a visit in Georgia and Florida.

A number of the younger set went to Pocomoke on Tuesday to witness the game between the two High School teams.

Mrs. Pratt Phillips and Mrs. Lay Phillips are entertaining at a linen shower on Friday afternoon complimentary to Miss Margaret Bounds.

Invitations have been received in town to the wedding of Miss Miriam Dennis, of Preston, to Mr. Edwin Anderson, of Shelby, Mich. The ceremony will take place in Preston, Md., on April 30.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham Bradley, of Philadelphia, are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a fine son. Both are well known here, Mrs. Bradley being formerly Miss Clyde Fitch, of this city.

Captain R. Wirt Robertson, of this city, was appointed a delegate to attend the ninth annual meeting of the United States Good Roads Association, also United States Good Roads Exhibit, held at Greensborough, N. C., April 18 to 23.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Noek, Mr. Garland Noek and Mr. C. Ercill Wimbrow left Saturday for an extended automobile trip to northern cities. They were accompanied to Collinswood, N. J., by Mrs. Margie Rew, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Noek.

Mr. A. T. Dryden, of Somerset county, has purchased the building, equipment and good will of Mead's Restaurant on North Division street and is now conducting that eating house. The property is being renovated, repainted and otherwise improved.

Mr. R. P. Bailey, who for the past few years has represented the Baltimore Life Insurance Company in this territory in the Industrial Insurance Department, has resigned this position and in the future will devote his time to ordinary insurance and to the real estate business.

Much interest is being shown in the play "Officer 666," to be given by the Freshman Class of St. John's College at the Armory on Wednesday evening, April 27. Arrangements are being made for a dance to follow the play and it is wished that a large audience will greet the visitors. Admission 50c.

The marriage of Miss Myrtle Lester, of this county, and Mr. Alonzo Lee Miles, of Baltimore, was solemnized Wednesday last week in St. Michael's and All Angels Church, Baltimore. Rev. Dr. Wyatt Brown officiated and only the members of the two immediate families attended the ceremony. Miss Emma M. Boetner, of Baltimore, was the bride's only attendant, while Mr. Miles had as his best man his brother, Mr. Hooper S. Miles, of this city. The bride was given away in marriage by her father.

LITTLE TOTS ARE GUESTS AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Amelia Livingston gave a birthday party on Monday afternoon for her two-year old son, W. Calvin Livingston Jr. Refreshments were served from 2 until 3 o'clock and from 3 until 4 o'clock the little guests were taken on an auto ride. The children present were: Gladys, Helen and Richard Jones, Irene Catlin, Louise Adkins, Willis Hastings, Norris Robertson and Bobbie Adkins.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER ON LAST SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan West entertained at dinner on Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan and children, Nellie, Lois and William Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry West and children Ruby, Mabel and Byard West; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Nichols and children, Annabelle and James Nichols; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shuckley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nichols and children Claude and Howard Nichols; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas West.

DR. REEVES ATTENDING DISTRICT CONFERENCE

As Dr. Reeves is out of the city attending the Eastern Shore District Conference at Andrew Chapel in Virginia, there was no prayer meeting at Trinity Wednesday evening. Among the lay representatives are C. D. Krause, W. F. Messick, Harry Dennis, Eugene Messick, R. McK. Price, and W. B. Tilghman, Jr.

HOPKINS SUPERINTENDENT ATTENDING MEETING HERE

Dr. Winfred Smith, superintendent of Johns Hopkins Hospital, attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Peninsula General Hospital held here on Monday night. Dr. Smith came to Salisbury at the request of the local hospital authorities in order that he might offer some suggestions which might be incorporated in the plans for the new hospital buildings. Architect Sisco, of Baltimore, also was present at the meeting.

BERLIN DANCE, MAY 2.

The young men of Berlin will give a dance on Monday evening, May 2, at Dirickson's Hall. The music will consist of a select seven-piece jazz orchestra.

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SHARPTOWN

Joseph T. Bailey is in Baltimore this week attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, representing Good Intent Lodge of this town.

E. R. Howard, George Wright and Harley Walker are home from Chester, Pa.

Special Epworth League services, led by Miss Alma Gravenor, were held in the M. E. Church on Sunday night. Rev. George Brinsfield, of Eldorado, delivered an interesting address, Mr. and Mrs. Keifer Hall and Mr. A. Brinsfield, also from Eldorado, sang several selections and every feature was well received and very much enjoyed.

On Wednesday evening of last week Miss Blanch Robinson gave her mother, Mrs. W. B. Robinson, a surprise party which was kept a secret until guests arrived and Mrs. Robinson was so delighted when the old friends of her childhood days began to greet her that she asked what it all meant and why they were there, so many at one time. When they told her that there on the occasion of her birthday she had forgotten it was really her birthday. Nearly all the guests were lady friends and they recited several selections they learned during their school days and sang songs that were old and full of pep. It was a jolly crowd and the evening was spent in good cheer, the last feature being refreshments. The guests were cordially invited to make another visit.

The remains of George S. Dickerson, who died at the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, on Wednesday last week, were interred at Mt. Pleasant cemetery on Friday afternoon. He had been in the hospital several weeks and almost entirely recovered from an operation for appendicitis and was dressed to go home and while his family were down town shopping he suddenly expired. He was sixty-four years old and leaves a widow, several grown children and two sisters. He left a written request several years ago as to his burial. He wanted the preacher to be named George and all the pall-bearers to be named George. All of his selections were living but one and he said he selected several pall bearers thinking he would die and so there was one dead, George Bennett. Rev. George Elliott preached the funeral and the following selections acted as pall-bearers: George Insley, George Davis, George S. Twilley, George T. Owens, George H. Owens and George H. Rider.

On Thursday night of last week Iona Council, Degree of Pochontas, of this town celebrated its seventeenth birthday. There were about forty visiting guests from Oxford and Greensboro. Supper was served at six o'clock, after which the degree team put on the initiatory work, which was considered very fine. Then followed the social hour when ice cream and cake were served. The degree of Pochontas here has been a very prosperous order and is still adding new members.

Nearly one-half of the concrete road through town has been put down and will soon be completed, but it will not be used for a few weeks yet.

Rav DeHon, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with his brother, Dr. Louis DeHon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clash, of Philadelphia, are the guests of relatives and friends here.

MARDELA SPRINGS

After our county has had such a painful example of the dangerous effects of drinking Jamaica Ginger, two men came into one of our stores in our town and suspiciously asked for this drink, but our storekeeper said "No," and he said it like it had been shut out of a gun. They went out muttering something and it was said "they would get it elsewhere." The storekeeper who would sell it under the circumstances would be as culpable as those who would buy.

The subject of our Sunday School lesson last Sunday was "Public Health Problems." One of our teachers was asked "if it is wrong to smoke cigarettes and injurious to health, is it wrong to sell them?" The answer given was "Yes, it is wrong." What say you?

Religious Prejudice—This writer thinks that it is of the Devil and it is his purpose to weaken the strength of the churches so as to defeat our common Christianity. Let each hold the views he conscientiously thinks the Scriptures teach and then grant to the other the same privilege. As we see it, religious prejudice is decidedly giving way in our community and God hasten its entire destruction. With the coming of the two Methodist pastors, then all our pulpits will be filled by practically new men and so let us make it a new era for our Master's cause.

Every Tuesday night, after prayer meeting, in Wilson Hall, Rev. G. W. Gorrell conducts a teacher training class. The class is well attended.

Norris Wilkinson was compelled to go to Baltimore this past week to consult with a specialist. We deeply sympathize with him in his trouble, for we realize that he received his wound while fighting in defence of our country. We never can do too much for these brave young fellows who laid their lives upon the altar for their country and our country. Shame on the people who do not appreciate their services.

Miss Estelle Banks spent Thursday and Friday with her cousin and friend, Miss Irene Bounds and Miss Minnie Holloway, both of near Delmar. Miss Banks and her mother spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Reddin, of Beaver Dam.

The large garage building which stood near the railroad has been bought by Mr. Harold Bennett, and he is moving it to his farm back of Waller & Baileys factory. Mr. Bennett proposes going into chicken raising on a large scale and will use this building for that purpose.

Rev. I. S. Owens, of our M. P. Church goes to Powellville and Rev.

C. M. Alexander comes here. We can assure the Powellville saints that they will stand by him and make his work a great success.

Albert Ackworth, colored, and so well known in this community, has accepted a position as butler with Hon. Henry F. Morris, of Philadelphia. Mr. Morris has a summer home in Atlantic City.

A gentleman the other day was boasting about what a good paper The Wicomico News is. He said "it gets all the news in the county and is put up in a readable way." Why, we could have told you this long ago. Modesty forbids us repeating what he said about the Mardela letters which appear in its columns each week.

There seems to be a difference of opinion in this community as to whether or not the fruits are all killed. No doubt the peaches are gone and the strawberries are badly affected, but there may be some apples, for much bloom has come out since the freeze.

James W. Eversman had as her guests on Wednesday Rev. W. M. Conaway and wife, Mrs. B. F. Kennerly, Mrs. Harry L. Harcum and children, of Salisbury. Mrs. Franklin Kennerly and daughter, Catharine, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Weir Eversman and Mrs. Maggie Lowe, of Mardela.

Rev. D. J. Ford, the new preacher at the M. E. Church, preached his first sermon here on Sunday night. His subject was "Losing Christ Out of Our Experience." It was an interesting and helpful sermon, but was interrupted by a severe storm which scattered the audience. It seems senseless for people to become so frightened as to break up services and rush out into the pelting storm.

On Sunday afternoon at Branch Hill Baptist Church Rev. G. W. Gorrell delivered another of his practical sermons in the series, subject, "The Ideal Wife." Two men came out of the church each declaring that they had the "Ideal Wife." Husband, just as soon as you can, tell your wife that she is the Ideal Woman and see how quickly new life will come into her. She may be waiting to hear something of that kind and wonder why you never tell her.

Next Sunday Rev. C. N. Alexander is expected to occupy his new pulpit in the M. P. Church. Some of us have made up our minds that we are going to like him, even before we have heard him. This strikes us as being the only proper thing to do. Rev. I. S. Owens, the former pastor, occupied the pulpit on Sunday morning. He leaves on Thursday for his new field at Powellville.

There is a case of scarlet fever in the neighborhood and there should be no needless exposure to the disease. All children should be absolutely kept away. Any child that the grownup can render outside of the sick room should be given. If your child has a cold, sore throat and feverish, keep it home and see a doctor at once. One man said that "he is not afraid of such diseases for they are not catching." Such persons had better not try any of their fool experiences, for physicians tell us that they are contagious.

The Pomona Grange will meet with the Mardela Grange, No. 300, on Thursday, April 28, at 10 A. M.

Mrs. J. H. Sakers and Mrs. Monroe, both of Hillsdale, Baltimore, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Gorrell.

MT. HERMON

Mr. Charlie Smith's son, Clifford, fell off the porch Saturday, April 9, and broke his arm. He was taken to the hospital.

A meeting was held at Parker's Church Sunday morning and quite a crowd assembled.

Mrs. Alfred Niblett was entertained at her home Sunday last by Mrs. Martha Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Levin Niblett and children, Mr. Sidney Dykes and Mr. John Morris.

Mrs. Marian Ennis has gone to a Baltimore Hospital and we hope she will soon be back.

Mrs. Herman Pryer and son, Elmer, are ill and we hope they will soon be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ruark motored to Sharptown Sunday. The grippe and we hope she will soon improve.

Mrs. Charlie Morris' sister is spending the week with her.

HEBRON

Miss Ruby Hayman, of Rockaway, spent the week-end with Mrs. C. D. Wilson.

Mrs. T. J. Culver is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marion Oliphant.

We are very sorry to note Mrs. Carl Gordy on sick list.

Miss Lulu Wilkinson, who is saleslady at Benjamin's Department Store, Salisbury, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Alice Wilkinson.

Rev. W. E. Matthews spent a few days in Philadelphia the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brewington spent Wednesday last in Salisbury.

Miss Amelia Wallace left Sunday for Philadelphia to attend the Summer Millinery Openings this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Richards spent the week-end with Mrs. Richards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lake Seabreeze, of Mardela.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church met at Mrs. Sadie Nelson's last week. The play given by the school in Bound's Hall last week was well attended.

Miss Virginia Phillips and Mrs. G. C. Bounds attended the Cambridge dance on Friday night last.

Miss Francis Lewis spent the week-end with her parents at Whaleyville.

Dr. O. S. Campbell, of Grafton, W. Va., spent a few days last week with Mrs. Martha Collins.

Quite a few people in town are improving their homes with coats of paint.

T. W. Johnson is in town again and expects to open his garage in the near future.

SILLOAM

Mrs. John Peter George and children, of Laurel, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent.

Miss Ruth Banks, who is in training at the Peninsula General Hospital, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Banks.

Miss Bernice White, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah White.

Mr. and Mrs. Warden Denson spent the week-end with Mrs. Denson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey and child of Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Soron Bennett and children, of Mardela, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Malone.

Misses Lillian and Lizzie Abbott and Mr. Johnnie Abbott spent Sunday with Mr. Hill, Mrs. Vincent Abbott.

Quite a few of our people attended the play given at Shad Point on Friday, April 15.

Miss Laura Robertson spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robertson, of Delmar.

Miss Bertha Banks, a student of Wicomico High School, spent the week-end with her parents, of Silloam.

PARSONSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas White, of Washington, D. C., are spending some time as guests at Smith's Boarding House.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkins, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkins.

Mr. John Farlow, of Cape Charles, Va., spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson, of Mardela, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Owens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. White and Mrs. Laura Parsons motored to Nanticoke Monday.

Very sorry to report Mrs. L. J. Powell on the sick list.

Mrs. J. R. Shockley, who has been spending some time with her mother in Willards, has returned home.

Master John Wimbrow is ill with whooping cough at this writing.

Mrs. Elizabeth Humphreys, who has been spending two weeks with relatives in Hebron, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. C. Parsons, of Ocean City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Parsons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Humphreys were visitors in Hebron last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Ocean City, spent part of last week with Mr. Hayman's mother, Mrs. R. C. Hayman.

PITTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Truitt are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Truitt, of Baltimore.

Miss Georgia Shockley was the guest of Misses Ada and Margie Truitt over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and children, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Wells.

Miss Bertie McNeal spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Ray Powell, of near Pittsville.

The young boys seem to be again interested in baseball this season. We wish them great success in the games that they play.

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Wednesday and Thursday, April 20-21

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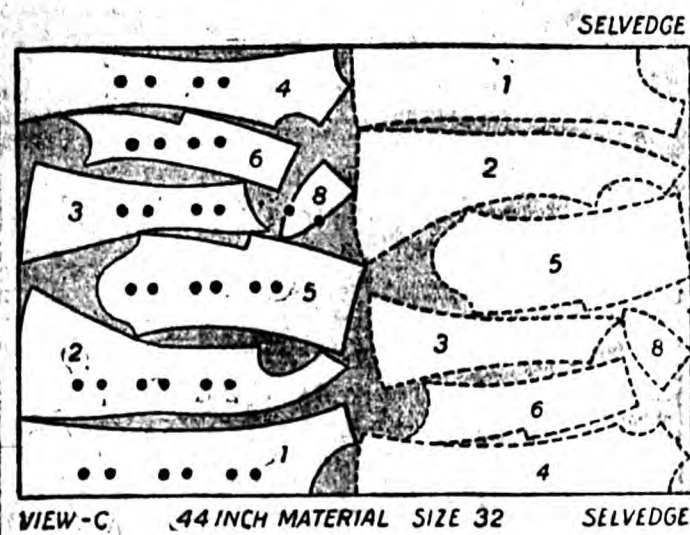
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FINE ATTRACTIONS FOR "MOVIE" FANS

Local Theaters Have Carded Good Bills for Next Few Weeks—
Vaudeville De Luxe.

The next few weeks at the photoplay houses will see many feature pictures thrown on the screen. At Ullman's Opera House two in particular merit special mention. The first is Charley Chaplin in "The Kid," a picture that the Carnegie Library of New York has filed away in its archives as a criterion for future generations of artistic and thorough effort in the photodrama. Since the board of critics of that famous institution selects each year only a few of the finest productions, the honor accorded this Chaplin film will be appreciated. Charley will appear at Ullman's on May 4 and 5.

The following week will welcome a newcomer to Salisbury, Pola Negri in "Passion." This European super-drama has been thrilling American audiences in the larger cities, and it is safe to assume that it will do the same at Ullman's on May 11 and 12. The star, who takes the role of Du Barry, is a dashing brunette, with languorous brown eyes, a wonderful figure, and a personality that bewitches all who see her.

The star for the third week in May is Wesley Barry, the 13-year-old office boy who has won a place in the hearts of all movie fans. As Dinty in the photoplay by that name, this little lovable red-headed child-star has a role that suits him admirably. Both children and grown ups have a treat in store for them at Ullman's on May 18 and 19.

At the Arcade the latter part of this week there will be two stars of international reputation both noted for their figures, yet representing the extreme of extremes. Geraldine Farrar in "The Riddle Woman" and Fatty Arbuckle in "Brewster's Millions" certainly make a headliner bill. Because of her beauty, magnetism, and talent, Miss Farrar has been the target for millions of dollars worth of publicity. She, herself, has always been an enigma to the public, and therefore she is ably qualified to portray the leading role in a psychological study of femininity such as "The Riddle Woman."

"The Riddle Woman" is a drama of the mysteries of a woman's soul; of the uncertainties of a woman's heart. It is a story in which blind passion is

contrasted with true love; bad men with good men; weak women with strong. The tenacity of the play grips, thrills and sways as strongly as the spoken drama from which the drama was pictured.

Following Miss Farrar is Fatty Arbuckle who will head the program at The Arcade on Friday and Saturday. "Brewster's Millions" has been read by millions, and it is predicted that a large portion of Salisbury's population will see this popular comedian this week.

"The Devil" is coming to Salisbury on Monday in the person of George Arliss, who has chosen this famous play in which to make his debut to the screen world. He will be at the Arcade for two days, and many of us will have a chance to get closely acquainted with the "Gentleman from Hades." In the fullest sense of the word, "The Devil" is a photographic triumph. It marks the photoplay debut of George Arliss and presents him in his greatest role.

Gripping, tense and dynamic is the story. Vivid, colorful and highly visionary is the production. Sensational and bizarre is the Devil's masque, at which one of his little diversions is a dance of Hades, performed by some beautiful, lithe and graceful maidens.

The vaudeville program is said to be exceptionally good this week. Among the stars is Manila Martin, who is taking a leading role in the movie serial, "The Son of Tarzan," which has been running at the Arcade for several weeks. This will be a chance to see a real, live movie actress, and to hear her tell how serials are made. Another act, Larry Harkins & Company played on Broadway last week, and next week will be one of the headliners at Keith's Washington theatre. This is regarded by Manager Insley as one of the biggest features ever shown in Salisbury and is sure to prove a great drawing card.

ANNUAL SOCIAL GIVEN BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The annual social given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church was held on Friday evening and proved a success in both a social and financial way. Refreshments and fancy articles were on sale and a playlet given by little folks of the Sunday School entitled, "Ruth's Donation Party" added interest.

Favor Movement For Reduction Of Rates

Firms And Corporations Asking Reduced Freight Rates On The N. Y. P. & N.

Active interest continues to be shown in the movement being conducted by the East Coast Potato Distributors for lower rates on the Cape Charles Branch of the N. Y. P. & N. The support of the following out-of-town firms was pledged this past week in obtaining the rates desired: G. Ober & Sons, Baltimore; Wm. B. Tilghman Company, Salisbury; Baugh & Sons Company, Baltimore; National League of Commission Merchants, Washington; and Salisbury Chamber of Commerce, Salisbury.

Two satisfactory conferences were held by G. D. Horner and W. F. Allen during the last week at Philadelphia and Washington in the interest of this matter, and it is felt that considerable progress has been made.

REAL ESTATE IS ACTIVE AT OCEAN CITY

Several Properties Have Recently Changed Hands. Excellent Season Looked For.

There have recently been several transfers of Ocean City real estate, among them being the following: Charles H. Timmons from George M. Upshur and Franklin Upshur Trustees, "The Breakers Hotel," property at the southwest corner of Atlantic Avenue and North Third Street, in Ocean City. Consideration, \$6,100. Robert C. Letitia D. and Margaret S. Walker from William G. Kerbin, "Rummetta Cottage" property fronting on the west side of Baltimore Avenue and south side of North Seventh Street, in Ocean City. Consideration, \$1, etc. George W. Massey, Jr., and Mary Rachel Massey, his wife, from Callie A. Quillen and wife, real estate on the west side of Baltimore Avenue about half way between N. Division Street and N. First Street, in Ocean City. Consideration, \$10, etc.

It is reported that the property changed hands at good prices. It is said that the indications point to a busy season at Ocean City this summer.

The owners of the Hamilton and Pinchum Hotels are back at work.

The latter house will have a new coat of paint, and be otherwise put in good shape.

Lester Holland is about finishing two handsome new cottages. Coast Guard James Quillen has made great improvements in and on the cottage purchased by him from Mrs. Clayton Purnell. It is rented to Miss Lydia Bartlett, of Baltimore, for the season.

The Presbyterian Manse is being put in good shape for the occupancy of the Pastor, who will move into it next month.

W. W. McCabe and family are occupying the John Moore cottage, on the front.

Many Salisbury people have been over looking for cottages for the summer.

Dorchester Budget Increased \$20,000.00

Board Of Education Asks For \$125,545 For School Year 1921-22.

The Board of Education for Dorchester county last Tuesday submitted to the Board of County Commissioners the School Budget for the scholastic year 1921-22.

Like the budgets in most of the counties, Dorchester's shows an increased amount asked for—the increase being about \$20,000.

In the budget for the current year the sum of \$106,000 was allowed, but in the budget for 1921-22 the sum of \$125,545 is asked for.

The increases in the various items asked for are as follows: Current repairs, \$9,000; new buildings, \$6,500; fuel, \$1,000; text books, \$1,500. No amount is asked for in the 1921-22 budget for increase in teachers' salaries.

New York—Sing Sing officials have reported a rush of condemned prisoners to the death house to await the electric chair. The arrival of Herbert Smith made twenty condemned prisoners. This is double the number there three months ago.

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Will Observe "Children's Week"

Trinity Sunday School To Have Special Program For Youngsters Week Apr. 25 to May 1.

Trinity Sunday School will observe the week of April 25 to May 1, as "Children's Week." There will be a special program at each service by the children, and each day in the week will be given over to parties or meetings for the youngsters.

The Children of Trinity M. E. Church, South, will have a special part in the prayer meeting service on Wednesday evening, April 27. Dr. Reeves will talk to the children at this meeting. All effort is being made to make it a splendid meeting and you can not afford to miss it. It will start at 7:45 p. m.

Sunday, May 1 is "Cradle Roll Day" at Trinity. Service for the babies at 10:15 a. m. There are six little tots to be promoted. Each Cradle Roll mother is expected to come and bring her Cradle Roll baby.

Bryan Wants Britain Informed.

Tallahassee, Fla.—The Florida Legislature was asked by William Jennings Bryan to urge the Federal Government to call the attention of Great Britain to the illicit whiskey traffic between the Bahamas and the Florida coast.

20 In Sing Sing Death Cell.

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ARCADE THEATRE

PHOTO PLAYS

Thursday - April 21

GERALDINE FARRAR in

"The Riddle Woman"

Friday and Saturday - April 22-23

FATTY ARBUCKLE in

"Brewster's Millions"

Monday and Tuesday - April 25-26

GEORGE ARLISS in

"The Devil"

Wednesday - April 27

ETHEL CLAYTON in

"The Price Of Possession"

A SPLENDID PHOTOPLAY PROGRAM—SEE THEM ALL

Vaudeville

Thursday, Friday and Saturday - April 21-22-23

FOSTER & PEGGY offering

"The Two Bit Canine"

FURMAN & OLMSTEDS

"The Smile Girls"

LARRY HARKINS AND HIS MONARCHS

'A MELANGE OF MIRTH AND MELODY'

A BIG SHOW JUST OFF BROADWAY AND PLAYING

KEITH'S WASHINGTON THEATRE NEXT WEEK.

VAUDEVILLE'S GREATEST FEATURE.

MANILA MARTIN

"THE GIRL FROM THE MOVIES"

THE STAR NOW PLAYING IN "THE SON OF TARZAN" WILL TELL HER PERSONAL EXPERIENCES IN "MAKING TH EMOVIES"

CHURCH CALENDAR

Notice of changes in the Church Calendar must be at the News office not later than Tuesday morning, otherwise the calendar of the previous week will be repeated.

St. Peter's Church, Rev. Herbert D. Cone, Rector.

At St. Peter's Church next Sunday the rector will preach at the 11 A. M. service on "Life and Death" and at 7:30 on "The Spirit of Complaint."

Presbyterian Church, Robert Alexander Boyle, Minister.

Morning, communion service; evening, "Post-Communion Thoughts." Preparatory, Friday, 7:30 P. M.; Rev. Dr. Reeves will preach.

Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, Joseph T. Herson, D. D. Pastor.

The minister will preach at both services next Sunday. Morning subject, "An Extraordinary Exhortation." Evening subject, "Some Ancient Defenders of the 'Status Quo'."

Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church, Broad Street, near Division Street, Rev. Richard L. Shipley.

Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6:45 P. M., led by Miss Gladys Cleary, with the topic, "A Good Name and How We Can Obtain It." Midweek prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. The Junior Christian Endeavor Society meets on Friday afternoon and the Intermediate Christian Endeavor meets on Friday evening.

Grace and Stengle, M. E. Churches, Wm. P. Taylor, Pastor.

Next Sunday the pastor will preach at Grace in the morning and at Stengle in the afternoon on "The Religious Periodical in the Home." Sunday school, 9:45 A. M. at Grace, Missionary Day. Preaching, 11 A. M.; class meeting, 2:30 P. M.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:45 P. M.; preaching, 7:30 P. M. at Stengle, Sunday School, 2 P. M.; preaching, 3 P. M.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 8 P. M.

St. Andrew's & Washington Church, Rev. J. H. Ainsworth, Pastor.

The pastor will preach at Washington Church in the morning and at St. Andrew's in the evening. The subject of the sermon will be "Making Christianity Beautiful."

Quantico M. E. Church, J. M. S. Van Blunk, Pastor.

There will be preaching at Royal Oak Church Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m.; Green Hill Church, Sunday School, 2 P. M.; preaching at 8 P. M.; Quantico M. E. Church, preaching at 7:30 p. m. by pastor, Rev. H. J. Mason. Everybody welcome.

Division Street Baptist Church, H. Lloyd Parkinson, Pastor.

The Young People's Society will hold a social in the basement of the church on Thursday evening. A silver offering will be taken at the door. Proceeds for the Baptist 75 Million Campaign. The pastor will preach at both services on Sunday. Morning service at 11; evening at 8. The topic for Sunday evening will be "Some Facts Concerning Baptists—Does Baptism Save?" We invite you to worship with us.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Thomas Rosser Reeves, Pastor.

Dr. Thos. Rosser Reeves will preach both morning and evening. In the morning, Dr. Reeves, by special request, will preach to the Odd Fellows of Salisbury and the local lodge and visiting brethren will attend in a body. A splendid and appropriate musical program will be rendered by Trinity's choir.

Apostolic International Holiness Church, John A. Snyder, pastor:

This is Home Communion Sunday, April 24. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M.; Mrs. A. P. Short, superintendent. All welcome.

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church, Rev. W. S. Knight, pastor.

Sunday Masses: at 8:00 and 10:30 a. m., week days; at 8:00 a. m. Sunday. Evening service, at 7:30 p. m.

COUNTY NEWS.

PITTSVILLE.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lynn and daughter, Gertrude, of New York, are spending some time with Mrs. Gertrude Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Truitt, Mrs. Annie Truitt and Mr. Harvey Farlow spent Sunday with Mr. Clarence Truitt.

Little Eva Catherine Parker entertained a few of her friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of her fifth birthday.

We are sorry to report Laurence Freemy, Jr., on the sick list this week. Mr. Lester Timmons spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Farlow. Mr. Roy Sears, who is working at Ocean City, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Hafford Truitt.

WETIPQUIN

Miss Gladys Taylor is spending sometime in Baltimore having her eyes treated.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Taylor and son spent Friday with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. G. D. White. Mrs. Twilley Evans and Miss Airy Mills, of Quantico, spent Thursday evening with Miss Lillian Hurley. Miss Mable N. Heath, teacher of our rural school, attended the teachers' meeting in Salisbury Friday last.

Miss Hilda Watson has returned to school after a few days' illness. Misses Eva Watson and Edna Ham-bury are spending a few weeks in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. A. White spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. V. P. Roberts.

Messrs. John and Lafayette Fur-bush made business trips to Salisbury this week.

We want to thank our County Commissioners for the improvement they are making on our roads. It is greatly appreciated by all.

Mr. Conway's "Old Gray Mare," while out for a stroll in last Sunday's storm and having lost his way, wandered about for a few days and finally found refuge at the poor house. May the good work at the Alms House continue.

BIVALEVE

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Turpin and little son, of Baltimore, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Insley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Willing and children, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with Mr. Willing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Willing.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Insley, who have been living in Baltimore for sometime, moved home last Wednesday. The stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Messick last Wednesday and left them a baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. White and little son, of Nanticoke, spent Sunday with Mrs. Edna Horsman.

Bold Thieves Make \$1,000 Haul Here

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which autos are coming and going at all hours of the night. The scene of the robbery is within five feet of the pool room of Charlie Mitchell, where late hours are kept by many young men. And yet, no one can be found who heard or saw the burglars looting the big store.

Entrance to the Dorman & Smyth building was effected by climbing the year fire escape of the Ulman Opera House and breaking one of the windows on the second floor of the theatre. Once inside the theatre it was an easy matter to reach the second floor of the Dorman & Smyth building by raising one of the front windows of theatre opening on the front fire escape. One of these windows was found to be raised Friday morning. From the front fire escape of the theatre to the second floor of the Dorman & Smyth building was but a few steps, a broad cornice running around the front of the building. Here another window was found to have been pried open by the burglars to gain entrance to the second floor of the store.

Once they had gained the second floor of the store, the burglars had smooth sailing. They broke the lock on a door on the second floor leading to the stairway down stairs and had to pass the office on their way down. The burglars entered the business office and took a small amount of money, less than \$2, from the cash register, which had been left unlocked when the store was closed. Mr. Dorman says he took more than \$20 from the cash register before leaving the store and put it in the safe. A small box of mutilated coins in the cash drawer was also taken, but the big iron safe was not tampered with.

The policemen of Salisbury and the State Police force were notified early of the robbery and at once got busy. Phone messages were sent to all sections of the State as well as to Wilmington and Philadelphia and every effort will be made to apprehend the guilty parties.

Aid Of City Promised For Clean-Up Week

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these provisions, it is said, will be made during that week. It is believed, however, that such enforcement will be unnecessary, because we expect to see all of our citizens displaying civic pride in abundance during the week of May 2-7.

The City Ordinances in question follow:

Article 2—Nuisances. Section 1—Whatever is dangerous to human health, whatever renders the ground, the water, the air, or food a hazard or an injury to human health, and the following specific acts, conditions and things are, each and all of them, hereby declared constitute nuisances.

(a) The deposit or accumulation of any foul, decaying or putrescent substances or other offensive matter in or upon any lot, street or highway, or in or upon any public or private place, etc.

(b) The accumulation of manure garbage or any form of filth that has not been so treated as to act as a repellent to flies, etc.

Article 8—Unsanitary Buildings.

Section 1. No person or persons, firms or corporations shall occupy or maintain, or permit the occupancy or maintenance of any building or buildings within the City of Salisbury, in an unsanitary or dirty condition and the use of which shall be in any way dangerous or detrimental to the lives or health of the tenants or occupants thereof. Any person violating this section shall, upon conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a penalty of ten dollars for each offense.

State Labor Convention Meets Here

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adopted as the official organ of the Maryland and District of Columbia Federation of Labor.

That the convention reaffirm the action of the American Federation of Labor in condemning support giving seceding organizations by bona fide unions.

That it urges upon Congress the necessity for early enactment of a just and equitable reclassification of the entire Government service.

That it request its members to purchase no goods that do not bear the

union label.

That it approve the bill introduced by Representative Tinkham, of Massachusetts, to establish a school and colony home in the vicinity of the national capital for the feeble-minded.

The session which was held on Tuesday was adjourned at noon in order to permit the delegates to accept the invitation of Mayor Kennerly to pay a sight-seeing trip to Ocean City. The trip was made in automobiles.

Much interest centered in the address of Mr. Glenn H. Plumb, author of the Plumb Plan, who talked before the convention on Wednesday afternoon regarding railroad organizations.

Mrs. Willie B. Nock and Miss Virginia Brewington left Sunday for New York and Philadelphia.



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When Graham Norcross, general manager of the Pioneer Short Line, determined to run his railroad square, he was in for the fight of his life with the corrupt stock jobbers and crooked politicians in league with them. Norcross' opponents meant business. They didn't shy at gun fights and causing train wrecks.

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Important Notice To Tax Payers of Wicomico Co.

NOTICE TAX PAYERS.

You are hereby notified that the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, Maryland, will give you an opportunity to appear before this Board on the following days,

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31,

to hear any complaint for rebates on property for 1921. And there will positively be no rebates allowed after these dates.

HARRY DENNIS,

Treasurer and Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners.

5-19-186.

Adventures with the Iron Horse and the Gleaming Rails! An Epic of Rail-roading and the Romance of Big Business!

The Wreckers

By FRANCIS LYNDE

The author was a railroad man for many years—he writes from the inside. Reading this captivating story you will feel all the thrills of a personal participant in its episodes—smashing adventures, gun fights, train wrecks, battles of wits between industrial giants—and an enthralling romance involving a big-brained, big-souled, far-seeing executive (who believed in taking public and employees into partnership with his railroad) and an unusual woman who possessed keenness, intuition, strategy and the female qualities necessary to make her a perfect complement to the man.

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STOMACH AND LIVER TROUBLE

For a long time I had been troubled with stomach and liver trouble; would get headaches, dizziness, pain and bloating in stomach; felt weak. After a course of treatment with Dr. Greenwood I am now feeling all right of this trouble.

WALTER ALBOUGH,

R. F. D. 1, New Midway, Md.

RECTAL TROUBLE.

I had a bad case of Rectal Trouble for 7 years. I took treatment with Dr. Greenwood and got all right.

HIRAM EBERSOLE,

R. F. D. No. 1, Bainbridge, Pa.

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CENTRAL HOTEL,
SALISBURY, MD.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4th, 1921.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT—I DESIRE TO announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Wicomico county subject to the Democratic primaries. John H. Farlow. T-1890

ANNOUNCEMENT—I DESIRE TO make this formal announcement of my candidacy for the Legislature to represent Wicomico county, subject of course to the Democratic Primaries. If nominated and elected I assure my constituents that I will represent them to the best of my ability. Jehu D. Dolby, White Haven, Maryland. T-114

ANNOUNCEMENT—IN SUBMITTING my candidacy to the Democratic voters for representative from Wicomico County to the next House of Delegates, I desire to make no pledges but if nominated and elected I will be ever mindful of the best interests of the taxpayers of this county and State. My past legislative experience will greatly aid me in being of even greater service to the taxpayers and it will be my pleasure and duty to cast my vote according to the sentiments of Wicomico County. Soliciting the support of all Democratic voters, I remain, Yours very respectfully, Nathaniel O. Austin, Mariela Springs, Md. T-1897

ANNOUNCEMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT—IN RESPONSE to the earnest solicitation of many of my friends throughout the county, I have determined to become a candidate for nomination on the Democratic ticket to the office of County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic primaries. It shall be my purpose, if nominated and elected to this office, to at all times endeavor to serve the interests of the county at large, to the best of my ability. George L. Long, Delmar, Md. T-1777

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF Wicomico County:—I herewith announce my candidacy for the nomination as one of the County Commissioners, subject to the Democratic Primaries. I will appreciate the support of all those who believe in the proper qualifications to fill this important office. Theodore S. Hearn. 5-5-117

ANNOUNCEMENT—TO THE VOTERS of Wicomico County: Having always aspired to the Clerkship of Wicomico County, I hereby announce my candidacy for this important office. I feel that my long experience and training in this office as Deputy Clerk qualifies me to fill this position. All assistance given me will be appreciated. IRA D. TURNER. 4-28-56

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—OFFICE LOCATED AT No. 203 South Division street. Apply to Mrs. James E. Ball. T-192

FOR RENT—OFFICES CONVENI- ently situated in the heart of the city, newly finished, clean, bright, and attractive. Rent extremely reasonable. For further particulars apply to Box 1001, care Wicomico News. 2-17-1690

FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT— In the best location of Salisbury, close to station. Gentleman preferred. Apply to D. W. S., care Wicomico News. T-41

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—ONE YOUNG COLT, cheap; one runabout, one harness, one collar. Apply at the home place. J. W. Jones, Hammond street. 5-5-199

FOR SALE—THREE FORD TOUR- ing car bodies, one of them is new and complete. Price reasonable. George D. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 165

FOR SALE—ONE FINE PAIR mules, eight years old, weigh 1,000 lbs.; 1 horse, 10 year old. E. E. Bennett, Mariela, Md. R. F. D. No. 2. 4-28-191

FOR SALE—ONE TON TRUCK Trailer—solid rubber tires—newly painted—excellent condition. Good bargain. Apply to L. P. Coulbourn, Phone 345. 4-21-140

FOR SALE—ONE HAYWOOD AND Wakefield Baby Carriage, one Bassinet, with stand, one natural reed stroller, one play pen. Mrs. E. C. Hammerly, Wicomico St., Phone 358. 4-21-120

FOR SALE—ONE DODGE TOUR- ing, 20 model, in good condition. Price reasonable. George T. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 4-21-103

FOR SALE—ONE FORD, RACER type, reasonable price to a quick buyer. George T. Insley, Fruitland, Md. 4-21-102

FOR SALE—OAK BEDROOM Suite and White Enamel Child's Crib. Call at 114 Isabella street or Phone 51. 4-21-143

FOR SALE—MODERN SEMI-DE- tached house in one of the best locations in Salisbury. 7 rooms. Bath, gas and electricity. Garage; large lot. Address Box No. 145, care The Wicomico News. T-145

FOR SALE—8 FT. LIQUID SODA Fountain with back bat. Practically new. Address Saltz Bros., Crisfield, Md. T-14

PUMPING OUTFIT FOR SALE—1 6 H. P. Fairbanks Gasoline Engine complete with magneto, 1 Goulds Pyramid pump, 1,000 gallons capacity; 1 lot shafting, pulleys and hangers. This outfit is complete. Has had but little use and will be sold at a bargain. For prices apply to Mark Cooper, Salisbury, Md. 2-10-M-k-1658

FOR SALE—1918 SAXON 6 ROAD- ster. Good condition, electric lights and starter. \$250. J. H. Cordrey, Hebron, Md. 4-28-82

FOR SALE—ONE BOOKKEEPER'S mahogany standing desk. Electric attachments. Good condition. Bargain to quick buyer. May be seen at the Wicomico News office. T-1980

FOR SALE—WHITE LEGHORN eggs for hatching from two year old hens, on free range. C. C. Hastings, R. F. D. No. 3, Salisbury, Md. Telephone 1827-21. 2-24-8-1722

PUBLIC SALE—ONE CAR LOAD horses and mules at Calvin E. Townsend's stables at Pocomoke City, Md., Saturday, April 23, 1921, beginning at 2 o'clock P. M. This is as fine a bunch of stock as was ever offered on the Peninsula. It is all well broken and ready for immediate use, ranging in age from three to eight years old and in weight from 900 to 1350 pounds. This stock must be seen to be appreciated. It will be here by Wednesday preceding the sale and you are invited to inspect it. Sale will take place rain or shine. Terms of Sale—Four months bankable note with approved security, or cash at the option of the purchaser. Ratcliff & Bowen. 170

FOR SALE—SPLIT OAK AND Pine wood, cut to stove lengths. Smith and Williams Co., Salisbury, Md. T-1872

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—LICENSE TAG MARYLAND 24528-S 1921. Finder please return to or notify E. S. Adkins & Co., Salisbury, Md., Phone 1070. 197

LOST—GOODYEAR TIRE, 31x4 All Weather tread, new, mounted, probably on South Division street road to Fruitland. Reward if returned to Palace Garage, Salisbury. 173

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE—I HAVE BEEN APPOINT- ed Justice of Peace in Parsons District with an office in the Humphreys Bldg., East Main street, Salisbury. Collections a specialty. L. T. Hearn. 2-21-150

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

ELIJAH S. HEARN.

All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit same with vouchers therefor, legally authenticated to the subscriber, on or before the 19th day of October, 1921.

They may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 18th day of April, 1921.

E. VIRGIL HEARN,

H. LLOYD HEARN, Administrators.

Test: J. W. Dashiell, Register of Wills. 5-12-190

Notice to Merchants Traders, Etc.

Requiring Licenses

This is to give notice to all persons requiring licenses, that I have received from the Comptroller of the State the various forms of license blanks and that I am ready to issue licenses to all persons, firms, or corporations required by law to secure licenses. The law requires that licenses be taken out before May 1st, 1921.

J. CLAYTON KELLY,

Clerk of Circuit Court.

4-28-152.

MISCELLANEOUS

TOILET VAULTS CLEANED—

Pone 733-J. T-112

NOTICES

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

I, the undersigned, Mayor of Salisbury, Maryland, do hereby give notice that on Tuesday, May 3, 1921, an election will be held in the Voting House of the County Commissioners for Parsons Election District, located on the southerly side of Water Street, in the City of Salisbury, Maryland, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing three Councilmen of the City of Salisbury, at which election all registered voters, whose names appear on the Registration Books of the City of Salisbury, may participate.

W. ARTHUR KENNERLY,

Mayor of Salisbury.

State of Maryland

STATE ROADS COMMISSION

Notice To Contractors

SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway, as follows: Wicomico Co., Cont. No. W-114:

One section of State Highway from End of Cont. W-113 to beginning of Cont. No. 622 near Royal Oak, a distance of 3.72 miles (Concrete)

will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its office, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M on the 26 day of April, 1921, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

BY ORDER of the State Roads Commission this 11 day of April, 1921.

L. H. STEUART,

LOCAL "Y" TO HOLD MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Plans Now Being Formulated For The Drive—Board Meeting Held Friday Night.

Mr. Ralph H. Grier, chairman of the membership committee of the local Young Men's Christian Association is now making plans for a membership campaign in the near future, and will call a meeting of the membership committee in the next few days to help him develop plans for this campaign.

Many boys and men have joined the association and are making use of the many privileges it offers. Numerous organizations are using the building daily for various meetings and the Y. M. C. A. building has been the scene of much activity during the past ten days.

All men and boys, and especially strangers, will always find a cordial welcome at the association building.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last Friday afternoon at 4.30 at which time many matters of importance pertaining to the local organization were brought before the board. The meeting was called to order by the president and opened with a prayer by Secretary R. W. Hammerslough. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary of the board, Mr. George P. Chandler, and the same approved.

Mr. Ralph H. Grier, Treasurer of the association, made his monthly report following which the general secretary made a report of his first two weeks stay in Salisbury as secretary of the association. The board members expressed themselves as being well pleased with the progress that has been made in the past few weeks and the splendid response to the efforts of the board by the young men and boys of the community.

Several matters of importance which come before the board at this meeting was the appointment of the different committees for the coming year. They follow:

Finance—Col. A. W. Woodcock, chairman; Ralph H. Grier, Harry W. Ruark, W. S. Sheppard.

Boys—George P. Chandler, chairman; A. Everett Williams, Oscar Morris.

Religious—W. F. Messick, chairman; Samuel C. Quillian, Seward E. Little, Harry Hastings.

Physical—A. Everett Williams, chairman; Howard Ruark, Prof. R. Lee Clark, Edwin Wimbrow.

Educational—Claude Bailey, chairman; James N. Bennett, Hooper S. Miles.

Social—G. Wm. Phillips, chairman; Shelton Jones, Rupert Jones, Harry Adkins, Eugene Todd.

House—Wm. M. Cooper, chairman; W. S. Sheppard, Charles Wilkins.

Membership—Ralph H. Grier, chairman; Marion Evans, H. L. Evans, Prof. R. Lee Clark, Shelton Jones, Lee Allen, S. D. Sewers, George Horsey, Walter Nock, Charles N. Bennett, H. W. Carty, William Ingersoll.

These committees will work in co-operation with the general secretary and physical director in promoting the work of the association in the different departments.

PERMIT GRANTED FOR \$25,000 BUILDING

Will Be Erected On South Division Street, Near The Peninsula General Hospital.

The Council Monday evening granted a building permit to P. Tasta to erect a two-story building on South Division street, adjoining the property of the Peninsula General Hospital. This building will have two stories on the first floor, with living quarters above. The application for the permit stated that the building would cost about \$22,000.

Other permits granted Monday night were: To J. Fred Gordy, to build an additional story to a back building on east side of Church street, adjoining the property of M. C. Lucas; to John N. Sermon, to erect a garage on his property on South Division street.

George Sullivan was appointed by Mayor Kernerly as a police officer for the city and the appointment was confirmed by the Council. Officer Sullivan is now on duty.

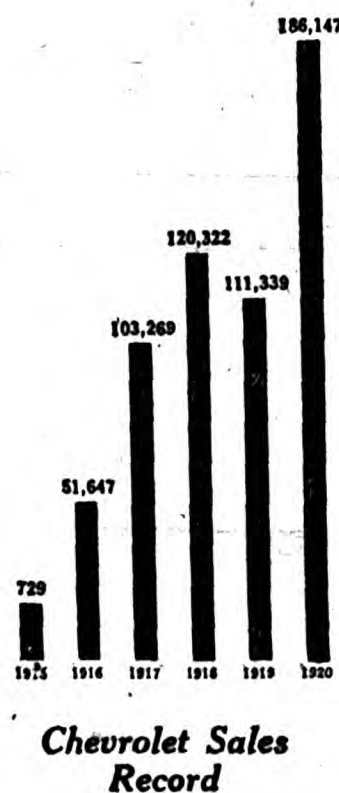
NEW MANAGEMENT FOR MEAD'S RESTAURANT

The management of one of this city's landmarks changed hands last week with the sale of Mead's restaurant property to Mr. I. T. Dryden of Princess Anne.

Mr. Dryden will make some improvements to this property and has already improved the external appearance with a coat of fresh paint. As the restaurant has been in existence for so many years he has adopted an apt slogan: "A new restaurant at the old place."

Many changes in the menu will be made and special attention given to regular dinners.

50,000 CHEVROLET "Four-Nineties"



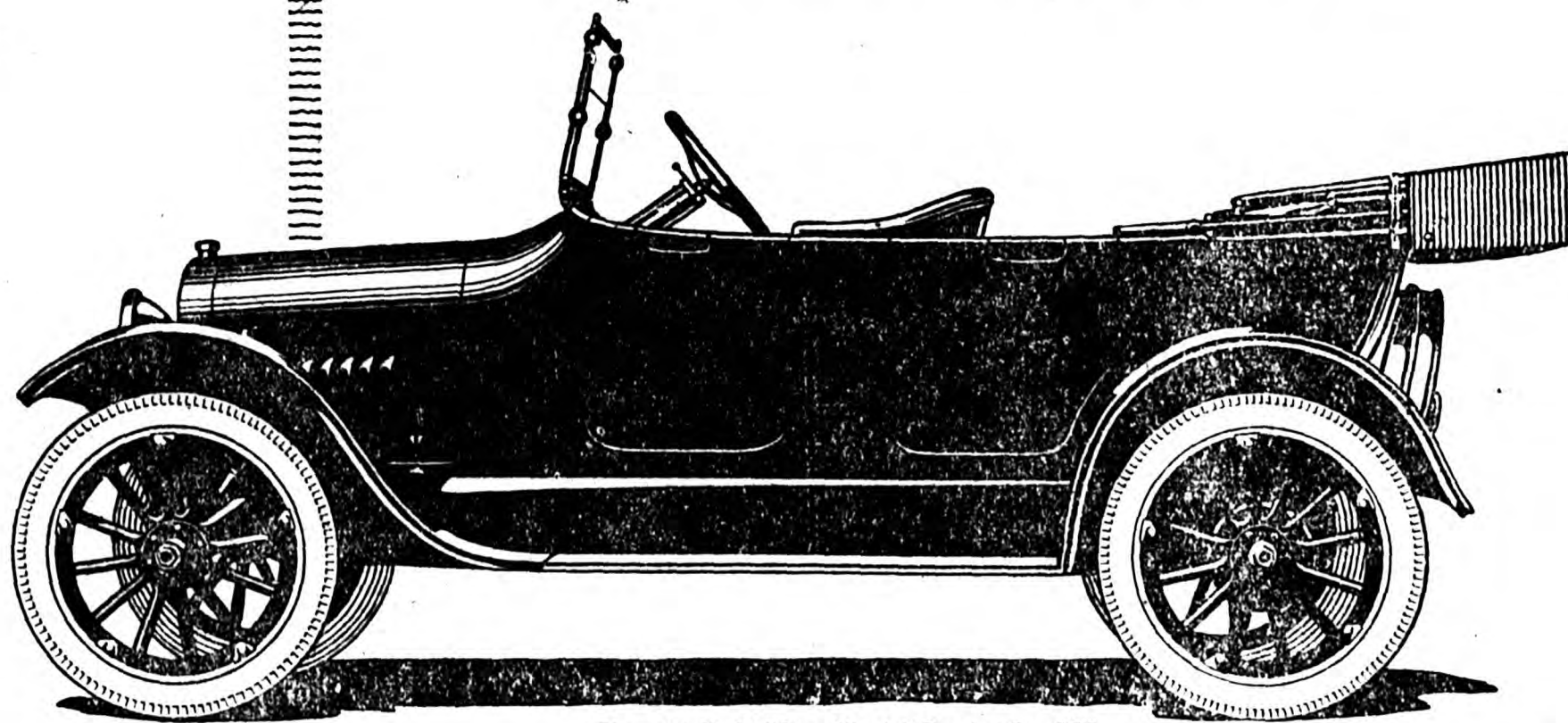
CHEVROLET Cars are a combination of many fine features. The sturdy construction, economy of operation, pleasing appearance and complete equipment of the Chevrolet Touring car appeal to discriminating purchasers.

Ask us how you may receive a refund of \$70 on open and \$100 on closed "Four-Ninety" cars purchased between January 1, 1921, and August 1, 1921.

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GORDY REAL ESTATE NETS GOOD PRICES

Large Crowd Attends Sale in Front of Courthouse Saturday Afternoon.

PROPERTY OF LATE W. M. GORDY AND WIFE

Several Parcels of City and County Lands Are Disposed Of, and the Bidding Was Spirited—Sales Reached \$7,770.00 in the Aggregate—Three Separate Sales.

An unusually large crowd of people was attracted to the front of the Court House Saturday afternoon to attend the sale of the city and county property owned by the late Wm. M. Gordy and his wife, Hester A. Gordy. There were several parcels of city and county real estate offered and the bidding was spirited, every piece being sold. There were three separate sales, as follows:

By F. Leonard Wailes, trustee of Wm. M. Gordy—No. 1, tract of land in Salisbury election district, on east side of public road from Middle Neck Branch to the George W. Leonard farm, containing 27 acres, went to Frank Culver for \$1,250.

No. 2, tract of land in Parsons district, about 7 1/2 miles from Salisbury, on what is known as the Downing road, containing 150 acres, went to Isaac Parker for \$1,250.

No. 3, parcel of land on E. Church street, Salisbury, fronting 85 feet on this street and a depth on Ann street of 133 feet, and improved by a six-room dwelling and a two-story storehouse, went to James Brown for \$1,110.

By F. Leonard Wailes and Curtis W. Long, attorneys—The Hester A. Gordy tract situated in Salisbury election district, on the westerly side of the county road leading from Salisbury to Delmar, containing 12 acres, went to George O. Collins for \$1,110.

By Mary A. Lucas and Edgar Gordy, executors of Hester A. Gordy—No. 1, lot in Parsons election district, on northerly side of East Church street, 40x80 feet, went to Mary A. Lucas for \$450.

No. 2, lot on Davis street, with a frontage of 60 feet on said street, and improved by a four-room dwelling, went to Cordelia Tighman for \$630.

No. 3, lot on Davis street, 60x117 feet, and improved by a five-room dwelling, went to C. A. Pollitt for \$910.

No. 4, lot on Davis street, 50x100

SHE MAY BE SECOND BRIDE TO CHAPLIN



According to reports from Los Angeles, the engagement of Charles Chaplin to Miss May Collins, a New York beauty, will be announced as soon as Mrs. Mildred Harris Chaplin, the comedian's first wife, obtains her final decree of divorce. Miss Collins made her first stage debut in "The Betrothal" two years ago. She has been in pictures recently.

feet, and improved by a four-room dwelling, went to John M. Parsons for \$600.

No. 5, lot on Davis street, 50x100 feet, and improved by a four-room dwelling, went to Affra Fooks for \$450.

The sales aggregated \$7,770.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the family system tonic. Price, \$1.25.—Adv.

SOUND THE CHARGE!

"Beat a retreat," said Napoleon to a drummer boy, when in one of his battle he felt that he was losing and that his army must retreat in order to be saved.

"Sire," said the drummer boy, "I have never learned to beat a retreat, but I can beat a march that will make the dead arise and fight." He received permission from the General to beat a march, into which he threw his very soul. The tired, weary, almost defeated soldiers caught the inspiration of the charge, and with new energy and quickened fire of body and spirit rushed once more to the battle and won a great victory.

The people of this country feel that they have been almost defeated; discouragement fills their minds and hearts. The power of the enemy has almost reached the limit of their endurance. They have been beating a retreat, but the time has come to beat a march and catch that new inspiration which Napoleon's soldiers felt at the stirring music brought forth by the indomitable drummer boy who knew not how to beat a retreat.

Every man who is pessimistic, or who permits the discouragements of the hour to dominate him, is beating a retreat. He is not only beating a retreat for his own business, but he is beating a retreat for all with whom he comes in touch. The time has come to beat a march, to sound the charge, to quicken the life blood of the nation once more, and out of the apparent defeat of the last twelve months rally for a new charge, a new creative period of work and energy. Forgetting the things that are behind, we must press forward with greater energy to overcome the difficulties which as a nation we have had to face.

Every man who draws within his business shell, every man who cancels his contracts or pessimistically refuses to do business because of his fear of the future, is beating a retreat.

Every man who goes ahead, who has the optimism of the drummer boy and a spirit which dares to do things, is beating a march on to victory.

If throughout the entire nation there can be rekindled the drummer boy's fire, we shall soon have optimism and sunshine and prosperity, where today there is pessimism and doubt and despair.

It was the drummer boy whose work inspired the great Napoleon and his troops. It must be the drummer boy of the business world, the farmer and the small merchant, and the individual business man, who beats the march and sounds the charge rather than the great business leaders who have halted so long.

The ones who have suffered must be the ones to dare and do the most.

The men who would beat a march on to victory over the threatened disaster which they have so long faced will be the red-blooded men who know that the nation cannot stand still and who are determined to lead the charge.

The pessimist is the shirker.

The optimist is the burden-bearer.

The pessimist is the man who beats the retreat.

The optimist is the man who sounds the charge.

WHICH ARE YOU?

—Manufacturers Record.

FAMISHED CHINESE SCRAMBLE FOR GARBAGE THROWN FROM TRAINS

Describing his experience in North-

China as a nightmare of horror, Mr. Sellwood also told of a desperate Chinese mother who tried to sell her three-year old daughter for 50 cents. Recognizing the face of an American at the window of the train, this woman crowded to the front holding up the child in her arms, and imploring him to buy it. It was explained that many Chinese mothers are eager to sell, or even give their children to Americans, feeling that by this means the little ones will be certain of warmth and food.

"The trip was one long horror," said Mr. Sellwood. "I am haunted yet by the memory of the drawn, despairing faces, and the pitiable cries for food of the starving, half-naked men, women and children who crowded under the train windows, lifting up their arms in desperate supplication to us, every time the train slowed up, or stopped.

"Almost at any time we could look out and see the bodies of famine victims floating in the streams or lying about on the ground. It is a common thing for famine victims to succumb while digging for roots to eat, and the mute evidence of this last futile effort to obtain a morsel that will sustain life a little longer, is visible on every hand; the dead bodies of men, women and children may be seen lying beside the hole in the ground that has been dug with sticks, or with the wasted, claw-like hands of the starving.

"Long ago practically all domestic animals—even those on which the Chinese farmers depended to help till their lands—had been eaten, leaving only a few half-crazed dogs that are dreaded by the emaciated creatures and which fight with the humans for food and sometimes attack the children.

"Everything—literally everything—has been eaten in this land of despair, even leaves, roots and the bark of trees. These ingredients are ground into a sort of meal and baked into a cake after having been mixed with water. Millions of Chinese have been existing on this diet alone.

"One of the most pitiable incidents of the journey was the wild clamor all along the railroad at points where waste and garbage from the dining car was thrown out. Knowing approximately where to expect this waste material to be dumped, thousands of gaunt, starving creatures gather hours in advance to await the passing of the train. The railroad officials, to prevent the frantic people from getting under the wheels of the train in the struggle for this garbage, have built fences two or three feet from the train, and the rails are emptied outside this fence. Policemen stand guard along the fence to hold back the better nourished of the crowd while the children and weaker adults are let through to get the first pick-

\$10.00 IN GOLD TO BOYS AND GIRLS

As announced in these columns last week the Wicomico County Board of Agriculture will offer:

(1) \$5.00 in gold to the girl in Wicomico county who offers the best way to use sweet potatoes in the home, and

(2) \$5.00 in gold to the boy who offers the best way to grow, harvest and store sweet potatoes.

This contest will close May 14, 1921, and all replies must be in the hands of County Agent Cobb on or before that date.

There are no rules attached to this contest with the one exception that all replies must be made in the boy or girl's own hand writing.

Millions Starving

"Pick a Pal in China"

The critical period of the famine in China has arrived. With relief from every source allowed for, 5,000,000 famine victims are still destitute.

Only continuous and voluminous aid from America can save these 5,000,000 people.

Contributions sent to this paper will be forwarded to the American Committee for China Famine Fund, and will be actually saving life within two weeks.

Send What You Spend One Day To China

Cut this out and mail with Contribution

The Wicomico News:— I hereby enclose to the American Committee for China Famine Victims.

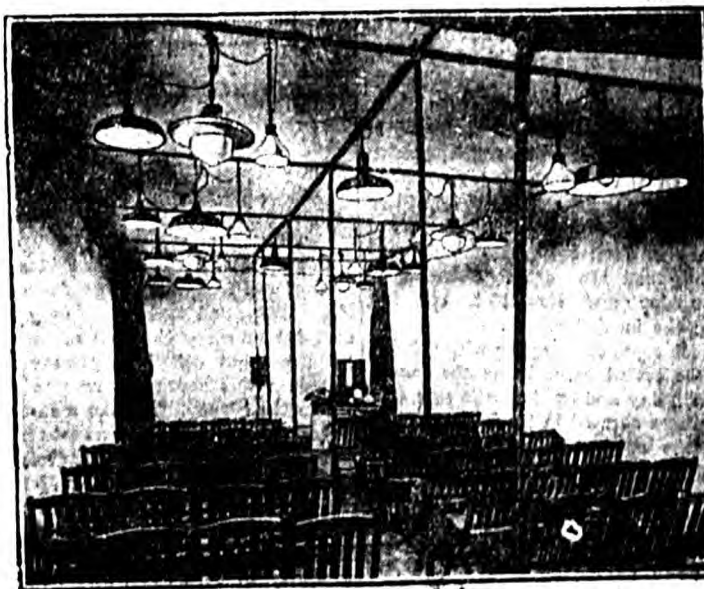
(Name)

(Address)

Steal \$15,000 in Cigarettes.

Chicago Cigarettes valued at \$15,000 were stolen from a warehouse of a cigar company last week. A robber disguised as a telegraph messenger induced a watchman to open a door and then struck him down. Three companions joined him in loading a truck with the loot.

Lighting Demonstration Next Week.



How the Y.M.C.A. auditorium will look when the portable light-testing apparatus has been installed for the novel commercial lighting demonstration that will be held there under auspices of the Chamber of Commerce Thursday afternoon, April 28. The above picture shows white walls; these are alternately made dark through aid of dark curtains. Note the framework supporting side and ceilings.

\$90,000 ALIMONY HIGHEST GRANTED



Mrs. James A. Stillman



Mrs. Florence H. Leeds

First victory in the famous Stillman divorce case in New York went to the wife of the International financier and president of the National City Bank. It was in the court granting of a record alimony of \$90,000 a year and \$47,000 special counsel and legal expense money in defending her suit. Banker Stillman sued his wife for divorce, naming a French-Canadian Indian guide as correspondent and disowning his two-year-old son, Baby Guy Stillman. Mrs. Stillman filed a counter-suit, naming Florence Lawlor Leeds, former Broadway chorus girl, as correspondent. Mrs. Leeds is also the mother of a two-year-old boy. This photo of Mrs. Stillman is exclusive.

MISS LAVINIA G. DOWNING DIES AT WESTMINSTER, MD.

Mrs. Ernest Downing, of Berlin, Md., received word of the death of Miss Lavinia G. Downing, which occurred April 14 at the M. P. Church Home in Westminster, Md. She was the last of fourteen children and was born and reared in Wicomico county. Although she had spent the greater part of her life in Baltimore, she had many relatives and friends in Salisbury and White Haven. Deceased was a sister of the late Sampson P. Downing. She was of a gentle and loving disposition and to know her was to love her. Interment was in Westminster, Md.

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BOOZE SPREE FOLLOWED BY DEATH IN JAIL

James Butcher Of Wilmington, Del., Dies in County Jail After Drinking Debauch.

BELIEVED THAT WOOD ALCOHOL KILLED HIM

Arrested Early Saturday By Officer Cahall, He Passes Away a Few Hours Later—His Companion, George Sweeney, Recovers—Both Come Here In Search of Work.

James J. Butcher, aged about 55 years, died in the Salisbury jail Saturday about one o'clock from the effects of drinking a concoction believed to have been wood alcohol or some other poison.

Butcher and a pal named George Sweeney, both claiming to hail from Wilmington, were arrested about midnight Friday by Officer Cahall on the charge of being beastly intoxicated, and it was evident that they had been imbibing freely in wood alcohol or some other stimulant. The policeman saw that the men needed medical attention and they were carried to the hospital, but there being no room in the wards the men were carried to jail, where it was thought they would sleep off their debauch. Sweeney did regain consciousness in a few hours, and intimated that both had drunk freely of wood alcohol or some other poison, but failed to tell where they had secured it. Butcher, however, failed to rally from his stupor and about 11 o'clock Saturday morning Sweeney informed the jail authorities that he believed that Butcher was dying and requested that a Priest be sent to the jail. Father Knight responded, but found the man in a dying condition. Butcher passed away about one o'clock Saturday afternoon. Father Knight took charge of the body and had it sent to Wilmington.

Butcher and Sweeney, it is said, had last season worked at losing refrigerator cars for the Salisbury Ice Company.

REV. A. A. CHRISTIAN SPOKE AT TRINITY CHURCH

Rev. Dr. A. A. Christian, one of the most widely known ministers of the Southern Methodist Church, spoke at the morning service last Sunday in the interest of the educational movement of the Southern Church. The address was one of the most forceful ever delivered in this city.

Dr. Christian presented the plans of the Southern Church to raise thirty millions of dollars for enlarging and improving the colleges and schools of the church. Dr. Christian is president of Blackstone Female Institute, one of the foremost women's colleges of the Southern Church. Rev. James Cannon (now Bishop), formerly of Salisbury, and Rev. Dr. Reeves, of this city, were formerly presidents of Blackstone.



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DUCK RAISING IS PROFITABLE

Increased Demand For Ducks In Cities Makes Project Good Side Issue For Farmers.

Although ducks do not appear to be as well adapted as chickens as a source of income to average farm conditions yet many farmers are finding duck raising profitable as a side issue to their other farm operations. The demand for table ducks in the cities seems to be on the increase.

The period of incubation for ducks eggs is 28 days, except for the Muscovy duck, which is 33 to 35 days. The eggs may be hatched either naturally by hens or artificially in incubators. Strong, fertile eggs are a prime essential to good hatching and are obtained only from stock properly mated and kept under the best possible conditions to secure health and vigor. Eggs from overfat breeding stock do not usually produce a large percentage of strong ducklings. Peking and Indian Runner ducks rarely sit; consequently, if natural methods of incubation are to be used the eggs are usually hatched under hens. Duck eggs should be washed if dirty, for it does not appear to injure their hatching qualities.

Before setting a hen dust her thoroughly with insect powder. In applying this powder hold the hen by the feet, with her head hanging down, and work it thoroughly into the feathers, giving special attention around the vent and under the wings. Sitting hens should be fed whole or cracked grain, such as corn or wheat. Place 9 to 11 ducks' eggs under a hen, depending on her size and the season of the year, using the smaller number in warm weather. Confine the hens at hatching time and do not disturb them until the hatch is completed, unless they become restless, when it may be best to remove the ducklings that hatch first.

Hens must be well cared for in hatching ducks' eggs, as the period of incubation is a week longer than that of hens' eggs. It usually takes ducklings from 24 to 48 hours to hatch after they pick the shells, therefore, it is advisable to allow the hen to get off the nest for food and water when the first ducklings pick the shell and then confine her to the nest until the hatching is over. Ducks' eggs need more moisture than hens' eggs at hatching time, as it takes the ducks much longer to get out of the shell. Poultry specialists in the United States Department of Agriculture advise, therefore, that the eggs should be sprinkled liberally with warm water previous to hatching.

All duck eggs should be tested at least twice during incubation, preferably on the seventh and fourteenth days, and the infertile eggs and those with dead germs removed. Dead germs in duck eggs decompose very rapidly and are often detected by their odor and should be removed from the incubator.

Duck eggs, having pure white shells, can be tested as early as the fourth or fifth day and the infertile egg sold to bakers or used in the kitchen.

Ducks are much easier to brood artificially than chickens, but they may also be raised under hens successfully. If raised by the latter method it is advisable to confine the hens and allow the ducklings free range, as the hens are apt to wander too far away with their broods.

DON'T LET THE SOIL CAKE.

Cultivation must be well maintained. All weeds which have sprung up must be removed and kept under. The soil should never be allowed to cake.

POULTRY WEEK IS SET FOR WEEK MAY 2

Demonstrations in Culling, Killing, Picking, Etc., Will Be Held In County That Week.

The week of May 2 will be known as Poultry Week in Wicomico county. During the week Mr. Rickey will be in the county to assist County Agent Cobb in this work. A meeting will be held each afternoon and night during the week. At these meetings talks will be given on the subject of poultry, illustrated with lantern slides.

There will be demonstrations in culling, killing, picking, diagnosing diseases, etc., held each day.

Miss Mullen, the Home Demonstrator, will take the "bird" after Mr. Rickey finishes his part of the work and show the ladies the many different ways it can be cooked, baked, etc. The definite schedule of these meetings has not been completed so that any section desiring some of this work can probably obtain the same by getting in touch with County Agent Cobb.

To Show The Pine Is A Money Crop

Asst. State Forester Cope Gave Demonstration of Thinning Here Last Friday.

Stormy weather prevented a large attendance at the "Wood Lot Thinning" demonstration given on the E. S. Adkins farm last Friday.

Assistant State Forester Cope had charge of the work and marked the trees to be cut. Accurate records will be kept of the labor and returns from this thinning.

A strip has been left which was not thinned to serve as a check.

The trees on both plots will be numbered and diameter taken so as to note the difference in growth between the thinned plot and the one not thinned.

This is the kind of service that the people in the county can secure if they will but apply for it.

Every large manufacturing concern employs experts in the different departments because the head of the concern realizes that no one man can know the intricate details of all departments. Why shouldn't the farmer follow the same system and get what advice and assistance he can secure thus making it somewhat easier for him.

Wicomico County Soils Need Lime

County Agent Cobb Makes 34 Tests And Finds Only Two Soils Not Needing Lime.

County Agent Cobb tested 34 samples of soil last week from farms in this county, and there were only two that did not show the need of lime.

Do not put off having your soil tested as this service is free to any one in the county. To take a sample, dig down about as deep as you plow and mix up three or four shovelfuls of this dirt. Then take a small amount, about half a pint, of this sample and send it to County Agent Cobb. Take as many samples as seems necessary so that the whole field or fields may get a fair test.

If more than one sample of soil is sent in be sure to number them so that a report may be made on the different samples.

It is not necessary to send your soil in at any set time as it can be tested at any time; but do it now if possible.

As soon as the test is made a report will be sent telling you how much lime is needed to correct the acidity in the samples of soil sent.

PURE BRED PIG CLUBS.

Wicomico county was the second county in the state to start this sort of work among the boys but the rest of the counties are fast falling in line.

Cecil county has a boys' club that will raise Hampshires and the stock will probably be secured right here in our own county.

County Agent Cobb is bringing the matter of pure bred pig clubs before the boys in the rural schools as he makes his monthly trip to the schools this week.

CHILD TRAINING AT HOME

This is No. 27 of the fourth series of articles issued by the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West 40th street, New York City. They are appearing weekly in these columns.

DON'T SAY, "STOP THAT!" WITHOUT SAYING, "YOU MAY DO THIS."

By Dorothy Canfield Fisher.

The grandmother who had brought up seven children to vigorous, happy and well-poised maturity dropped in to see her young daughter-in-law. She was greeted by the sound of sobbing and howls from behind the closed door. The young mother explained, her face set hard, "Elsie has been naughty. She is being punished."

The grandmother sank into a chair, praying for wisdom. "I never punished one of mine in any such way in all my life," she advanced mildly, "and they never disobeyed me, either."

"Why, Mother Burton!" cried the young mother incredulously. "That's just impossible. What did you DO when they didn't mind. She WAS so naughty. You see that lovely set of Stevenson? I told her three separate times not to touch it, but she persisted in handling the backs of the books with her sticky little fingers. What else could anybody do but punish her?"

"Well," said the grandmother, "Let's consider this case. I always tried to put myself in the children's place and tried to imagine why it was they WANTED to do what seemed naughty what there was in it that attracted them. Let's look at that Stevenson set. Yes, isn't it a beauty, all red leather and gold lettering? Why, I believe it's the bright coloring that fascinated Elsie. There's nothing wicked in liking pretty, bright things. She'd be a little duncie if she didn't. Why, if that had happened to me, I believe I'd have tried giving her something bright and shiny that she COULD play with."

"No you don't understand Elsie," said the young mother, "that wouldn't work with her. It's stubbornness. You ought to have seen how angry she looked."

"Well, perhaps you got her 'mad' up," suggested the grandmother, gently.

The young mother gave a sceptical, impatient gesture. "You can try it, and see for yourself."

The grandmother went quickly into the kitchen while the mother was unlocking the closet door, and by the time the sobbing, excited child had come out, she was back with an egg-beater and a bowl of soapy water.

Elsie looked blackly at her mother and marched straight toward the forbidden books. "You see," breathed her mother triumphantly.

"Elsie," called the grandmother brightly. "Just see here what I've got. Mother says we may play with it, you and I. See, when you whirl the egg-beater around, how it makes the water all froth up. It's as good as beating eggs. Come over and try it."

The egg-beater's shiny blades shone clearly as they whisked about through the glistening, foaming suds. Elsie was too little to contain more than one idea at a time especially when one of the ideas was such a beautiful one. She ran to the bowl and began to try to turn the beater.

At first Grannie had to hold the deft little fingers caught the trick, and whisk! how the suds foamed up! She beamed as she beat, absorbed, radiant, the little eyes blurred with tears brightening, the little, sullen angry face softening to a smile. "It's lovely!" she pronounced solemnly.

Grannie and Mother began to talk about the weather and a new recipe for cookies! The crisis was past.

When Grannie stood up to go, half an hour later, she remarked casually to Elsie, "Oh, say, dear, Mother just loves those pretty red and gold books down there. And we are afraid that if you touch them, you'll get them dirty. You'll try to remember about that, won't you? You wouldn't like Mother to spoil your things."

Elsie's small mind had gone a long distance since that episode of the books. To her it seemed as though a long time had passed. And she certainly cared nothing about them, now. She nodded, peacefully, her eyes on the shining water. "Oh, I don't care anything about the books," she said, "when I've got THIS."

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SYNOPSIS

PROLOGUE.

In the little town of Gitchepolls small Dan Felling dreams boyish dreams, tinged with melancholy over his supposed physical weakness. There, years later, he meets Destiny.

BOOK I—REPATRIATION.

CHAPTER I—Warned by his physician that he has not more than six months to live, Felling sits dependently on a park bench, wondering where he should spend those six months. A friendly squirrel practically decides the matter for him. His blood is pioneer blood, and he decides to end his days in the forests of Oregon. Memories of his grandfather and a deep love for all things of the wild help him in reaching a decision.

CHAPTER II—In a large southern Oregon city he meets people who had known and loved his grandfather, a famous frontiersman. He makes his home with Silas Lennox, a typical westerner. The only other members of the household are Lennox's son, "Bill," and daughter, "Snowbird." Their abode is many miles from civilization, in the Umpqua divide, and there Felling plans to live out the short span of life which he has been told is his. His extreme weakness in the face of even a slight exertion convinces him that the doctor had made a correct diagnosis of his case.

CHAPTER III—From the first Felling's health shows a marked improvement, and in the companionship of Lennox and his son and daughter he finds life in the woods as if he had been born to it. By quick thinking and a remarkable display of "nerve" he saves Lennox's life and his own when they are attacked by a mad coyote. Lennox declares he is a reincarnation of his grandfather, Dan Felling I, whose fame as a woodsman is a household word.

BOOK TWO—THE DEBT.

CHAPTER I—Dan, now thoroughly confident in wood lore, leaves for Lennox that an organized band of outlaws, of which Bert Cranston is the leader, is making trouble in the vicinity. Landry Hildreth, a former member of the band, has been induced to turn state's evidence. On his way to the city Hildreth is waylaid by Cranston, shot, and left for dead. Cranston, however, overpowered by the sudden violence of his hunting-madness, he had tasted this blood once, and it could never be forgotten. The flame leaped in his eyes. And then he began the stalk.

A cougar, trying to creep silently on its game, does not move quickly. It simply steals, as a serpent steals through the grass. Whisperfoot stalked for a period of five minutes, to learn that the prey was farther away from him at every step.

He trotted forward until he came close, and again he stalked. Again he found, after a few minutes of silent creeping through the thickets, that he had lost distance. Evidently this game did not feed slowly, like the deer. It was to be a chase, then. Again he trotted within one hundred feet of the girl.

Three times more he tried to stalk before he finally gave it up altogether. This game was like the porcupine—simply to be chased down and taken. And in the case of all animals that hunt their game by overtaking it, there was no longer any occasion for going silently. The thing to do was to come close and spring from the trail behind.

Though the fear was mostly gone, the cougar retained enough of that caution that most wild animals exercise when hunting a new game so that he didn't attempt to strike Snowbird down at once. But as the chase went on, his passion grew upon him. Ever he crept nearer, and at last he sprang full into the thickets beside her.

At that instant she had shot for the first time, because the light had left his eyes before she could draw aim, both shots had been clean misses. And terrible as the reports were, she was too engrossed in the chase to be frightened away by mere sound. This was the cry the mumpack always made—these sudden, startling sounds in the silence. But he felt no pain. He crouched a moment, shivering. Then he lunged on again.

The third shot was a miss too! In fact, there had been no chance for a hit. A sound in the darkness is as unreliable a target as can possibly be imagined. And it didn't frighten him as much as the others. He waited, crouching, and the girl started on.

She was making other sounds now—queer, whimpering sounds not greatly different from the bleat that the fawn utters when it dies. It was a fear-sound, and if there is one emotion with which the wild beast is acquainted, in all its phases, it is fear. She was afraid of him, then, and that meant he need no longer be in the least afraid of her. His skin began to twitch all over with that terrible madness and passion of the flesh hunters.

This game was like the deer, and the thing to do was to lie in wait. There was only one trail. He wasn't afraid of losing her in the darkness. She was neither fleet like the deer nor courageous like Wolf the bear. He had only to wait and leap from the darkness when she passed.

When Dan Felling, riding like mad over the mountain trail, heard the third shot from Snowbird's pistol, he felt that one of the debts he owed had come due at last. He seemed to know, as the darkness crept ground him,



She Shot Twice.

himself with a nod. But two shells remained in her pistol, and they must be saved for the test.

Whisperfoot the cougar, remembering the lessons of his youth, turned from the trail when he had first heard Snowbird's step. He had crouched and let her pass. She was walking into the wind; and as she was at the closest point a message had blown back to him.

The hair went straight on his shoulders and along his spine. His blood, running cold an instant before from fear, made a great leap in his veins. A picture came in his dark mind: the chase for a deer when the moon had set, the stir of a living thing that broke twigs in the thickets, and the leap he had made. There had been blood, that night—the wildness and the madness and the exultation of the kill. Of course there had been terror first, but the terror had soon departed and left something very warm and still in the thickets. It was the same game that walked his trail in front—game that died easily and yet, in a vague way he did not understand, the noblest game of all. It was living flesh, to tear with talon and fang.

All his training, all the instincts imparted to him by a thousand generations of cougars who knew this greatest fear, were simply obliterated by the sudden violence of his hunting-madness. He had tasted this blood once, and it could never be forgotten. The flame leaped in his eyes. And then he began the stalk.

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She was making other sounds now—queer, whimpering sounds not greatly different from the bleat that the fawn utters when it dies. It was a fear-sound, and if there is one emotion with which the wild beast is acquainted, in all its phases, it is fear. She was afraid of him, then, and that meant he need no longer be in the least afraid of her. His skin began to twitch all over with that terrible madness and passion of the flesh hunters.

This game was like the deer, and the thing to do was to lie in wait. There was only one trail. He wasn't afraid of losing her in the darkness. She was neither fleet like the deer nor courageous like Wolf the bear. He had only to wait and leap from the darkness when she passed.

When Dan Felling, riding like mad over the mountain trail, heard the third shot from Snowbird's pistol, he felt that one of the debts he owed had come due at last. He seemed to know, as the darkness crept ground him,

that he was to be tried in the fire. And the horse staggered beneath him as he tried to hasten.

He showed no mercy to his mount. Horse-flesh isn't made for carrying a heavy man over such a trail as this, and she was red-nosed and lathered before half a mile had been covered. He made her leap up the rocks, and on fairly level stretches he lashed the reins and lashed her into a gallop. Only a mountain horse could have stood the test. He gave no thought to his own safety. His courage was at the test, and no risk of his own life must interfere with his attempt to save Snowbird from the danger that threatened her. He didn't know when the horse would fall with him and precipitate him down a precipice, and he was perfectly aware that to crash into a low-hanging limb of one of the great trees beside the trail would probably crush his skull. But he took the chance. And before the ride was done he found himself pleading with the horse, even as he lashed her sides with his whip.

The lesser forest creatures sprang from his trail; and once the mare leaped high to miss a dark shadow that crossed in front. As she caught her stride, Dan heard a squeal and a rattle of quills that identified the creature as a porcupine.

By now he had passed the first of the worst grades, coming out upon a long, easy slope of open forest. Again he urged his horse, leaving to her keen senses alone the choosing of the path between the great tree trunks.

Then he heard Snowbird fling for the fourth time; and he knew that he had almost overdone her. The report seemed to smother the air. And he lashed his horse into the fastest run she knew—a wild, sobbing figure in the darkness.

"She's only got one shot more," he said. He knew how many bullets her pistol carried; and the danger—what ever it was—must be just at hand. Undershot cracked beneath him. And then the horse drew up with a jerk that almost hurled him from the saddle.

He lashed at her in vain. She was not afraid in the darkness and the rocks of the trail, but some Terror in the woods in front had in an instant broken his control over her. She reared, snorting; then danced in an impotent circle. Meanwhile, precious seconds were fleeing.

He understood now. The horse stood still, shivering beneath him, but would not advance a step. The silence deepened. Somewhere in the darkness before him a great cougar was waiting by the trail, and Snowbird, hoping for the moment that it had given up the chase, was staring through the shadows squarely into its ambush.

Whisperfoot crouched lower; and again his long serpent of a tail began the little vertical motion that always precedes his leap. He had not forgotten the wild rapture of that moment he had inadvertently sprung on Landy Hildreth—or how, after his terror had died, he had come creeping back. He hunted his own way, waiting on the trail; and his madness was at its height. It was not just Whisperfoot the coward, that runs at the shadow of a tail form in the thickets. The consummation was complete, and that single experience of a month before had made of him a hunter of men. His muscles set for the leap.

So intent was he that his keen senses didn't detect the fact that there was a curious echo to the girl's footsteps. Dan Felling had slipped down from his terrified horse and was running up the trail behind her, praying that he could be in time.

Snowbird heard the pat, pat of feet; but at first she did not dare to hope that aid had come to her. She had thought of Dan as on the far-away marshes; and her father, the only other living occupant of this part of the Umpqua divide, even now he lay dead in his house. In her terror, she had lost all power of interpretation of events. The sound might be the cougar's note, or even the wolf pack, jealous of his game. Sobbing, she hurried on into Whisperfoot's ambush.

Then she heard a voice, and it seemed to be calling to her. "Snowbird!—I'm coming, Snowbird," a man's strong voice was shouting. She whirled with a sob of thankfulness.

At that instant the cougar sprang. Terrified though she was, Snowbird's reflexes had kept sure and true. Even as the great cat leaped, a long, little shadow out of the shadow, her finger pushed back against the trigger of her pistol. She had been carrying her gun in front of her, and she fired it, this last time, with no conscious effort. It was just a last instinctive effort to defend herself.

One other element affected the issue. She had whirled to answer Dan's cry just as the cougar left the ground. But she had still been in range. The only effect was to lessen, in some degree, the accuracy of the spring. The bullet caught the beast in mid-air; but even if it had reached his heart, the momentum of the attack was too great to be completely overcome. Snowbird only knew that some vast, ruthless power had struck her, and that the darkness seemed to roar and explode about her.

Hurled to her face in the trail, she did not see the cougar sprawl on the earth beside her. The flame in the lantern almost flicked out as it fell from her hand, then flashed up and down, from the deepest gloom to a vivid glare with something of the effect of lightning flickering in the sky. Now did she hear the first frenzied cry of the wounded animal.

Kindly unconsciousness had fallen, obscuring this and also the sight of the great cat, in the agony of its wound, creeping with broken shoulder and bared claws across the pine needles toward her defenseless body.

But the terrible fangs were never

to know her white flesh. Some one had come between. There was no chance to shoot: Whisperfoot and the girl were too near together for that. But one course remained; and there was not even time to count the cost. In this most terrible moment of Dan Felling's life, there was not even an instant's hesitation. He did not know that Whisperfoot was wounded. He saw the beast creeping forward in the weird dancing light of the fallen lantern, and he only knew that his flesh, not hers, must resist its rending talons. Nothing else mattered. No other consideration could come between.

It was the test; and Dan's instincts prompted coolly and well. He leaped with all his strength. The cougar bounded into his arms, not upon the prone body of the girl. And she opened her eyes to hear a curious thrash-



A Strange, Grim Battle.

ing in the pine needles, a strange grim battle that, as the lantern flashed out, was hidden in the darkness.

And that battle, in the far reaches of the Divide, passed into a legend. It was the tale of how Dan Felling, his gun knocked from his hands as he met the cougar's leap, with his own unaided arms kept the life-giving breath from the animal's lungs and killed him in the pine needles. Claw and fang and the frenzy of death could not matter at all.

Thus Felling established before all men his right to the name he bore. And thus he paid one of his debts—life for a life, as the code of the forest has always decreed—and in the fire of danger and pain his metal was tried and proven.

BOOK THREE

The Payment.

CHAPTER I.

The Lennox home, in the wilderness of the Umpqua Divide, looked rather like an emergency hospital for the first few days after Dan's fight with Whisperfoot. Its odd sounds of laughter and talk were at once entirely lacking. Two injured men and a girl recovering.

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Jamaica Takes Up Rope Making.

Kingston, Jamaica.—The manufacture of fibre from sisal hemp is proceeding. Factories are being erected with big importations of machinery for rope making. The fibre produced is said to be as good as any produced in any part of the world.

"Bootlegger" Makes \$60,000,000.

Buffalo.—Charges that a nationwide bootleggers' ring is dominated by a Cincinnati man who has made \$60,000,000 since the prohibition amendment went into effect, were made in Federal Court by John F. Walsh, Assistant United States Attorney. Mr. Walsh said that he believed that sufficient evidence had been disclosed here to indict the Cincinnati man, but the crimes were committed in Cincinnati and Kentucky.

Trains Fail To Stop; He Sues.

Scranton, Pa.—Attorney M. L. Barrett brought suit for \$2,000 damages against the Laurel Line Company alleging that on October 18 several trains on the company's line failed to stop for him at the Virginia station, making it necessary for him to walk six miles to his home here.

Buys 300,000 Sacks Coffee.

Rio Janeiro.—More than 300,000 sacks of coffee have been purchased in this city and at Santos by the Government since March 30, says the Correio de Manha. The newspaper declares the Government is thus carrying out its announced intention to intervene in the market for the purpose of raising the price of Brazil's leading product and improving foreign exchange.

Jap Steamer Afloat "Dry" Law.

Jacksonville, Fla.—The Japanese steamship Erio Maru has been seized here by the United States marshal under the prohibition enforcement act. The action followed seizure aboard the ship of twelve cases of liquor not recorded on the manifest. The vessel is of 3,400 tons, built eighteen months ago at a cost of \$1,500,000.

Oppose Women As Elders.

Altoona, Pa.—A proposition to admit women to election as deacons or elders in the Presbyterian church same as men was voted down at a meeting of the Huntingdon presbytery on the ground that the time for such action was not yet ripe.

Old Ex-Congressman House Reporter.

Washington.—One of the new reporters in the House press gallery last week was former Representative Sherwood, Republican, of Ohio, who at the age of 85 began to watch congressional proceedings for a Toledo newspaper. After serving seven terms General Sherwood, who is also a veteran of the Civil War, retired from office March 4. During the last session he was the oldest member of the House.

Woman To Teach Japs.

Shelby, Ky.—Mrs. Sue T. Henning, of Shelbyville, Ky., known all over the country as one of the leading livestock women in the United States, is going to Japan at the invitation of the Japanese emperor. The Nipponese believe that by drinking more milk the race will become stronger, and they want Mrs. Henning to teach them how to produce the best Jersey cattle in the world.

Santa Fe R. R. Cuts Wages.

Chicago.—Notices of a reduction of 20 per cent in the pay of all subordinate officials and employees other than common labor of the Santa Fe Railroad system have been sent out. The proposed reductions would be effective May 12, and meanwhile the road asked conference with all classes of employees, these gatherings to be held between April 25 and May 7 at Topeka, Kan.

Chicks En Route Denied Food.

Washington.—Passenger service maintained by the postoffice for "day-old-chicks" does not include dining car accommodations. Instructions to postal employees in a recent bulletin include the following: "Do not give food or water to the chicks while in transit." It also was required that the chicks be "kept right side up" and that they be protected while on their travels from "cold winds, hot sun, hot pipes, stoves or radiators."

Harding To Give Away Radium.

Washington.—At the request of Vice President Coolidge, the President and Mrs. Harding agreed to present to Mme. Marie Curie, the Polish scientist, who is to visit this country next month, \$100,000 worth of radium purchased by popular subscription of American women for her use in research work along curative lines. The presentation will take place at the White House on May 20. Mme. Curie, who discovered radium in 1898, is coming to America primarily to investigate pitchblende deposits in Colorado, Utah, Pennsylvania and other States.

On Trail of Fake Stocks.

Cambridge, Md.—State's Attorney A. Stengle Marine has published an announcement that in accordance with the suggestion of Attorney-General Armstrong he has constituted himself an ex-officio member of the Blue Sky Committee, Inc. He invites any one in Dorchester who has been defrauded in the purchase of securities to confer with him. During the past 20 years the people of Dorchester have invested heavily in worthless stocks, it is said.

Bars Letters "T. R." on Poles.

Toronto.—Permission to paint "T. R." on poles along the provincial highway, proposed link in the Theodore Roosevelt highway from Portland, Me., to Portland, Ore., has been refused by F. C. Biggs, Ontario Minister of Public Works. The Canadian division of the Theodore Roosevelt Highway Association will repeat the request, however, it was announced.

Would Save "Gentleman" Thief.

Baltimore.—A "gentleman burglar," who stole \$1,000 in jewelry from the home of George F. Heubeck, so impressed Mrs. Heubeck with the possibilities of his character that she notified the police that she did not want him taken to jail if he were caught. "I feel sure he was a perfect gentleman, and I feel sorry that he should fall into such temptation," she said. "I am sure he is capable of more honorable employment."

These Women Keep Secrets.

London.—Conservative Scotland Yard is finding women of decided value on its detective force. The talent of these feminine sleuths, it is said, is due largely because of their greater success at practicing deception. And it has been found that they can keep a secret. Many women detectives cover assignments at social events, where it is necessary for them to wear evening gowns and jewels and to display social graces.

Must Abide By White Award.

Washington.—It was indicated at the State Department that the American Government is disposed to insist upon its original position that Panama settle its boundary dispute with Costa Rica on the basis of the White award, despite the protest contained in Panama's reply, received recently to Secretary Hughes' note of last month. Department officials declined to forecast what steps would be taken in an effort to overcome the present impasse.

Many Indians Attending School.

Oklahoma City.—Seven hundred and forty-two Osage Indian children are attending school, the report of the school survey of the tribe's children showed. The summary showed that 11 are in Indian schools, 566 in public schools and 134 in private schools. There are fifty-five public schools in or adjoining Osage county that send monthly reports of the attendance of Osage children to the agency at Pawhuska.

Seize Four For Mail Frauds.

Washington.—Arrests were made here of Albert E. and Frank H. Hitchcock, brothers, following notification from Los Angeles of the arrest there of a third brother, Horace D. Hitchcock, and his wife. The four are alleged to have used the mails in soliciting subscriptions to half a dozen periodicals which, it was said, had never been published, and for other fraudulent purposes. Enterprises alleged to have been operated by them include the "Argus Magazine" of Philadelphia and Washington, the "Feature Magazine" of Chicago, and the "American Story Magazine" of Baltimore and Washington.

Charles' Visit Causes Rumpus.

Budaapest.—Gustave Gratz, minister of foreign affairs, is the only member of the Hungarian cabinet to resign as a result of the visit of former Emperor Charles of Hungary. There is noticeable irritation reported in Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Jugoslavia. There are indications they are preparing for joint action that will lay the ghost of the restoration of the Hapsburgs.

Jefferson's Birthday Observed.

Charlottesville, Va.—The 178th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson was observed last Wednesday at the University of Virginia, of which he was the founder. Brief exercises were held at the mountainside grave at Monticello, while a wreath was placed there by Frank M. Randolph, a descendant of the writer of the declaration of independence. Messages were read from many notables, including former President Taft and Vice President Coolidge.

Pretty Tough on the "Vamps."

Charleston, W. Va.—An "Anti-Vamping bill" has been introduced to the State Legislature by State Legislator by Senator Harvey W. Har-

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I have seen him in the loafing-places, silent even there. Conversations roared around him, but he didn't hear or care. Once the noisiest of the party ere we sent him overseas. He is smileless through the laughter at the strained bromide wheeze. He has learned, somehow or somewhere, what is sense and what is rot. Though the subtle whys and wherefores for it, interest him not.

When the windy long-bow drawer sings his wild, bombastic strain, He will sit and never mention that it's not as right as rain. He has learned an endless patience and a charity that we Cannot gain or understand because, the other side the sea, He was face to face with something—he will never give it name. Only those who saw and felt it can expect to feel the same.

Yet I know, as I observe him, he is far above my reach. I would give my hope of heaven could the A. E. F. man teach To us others—and would do so—what that something was, he learned Where by day the landscape shuddered and at night the star-shells burned. More I know: That if a threat comes to destroy the rightful things, He will rise again and save us from the tyranny of kings.

THE MAN-ABOUT-TOWN.

Scraps He Picks Up Here, There And Everywhere.

R. D. Grier & Sons Co. have just completed improvements to their office which are very noticeable. Suffering from a lack of room on the first floor, the Grier boys conceived the idea of removing the office to the second floor and fitting it up in an up-to-date manner. This has been done, and the space on the first floor formerly occupied as an office has been fitted up as a display room, where all kinds of mill supplies are exhibited. The arrangement is very attractive and shows a spirit of progress that is commendable in the Grier boys.

The rapid changes in the weather in this vicinity has set people to thinking about sudden changes which have happened in former years. Perhaps there are but few persons who recall the snow of April 12th, 1915, at which time, according to some of our local historians, there was snow fall enough for the sleighs to be out. This has been such a remarkable winter and spring, remarkable in the sense that the weather has been unusually warm, that many persons seem to have altogether forgotten that there ever has been in the past such a thing as cold, wintry rough weather even up so late as May. Reference to the weather reports will disclose the fact that only a few years ago fires were necessary in the home almost until the last of May and that there was a heavy frost around the middle of the month.

North Division street will this year be improved, I understand, by the erection of a handsome brick residence for Dr. E. W. Smith and family. This residence will be built on the lot formerly occupied by the rectory of St. Peter's P. E. Church, and is one of the prettiest sites in that section of our city. Architect Sisco, of Baltimore, has prepared the plans. He was in Salisbury last Friday with the drawings for the approval of the Dr. Smith and family. Mr. Sisco prepared plans for some of the handsomest buildings in Salisbury, including the Peninsula General Hospital, the Nurses' Home, the residence of the late Irving S. Powell and other buildings.

It is very generally recalled that most of the burglaries committed in

Salisbury recently have been in stores where fire arms were kept, and that the theft of guns and pistols has been the heaviest. The stores of L. W. Gunby Co. and T. Hyrd Lankford & Co. have each been robbed twice, the most valuable things taken being pistols, rifles and guns; and now comes the store of Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co., where hundreds of dollars' worth of guns, rifles and pistols were taken away. A good many people are wondering where there is such a penchant for "shooting irons" among the robbers. It begins to look, from the frequency of these burglaries that it would be the part of wisdom for our merchants to protect themselves from loss to carry a good line of burglary insurance.

Although industries, young and old, are finding it difficult to do any financing on a satisfactory basis, it speaks well for Maryland and Maryland municipalities that they have found a public market for their bonds to the extent of something like 3,500,000 since January 1. These bonds have been disposed of on a basis ranging something above 5 per cent, but they have been disposed of and are not, like many corporate issues, hanging fire in the hands of syndicates. Exclusive of the \$2,000,000 State issue, municipal bonds aggregating about \$1,500,000 have been sold in the last three months, as against \$600,000 sold in the same period last year. They have been for county schools, road and general improvements and have found a ready market with trustees and private investors. Largely instrumental in the disposal of this million and a half has been the syndicate composed of Baker, Watts & Co., Nelson Cook & Co. and Townsend Scott & Son, which has handled more than a third of the total. Within the last 10 days about \$150,000 of county bonds have been taken by this syndicate. These were \$60,000 of Wicomico county, \$50,000 of Caroline and \$41,775 of Montgomery county, and it augurs well for the credit of Maryland counties that all of these have been distributed to investors on a basis ranging from 5 1/4 to 5 1/10 per cent. The Wicomico and Montgomery bonds are 5 1/4 per cent, and the Caroline bonds were 5 per cent.

MAN ABOUT TOWN.

ANOTHER ESSAY CONTEST THIS YEAR

All High School Pupils in U. S. Eligible—Winner To Receive University Scholarship.

In the presence of members of the Highway and Highway Transport Education Committee and H. S. Firestone, the donor, President Warren C. Harding presented Miss Katharine F. Butterfield, Weiser, Idaho, winner of last year's national essay contest, with a certificate entitling her to a university scholarship during exercises on the White House lawn.

Miss Butterfield who won last year's prize in competition with 225,000 high school pupils, came from a celebrated Eastern school where she is enjoying the benefits of the scholarship, to attend the exercises here. President Harding presented the certificate to her at the request of the committee, of which Mr. Firestone is a member.

The ceremonies were made the occasion of an announcement that a renewal of the essay contest will be held this year under the auspices of the Highway Transport Committee. Mr. Firestone offers a four year scholarship, including expenses, to the high school student writing the best essay on a subject pertaining to good roads.

Rules of the contest, which last year was conducted by the Ship by Truck Bureau, which Mr. Firestone founded, will be virtually the same as in 1920. All high school pupils are eligible to compete, essays must be not more than 500 words in length and must be in the hands of the local committees not later than May 31.

Aid of superintendents of instruction will be enlisted in the conduct of the contest. While no other major prizes have been announced, local and state prizes are expected.

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State Game Warden Compelled To Close Applications For Chinese Pheasant Eggs.

The State Game Department has received so many applications for Chinese Ring-Necked Pheasant Eggs, which it has been supplying free to persons agreeing to hatch and rear the young birds until they become old enough to care for themselves, that it will be impossible to accept additional orders this season. This announcement was made in a letter to The News from Mr. E. Lee LeCompte, State Game Warden, who further stated that the department has on file 8,000 orders for eggs, which is more than can be shipped this season, as

the brokers furnishing same have accepted orders for only 8,000.

Mr. LeCompte says that the department also is issuing a booklet entitled "Pheasant Culture," which contains instructions regarding the hatching and rearing of the young birds, and advises that if persons receiving the eggs will follow the instructions contained in the booklet they undoubtedly will be very successful in raising the birds.

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Girl's 57 Pennies Started Fund For Sunday School

(This is the eighth of a series of articles written by Mr. Towne recently for the Philadelphia North American.—Editor's Note.)

By ROBERT D. TOWNE.

This is the story of a great Sunday School and how 57 cents helped to build it.

It is the story of a little girl and how she crowded into that 57 cents thousand-dollar potentialities of incentive and sacrifice.

And it is the story of a man who had the knack of inspiring in little children, and in their fathers and mothers and brothers and sisters, those mysterious quickenings of enthusiasm and faith upon which the solid structures of democracy and Christian civilization are built.

These are but several strands of the story which kept running through my mind last Sunday afternoon as I sat in the Sunday School of "Conwell's" Baptist Temple and took part in the bright and joyous service which is a regular Sunday afternoon feature of that splendid educational institution.

The story of Hattie Wiatt has been published many times. It is told again in the recent biography of Doctor Conwell by Agnes Rush Burr. And it will go on being told because it is a classic.

Hattie was 6 years old. One Sunday afternoon her mother got her ready and sent her round the corner to Doctor Conwell's Sunday School. The school was then held in the old church at Berks and Marine streets. Hattie was stopped at the door and told she could not go in, because the church was already crowded.

Left "Estate" To Doctor Conwell.

The child took the disappointment to heart and cried on her way home and cried more after she got there, and then the incident was forgotten.

Some weeks later little Hattie was taken ill. The doctor shook his head dolefully, when he examined her. Then Hattie with her failing breath told her mother she had saved some money to buy Doctor Conwell a new church, so that there would be room enough for all the children who wanted to go to Sunday School.

When little Hattie's body had been laid away in the church yard, Hattie's mother looked up the small red purse in which the child had been saving money to build the new church. There were fifty-seven pennies. The mother took the purse to Doctor Conwell. And, of course, Doctor Conwell took it before the congregation and told the story.

And that settled the question of a new church. There had been debate about it for a long time. But the congregation was poor and new churches were expensive. Within a short time Hattie Wiatt's 57 cents became the down payment on the lot at Broad and Berks streets, where the great Temple Church now stands.

And Hattie Wiatt's example was the inspiration which led that congregation to go on and do what had seemed impossible. Everybody went to saving pennies. Walking clubs were formed of those who agreed to walk to and from work and save the carfare for the Temple. Girls and boys heard how Hattie had saved and, with tears in their eyes, resolved to do likewise.

Thirty and more years have run away since that day, but there are thousands of people still in the Temple congregation who remember with throbbing hearts those brave days of planning and saving and struggle to build the great church.

Sees Happiness, Good Cheer.

And as this story drifted through my mind my eyes traveled about the Temple school. I saw the thousands of people, young and old scattered about in the beautiful auditorium. I heard the full-volumed songs that were sung. I saw the happiness and good cheer that radiated throughout the place. I heard the glorious sounds from the great organ that, now loud and now soft, played upon the throng.

And suddenly this thought struck me: This is one of the great factories of Philadelphia, one of the foremost of this city's splendid industries!

Here was a \$1,000,000 plant, built like any other solid, substantial manufacturing plant; only this was beautiful, where our other factories are generally as ugly as the law will allow them to be.

There was no blast furnace, but there was a big organ sucking up the atmosphere into its pipes and pouring them forth in raptures of elevating "songs without words." And here was General Superintendent Cresce as busy as any shop superintendent in the rush of filling orders; and all around him a small army of foremen and foreladies at the head of their crews, altogether numbering 1,400 "hands."

And this busy manufacturing plant was running at full steam and obviously turning out goods at a great rate.

And then the inevitable interrogatory struck me right in the middle of

the forehead—if that is where interrogations land on one. "What are they producing in this plant? What is its main output? What does a Sunday School factory manufacture?"

Dr. Conwell Eager To Serve.

Just then Doctor Conwell walked in and sat down beside me. Seventy-nine years young, the doctor is good to look at. His face is ruddy and wholesome. His hair is black and shiny, and his eye is undimmed. I saw him reading the hymn without glasses.

And here was the proprietor, so to speak, of this big manufacturing plant. Only, this factory runs on pure democratic principles and the proprietor is glad to be known as the one who serves.

Well, my thoughts traveled back and forth pretty rapidly from the big, quiet man at my side to the big church and Sunday School, and then to the buildings alongside that house, the Temple College, where more than 100,000 young men and women have got their start in life.

And suddenly I recalled the exquisite tribute which had once been paid to Doctor Conwell as "the penniless millionaire." Then I thought of another who had said that Doctor Conwell had been working all his life at salesmanship—"selling visions to the American people."

I thought of that "Acres of Diamonds" lecture which has been shaken like an alluring magic of inspiration and quickening before 6000 audiences in all parts of the world and which has stiffened up more backbones, kindled more ambitions, put to rout more glooms that ambush courage, and laid the invisible foundations for more successes than any other single utterance in the English language, and I said to myself, "Some salesman."

Factory Turning Out Visions.

So then here was the plant, the workmen and working women, the stock and equipment, the superintendent and foremen; and here was the head of the firm. And this great factory has been turning out visions and then selling them to the people. And this further thought then flashed through me with some heat of resentment that millions of American folk can put a correct valuation upon pig iron and pigs, upon pork and packing boxes, upon all the material wares and goods which are the output of our other factories, while they have pretended to feel no interest in a great Sunday School plant like this in which a far more substantial line of goods is produced.

Indeed, what were all our other manufacturers but for all these invisible goods? In the noisy shop down in the factory district the material output is called "goods;" and they are examined and tested to make sure they are good. In this Sunday School factory the aim and goal is to make good men and women to begin while they are raw material of childhood and youth, so that the product in age shall be tolerably assured and not left to chance. And in the last analysis the only recipe for making good goods is to have them made by good, dependable human beings.

Some mathematical-minded writer once tried to figure out the dollars and cents value of Doctor Conwell's "visions," and he reached the conclusion that they amounted to an annual turnover of \$250,000, or a total of \$12,500,000 in fifty years of operation.

Helps "Down and Outs."

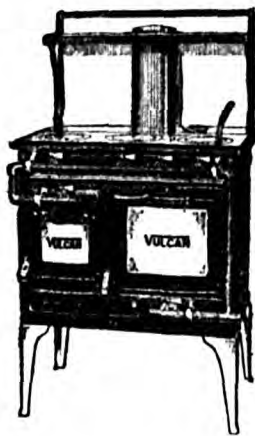
But this was only a sort of first, or raw material valuation, the writer explained. He cited the case of a man who was down and out and went to the Temple Sunday School. He was there made over as to those elemental assets which it is the business of the Conwell factory to turn out; and then he went forth and within a few years was a foremost citizen and worth \$200,000.

Then followed a long list of individual regenerative cases, where men and women and children had been made over as truly as a worn-out machine is transformed in one of these miracle-working repair shops. And this statistical sharp estimated that the Conwell church and the Conwell Sunday School and Temple College and the "Acres of Diamonds" lecture, which he called the standard production of the Conwell plant, from a first, or face value of \$12,500,000, mounted by a geometrical ratio into a sum which no material arithmetic could state.

For the output of a Sunday School is all of the invisible goods which count in the character, the desires and ambitions, the purposes and aspirations of the souls of the people. And if these were put into terms of dollars and cents and homes and desires and see the material goods people strive for, it would be found that they include all of the wealth of the world—for without them civilization itself could not be.

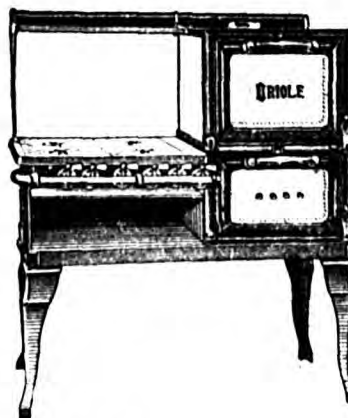
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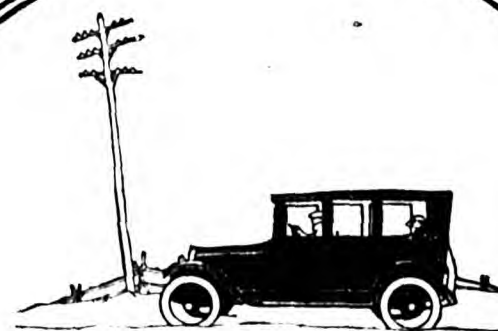
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NATIONAL AGREEMENTS ABROGATED

Labor Board Hands Down Decision Thursday Of Far-Reaching Effect.

ENDING IS SET FOR JULY FIRST

Railroad Officials and Employees Are To Confer At Earliest Possible Moment In Effort To Decide On New Rules and Working Conditions—Both Sides See Victories.

Abrogation of the national agreements, defining the working conditions on all railroads of the country formerly under Federal control was ordered by the Railroad Labor Board in a decision issued on Thursday.

The order of abrogation is effective July 1 and in the meantime the "officers and system organizations of employers of each carrier parties hereto" are called upon by the board "to confer and decide so much of this dispute relating to rules and working conditions as it may be possible for them to decide."

"Such conferences," the decision continues, "shall begin at the earliest possible date. Such conferences will keep the board informed of final agreements and disagreements to the end that the board may know prior to July 1, 1921, what portion of the dispute has been decided."

"The board reserves the right to terminate its direction of decision No. 2 at an earlier date than July 1 with regard to any class of employees of any carrier if it shall have reason to believe that such class of employees is unduly delaying the progress of negotiations."

"The board also reserves the right to stay the termination of its direction to a date beyond July 1, 1921, if it shall have reason to believe any carrier is unduly delaying the progress of the negotiations."

These two reservations by the board were generally construed as a warning to both sides. If the carriers seem to be obstructing successful negotiations, the penalty is continuance of the national agreement to which they object; if the employees are the offenders, the penalty will be to hasten the abrogation of the agreements.

The decision, so members of the Labor Board indicated, meant that disputes about rules and working conditions were automatically referred back to conferences between each road and its employees. This plan was urged by the railroads, while the labor leaders favored a national conference between representatives of all roads and all unions.

As a foundation for the rules to be discussed in conference by executives of employees a draft of sixteen principles was issued by the board in connection with its decision.

This set of principles deal first with the obligation of both carriers and employees to render adequate service at economical cost and invokes a spirit of cooperation to this end.

Next, the right of railway managers to preserve discipline by proper rules and the right of employees to organize are upheld. The principles set forth the right of union men to obtain the same consideration from employers as non-union men get; on the other hand, they deny the policy of some unions in forcing workers to join.

Other points are that employees should have proper notice of any decision affecting them adversely as to working conditions or wages; that no employee should be disciplined without a fair hearing and that he should be reinstated if the decision of such hearing was in his favor.

The board approves the principle of the eight hour day, but believes it should be limited to work requiring practically continuous application during eight hours. Eight hours' work for eight hours pay is enjoined. The right of seniority is upheld as well as the right of employees to negotiate through representatives of their own choosing. Espionage on both sides is condemned.

Some of these basic declarations were regarded by the labor leaders as distinct victories for them. On the other hand, the railway executives saw in some of the principles enunciated an upholding of their contentions.

The decision of the Labor Board came with some unexpectedness in the midst of a long struggle over the existing rules.

MONTHLY MEETING PARENT-TEACHERS ASSO.

Delaware High School Parents and Teachers Enjoy Monthly Event Thursday Evening.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Delaware High School held its monthly meeting on Thursday evening. Miss Mildred Calloway, who recently took second place in the county oratorical contest, by request, repeated the recitation, "Emmett's Reply." Miss Mary Francis rendered a piano solo. Then followed a debate on the proposition, "That all young men between the ages of 18 and 21 should take military training for at least nine months," those participating on the affirmative were: Samuel Phillips, Paul Kenney, Louise Marville; negative, Edgar Phillips, Mary Francis, Nettie Tomlinson. Acting as judges were Rev. F. N. Faulkner, Principal C. H. Cordrey, of the Maryland High School, and S. K. Slemmons, who rendered a decision that the negative side won the contest.

Mrs. J. Milton Cleary and Mrs. Oscar Brewington were chosen as delegates to the National Parent-Teachers' Association and Mothers' Congress to be held in Washington, D. C. April 26-29.

P. R. R. 75 YEARS OLD WEDNESDAY

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Railroad Officials Figure in Long Existence of Lines—It Has Carried One Passenger the Equivalent of 115 Billions of Miles and One Ton of Freight Equivalent of 950 Miles.

At noon on Wednesday, April 13, every locomotive and shop whistle on the entire Pennsylvania Railroad System blew continuously for 30 seconds to signalize the 75th birthday of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The company was chartered three-quarters of a century ago by an act of the legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

American flags were displayed throughout the day from all stations, shops and buildings of the railroad on its entire system.

Orders covering the observance in this manner of the 75th anniversary of the company's chartering had been issued by President Samuel Rea in the following letter to General W. W. Atterbury, vice president, in charge of operation:

"Please instruct all of the officers to arrange that on all stations and shops and buildings of the Pennsylvania Railroad the American flag shall be raised all day Wednesday, April 13, the 75th anniversary of the chartering of the Pennsylvania Railroad. It is also requested that instructions shall be given that at the hour of noon Wednesday all locomotives and shop whistles along the entire railroad wherever situated at the moment will in honor of this very important event blow continuously for 30 seconds."

The accounting department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has estimated that in its 75 years of existence the Pennsylvania System has rendered public service equivalent to the carrying of one ton of freight 550 billions of miles, and one passenger 115 billions of miles, a total of more than 1000 billions of traffic units of railroad service.

This means that the Pennsylvania Railroad has carried one ton of freight the equivalent of 4,000,000 times around the world, and has carried one passenger the equivalent of 38 million times around the world in its 75 years of existence.

WOULD BUILD TWO NEW DELAWARE POSTOFFICES

Representative Caleb R. Layton, of Georgetown, has introduced in the House at Washington, two bills which provide for an appropriation of \$40,000 each for postoffice buildings at Georgetown and Newark, Del.

Representative Layton introduced these bills at a former session of Congress, but was unable to get favorable action.

SUSSEX TO HAVE MODEL SCHOOLS

Delaware School Auxiliary Decides To Go Ahead With Building.

TO BUILD MORE COLORED SCHOOLS

Regardless of the New School Law the Auxiliary Has Decided To Go Ahead With Its School Building Program—Many New Colored Schools To Be Built in County.

Under the plans made by the Delaware School Auxiliary, which has the administration of the \$2,500,000 funds given by P. S. duPont for advancement of education in Delaware, the towns of Laurel and Lewes, in Sussex county, are in a fair way to become model schools as concerns school equipment for the entire county.

This prediction came out recently as a result of the meeting held by the Auxiliary Association.

Regardless of the new school law providing for the State Board of Education by July 1, and elimination of the county school boards, the Auxiliary decided to go ahead with its school building program.

Contracts have been awarded for two handsome combination grammar and high schools for both Laurel and Lewes, to cost in the neighborhood of \$200,000 each. These schools will provide amply for the white pupils of both communities. Work on the Laurel school already has begun.

At the meeting action was taken to supplement this start by providing equal educational accommodations for the negro children. To do this it was decided to erect a three room negro schools at Lewes, plans for which have been drawn. Erection of this building was asked by the Lewes Special District School Board. A negro school at Laurel already is under way.

In addition to these two colored schools the Auxiliary Association decided to erect a one room school for colored children at duPont, John Wesley and Willow Grove, Kent county, as requested by the Kent County School Board; and two room colored schools at Selbyville, Frankford, Millsboro and Milton in Sussex county, as requested by the Sussex board.

These schools are what is known as the fabricated or sectional type, laid down in the shops and set up on the selected sites. Construction of the buildings for Sussex already has begun.

The meeting of the Auxiliary recently was attended by Dr. Joseph H. Odell, president; Henry P. Scott, vice-president; Miss Mary G. Hunter, secretary; Mrs. W. K. duPont and Dr. Rowland G. Paynter.

SURPRISE PARTY TO MISS MINNIE ELLIS

Mr. and Mrs. Slemmons Ellis Give Daughter Party In Honor of Her Fifteenth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Slemmons Ellis gave their daughter, Minnie, a delightful surprise party Wednesday evening in honor of her 15th birthday. Those present were: Thelma Hearn, Pearl Livingston, Mary Donnelly, Pauline Millham, Alice Cannon, Mildred Parker, Lillian Wooten, Emily Slacum, Riva O'Neal, Virginia Nock, Nellie and Lola West, Mildred, Minnie and Helen Ellis, Smutt Collison, Marion Purnell, Thomas Parker, Johnny Brown, Thomas Bennett, Milton Ross, Bill Truitt, Richard Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Culver, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Ellis, of Delmar, Granville Sohr, Curtis Spencer, Willard Hobbs, Vernon Miles, of Laurel, Happy Turner, Clifford Dryden, William White, Tob Gunby, of Salisbury, Lloyd White of New York City, and Russell Veasey, of Accomac, Va.

At a late hour the guests were invited into the beautiful decorated dining room where refreshments were served. After enjoying music and games wishing their hostess many more happy birthdays.

Mr. A. Brewington, Delmar's popular garage owner, made a trip to Philadelphia last week and returned with three new Olds automobiles, which were driven from Philadelphia to Delmar by their own power.

More Delmar News on Page 16.

MR. AND MRS. CULVER ENTERTAIN AT 500

Fifty Guests Enjoy Friday Evening At Cards at Home of Popular Delmar Couple.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Culver entertained at "500" at their home in Delmar on Friday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Florence Maddox, of the ladies, and Mr. Glen Elliott, of the men. Among those who enjoyed the evening were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ira F. Hearn, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. West, Mrs. Addie Culver, Mr. Glen Elliott, Mr. Clarence Lowden, Dr. and Mrs. Hall Riggan, Mrs. George Ellegood, Prof. and Mrs. C. H. Cordrey, Mr. and Mrs. T. Barton Freney, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cannon, Mrs. Earl B. Elliott, Mrs. Harry Gibson, Miss Amy Culver, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brewington, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sturgis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. O. Brewington, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. LeCates, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Culver, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Truitt, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Ellis, Mrs. James Brayshaw, Mrs. E. T. Simon, Mrs. Nathan West, Mrs. Cora Marvil, Mr. Arthur J. Sturgis, of Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Deputy, of Laurel; Mrs. John Grabill, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Florence Maddox, of Pocomoke City.

FRUITS AND BERRIES ARE TOTAL LOSS

Kent And Sussex Growers Believe There Will Be No Crops Gathered.

GRAPE VINES SEEM TO HAVE BEEN FORMED

Successive Frosts Have Played Havoc With Fruit and Berry Crops in Lower Delaware—Crate Factories Are Also Hard Hit, As There Will Be No Market For Their Goods.

The low temperature which prevailed the early part of last week has played havoc with the fruit, grape and berry crops of Lower Delaware, and what little chance fruit had of escaping the snow and ice storm of Monday is thought to have been destroyed. Farmers and truckers of this section who have examined their apple trees and strawberry plants have reported that the blossoms and buds have turned black. There is very little hope held out now for early apples and strawberries, which did escape freezing, will not be fit for shipping. Grapes, which had put out new branches since the cold wave of three weeks ago, were nipped again, and the prospects for this crop are reported as poor.

A report reached this section recently from North Carolina, where several Lower Delaware fruit brokers are buying strawberries, that the cold wave reached there, and berries suffered. The season, which opened there about ten days ago, had every prospect of being a banner one, but with the coming of frost the hopes of the growers and brokers were blasted. The price had started off good, the farmers realizing from \$7 to \$10 a crate for their berries.

With the loss of the fruit and strawberry crops in this section the farmers will again suffer heavy losses, in fact, the whole section will feel the loss, especially those who are engaged in the manufacture of fruit packages. The two basket and crate factories located in this section had put their plants in shape for a big season's work. One of the plants was erected recently and had just got started. These plants will have to look to other fields for business, and the farmers will have to turn their attention to corn, potatoes, tomatoes and other crops.

GOVERNOR DENNEY NAMES CHILD WELFARE COMMISSION

Governor Denney has announced the appointment of the following members of the Child Welfare Commission, which takes the place of the Reconstruction Commission created two years ago:

Mrs. W. H. Laird, Dr. Robert E. Ellegood, Mrs. Charles Warner, Wilmington; Everett C. Johnson, Newark; Mrs. Leonie Beaton, Middletown; Mrs. W. D. Denney, A. B. Magee, Dover; George H. Hall, Milford; Mrs. Ella Emory, Seaford.

BENSON SHOWS OPEN MONDAY

Big Carnival Company Will Show In Delmar For One Week.

BENEFIT OF JR. O. U. A. MECHANICS

Big Free Attractions Daily Includes Lady High Diver, Sensational Aerial Act, Nascas' Famous Military Band, in Daily Concerts, and Many Big Midway Features.

Final plans for the coming of the James M. Benson Shows, which will exhibit in Delmar the full week, beginning April 25, for the benefit of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, No. 6, of Delmar, are about completed, and show a line of attractions for the people of Delmar seldom if ever seen in this town before.

The James M. Benson Shows is one of the biggest carnival attractions on the road and the local Mechanics are rather proud of the fact that they have been able to secure them for the people of Delmar. Traveling in a special train of fifteen cars, they will arrive the latter part of this week and immediately the tented city will take form and on Monday, the opening day, everything will be in readiness for the opening of the many big attractions.

Each day of the week a big feature attraction, free to everybody, will be Miss May Calloway, the world champion high diver, who will dive from an incline ladder 87 feet into a tank containing but six feet of water. This free attraction will take place at 3 and 10.30 P. M. daily.

Other attractions that will be offered include:

20-in-1 Attraction—All living wonders gathered from all parts of the world.

The Broadway Minstrel Show—16 high class performers.

The World Jazz Beaters—10 pieces, with a change of program daily.

Joe Kitchel and One Round Hogan, famous boxers and wrestlers, will put on exhibitions and meet all comers. Princess Nunana—Smallest living lady in the world, between 22 and 24 inches tall.

The Monster Riding Devices—Whip, Ferris Wheel and Merry-go-Round.

The New Mechanical Show, called "The Teaser."

Hawaiian Theater—Company of Hawaiian actors in costume.

Circus Side Show.

Nascas' Famous Military Band will give concerts daily.

Fifty Mechanical Pleasure Boats.

A Midway of splendor and beauty.

Mr. Louis G. King, agent and promoter of the Benson Shows, spent last week in Delmar making the final arrangements for the appearance of the big attractions here. Mr. King said: "We are justly proud of the reputation we have gained. The good will of our patrons is evidenced by the tremendous volume of business we handled last year and the fact that today we are recognized as America's Amusement Leaders. This good will is the results of our energetic endeavor, to push forward—to keep our attractions on a level with the ever changing conditions of 1921."

The local members of the Mechanics have worked hard to make this attraction one of the best ever seen in Delmar, and they give assurances to the public that the shows are clean, classy and new. The big free attractions daily add much to the interest of Delmar people in the coming event.

LAST WEEK IN APRIL TO BE CLEAN-UP WEEK

Mayor Thornton has announced that the week of April 24 will be Clean-Up Week on the Delaware side. At this time it is hoped that everybody will clean-up their premises and paint up their fences, etc. On Thursday, April 28, Mayor Thornton has made arrangement to haul away all rubbish and the city wagons will be on the job for this purpose. It is also planned by the city authorities to clean out all the ditches and make the Delaware side of the town as clean as possible, and the Mayor hopes the people will cooperate in this movement on the date named.

Elder H. C. Ker is expected to preach here next Sunday morning, April 24, at 10.30.

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RECEPTION GIVEN

REV. E. H. JONES

Members of Mt. Olivet M. P. Church Extend Welcome To Returning Pastor Friday Evening.

Members of Mt. Olivet M. P. Church and others of the congregation assembled in the social hall of the church on Friday evening to extend a welcome to the Rev. E. H. Jones, on his return as pastor. A substantial expression of appreciation was in a large donation of good things suitable to a preacher's larder and appetite. The program was prepared by Supt. E. F. Williams, and was as follows:

Singing—First Stanza of "America," by audience.

Prayer—By Pastor.

Piano Solo—Mrs. Bullett Vincent.

Vocal Duet—Miss Mary Wheatley and Mrs. Mattie Ritchie. Piano accompaniment by Miss Mary Cordrey.

Violin Solo—Mr. Ralph Nichols. Piano accompaniment, Miss Hattie Adkins.

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Address of Welcome—In behalf of Delaware Town Council—J. Frank Thorington, Mayor.

Address of Welcome—In behalf of Maryland Town Council—W. W. Wayland.

Address of Welcome—In behalf of Ladies' Aid Society—By Mrs. G. C. Phillips.

Address of Welcome—In behalf of Parsonage Trustees and Ushers' Union—By Mr. C. J. Calhoun.

Address — "Going to Conference," by delegate—C. M. Ellis.

Response—By the Pastor.

ANNUAL MEETING O. S. BAPTIST SAT. AND SUNDAY

Regardless of the weather conditions, hundreds of people of this section attended the annual meeting of the Old School Baptist, which was held at Smith Mills Old School Baptist Church, about five miles from Delmar on Saturday and Sunday. This year's event has not lost in favor as was evidenced by the large crowds present both Saturday and Sunday. The big "feed" which is an important part of the program each year, was, if anything, better than ever and was enjoyed by those present. The meetings were conducted by Elder H. C. Ker, the new pastor of the Baptist congregation here, assisted by Rev. Benj. Cabbage, of Wilmington.

A business meeting was held on Saturday, and on Sunday the day was devoted to religious services and general "get-acquainted" meetings. At the services able sermons were delivered by those in charge. Practically every part of the Eastern Shore was represented, and the political candidates were very conspicuous in the large gathering, taking advantage of the opportunity to meet the voters of the counties.

FISHING SAID TO BE GOOD IN LAKE HOPE

A story that is going the rounds in Delmar is to the effect that fishing is fine in Lake Hope. According to the story being told, Mr. George Rolie Parsons made a big catch there last week. It is said that he threw out his seine on one side and hauled in 115 herring, and then cast it again on the other side and bagged two Ford automobiles and three men. Of course, the writer takes no responsibility for the authenticity of this story, but after a trip over this road on Sunday sees no reason why it should be doubted.

Another important question has arisen in Delmar as to whether automobile driver are within the law by driving their cars over the Delmar Road with just a driver's license. It seems that they should be required to carry a pilot license as well.

P. R. R. TO RUN EXCURSION TO NEW YORK SUNDAY

The Pennsylvania Railroad has announced by posters an excursion to New York for next Sunday, April 24. A special train will leave Delmar Saturday night at 11:20 P. M., arriving at New York at 6:35 A. M. Sunday. Returning the special train will leave New York at 4:35 P. M., arriving at Delmar about 11 P. M. Sunday night. The fare for the round trip is \$4.00, plus war tax. Children five years and under 12 half fare. No baggage will be checked.

DELMAR LOCALS

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Mrs. L. B. Ker, who has been seriously ill for several weeks with gripple is improving at this writing and is able to be around again, much to the gratification of her many friends.

Mr. W. W. Wayland spent Tuesday of last week in Princess Anne on business.

S. N. Culver made a business trip to Philadelphia last week.

The building being constructed by Mr. F. E. Lynch at the corner of State and First street, Delmar, is nearing completion. This building will be used by Mr. F. E. Lynch, Jr., as an automobile accessory supply house upon completion.

Rev. J. W. Jones, the new pastor of the M. E. Church, has arrived in Delmar and taken up his residence in the M. E. parsonage.

Mr. Thomas Walters, of Pocomoke City, and daughter, Miss Billie, were pleasant visitors with Delmar friends Saturday and Sunday.

MARYLAND HIGH BEATS BEACONS BUSINESS COLLEGE

The Delmar Maryland High School overhauled Beacon's Business College, of Salisbury, on Wednesday, April 13, by a score of 11 to 6. The playing of C. Wayland was the main feature of the game. The Maryland High appears to have one of the best nines on the Peninsula and are looking for games with any High School teams on the Eastern Shore.

WILLIAM B. MITCHELL DIED SATURDAY MORNING

Mr. William Birchhead Mitchell died at his home in Delmar on Saturday morning. Mr. Mitchell was born on May 9, 1862, and was one of Delmar's leading citizens. He is survived by his wife, and three boys, Walter, Eddie and James. Funeral services were held at his late home in Delmar on Tuesday afternoon, Elder H. C. Ker, officiating. Interment was in the M. P. cemetery.

FARMERS HOLD MEETING ON FRIDAY EVENING

A farmers' meeting in connection with the Wicomico County Farmers Association was held here on Friday evening and a local organization effected. Irving Culver, sales manager of the body, was made chairman, and Clarence Sturgis secretary, and director for Delmar; local board, Fred Wright, H. S. Lowe, Charles Robinson, E. B. Figgs.

ELLIOTT—IN SAD BUT LOVING REMEMBRANCE OF OUR DEAR MOTHER

Lula A. Elliott, who departed this life April 3, 1921.

Dearest Mother, thou hast left us, And our loss we deeply feel, But this God that hast bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.

So beautiful in death you lay, 'Twas hard to think you could not stay On earth, 'twas hard to give you up, Again to drink the bitter cup.

God called her home, it was His will, But in our hearts we love her still, Her memory is as dear today, As the Sunday she passed away.

Mother has gone but not forgotten, Never shall her memory fade, Sweet thoughts shall ever linger, Around the grave where she is laid.

All is dark within our dwelling, Lonely are our hearts today, She had never been forgotten, Since the angels came and took her away.

O, silent grave, to thee we trust, This precious share of earthly dust, O guard it well most silent tomb, Until we too shall ask for room.

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The Nexama Chemical Company of Baltimore is offering a sample jar of Nexama for every family in this section. In order to secure your jar, it is only necessary to sign and clip the coupon from their advertisement in this week's issue of The News and present it to your druggist, either at Wayland's Drug Store or to Dr. Elliott.

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GEORGE L. LONG ENDORSED.

At a special meeting of the Delmar Democratic Club of Delmar District, Geo. L. Long was unanimously endorsed as a candidate for County Commissioner for Wicomico county from this district.

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MR. JAMES W. BANNISTER IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Officers Installed and Members Obligated Monday Night—To Be Known As Typographical Union No. 869—Mr. Wm. E. Griffiths, of Philadelphia, Presided At Installation.

An epoch in the history of the printing craft in Salisbury occurred on Monday evening in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, when Mr. William E. Griffiths, of Philadelphia, representing the International Typographical Union installed the officers and obligated the members of the newly formed Typographical Union, No. 869, in this city. The new organization boasts of being 100 per cent strong at its inception.

Salisbury Typographical Union, No. 869, came into being under a charter issued by the International Typographical Union of North America, issued at Indianapolis, Ind., on April 13 last. On its charter will be found the name of every printer in Salisbury who is eligible to membership on charter. As its number implies, this is the 869th typographical union in the jurisdiction of the international body, and as the register numbers assigned to the new members show, there are 99,400 members of the union at the time the charter was granted.

Mr. Griffiths, after the installation of the new officers, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on the principles and objects of the organization which he represented. He outlined the accomplishments of the body in its years of progressive history and con-

gratulated the membership of No. 869 on having joined one of the most progressive, intelligent and enlightened labor organizations in existence.

"Aside from its activities for the betterment of the working, sanitary and other conditions of labor organizations," Mr. Griffiths said, "we point with pride to three outstanding accomplishments of this organization.

"The Union Printers Home, at Colorado Springs, Col., is one of the best institutions of its kind in the world. Erected for diseased and infirm members of our craft, it is maintained and run by the union printers of this country. Not one cent of outside assistance has ever been asked for the upkeep of this Printers' Home. Innumerable instances could be cited where printers, stricken with that dreaded disease, tuberculosis, have been cared for at this home and discharged later completely cured.

"The Mortuary benefits attached to the organization, gives ample insurance to our membership for the amount of money they are called upon to pay.

"Our Old Age Pension Fund takes care of the old and infirm members after they have given their lives to the craft. This fund alone at the present time, besides caring for thousands of printers who have become old and unable to continue at the trade, amounts to over one million dollars.

"The International Typographical Union prides itself on its record in labor controversies in the past. Feeling that differences between the employers and employees can be settled by conference between the parties interested rather than through the strike weapon, it has established boards of arbitration in all its principal jurisdictions, and many of the past differences have been settled through these agencies.

"The International Typographical Union in its years of existence on the North American Continent has never broken a contract. This record is one of our special accomplishments and one of which we are justly proud.

"Our best friends are those who have known us longest. Employers all over the United States have come

to look upon us with confidence, knowing by experience that we respect our contracts and deliver what we agree to deliver. Our membership, composed, as it is, of the most enlightened membership of any labor organization in the world, is therefore singularly free from agitation or I. W. W. sentiment. Loyal to their country in time of need, loyal to their employers, they are loyal to themselves and can always be found on the side of humanity, patriotism and every other cause that means the best interests of the communities in which they live.

"So, fellow members, I wish to congratulate you on your becoming connected with such an organization—a move I am sure you will never regret."

As guests of honor at the installation ceremonies were Messrs. Jentner, Greenfield and Vernon, delegates of the Baltimore Typographical Union, No. 12, attending the State Federation of Labor Convention, which is in session this week in this city. They gave short, but very interesting talks on the aims and objects of the international body.

Salisbury Typographical Union, No. 869, is the first organization of its kind on the Eastern Shore, and its establishment came about through a desire of the printers of this section to have an organization here.

The officers installed Monday night were: James W. Bannister, president; Henry N. Morgan, vice president; James E. Byrd, secretary-treasurer; Archie F. Jones, sergeant-at-arms; executive committee, George P. Kennerly, Henry N. Morgan and W. W. Webb.

TO OBSERVE 102ND ANNIVERSARY ON SUNDAY

In compliance with the proclamation of the Grand Sire, Joseph Oliver, members of Newton Lodge No. 56 I. O. O. F. will observe the one hundred and second anniversary of Odd Fellowship in America by attending the 11 o'clock service at Trinity M. E. Church South in a body on Sunday, April 24. All members are requested to be at the lodge room at 10 A. M.

Uncle John's Job

\$1.85 NOW BUYS A SHIRT AND POLITENESS IN THE BIG STORES.



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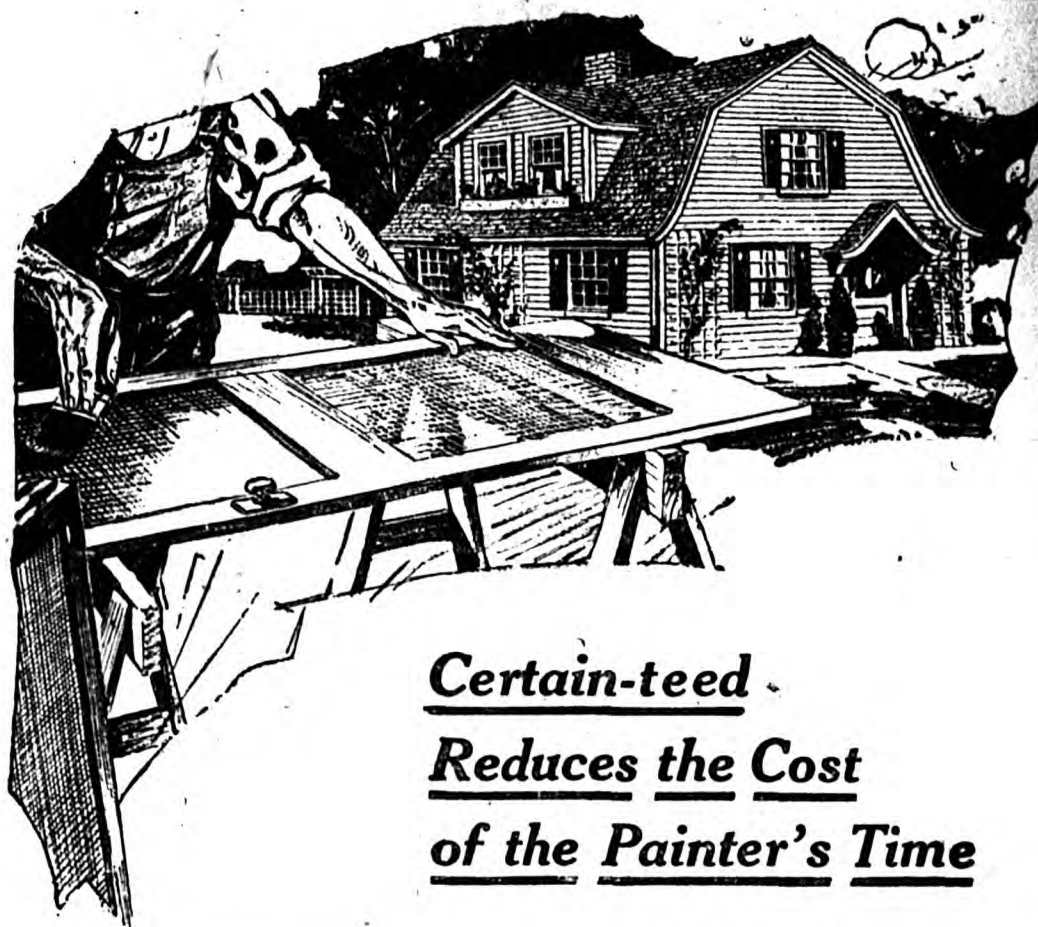
Greensboro, Md.—The postoffices at Marydel and Cordova have been raised to the third class, adding them to the list of Presidential appointments and increasing the salary of the Marydel office to \$1,000 and that of Cordova to \$1,100 a year.

Hold First Suffrage Congress.

Athens—The first woman suffrage convention in Greece took place recently. King Constantine and Queen Sophie attended. The chairman made reference to the important part women had played in Greek history and disputed the contention they were unprepared for suffrage equal with men.

Bar Moslem Women From Stage.

Constantinople—The appearance recently of a number of Turkish women on the stage has resulted in an order by the Sheikh-ul-Islam, the religious chief, to the police to forbid women of the Moslem faith from appearing on the boards.



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POSTAL TELEGRAPH—COMMERCIAL CABLES

TELEGRAM

New York N Y Feb 24th 1921

Re: Buick Motor Co Plant Mich

We are sending complete list of orders for shipment to dealers and to New York covering 725 automobiles. Of these orders 425 are direct shipments to dealers and 300 are absolutely required in New York to take care of orders in our files, delivery of which is already pressing us. Please don't get the idea that these 111 cars for New York will add to our stock here. We will have shortage of cars on all models within the next three weeks. Our March requirements will take all the cars that we are ordering from you now and wipe out our warehouse stock as well. We still owe us 51 models on our February schedule for direct shipment to New York. These are required to take care of orders in addition to March schedule. We estimate our requirements for April will be upwards of 1000 cars.

Re: Buick - New York branch

A good indication of the demand for Buick on the Atlantic Coast.

This telegram demonstrates Buick popularity on the Pacific Coast.

San Francisco Cal Feb 22 1921

Re: Buick Motor Co Plant Mich

Our March requirements including jobs ordered for February per our wire seventeenth are San Francisco forty model forty four fifty model forty five twenty model forty seven twenty model forty eight fifty model fifty five Los Angeles fifty model forty four one hundred seventy five model forty five thirty five model forty seven thirty five model forty eight fifty model fifty five San Rafael California 1 model forty four four model forty five Klammath Falls Oregon one model forty four four model forty five total four hundred and forty five try to rush closed jobs advise when all cars ordered by Mailman were shipped

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Nearly every electric light and power company knows that it must expand tremendously in the next four years if it is to keep up with the demand. Figures taken from Electrical World indicate that the equipment of these companies will have to be nearly doubled; and that means an additional investment not of millions, but of approximately 4 billions of dollars.

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ELECTRICAL WORLD is not owned by the electric light and power companies. It is an independent property, one of the eleven journals of service published by the McGraw-Hill Company, Inc., New York. It is in a position to speak frankly both to its industry and for its industry.

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everything else was costing so much more; a motor that does the work of a hundred or five hundred men.

The miracle of that light or motor has become a commonplace part of your life; but it is a miracle none the less.

The electric light companies have a right to be proud of it; and Electrical World can boast of it, even though the companies do not.

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AND now Electrical World turns from its readers to the readers of Collier's; from the men who own and operate the electric lighting companies, to their customers, to you and says:

"The time is here when all of us must do well by our electric light and power companies if we want to do well by ourselves.

"Four billions in new capital can come only from the little savings of the many. And the companies must have this new capital or the nation will be stopped in its progress because it has outgrown its power and its lights.

"Take a good look ahead at your city or town. Is it going to move forward swiftly or stumble and halt? The answer lies in the steady growth of your electric light and power company, as much as anywhere else. For no city moves forward unless it can see clearly and has all of the power it can use."

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"The Devil" is Coming

The Voice of The Pack

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from a nervous collapse do not tend
toward cheer.

But the natural sturdiness of all three quickly came to their aid. Of course Lennox had been severely injured by the falling log, and many weeks would pass before he would be able to walk again. He could sit up for short periods, however; had the partial use of one arm; and could propel himself—after the first few weeks—at a snail's pace through the rooms in a rude wheel chair that Bill's ingenuity had contrived. The great livid scratches that Dan bore on his body quickly began to heal; and before a week was done he began to venture forth on the hills again. Snowbird had remained in bed for three days; then she had hopped out one bright afternoon, swearing never to go back into it again. Evidently the crisp, fall air of the mountains had been a nerve tonic for them all.

Of course there had been medical attention. A doctor and a nurse had motored up the day after the accident; the physician had set the bones and departed, and the nurse remained for a week, to see the grizzled mountaineer well on the way of convalescence. But it was an anxious wait, and Lennox's car was kept constantly in readiness to speed her away in case the snows should start. At last she had left him in Snowbird's hands, and Bill had driven her back to the settlements in his father's car. The die was now cast as to whether or not Dan and the remainder of the family should winter in the mountain. True, the clouds deepened every day, the frost was ever heavier in the dawns, and the road would surely remain open only a few days more.

Once more the three seemingly had the Divide all to themselves. Bert Cranston had evidently deserted his cabin and was working a trap-line on the Umpqua side. The rangers left the little station, all danger of fire past, and went down to their offices in the federal building of one of the little cities below. Because he was worse than useless in the deep snows that were sure to come, one of the ranch hands that had driven up with Bill rode away to the valleys the last of the live stock—the horse that Dan had ridden to Snowbird's defense.

Nothing had been heard of Landy Hildreth, who used to live on the trail to the marsh, and both Lennox and his daughter wondered why. There were also certain officials who had begun to be curious. As yet, Dan had told no one of the grim fact he had made on his return from hunting. And he would have found it an extremely difficult fact to explain.

It all went back to those inner springs of motive that few men can see clearly enough within themselves to recognize. Even the first day, when he lay burning from his wounds, he worked out his own explanation in regard to the murder mystery. He hadn't the slightest doubt but that Cranston had killed Hildreth to prevent his testimony from reaching the courts below. Of course, any other member of the arson ring of hillmen might have been the murderer; yet Dan was inclined to believe that Cranston, the leader of the gang, usually preferred to do such dangerous work as this himself. If it were true, however, on that tree-clad ridge, clues would be left. Moreover, it was wholly possible that the written testimony Hildreth must have gathered had never been found or destroyed. Dan didn't want the aid of the courts to find these clues. He wanted to work out the case himself. It resolved itself into a simple matter of vengeance: Dan had his debt to pay, and he wanted to bring Cranston to ruin by his own hand alone.

While it was true that he took rather more than the casual interest that most citizens feel in the destruction of the forest by wanton fire, and had an actual sense of duty to do all that he could to stop the activities of the arson ring, his motives, stripped and bare, were really not utilitarian. He had no particular interest in Hildreth's case. He remembered him simply as one of Cranston's disreputable gang, a rascal and a fire bug himself. When all is said and done, it remained really a personal issue between Dan and Cranston. And personal issues are frowned upon by law and society. Civilization has tolled up from the darkness in a great measure to get away from them. But human nature remains distressingly the same, and Dan's desire to pay his debt was a distinctly human emotion. Sometimes a breed will live upon the earth that can get clear away from personal vengeance—from that age-old code of the hills that demands a blow for a blow and a life for a life—but the time is not yet. And after all, by all the standards of men as men, not as read in idealistic philosophies, Dan's debt was entirely real. By the light held high by his ancestors, he could not turn his other cheek.

Just as soon as he was able he went back to the scene of the murder. He didn't know when the snow would come to cover what evidence there was. It threatened every hour. Every wind promised it. The air was sharp and cold, and no drop of rain could fall through it without crystallizing into snow. The deer had all gone and the burrowing people had sought their holes. The bees worked no more in the winter flowers. Of all the greater forest creatures only the wolves and the bear remained—the former because their fear of men would not permit them to go down to the lower hills, and the latter because of his knowledge that when food became scarce he could always burrow in the snow. No bear goes into hibernation from choice. Wise old bachelor, he much prefers to keep out as late hours as he can—as long

as the eating places in the berry thickets remain open. The cougars had all gone down with the deer, the migratory birds had departed, and even the squirrels were in hiding.

The scene didn't offer much in the way of clues. Of the body itself only a white heap of bones remained, for many and terrible had been the agents at work upon them. The clothes, however, particularly the coat, were practically intact. Gripping himself, Dan thrust his fingers into its pockets, then into the pockets of the shirt and trousers. All paper that would in any way serve to identify the murdered man, or tell what his purpose had been in journeying down the trail the night of the murder had been removed. Only one explanation presented itself. Cranston had come before him and searched the body himself.

Dan looked about for tracks, and he was considerably surprised to find the blurred, indistinct imprint of a shoe other than his own. He hadn't the least hope that the tracks themselves would offer a clue to a detective. They were too dim for that. The surprising fact was that since the murder had been committed immediately before the fall rains, the water had not completely washed them out. The only possibility remaining was that Cranston had returned to the body after the week's rainfall. The track had been dimmed by the lighter rains that had fallen since.

But yet it was entirely to be expected that the examination of the body would be an afterthought on Cranston's part. Possibly at first his only thought was to kill and, following the prompting that has sent so many murderers to the gallows, he had afterward returned to the scene of the crime to destroy any clues he might have left and to search the body for any evidence against the arson ring.

Dan's next thought was to follow along the trail and find Cranston's ambush. Of course it would be in the direction of the settlement from the body, as the bullet had entered from the front. He found it hard to believe that Hildreth had fallen in the exact spot where the body lay. Men journeying at night keep to the trail, and the white heap itself was fully forty feet back from the trail in the thickets. Perhaps Cranston had dragged it there to hide it from the sight of anyone who might pass along the lonely trail again; and it was a remote possibility that Whisperfoot, coming in the night, had tugged it into the thickets for dreadful purposes of his own. Likely the shot was fired when Hildreth was in an open place on the trail; and Dan searched for the ambush with this conclusion in mind. He walked back, looking for a thicket from which such a spot would be visible. Something over fifty yards down he found it; and he knew it by the empty brass rifle cartridge that lay half buried in the wet leaves.

The shell was of the same caliber as Cranston's rifle. Dan's hand shook as he put it in his pocket.

Encouraged by this amazing find, he turned up the trail toward Hildreth's cabin. It might be possible, he thought, that Hildreth had left some of his testimony—perhaps such rudely scrawled letters as Cranston had written him—in some forgotten drawer in his hut. It was but a short walk for Dan's hardened legs, and he made it before midnight.

The search itself was wholly without result. But because he had time to think as he climbed the ridge, because as he strode along beneath that wintry sky he had a chance to consider every detail of the case, he was able to start out on a new tack when, just before sunset, he returned to the body. This new train of thought had as its basis that Cranston's shot had not been deadly at once; that, wounded, Hildreth had himself crawled into the thickets where Whisperfoot had found him. And that meant that he had to enlarge his search for such documents as Hildreth had carried to include all the territory between the trail and the location of the body.

It was possibly a distance of forty feet, and getting down on his hands and knees, Dan looked for any break in the shrubbery that would indicate the path that the wounded Hildreth had taken. And it was ten minutes well rewarded, as far as clearing up certain details of the crime. His senses had been trained and sharpened by his months in the wilderness, and he was able to back-track the wounded man from the skeleton clear to the clearing on the trail where he had first fallen. But as no clues presented themselves, he started to turn home.

He walked twelve feet, then turned back. Out of the corner of his eye it seemed to him that he had caught a flash of white, near the end of a great, dead log beside the path that the wounded Hildreth had taken. For a moment he searched in vain. Evidently a yellow leaf had deceived him. Once more he retraced his steps, trying to find the position from which his eye had caught the glimpse of white. Then he dived straight for the rotten end of the log.

Into a little hollow in the bark, on the underside of the log, some hand had thrust a small roll of papers. They were rain-soaked now, and the ink had dimmed and blotted; but Dan realized their significance. They were the complete evidence that Hildreth had accumulated against the arson ring—letters that had passed back and forth between himself and Cranston, a threat of murder from the former if Hildreth turned state's evidence, and a signed statement of the arson activities of the ring by Hildreth himself. They were not only enough to break up the ring and send its members to prison; with the aid of the empty shell

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The Voice of The Pack

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and other circumstantial evidence,
they could in all probability convict
Bert Cranston of murder.

For a long time he stood with the
shadows of the pines lengthening
about him, his gray eyes in curious
shadow. For the moment a glimpse
was given him into the deep wells of
the human soul; and understanding
came to him. Was there no balm for
hated even in the moment of death?
Were men unable to forget the themes
and motives of their lives, even when
the shadows closed down upon them?
Hildreth had known what hand had
struck him down. And even on the



Some Hand Had Thrust a Small Roll
of Paper.

frontier of death, his first thought was
to hide his evidence where Cranston
could not find it when he searched the
body, but where later it might be
found by the detectives that were sure
to come. It was the old creed of a
life for a life. He wanted his evidence
to be preserved—not that right should
be wronged, but so that Cranston
would be prosecuted and convicted
and made to suffer. His hatred of
Cranston that had made him turn
state's evidence in the first place had
been carried with him down into death.

As Dan stood wondering, he thought
he heard a twig crack on the trail be-
hind him, and he wondered what for-
est creature was still lingering on the
ridges at the eve of the snows.

The snow began to fall in earnest at
midnight—great, white flakes that al-
most in an instant covered the leaves.
It was the real beginning of winter,
and all living creatures knew it. The
wolf pack sang to it from the ridge—
a wild and plaintive song that made
Bert Cranston, sleeping in a lean-to
on the Umpqua side of the Divide,
sneez and mutter in his sleep. But he
didn't really awaken until Jim Gibbs,
one of his gang, returned from his
secret mission.

They wasted no words. Bert flung
aside the blankets, lighted a candle
and placed it out of the reach of the
night wind. His face looked swarthy
and deep-lined in its light.

"Well?" he demanded. "What did
you find?"

"Nothin'," Jim Gibbs answered gut-
turally. "If you ask me what I found
out, I might have somethin' to an-
swer."

"Then—" and Bert, after the man-
ner of his kind, breathed an oath—
"What did you find out?"

His tone, except for an added note
of savagery, remained the same. Yet
his heart was thumping a great deal
louder than he liked to have it. Heal-
ing that the snows were at hand, he
had sent Gibbs for a last search of
the body, to find and recover the evi-
dence that Hildreth had against him
and which had not been revealed either
on Hildreth's person or in his cabin.
He had become increasingly appre-
hensive about those letters he had
written Hildreth, and certain other
documents that had been in his pos-
session. He didn't understand why
they hadn't turned up. And now the
snows had started, and Jim Gibbs had
returned empty-handed, but evidently
not empty-minded.

"I've found that the body's been un-
covered—and men are already search-
in' for clues. And moreover—I think
they've found them." He paused,
weighing the effect of his words. His
eyes glittered with cunning. But that
he was, he was wondering whether the
time had arrived to leave the ship. He
had no intention of continuing to give
his services to a man with a repu-
tation closing about him. And Cran-
ston, knowing this fact, hated him as
he hated the buzzard that would claim
him in the end, and tried to hide his
apprehension.

"Go on. Blat it out," Cranston or-
dered. "Or else go away—let me
sleep."

It was a bluff; but it worked. If
Gibbs had gone without speaking,
Cranston would have known no sleep
that night. But the man became more
fawning.

"I'm tellin' you, fast as I can," he
went on, almost whining. "I went to
the cabin, just as you said. But I
didn't get a chance to search it."

"Why not?" Cranston thundered.
His voice re-echoed among the snow-
wet pines.

"I'll tell you why! Because some-
one else—evidently a cop—was al-
ready searchin' it. Both of us know

there's nothin' there, anyway. We've
gone over it too many times. After
a while he went away—but I didn't
turn back yet. That wouldn't be Jim
Gibbs. I shadowed him, just as you'd
want me to. And he went straight
back to the body."

"Yes?" Cranston had hard work
curbing his impatience. Again Gibbs'
eyes were full of ominous specula-
tions.

"He stopped at the body, and it was
plain he'd been there before. He went
crawling through the thickets, lookin'
for clues. He done what you and me
never thought to do—lookin' all the
way between the trail and the body.
He'd already found the brass shell you
told me to get. At least, it wasn't
there when I looked, after he'd gone.
You should've thought of it before.
But he found somethin' else a whole
lot more important—a roll of papers
that Hildreth had chucked into an old
pine stump when he was dyin'. It was
your fault, Cranston, for not gettin'
them that night. This detective stood
and read 'em on the trail. And you
know—just as well as I do—what
they were."

"D—n you, I went back the next
morning, as soon as I could see. And
the mountain lion had already been
there. I went back lots of times since.
And that shell ain't nothing—but all
the time I supposed I put it in my
pocket. You know how it is—a fellow
throws his empty shell out by habit."

Gibbs' eyes grew more intent. What
was this thing? Cranston's tone, in-
stead of commanding, was almost
pleading. But the leader caught him-
self at once.

"I don't see why I need to explain
any of that to you. What I want to
know is this: why you didn't shoot
and get those papers away from him?"

For an instant their eyes battled.
But Gibbs had never the strength of
his leader. If he had, it would have
been asserted long since. He sucked
in his breath, and his gaze fell away.
It rested on Cranston's rifle, that in
some manner had been pulled up
across his knees. And at once he was
coiled. He was never so fast with a
gun as Cranston.

"Blood on my hands, eh—same as
on yours?" he mumbled, looking down.
"What do you think I want, a rope
around my neck? These hills are big,
but the arm of the law has reached up
before, and it might again. You might
as well know first as last I'm not goin'
to do any killin's to cover up your
murders."

"That comes of not going myself.
You fool—if he gets that evidence
down to the courts you're broken the
same as me."

"But I wouldn't get more'n a year
or so, at most—and that's a heap dif-



"You Just Lacked the Guts to Pull the
Trigger."

ferent from the gallows. I did aim at
him."

"But you just lacked the guts to pull
the trigger!"

"I did, and I ain't ashamed of it.
But besides—the snows are here now,
and he won't be able to even get word
to the valleys for six months. If you
want him killed so bad, do it your-
self."

This was a thought indeed. On the
other hand, another murder might not
be necessary. Months would pass be-
fore the road would be opened, and in
the meantime Cranston would have a
thousand chances to steal back the
accusing letters. He didn't believe for
an instant that the man Gibbs had
seen was a detective. He had kept
too close watch over the roads for
that.

"A tall chap, in outing clothes—
dark-haired and clean-shaven?"

"Yes?"

"Wears a tan hat?"

"That's the man."

"I know him—and I wish you'd
punctured him. That's falling—the
tenderfoot that's been staying at Len-
nox's. He's a lunger."

"He didn't look like no lunger to
me."

"But no matter about that—it's just
as I thought. And I'll get 'em back—
mark my little words."

In the meantime the best thing to
do was to move at once to his winter
trapping grounds—a certain neglected
region on the lower levels of the North
Fork. If at any time within the next
few weeks, Dan should attempt to
carry word down to the settlements,
he would be certain to pass within
view of his camp. But he knew that
the chance of Dan starting upon any
such journey before the snow had
melted was not one in a thousand. To

he caught in the Divide in the blazes
meant to be snowed in as completely
as the Innuits of upper Greenland. No
word could pass except by man on
snowshoes.

Yet if the chances did come, if the
house should be left unguarded, it
might pay Cranston to make an im-
mediate search. Dan would have no
reason for supposing that Cranston
suspected his possession of the let-
ters; he would not be particularly
watchful, and would probably pigeon-
hole them until spring in Lennox's
desk.

And the truth was that Cranston
had reasoned out the situation almost
perfectly. When Dan awakened in
the morning, and the snow lay already
a foot deep over the wilderness world,
he knew that he would have no chance
to act upon the Cranston case until
the snows melted in the spring. So
he pushed all thought of it out of his
mind and turned his attention to more
pleasant subjects. It was true that he
read the documents over twice as he
lay in bed. Then he tied them into a
neat packet and put them away where
they would be quickly available. Then
he thrust his head out of the window
and let the great snowflakes sift down
upon his face. It was winter at last,
the season that he loved.

He didn't stir from the house that
first day of the storm. Snowbird and
he found plenty of pleasant things to
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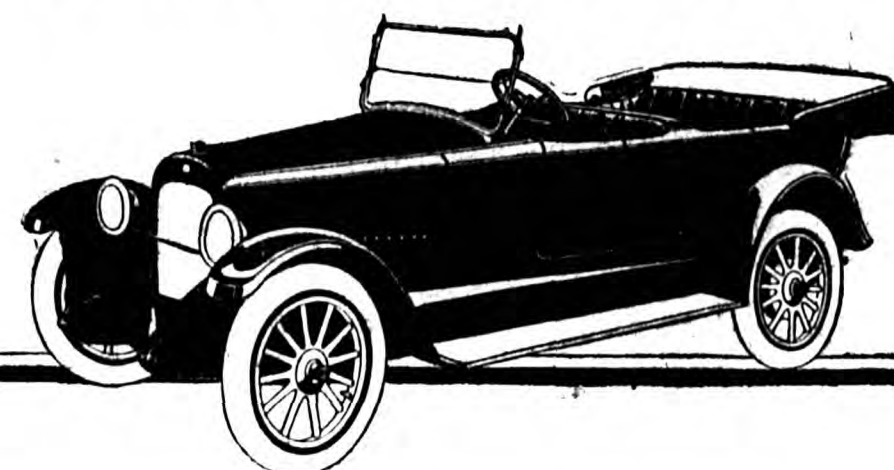
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If the work is done, and well done, what matters it if the world does not recognize our part in it? It is the work that counts, not the laborer and his wages, though these shall not be overlooked, upon pay-day.

And, how can we do this work? How can we gain that wondrous knowledge that we are truly performing our share of it; that we are going forward and not backward; that we are accomplishing something worthwhile?

Assuredly, not by piling up dollar upon dollar for selfish purposes. Not by gossiping nor by giggling; not by complaining nor criticizing. No; these things will merely hold us back. What we must do is, **KEEP OUR THOUGHTS CLEAN.** Think no **EVIL.** If we must think evil thoughts of anyone, forget him, or her. It is better to have a blank mind than one full of unkind thoughts.

Thinking unkindness disturbs our digestion; dis-harmonizes our Ego; in plain American slang, "it puts us on the Bum," generally, so don't do it! If you cannot think good of a person, put him out of your mind, forget him. This is your only safeguard if you **WANT TO GET YOUR MONEY WORTH OUT OF LIFE.**

If you think someone has done you an injustice, don't go around with a scowl upon your brow looking for the "dirty skunk" that you may add to the harm already done and flatten his nose; thus arousing in him more and yet more evil thoughts to add to his more than plentiful store; Don't avoid him, just forget him, until you bump into him and then do him some particular favor, and notice the look he gives you—you will be repaid for all your struggles with your self on his account, more than repaid and you will likely end by making a very warm friend out of your erstwhile enemy.

Vendetta may be a very romantic word, dear friends, but it doesn't get us one inch of the Way upon which we are all struggling; therefore, I say, have nothing to do with it or its adherents. The Great Work is all that really matters and to do our best we must travel light upon the Road. Therefore, abandon all excess baggage, such as Spite, Malice, Anger, Resentment, Curiosity, Falsehood and the rest. These are our only enemies, not the men who refuse to cash our check.

STUART LAIDLAW.

April 2, 1921.

USE OF LIME IS GREAT AID TO FARM SOILS

Some Crops Will Grow On Acid Soil But Majority Produce Better Through Liming.

APPLY IT OFTEN AND IN SMALL AMOUNTS

When Heavy Applications Are Made, A Large Amount Is Lost In Drainage—In Four-Year Rotation, One Treatment During the Rotation Is Recommended As Being Desirable.

Lime is used on the farm in many different ways but we are dealing just now with lime for farm crops solely. The main reason for putting lime on land is to correct the acidity in the soil or in other words to sweeten a sour soil. Some crops, like strawberries, watermelons, blackberries, etc., will grow on an acid soil but the majority of crops will not produce as well on such a soil.

Lime should be applied often and in small amounts, comparatively, rather than seldom and in large amounts. When a heavy application of lime is applied to the soil, which will supply more than the present needs, a comparatively large amount is lost through soil drainage. In a four year rotation one application at least during the rotation is desirable, and in a shorter rotation it may be possible to make an application every four years.

Three Forms of Lime.

Lime may be applied at almost any time but to maintain the lime supply in the soil it is better, perhaps, to apply to freshly plowed land so that the lime may be thoroughly worked into the soil by harrowing and disking. Lime may be applied to a growing crop but such treatment does not seem advisable except in cases of necessity.

When buying lime it is always good policy to use common sense and get as much value as possible for the amount of money expended. There are really only three different forms of lime on the market at present, and they should be bought on the amount of "lime" that they contain. The general meaning of the word "lime" is not the correct one, probably, as lime in its natural state contains impurities which are not valuable as lime. Lime, in its proper sense, means Calcium or magnesium oxides and as firms state the amount of oxides in their product the price or value of each form can be figured out on the

oxide basis. Limestone, as it comes from the quarries, contains varying amounts of impurities which must be driven off before the real lime, or oxides, can be obtained in its pure form. One hundred pounds of limestone when burned to drive off the impurities will weigh about fifty-six pounds which is in the oxide or real lime form. Limestones vary in the amount of oxides contained but a good general average would indicate about sixty per cent, although the range is great.

Finely Ground Kind Better.

Burned lime, then, is limestone with the impurities driven off and fifty-six pounds of burned lime is equivalent to one hundred pounds of limestone. If this fifty-six pounds of burned lime be water slaked it will take up about eighteen pounds of water, making a total weight of about seventy-four pounds. Thus, one hundred pounds of limestone, seventy-four pounds of hydrated lime, and fifty-six pounds of burned lime, are about equal to each other in the matter of correcting soil acidity.

Finely ground lime becomes available to the crops much sooner than coarsely ground and as it necessitates much work to get lime very fine, the price is naturally higher than for coarse ground.

If one ton of burned lime analyzing ninety percent oxides is selling for \$12.00, then one percent of a ton of twenty pounds would cost about 13 cents. On this basis a ton of hydrated lime analyzing 72 per cent should sell for about \$10.00 and a ton of limestone for about \$2.00. These figures are based only on the oxides present and do not take into account the fineness, availability or ease of handling. If lime is bought in this way it would save a lot of money both on the part of the farmer and the dealer.

Have Your Soil Tested.

Experiments have shown that the different forms of lime such as burned, hydrated, raw, limestone, marl, oyster shells, etc., have about the same value if used in the proper amounts. If a soil test has shown the need of 2,000 pounds of limestone to correct the acidity in that piece of land then the same effect will be obtained by using 1,500 pounds of hydrated lime or 1,000 pounds of burned lime. Have your soil tested—do not guess at the amount of lime needed. Experiment Station or the County Agent will do this testing free of charge, and will be able to advise the amount and kind of lime to use.

A four years test, or comparison, of oyster shells and limestone, both raw and burned, was carried on by the Maryland Experiment Station with the following results, in average yields: Wheat yielded 21.1 bushels per acre when soil was treated with burned limestone as compared with 10 bushels with raw oyster shells and 20.4 bushels with burned shells; corn yielded 10.3 bushels with burned shells and 28.6 bushels with burned limestone. The results showed that there was very little difference in the yields of these two crops with the forms of lime used as stated above.

Add Enough Humus To Soil

For immediate effects on a clover crop, for example, it would be best, perhaps, to use a fine ground lime either "burned" or "hydrated" as these forms are quickly available and will therefore give immediate effects. Limestone that is ground so that every particle will pass through a 20 mesh screen together with all the rest of the products incident to such grinding will be very satisfactory if used in larger quantities than the crop will actually need at that time. In this way the lime will tend to last over a longer term of years than if it were all finely ground and at the same time the finer ground particles will become available at once or as soon as any fine ground lime.

Lime should be applied in the fall or winter in most cases, and, if a green crop is to be turned under, the lime should be applied to this crop. When green crops are turned under, the rotting and decay is liable to turn the soil sour or make an acid soil. In light soils this condition rapidly wears away so that no farmer should fear turning under green crops.

Burned lime may act so quickly that it will use up the organic matter or humus in light soils very soon and for that reason many advise against using burned lime on light soils. As Prof. Massey expresses it, "keep enough humus in the soil so that lime will not be able to burn it all out." The beneficial action is so pronounced that it is important that light soils have as much humus added as possible and enough so that lime can not burn it out. There need be but little fear of harmful effects from lime if used mixed with good old fashioned "horse manure."

—GEORGE R. COBB.

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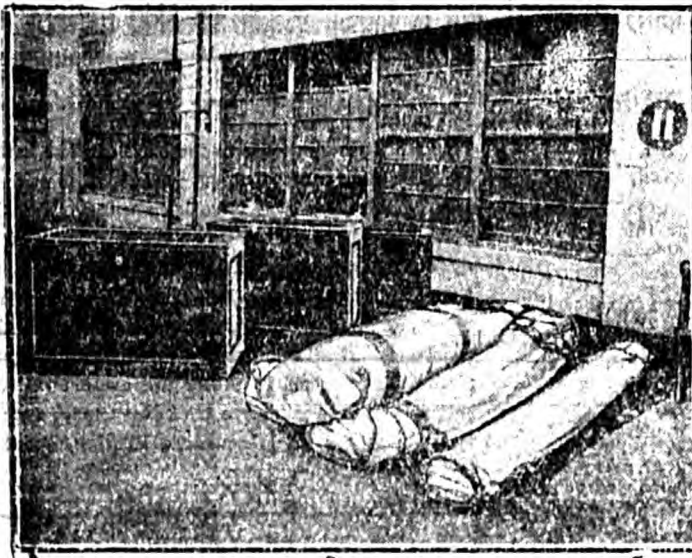
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SUSSEX BOY WON CONTEST

Second Annual State High
School Declamation Contest
Held.

WINNER WAS FREDERICK
WHITNEY, OF FRANKFORD

Every High School Student in Dela-
ware Outside of Wilmington Was
Eligible For Contest—Elimination
Contests in County—Miss Mildred
Calloway, Delmar, Participated.

WINNERS.

First—Frederick Whitney,
Frankford High School.
2nd—Miss Elizabeth Cros-
by, Dover High School.
3rd—Miss Kathleen Roberts,
Delaware City High School.

Frederick Whitney, of the Frank-
ford High School, Sussex county, was
awarded the first prize for oratory
in the second annual State High
School Declamation Contest, held in
the Dover High School last week. His
subject was "Mark Anthony's Ad-
dress." The prize was four war
savings stamps, but in addition young
Whitney also won for his school the
bronze shield, which goes to the High
School furnishing the winner.

The second prize, two war savings
stamps, was won by Miss Elizabeth
Crosby, of the Dover High School,
whose subject was "Treasure Trove."
The third prize of one war savings
stamp went to Miss Kathleen Roberts,
of the Delaware City High School.
Her subject was "The Lie." Each
county is represented in the prize
winners.

Every High School student in Dela-
ware outside of Wilmington was
eligible for this contest. Elimination
contests were held in the schools two
weeks ago and then followed county
elimination contests when three con-
testants were selected from each
county for the State Declamation
Contest held last Friday night.

The Opera House was crowded
with relatives and friends of the con-
testants. Delegations of students
were present from the various
schools represented and gave
their school yells. There was music
and moving pictures previous to the
starting of the orations.

The judges were Dr. W. Owen Sy-
pherd, Professor George E. Dutton
and Professor W. A. Wilkinson, all
of the University of Delaware. The
contestants and the subjects in addition
to the winner were as follows:

"Michael Strogoff," Harold Buggs,
of the Alexis I. duPont School, New
Castle county.
"The Baron's Last Banquet," J.
Lynn Pratt, Milford High School.
"Emmett's Reply," Mildred Callo-
way, Delmar High School.
"The Bear Story," Carl Scull, Caes-
ar Rodney High School, Wyoming.
"A Grand Opera," Gladys Gabriel,
Middletown High School.
"Swore Off," James Willey, Lewes
High School.

ENJOYABLE BIRTHDAY PARTY ON FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Donnelly gave
their daughter, Mary, a delightful
birthday party on Friday evening, in
honor of her fourteenth birthday an-
niversary. Those present were Mr.
and Mrs. Clarence Hitchens, Misses
Pearl Livingston, Thelma Hearn, Min-
nie Ellis, Pauline Meehine, Violet
Givans, Etta Hastings, Lillian Woot-
ten, Mildred Ellis, Mildred Parker, Lal-
lian Leonard, Dorothy West, Elsie West,
Hattie Smith, Mildred Hastings, Lela
West, Anna Hastings, Marie Han-
cock, Alice Hastings, Thelma Gordy,
Erma Ellis, Gladys Venables, Agnes
Donnelly, Messrs. Thomas Parker,
Howard Courtney, Johnny Brown,
Walter Truitt, Raymond Cox, Charles
Lewis, Murdock Powell, of Delmar;
Howard Culver, Harland Owens, Bid-
dy Hitchens, Earl James, of Laurel
and "Pete" Mitchell, of Salisbury. At
a late hour the guests were invited
into the beautifully decorated dining
room where refreshments were served.
After enjoying many different
kinds of games, the guests departed
for their homes, wishing their hosts
many more happy birthdays.

Don't fail to read the opening chap-
ters of "The Wreckers," the greatest
railroad story ever written, which ap-
pear on page 8.

BATTLES TO RUN RAILROAD SQUARELY

Graham Norcross, General Manager
Pioneer Short Line, Fights For
What He Thinks Is Right.

When Graham Norcross, general
manager of the Pioneer Short Line,
determined to run his railroad square-
ly, he was in for the fight of his life
with the corrupt stock jobbers and
crooked politicians in league with
them. Norcross' opponents meant
business. They didn't shy at gun
fights and causing train wrecks.
To kidnap the general manager of a
railroad is not an every-day occur-
ance, but this was what happened to
Norcross, in his battles for right
against many odds. Wreck after wreck
occurred on his railroad under suspi-
cious circumstances. Strikes are
started by his enemies, and all in all
General Manager Norcross has a
highly interesting and exciting time
in "The Wreckers," the wonder rail-
road story, written by Francis Lynde,
who was formerly a railroader in the
Rocky Mountains, which will run seri-
ally in The News, and the opening
chapters of which are to be found on
page 8 of this week's issue.

As stated the author was a railroad
man for many years—he writes from
the inside. Reading this captivating
story you will feel all the thrills of
a personal participant in its episodes
—smashing adventures, gun fights,
train wrecks, battles of wits between
industrial giants—and an entic-
ing romance involving a big-brained, big-
souled, far-seeing executive (who be-
lieved in taking public and employees
into partnership with his railroad)
and an unusual woman who possessed
keenness, intuition, strategy and the
female qualities necessary to make
her a perfect complement to the man.
Better read the opening chapter of
"The Wreckers," a wonderful railroad
story which will be found in this issue
of The News.

DELA. GROWERS OF "SWEETS" ARE HOPEFUL

Indications Point To Larger Acreage
In This Section When Planting
Starts Next Month.

Sweet potato shipments are about
at an end in this section and it is es-
timated that the shipments from Sea-
ford alone will amount to 200,000
bushels. A shipper said that there
are only a few carloads left in and
around Seaford and they would be
shipped out this week. The shipments
have been made mostly to Northern,
Western and New England points, and
while the price has not come up to
the last several years, the growers
have done very well. The average
price for the season has been around
\$1.25 per hamper. Last fall when
the first potatoes were shipped the
price per hamper started off at \$1.75.
But before January 1 the price had
dropped to \$1.35 and \$1.40 and before
the winter was over they were sold
at \$1.25 per hamper.

Indications point to a very much
larger acreage in this section when
the planting starts about the middle
of next month. Growers say the
plants are bedded for the new crop.
New and larger storage houses for
the "sweets" are being erected all
over the Peninsula.

NEW DELAWARE TAX LIST HAS BEEN POSTED

Tax notices, giving a detailed state-
ment of how much each taxpayer on
the Delaware side of the town is as-
sessed for the year, and the amount
of their taxes, have been posted in
the postoffice, S. N. Culver's store, and
other prominent places in Delmar.
On Thursday, from 3 to 4 P. M., the
tax assessors will meet at the town
hall for the purpose of hearing any
complaints regarding same. As there
has been a general increase in the as-
sessment basis since the last assess-
ment, there will probably be many
complaints to adjust at the meeting
on Thursday.

MISS MINNIE PALMER DIED LAST SUNDAY

Miss Minnie Palmer, aged 30 years,
died at the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. E. W. Palmer, on Sunday,
April 17, of influenza pneumonia.
Funeral services were held at her late
home, Cherry Hill Poultry Farm, on
Tuesday afternoon, at 2 P. M., at
which Rev. J. W. Jones, the new pas-
tor of the M. E. Church officiated, as-
sisted by Rev. F. N. Faulkner. Inter-
ment was made in the M. E. cemetery.
The deceased was survived by her
parents and one brother, Luther.

WANT TO SHOP IN SALISBURY

Lower Delaware People Would
Trade There If Roads Were
Improved.

PREFER SALISBURY TO
MANY DELA. TOWNS

Citizen of Delmar Says He Was
Surprised At Number of Lower
Delaware People Who Would Shop
in Salisbury If Better Road Were
Built.

That the people of Lower Delaware
are anxious to do their shopping and
business in Salisbury rather than in
the large towns of their own State,
was the opinion formed by a Delmar
man of prominence who attended a
recent meeting in Georgetown in the
interest of good roads. This gentle-
man reports that many of the dele-
gations present at this meeting were
urging and making speeches in favor
of the completion of the road from
Georgetown to Laurel, rather than
from Georgetown to Dover, saying
that they wanted good roads to Salis-
bury, the shopping center of the
Eastern Shore.

"I was really surprised," says this
Delmar man, "at the number of peo-
ple of Lower Delaware who wanted to
go to Salisbury to do their business.
They plainly stated that they did not
want to go to the north, but pre-
ferred to do their business in Salis-
bury, and for that reason wanted the
road between Georgetown and Laurel
completed this week."

"The people of Lower Delaware are
anxious to do business in Salisbury,
and if good roads were built, there is
no question that the bulk of this busi-
ness would go there. The road be-
tween Delmar and Salisbury, is, of
course, a handicap, and is keeping
many people away who want to deal
in Salisbury."

"Salisbury's business men should
realize that the building of this con-
necting link between the Maryland
and Delaware highways is going to
open up a vast territory whose people
will flock to Salisbury weekly. People
nowadays are spoiled on good roads.
They will not travel over roads that
a few years back were considered all
right, but now, with their automobiles,
they are going to do their shopping in
the towns that are connected up with
good roads. Salisbury merchants
would reap a big harvest from Lower
Delaware if they would get a perman-
ent road between Salisbury and Del-
mar."

The "faithful" of Delmar who have
been fighting for years for this im-
provement, fully realize that the
building of this piece of road between
Delmar and Salisbury would benefit
Salisbury more than it would Delmar.
But the fact remains that year after
year they have been promised that
something would be done on the Del-
mar Road, and year after year nothing
has been done.

They say that if the merchants of
Salisbury were one half as progres-
sive as they claim to be, they would
readily see the advantages that they
would receive by the completion of
this connecting link, especially since
Lower Delaware will have a com-
pletely improved road system after
this year's program, and the link be-
tween Delmar and Salisbury will be
all that is necessary to bring the Low-
er Delaware business to the Metropo-
lis of the Eastern Shore.

DELMAR HIGH SCHOOL RESPECTS OLD AGE

The Delmar High School went to
Mardela Springs Thursday, with the
expectation of playing a High School
team, but on arriving there, they
found the first team of Mardela ar-
ranged against them. The Delmar
boys were defeated with a 5 to 2 score,
on account of Delmar's respect for
old age. Many of the Mardela play-
ers were married men, with their
children at the game rooting for them.
Parker, the twirler for Delmar, had
12 strikeouts to his credit.

IRVING CULVER BACK FROM EXTENDED TRIP

Mr. Irving Culver has returned
from an extended trip through many
cities in the interest of the Wicomico
Farmers Association, of which he is
sales manager. While away Mr. Cul-
ver called upon buyers in Syracuse,
Buffalo, Rochester, New York, N. Y.,
Cleveland, O., Philadelphia, Pitts-
burgh, Pa., and many other cities.

PICK MILFORD MAN FOR DRY POST

Delaware Politicians Are Surprised
At Choice of Roy Bennett, of
Milford For Director.

At a meeting of the Sussex county
members of the Republican State
Central Committee held for the pur-
pose of selecting a man for Prohibi-
tion Director of Delaware, decision
was made to recommend to Senator L.
Heisler Ball the name of Roy Bennett,
of Milford, and within a few days it
is presumed that his name will be pre-
sented and within a short time he will
be appointed to the office.

For some time it has been under-
stood that a Sussex county man would
be named, and interest in the fight
for the place has been keen for the
last two weeks. When the meeting
opened it was found that there were
six candidates in the field. Justice of
the Peace Arthur S. Hearn, James
Spicer, Laurel; Robert B. Elliott, for-
mer State Treasurer Thomas N. Raw-
kins, Seaford, and former Clerk of
the Peace James H. Wright, of Bethel,
and Roy Bennett, of Milford. All of
the men had friends within the com-
mittee, and after two hours Bennett
was selected.

While the selection of Bennett was
a surprise, it is said he is thoroughly
qualified for the position. Although
not known as an active Republican
politician for years he has taken an
interest in the political activities of
his district. He is understood to have
had the endorsement of Sen. I. B.
Short and former Rep. J. G. Davis, of
Milford, and Rep. H. E. Clendaniel,
of Lincoln, who were evidently work-
ing for him.

Whether or not the selection will
have a tendency to disturb the polit-
ical equilibrium of the party remains
to be seen. In view of the fact that
the aspirants were political workers,
some one evidently put "one over on
them." Just how it was done no one
seems to know.

BANKERS MET IN DELMAR WEDNESDAY

Representatives of Banks of Worces-
ter, Somerset and Wicomico Coun-
ties Were Present.

Representatives of the Associated
Banks of Somerset, Worcester and
Wicomico counties, held their semi-
annual meeting in Delmar on Wednes-
day, as the guests of the officials of
the Bank of Delmar and the First Na-
tional Bank of Delmar.

In the afternoon addresses were de-
livered on subjects of much impor-
tance to the bankers present and in
the evening a banquet was held which
was enjoyed by the representatives of
the banks in the three counties pres-
ent.

William F. Brattan, cashier of the
First National Bank of Snow Hill,
president of the association, presided
at the meeting. The following exec-
utive committee was in attendance:
Dr. S. A. Graham, cashier Farmers
and Merchants Bank, Salisbury; Os-
car M. Purnell, president Deposit
Bank of Snow Hill, and Warren F.
Sterling, cashier Bank of Crisfield.

All of the banks in Somerset, Wor-
cester and Wicomico counties were
represented at the meeting.

THE BENSON SHOWS OPENED ON MONDAY

The James M. Benson Shows opened
in this city on Monday for a one
week's stand for the benefit of the
Jr. O. U. A. M. of Delmar. Early on
Monday morning the tented city took
shape and by the time of the after-
noon performances everything was in
readiness. The shows are enjoying
good patronage each afternoon and
evening. Especially attractive are the
free attractions, which include a high
dive, given twice daily, and band con-
certs at different intervals. This is
one of the largest carnivals that has
visited Delmar in many years and the
local lodge of Mechanics is to be con-
gratulated upon having secured such
a company to come here. Their shows
are clean, classy and new, and are be-
ing enjoyed by many daily.

FRANKFORD HIGH SCHOOL SPANKS DELMAR H. S.

Before a large crowd, the Delmar,
Del., High School team was defeated
by the Frankford High School team
on the Frankford grounds on Friday af-
ternoon by a score of 9 to 7. The
many errors made by the Delmar
boys was the cause of their defeat.
The game was cinched by Frankford
from the start. The pitching of Bak-
er and the playing of Truitt and Pusey
were the features of the game.

SEWERAGE ELECTION ON MAY 23?

Rumor Has It That Date Has
Been Set For Referendum
Election.

ONE VOTE FOR
EVERY \$1 TAXES PAID

Voters Can Vote By Proxies If Unable
To Be Present At Election—Women
Are Interested, and Are Expected
To Work For Improvement—Would
Increase Tax Rate About 35 Cents.

Rumor, unconfirmed, on the streets
of Delmar, is to the effect that the
town election on the sewerage ques-
tion will be held on the Delaware side
of the town on Monday, May 23, at
which time the voters will be called
upon to decide whether or not the
town shall be bonded for \$58,000,
which will be used for the purpose of
installing a modern sewer system, a
sewerage disposal plant and the curbing
of the streets for drainage of
flood waters.

So much publicity has been given
to these efforts of the progressive citi-
zens on the Delaware side of the
town, that it is unnecessary to again
recount them. But every citizen
should bear in mind the important
fact that when this election is called,
they will be given an opportunity to
get the improvements they long have
sought.

The women are especially interested
in this question, and as, under the
provisions of an act of the recent
Delaware legislature, they will be en-
titled to vote at the coming election,
there is no question that their influ-
ence and votes will be on the side of
better sanitary and living conditions
in Delmar.

Under the provisions of the bill
which authorizes the City Council to
call this election, the "Delmar" refer-
endum will prevail; that is, every
voter is entitled to one vote, and every
taxpayer is entitled to one vote for
every dollar in taxes he or she paid
in the preceding year.

A voter or taxpayer can vote by
proxy; that is, if unable to be present
on the day of election, he or she can
authorize some one else to cast the
vote to which he or she is entitled.

Mayor Thornton recently told the
reporter of The News that if this bond
issue is authorized by the voters and
the improvements made, that it will
only increase the tax rate 35 to 40
cents on the \$100, which will raise
enough money with the revenue ex-
pected from other sources to pay the
interest each year and provide a
sinking fund of \$1,000 a year for the
payment of the principal when due.

Much interest is being manifested
on the Delaware side in the coming
referendum election, and it is expect-
ed that the bond issue will be author-
ized by a substantial majority, and
the people will thus pave the way for
a better, cleaner and more sanitary
Delmar.

DELMAR PEOPLE FAVOR TEACHER PAY INCREASE

Took Active Part In Recent Meeting
Before County Commissioners
In Salisbury.

The patrons of the schools in Del-
mar are behind the movement for an
increase in pay for the school teach-
ers of the county, as was evidenced
by the prominent part they took in
the recent meeting held before the
County Commissioners in Salisbury, at
which time it was urged that the pay
for the teachers be increased \$50 per
year.

One man prominent in the affair of
Delmar, on Saturday stated that he
could not understand how the com-
missioners could refuse to grant
increase after that meeting, a
prominent people from every part
of the county were present urging
it be granted. He said the tax-
payer's request was very reasonable, a
teacher of \$50 a year, and if this was
granted an increase in the tax rate
that the commissioners should be
ahead and make the increase, which
the welfare of our children depends
on, cent or two on the tax rate.

"It has always seemed strange to
me that we are willing to invest
care of our children to teachers
whom we pay small salaries, but
our automobiles need attention
pay \$2 an hour for workmen on the
without a grumble," he said.