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The Latest Gleanings From All Over the State

Baltimore.—Expenditures of Bruce Campaign committee in the general election campaign this fall amounted \$44,618.70 according to report filed with the clerk of the Circult Cart by Clarence K. Bowle, treasurer. Contributions were shown on \$44,622.50, leaving a balance of

Oakland .- The Garrett County Pub-He Health Association was organized here, following a talk by Dr. Knex, of Baltimore, Chief of the Maryland Children's Bureau. The following officers were chosen: President, E. Z. Tower; vice-president, Mrs. N. L'roadwater; secretary, Mrs. E. R. O'Donnell, and treasurer, Mrs. Julius

Cumberland .- The County Board of Education, through William L. Sperry, its president, has filed a petition with the Board of County Commissioners requesting that they advertise and zell \$5,00,000 bonds, designated as Alle gany County School Bonds of 1923. to be sold to the highest bidder. January 12, 1923. The money is to be used for proposed new buildings and

improvements in the county.

Cumberland.-Following his acquittal on the charge of stealing \$550 from MR father, the late George W. ("Buck") Norris, farmer of near Lit tle Orleans, this county, who was mysteriously slain, the State dis missed the charge of murder against Raymond Norris, 19-year-old son of the victim. The jury disregarded the alleged confession of young Norris that he stole the money.

Havre de Grace.-The business of fice of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, located in this city will soon be removed to Belair. the district office of the county. Miss May Haut, who has had the office in charge for the last year, will be transferred to Belair. The telephone con pany opened its business office here eleven years age with Milton E. Ger-ber as shanger. He now has charge of the Baltimore district.

Frederick.-An award of \$14.85 per week for 337.7 weeks, a total of \$4,-991 75 was made by the State Industrial Accident Commission to Mrs Ruby E. Adams, widow of Policeman John H. Adams, who was shot and Instantly killed last August by William A. Stultz, who was executed here ments will be made by the city. The average weekly pay of Adams, was

Baltimore .- Dr. J. Hubert Wade, chairman and treasurer of the Democratic State Central Committee, filed with the clerk of the Circuit Court of Washington county, at Hagerstown, a statement showing receipts and expenditures by him in the recent campaign. These are independent of the contributions to and disbursements by the Bruce Campaign Committee and the various county organizations, Acording to Dr. Wade's report, he reselved \$5,919, and spent \$5,863.65.

Baltimore.-Expenditures by the Republican State Central Committee during the recent election campaign were \$1,508.61, it was disclosed in a statement filed in Circuit Court by Clinton O. Richardson, assistant treas urer of the committee. The report, made in accordance with terms of the Corrupt Practices Act, showed contributions totaled \$1,650. The heaviest subscribers were Postmaster Benjamin F. Woelper, Jr., Prohibition Director Edmund Budnitz and Attorney General Alexander Armstrong.

Oakland,-The monthly meeting of the Patron-Teacher Association of the Oakland High and Grammar schools was marked by an old-fashioned spelling match. The best spellers of the high school were pitted against a team apptained by E. Z. Tower, clerk of the Circuit Court. The high school team was the victor. Miss Della Brennaman on the high team and Mrs. Grover Stemple on the Tower team were the last to leave the floor The Rev. Henry A. Grubbs, pastor of the Carrett Memorial Presbyterian Church, was the pronouncer. After the match, refreshments were served, the floor cleared and many in the as sembly indulged in dancing.

Cambridge,-Wounded Thursday in a battle between oyster tongers of Wicotalco and Dorchester counties, Emerson Pritchett died in the Cambridge Hospital. Chief Judge John R. Pattison has called a special session of the Borchester county Grand Jury to act on a charge of first degree murder brought against Captain John W. Collier and William Travers, of Nanticoke, accused of killing Prichett. Arrested by Sheriff John H. Farlow, of Wicomico county, and turned over to Sheriff Wheatley, of Dorcheser county, and Descetive Frederick . Harbourne, of Baltimore, who hapened to be in the vicinity on other usiness, the accused made no state-

Worth Remembering.
Though, and the world laughts with you; but not if you laugh at your lave foke.

***************** STATE CAPITAL

Board To Revise Tax Laws.

Governor Ritchie appointed a com tax laws under the provisions of s bill passed by the last Legislature The appointees are: J. Assustine Mason, Hagerstown; Frank Novak Francis King Carey, George C. Szith and William H. Mutthal, all of Balti-

more city.
Mr. Carey and Mr. Mason are law yers. Mr. Novak to a builder, Mr. Smith is the director of the Industrial Bureau of the Baltimese Board of Trade and Mr. Matthers a manufac-

turer. The bill provided for the commission was drawn by Oscar Lever, a member of the Shite Tax Commission, and was satisfictory to the other members of that body. It carries no appropriation, and therefore, if any expense incurred, the next Legislature

will have to be called upon. The bill says it shall be the duty of the commission to "investigate thoroughly the systems of State, county and municipal taxation in force in this State, including direct and indirect taxation, licenses, taxes, valuations and assessments, and collections, and all other matters pertaining to the subject of revenue and

taxation." A report is to be turned over to the Governor by December 1, 1922, to be submitted by him to the General Assembly. The coucleding section says the expenses of the comm shall be defrayed out of such funds as may be provided in the budget. There is no money so provided in the budget, however.

Lists Held Unnecessary.

Corporations will not be required to furnish local taxing authorities with lists of their stockholders, under a ruling by Alexander Armstrong, Attorney-General. The opinion was given at the request of the State Tax Commission.

Under old laws lists were turns over by corporations so stock owners could be taxed for their holdings. More recent statutes make such taxes payable by the corporations. Objection was made to furnishing lists to local addicables, on the ground that strong held that later laws had the effect of repealing the statute requiring such lists.

The provision that the Stale Tax Commission shall be furnished with names of stockholders is not affected by the ruling.

Blames State For Crime.

Responsibility for the bulk of crime and lawlessness in Maryland was laid to the State's "wet" complexion by George W. Crabbe, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland, ja an address Sunday at the Madison Square Methodist Episcopal Church.

"The judicial bodies have ruled that the provisions of the Lighteenth disobey are guilty of aiding anarchy. Maryland, by her attitude, nurtures bands of lawbreakers, and if the State isn't blg enough to take the warning of the judges, we are guilty of criminal action."

County filds Nursing Plan.

The Baltimore County Commission ers informed a delegation, of which E. B. Passano was chairman, that they would appropriate \$2,060 toward defraying the expense of maintaining a public nursing service in the county next year. Mr. Passano stated that it was proposed to organize a publihealth association to take over the work in the county which was recently discontinued by the Red Cross. It was stated that the State board of Health would pay the office expense and the Red Cross will contribute an automobile and other equipment.

Veterans Reorganize.

A new constitution was adopted and the name of the Reserve Officers' Association of Baltimore was changed to the "Reserve Officers' Associatio of Maryland" at a meeting at the

Richmond Market Armory. The action was taken at the instance of the Reserve Officers' As sociation of the United States, whose constitution requires that it shall be composed of State organizations. The meeting was presided over by Lieut. Col. J. B. Jenkins, Engineer Corps, R. O. T. C.

State Grangers To Meet.

Arrangements are being made for the Maryland State Grange, which will be held on December 11, 12, 18 and 14 in the auditorium of the State Normal School at Towson. Worthy Master B. John Black will preside. The sixth degree will be conferred on December 13. The program will be in charge of Pomona Grange of

First Army With Iron Weapons. The Assyrings were the first equip an army with iron weapons,

Baltimore county.

SCCUT HARMONICA CHAMPION

a period that may take its phace in the traditions of the Hudson, along, with the story of 'Rip Van Winkle' and the "Legend of Sleepy Hollow," came within the two weeks preceding the great harmonical contest held recently at the boy scoul camp, Ecar mountain, interstate Palicades park, New York, for during this time, it is rumored, not a mosquity but in an analysis. mored, not a mosquito pet in an appearance and blasts of peculiar sound came echoing over the river to the Pullsades. Some of the inhabitants said these noises sometin be "It's a Long Long Way to Tipp rary" competing for prom "Humoresque," and again the "Last Rose of Summer" would be chee-fully chiming over "Peg o' My Heart."

The inside truth of the story, how ever, is that out of 2,000 boys at ti encampment, the majority were spe ing every space mitants from reve to taps, at mess hall or as mount hikes, getting into shar contest. Every breath of just a step further tow plouship. So "Music swe was a difficult task for



CLIFFGED ST. HILL

preliminaries to select the fine contestants. At one camp hi particular, with great difficulty, the choice nered down from six to two boys each intensely eager to gain the hone of appearing. When Scout Potter hear he had lost to his opponent, he smiled and said with the real scout spirit: "That suits me all right. Now we will have to see that the other fellow wins.

On the night of the big contest hun dreds of boys cause by land and water from the various camps to the main Amendment are just as binding as hall. Enthusiastic applause rang to any others," he said, "and those who the rafters after each boy's effort, and when Clifford St. Hill, age thirteen, of Troop 5, Woodhaven, L. I., was pro-nounced victor, the audience arose as one man, with appreciative cries, "Give us another tune, give us another tune." Clifford's selections were "Auld Lang Syne." "There's a Long, Long Trall" and "March from 'Aida'." He was presented with the Habner gold medal and one of the finest harmonicas made and the world had a new champion.

Second place was won by Richard Johnson, sixteen years old, of Troop 208, the Bronx. He received a silver medal and a harmonica.

William Murphy of Troop 15, Richmond, Staten Island, captured the third prize, a bronze medal and a harmonica. By courtesy of the largest manufacturers of harmonicas in the world, the boys were treated to a number of selections by William Burke, who has been playing the harmonica professionally for forty-two years.

SCOUT AVERTS TRAGEDY

A youthful San Franciscan of the mb-scout age was whittling, as small boys since the beginning of time have delighted to do. Being uninitiated as to the fact that it's a rash thing to whittle toward instead of from onesself, he went at the business wrong The knife slipped. The blood spuried, a great gash appeared in the young-ster's arm. A scout heard the youngster's a mans and ran to the rescue. He improvised and applied a tourniquet.

RELIEF APPRECIATED

In recognition of the manly he'p of Indianapolis scouts in last year's clothing drive of the Near East relief. A certificate of service, bearing the sig-nature of the national heads of relief organizations, was presented to scout headquarters. The inscription reads as follows: "In recognition of the splendid humanitarian life-saving serv lice rendered by Indianapel's Council, Boy Scouts of America, in behalf of the orphan children and stricken peo-ple of the Near East."

As a General Thing. n one says "it is the unexpe happens," he means sop

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onse, who had hired him for the day "Mis' Lutie," he said, "Ah done go message dat mah sister out here is country's had a h'ad fall, and dep wants me to come right away."

That afternoon the voman's husband net old Caesar down town. "Why, laesar," he said, "I thought you'd had a go to see your sister in the coun-

"Yassuh, yassuh," the old negro hur riedly assured him "Ah done started, suh; yassuh. Den," he added in a sud-den burst of inspiration, "Ah done got anudder message said she didn't fall

Only One Virtue in Looking Back.
We ought not to look back unless
it is to derive useful lessons from past
errors, and for the purpose of profiting
by dearly bought experience.—Wash-

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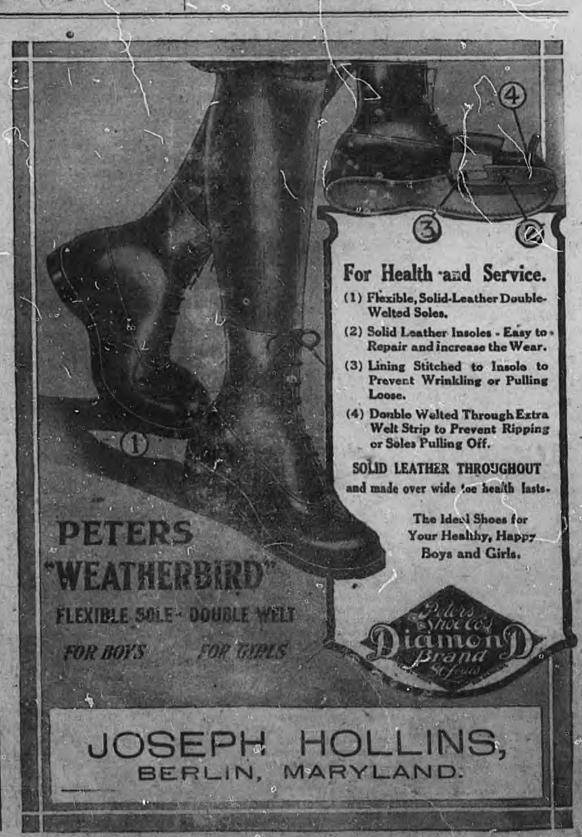
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Church Rally.

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the beginning of a revival of inter ry line. Come with us and help to

make them a grand success.

PROGRAM:

2.30 p. m. Opening remarks and prayer by the Pastor, W. F. Godwin. 2 40 p. m. Address by Mr. Raigh Farp ham, Topic: Difficulties in the way of Adequate Compensation for the Farmer

3.00 p. m. Address by Mr. Hale Harrison. Topic: Farming as a Business. 3.20 p. m. Miss Lucy J. Walter, County Home Demonstration Agent. Topic: Cultivating Home Spirit. 4.00 p. m. Fun and Frolic. Miss Mary Warren, Miss Eloise Kelley and Miss Viola Bradford, leaders.

5,30 p. m. Supper, 35 cts. Five to ten-minute talks on the theme Factors entering into a wholesome and pleasant community life:

Miss Eloise Kelley, The Factor of Recreation. Was Viola Bradford, The Factor of Social Life

liss Virginia West, The Factor of Home life

The Factor of Religion. 7,00 p. m. Community Singing, Lead-

er, Miss Frances Hancock, 7.3 p. m. Address by Senator Orlan do Harrison. Topic: Keeping Everlastingly at it Brings Success.

8.00 p. m. Mr. E. I. Oswald, County Agent, Topic: How the Government and State can assist the Farmer. Religious Rally and Beginning of Winter Evangelistic Services, Sun-

day, December Third.

Sunday School hour. Speak. County S. S. Association. Collins.

7,30 p. m. Evangelistic Service Preaching by Dr. Collins. Special song selection by Mr. A. Wimbrow and Mrs. C. C. Ewell,

Preaching every night at 7.30. Monday Night, Dec. 4, Rev. S. N Pitchard will preach.

W. F. Godwin, pastor,

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During the war the governmen offered war savings stamps, paying about 4 per cent as a method of saving for people of small means. Since the war, and to take the place of war savings stamps, the Govern ment offered Treasury savings certificates in denominations of \$25, \$100 and 1,000, new sold to invest. ors at \$20 50, \$82 and \$820, respectively. They pay 4 percent if held until maturity, five years from the date of issue. - About, \$625,000,000 of War Savings Stamps, series of 1918, become due January 1st, 1923 and the Government now offers to Farm" and formerly owned by Sewell issue Treasury savings certificates in Jones, one mile north of Taylorville C W. Brawbaker at Hagerstown. exchange for them, affording the Church, on owners an opportunity to continue a safe investment with good interest. Saving has furnished the life blood for many nations and insures prosperity to the people. The Governby offering sound and attractive securities for the investment of small sums. If you want to save, and in-

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Elementary Teachers Met In Berlin.

meetings lanned by the Superin- winters has had a successful 10,000 elementary grade teachers of Worces- is now extended to the counties. this group, were present with the ex- of white persons enrolled in the because of unavoidable reasons.

As one of the major objectives for the present achool year is the bringing up of all school boys and girls reading, this subject was especially emphasized in the program. A lowed by discussion. Suggestive Saturday, Dec. 2nd, will be de- lesson assignments were brought in Somerset voted to a Community Rally and by each teacher of the group. Good Calvert Sunday will begin a Religious Rally, and bad reading habits were dis- Dorchester We hope these events will mark cussed while at the same time suggestions were offered for strengthen- Carroll est in community welfare along eve- ing the good habits and eliminating

the bad ones. Following the discussions, Super- Howard intendent Humphreys spoks on the Queen Anne 3,532 pecessity of having a carefullyworked-out plan of work in order to Kent save time and to insure the realiza- Washington 15,647 tion of our statewid - objectives for Cecil the present school year He a'so Baltimore spoke on the necessity of definite Montgomery 6,294 esson assignments each day in all Garrett subjects and recommended that Dr | Harford Dewey's statement, "Learning proceeds most effectively in the light of a sp c fic purpose," be mad the Charles theoretical icd star for the remain- St. Masy's der of the year.

The next of the group meetings will be held at Snow Hill, Thursday, December 7

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solved. 1.3) p. m. Rev. Vaughan S. Collins All persons owing the above-named will preach and administer the Holy firm are requested to make settlement before January 1st, 1923, to A. W. Peters, Berlin, Md., as the partnership business of R. C. Peters & Sons must be closed by that date.

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Tuesday, Dec. 12th, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m. the following personal property: Mule, horse, cow, chickens, two-horse

wagon, 2 dump certs, single haul wagon, hay rake, potato planter, grass ment is doing everything possible to mower, single-row corn planter, 2 cultiencourage saving in the Unite 1 States | vators, 3 plows, drag-harrow, weeder. lawn-mower, fodder-sled, corn-sheller, grain-seeder, spray pump with barrel, hoes, forks, and hand-rakes, grindstone many carpenter and mechanics' tools, sure your future, it would pay you corn, fodder, several cords oak wood, 2 were expected home for the Thanksto investigate Uncle Sam's Savings extra fine caddles with bridles, and giving holidays. blankets, 11-ft, rowboat, kitchen-ware, 2 wood stoves, oil cook stove with oven. oil heater, 4 oil lamps, Colman gas lamp, chairs, dining table, rugs, writing-desk. 4 beds, 2 bed couches, several small tables, sewing-machine, 2 carpet sweepers, set wicker parler furniture, window shades, and hangings, 5 guns with rack, and many other articles.

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Sunday School Statistics.

In Baltimore, the Maryland Sun-The fourth of a series of group day School Association for two tendent and the Supervisor for the membership Campaign. The plan ter County was beld at the high Largely obtained from the denomschool building in Berlin, Friday, institutal year books, the white November 24. The twenty-eight Sunday School population is shown three generations on this continent. teachers of the East and West Ber. in the first column below, while the It would be wrong to blame the rein Districts, who were assigned to per cent column shows the per cent

ception of two, who were absent Sunday Schools. Not all of the colored denominations have Sunday School statistics shown in their minutes, so the record is of the white population. The last column in the county to the standard in shows the quotas assigned to the different counties to be gained by April 1st, 1923.

County S. S. Popu- Per lation. cent

2,404 500 8,632 13,596 41% 5,344 4,146 300 800 3,244 Allegheny 14,951 Prince Geo. 6,681 Anne Arundel6,251

Not it cluding our clard population, Mar, land lacks only 2 per cent of equalling in enrollment the best Sunday-School State in the Union, Penns, Iva .ia. The Eastern Shore carries off the honors. It is expected that the giving of quotas will become a permanent plan for the State. Every county president sub-divides the quota of his cou sty to the schools, which in turn subdivides from Cradle Roll to Hem-Department The count will be made from April 1, 1922, to April

Balto. City 121,000

278,275

50

22%

If the 300 schools in Ba time re counties should at least do as well. In the matter of secretaries' re-

Catt olics than water people and is 80 per cent of that faith Charles Custy is a little less than 50 pr cent Catholic and in the County there are a out 1100 more with people than Catholics Hence in wide field from which to recruit.

A NEW BUILDING. St. John's Lutheran Church o Hagerstown, November 19th, dedicated one of the largest Sunday School buildings ever erected in the United States It co-t \$120,000 and there is not a dark corner in it. BUSINESS LOCATED AT FLOWER ST The pastor of the church is Dr. J.

E Harms.

THREE PARADES. Frederick, Hagerstown and Westminster have recently had monster men's Bible Class parades These filled the largest ball of their respective cities for the address following and thousands were unable

OCEAN CITY.

was a great success; each one carried out his part with a zeal that and every available person is set to showed both talent and preparation. Many of our young people, who

have been away to various colleges, Sergeant Eugene Dennis and son,

Landis, who have been giving the fruit growers against possible losses. bootleggers around Cape Charles a scare, spent the week-end with their family at Ocean City. We are glad to report that little

John Quillin is home again, af.er a makes two scratches with one foot long stay at Mercy Hospital, Balti- and one scratch with the other and

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lee Massey and little son spant the week-end with Mrs. Massey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dennis.

TO CIVILIZATION VOLGA VILLAGE IN AMERICA PROPERTY TO CIVILIZATION VOLGA VILLAGE VILLAG

investigator Denies That Baldnes Comes as a Result of Habits of Modern Man.

Shedding the hair of the head is part of the present evolution of civil-Hrdlicka, of the Smithsonian institution, who has made an extensive anany particular habits of civilized man or on disease conditions.

These may play a part, he says, but the real cause is hereditary. The hair ends toward an earlier sentility and tions than it was in the past. Nature does not tolerate for long what has

It is the men who are getting bald, he finds. Women lose halr, too, he says, but not nearly so rapidly as the males. He is sure the women, do not mislead him, as all of them were examined with their hair undone and freely hanging down, Although Doctor Hrdlicka explains the predisposition ance, he adds words of wee to the flapper by explaining that the reason women have longer-clinging hair is that "possibly the weight of the female hair acts as a tonic."-Science

MARK TWAIN'S SENSITIVE EAR

Biographer Records Fact That Certain Sounds Would Drive Humorist to Border of Distraction.

Mark Twain passed middle life

without music menning more to him than a pretty tune or a prodigious performance, a rather remarkable fact when one considers what an artist the man was in his own field. If Mark Twain had been stone deaf the fact might have been less remarkable, but we have already noted that he could play the piano sufficiently well by ear to provide his own accompaniments for the negro spirituals, and it is of further record that he was a man so singularly sensitive to certain sounds that they sometimes drove him to the borders of hysteria. Mr. Paine has touched slightly on this peculiarity. sideration in estimating the humorist's life than the authorized blography would lead one to believe He relates the incident of the chicks in the home of Thomas Nast, the cartoonist, when Twain and George W. Cable, in the course of a reading tour, lodged for the night with the Nast family. But that was not the only time that the ticking of a clock so tortured Twain's perves that he took high-handed means to slience it.-From "Mark Twain and Music," by Ralph Holmes, in the Century.

Russia Coming Back?

g in 10,000 a ye r, the 1,500 of the came through the trein shouting: "Blankville, 20 minutes stop for sup per," are being duplicated in Russia ports, the following counties are being restored and railway station reshonor ones of the State: Freder co , tourners, foodless and closed for four Kent, Caroline, Carrol and Prisce during the revolution had nothing to ent on long journeys except what they brought with t'aem, but now practitrains pull in a scramble for food ensues that would rival an American quick-lunch counter during the rush iours. Some of the more important trains have dining cars, but they are patronized only by first-class passen gers, and even many of these enjoy these two counties, there is n t , the rush at the station restaurants more than the decorum of the wagonrestaurant.

Women as Strikebreakers.

The king of Spain is believed to have displayed a stroke, of genius by calling on the women of Spain to take the places of the striking postmen, the Woman's Weekly remarks. The postoffice strike has caused great confusion in transportation and delivery of the mails and much sabotage was in dulged in. The women of Spain, who have received probably fewer priviteges than in any other European country, responded with enthusiasm thousands entering the service, and they soon showed efficiency and gave satisfaction. The move proved popufar with the people of every class. since it added to the number of breadwinners of the country. So success ful has the experiment proved and so willing have the men been to stop partments of the government.

Saved California Raisins. In the great raisin-grape growing district of central California the drying is done in trays in the open all Great loss would result if rain should The play that was given by the fall on the partially dried fruit; hence Seniors of Ocean City High School | when rain is expected the information | Not to be outdone by those reaping is immediately sprend throughout the the shekels in this golden age of radio, valley by telephone and telegraph, stacking the trays. Even the schools pairing clotheslines in backyards. may be closed and the children pressed into service, and wee betide the unfortunate tramp caught in the district who has a disinclination to be-come acquainted with work. This is fixing aerials then repairing washmother instance indicative of the val- lines," he said. "The work is simple

> An Arkanese Puzzle, Jim Hudson says that as long as he has been chicken peddling that he has never learned why that a chicken then reverses feet next time .- Plainfield correspondence Magnotia News.

Travel Not Always Necessary. To understand that the sky is blu everywhere, we need not go round the

New York Community Might in Effect Have Been Transported Bodily Into This Country.

Except for its one telephone wire and two automobiles, Little York, N. Y., might be a Volga pensant village transplanted bodily from Russia to the United States.

It has neither gas nor electricity; neither bathtubs nor sewers; no water supply except a spring. In fact, Little York Isn't even or the map or in the post office guide. None the less it is a place to know

about, if not to live in, writes Eula McClary in the New York World, It is a village of pistachio and choe loss because it has become of less use ant families with a total population to man living under modern condi- of 500. Modern inventions are lux urles beyond the purse of most o

> Covering less than a square mile of fertile meadow and farm land, Little York lies at the foot of Mount Adam and Mount Eve, beautiful hills of the lower Catskills.

The Inhabitants, Russian-German Lutherans from the Volga river valley, Catherine II from Prussia info Russia when the German princess became the wife of the future cznr.

They have brought with them to Little York the traditions and cusreligion of their ancestors. Unlike American farmers, the peasants live ual plots of land. The village is sitnated on the hillside and overlooks the fertile mendow land, divided into variaffluence of the owner. The largest farm has ten acres and the smallest

ROMANS BELIEVED IN OMENS Had Direct Influence on Their

Actions. The ancient Romans were great be lievers in signs and seldom cared to undertake an enterprise without con sulting them. Some persons looked at birds flying overhead. Others cut up animals, to see what "signs" were in side. Perhaps most interesting of all was the custom of keeping certain chickens and calling them sacred. If some one wanted to know if a plan would succeed, he tried to feed the chickens. If they are heartly, it was a good sign. If they refused to eat, the plan was probably given up. When a Roman died, food and drink were placed beside his body in the tom Animals were sarrificed, and milk or wine was thrown on the ground. This was repeated every year. If the relabecome evil and to bring bad luck. Animals were sacrificed in honor of the gods, as well as for the spirits of men. Pigs, oven and sheep were the creatures most often killed. Flour and salt were sprinkled over each ani-

and then the priest raised a large blow. Prayers were said by those looking on. The bones and fat were placed on the altar and burned.

That's Different, Times were hard and bill collectors came nearly every day to see Ole. This annoyed him very much. Every time a collector came he threw up his hands, shook his head and talked Norwegian. One day a mowing-machine collector called and found another collector ahead of him, also trying to get money from Ole.

"I've been working on him for nearly an hour, but the poor fellow can't understand a word of English," said the derstand a word of English," said the wasting any more time on him."

"That's too bad," returned the other. "I wanted to tell him that as I was coming up the road one of his cows broke through the fence and is-" Before he could say another word, Ole jumped three feet from the ground and shouted. "By yiminy jumpup, var she go?" and disappeared down the road in a cloud of dust.—Forbes Mag-

Typhoid in Rural Districts. Typhold fever is almost twice as prevalent in the rival districts of this country as in the cities. This has been definitely shown by the figures gathered in the registration district of the ered in the registration district of the United States, where the death rate b the rural localities was 9.6 per 100,000 persons, while in the cities it was 5.3 There are states, however, which show that an excess of rural population need not carry with it a high typhol work and go on strike, that there is fever death rate. Wisconsin is a con talk of applying the plan to other de- spicuous example. This state, with more than half its population rural, had a typhoid fever rate of 2.5 per 100,000, which is identical to that of Massachusetts, which is almost entire

Fixing Radio Aeriais.

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"In some blocks I make more mone

uable service rendered by the weath-er bureau of the United States Demuch safer. And you don't have to compared to climbing line poles and partment of Agriculture in warning know a lot about science to fix the Beginning of English Literature.

English literature may be said to have begun with Chaucer, about the middle of the Fourteenth century. There were works written earlier than that, but they are in a language so different from modern English that they cannot be read without a glos-

Thought for the Day. When some people get too old to furnish a bad example they turn to giving good advice.

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mon and sult, one teaspoonful of soda, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of cocoa, one-third of a cupful of melted fat, one-half cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of molasses, one egg, one-half cupful of sour milk and one and one-half cupfuls of marshmallows. Sift the flour and dry ingredients together. Cream the fat with the sugar, add molasses, egg, and sour milk. Add the dry Ingredients, bake in a moderate oven about 30 minutes. Remove from the oven and cut open through the center. Spread the lower half with marshmallows cut in fine pieces and cover with the upper half. Cut in squares, arrange on plates, and serve while warm with whipped cream.

Nellie Maxwell

Country's Farm Population.

Recent staffstles sent out by the census authorities show that the farm population of the United States is only 31,014,200, a little less than 30 per cent of the total. This includes farm operators and farm laborers and their families, who live in the country, and shows an average of about five persons to each farm. About half the people in the nation are classified as rural-that is, they live in the country or in towns having fewer than 2,500 inhabitants, but only 61 per cent of the "rurals" are actually engaged in farming. Thus 39 per cent of the rural population and the entire city population must be fed by the men engaged in agriculture. It gives the farmer a big job. Only a few years ago each farmer had to provision his own family and one other family-now he must furnish food for nearly three other families besides his own. His occupation should not fall. -Farm Life.

Was Taking No Chances. Phil was entertaining his cousin Jack while Jack's parents were away. One day while passing candy he gave Jack a smell piece, and when asked why he did not give him more, he said: "I don't want a sick child on

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 3 JESUS SENDING OUT MISSION-

LESSON TEXT-Luke 10:1-24.
GOLDEN TEXT-The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that He would send forth laborers into the harvest.-Luke 10:2. REFERENCE MATERIAL - Matthew

PRIMARY TOPIC -Jesus Sends Out Seventy Helpers.

JUNIOR TOPIC-Jesus Sends Forth Seventy Missionaries.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Heralds of the Kingdom.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
Our Home Mission Work,

1. The Seventy Sent Forth (vv. 1, 2). 1. Appointed by the Lord (v. 1). Only those should go forth who are appointed by the Lord.

2. Sent Forth Two by Two (v. 1). The purpose of this was that they might mutually help, counsel and support each other

3. Reason for Their Appointment (v. 2). The harvest was great, but the laborr ... were few. The task before the Christian church after nearly 1900 years is still great.

4. Pray the Lord to Send Forth Laborers (v. 2). The realization of the prodigious task before us will cause us to pray to the Lord to send forth more laborers.

II. Instructions Given (vv. 2-16). 1. He Reveals the Dangers Confronting Them (v. 8). They were thrust forth by the Lord to proclaim His canc, though so doing would expose them to deadly peril, even as lambs surrounded by hungry wolves. It mat-Lord sends forth.

2. Free From All Incumbrance (v. 4). The mission was urgent, so all that would in any way hinder the speedy execution of the task was to be left

3. Distraction of Social Intercourse to Be Omitted (v. 41). Eastern salutations were long-drawn affairs. To go into such formalities would delay Christ's messengers.

4. Behavior in the Homes Where Received (vv. 5-9), (1) Offer the peace of the gospel (vv. 5, 6). This is to be done regardless as to whether it will be received or not. There is a reflex dessedness in preaching the gospel. Even when the message is rejected the effort is not wasted, but comes back to the one who has made the effort. (2) Do not shift quarters (vv. 7, 8). Missionaries should remain in the home where they have been received, content with what is given them. They should not demand better food and more comfortable quarters than what

is commonly provided. However, that which is given should be gratefully received, for the laborer is worthy of his blire. (3) Healed the sick (v. P). These disciples were given power to heal the sick. The ministers of Christ should seek to give relief to those in distress and use every opportunity to proclaim the gospel message. 5. The Awful Fate of Those Who Re-

ect Christ's Message (vv. 10-16). Their case is more hopeless than that of Sodom. Those who reject Christ's messengers reject Christ.

III. The Return of the Seventy (vv.

1. Their Report (v. 17). They were highly elated. They seemed to be agreeably surprised. They not only found that they could heal the sick, but cast out demons also. They seemed to be filled with self-satisfaction. It is easy even in Christian service to be spolled by our successes.

2. Jesus' Answer (vv. 18-24), (1) He told them it was no surprise to Him (vv. 18, 19). With prophetic eye He saw their success as indicating that time when the prince of this world would be overthrown (John 12:31). By virtue of His mighty triumph over Satan He assures them that they need have no fear of what should befall them. Nothing could harm them; nothing could prosper which opposed them. Indeed, nothing can harm the servant who goes about His Muster's business. (2) Real cause for rejoicing (v. 20). He promptly rebuked them, telling them that their chief joy should be because of their heavenly relation, not because of these miraculous gifts. That above all which should provoke gratitude is the fact that God has chosen in Christ and saved us, inscribing our names in heaven. (3) Jesus' exultation (vv. 21, 22). The consciousness that soon the victory would be won because God had committed all things unto Him, and that only as men received Him could they know the Father, caused Him to rejoice in what was being accomplished. (4) Congrat-ulates the disciples. (vv. 23, 24).

Things That Ye Shall Do. These are the things that ye shall do: Speak ye every man the truth to his neighbor; execute the judgment of

truth and peace in your gates .-

Zachariah 8:16.

Wisdom Dwells With Prudence. In wisdom dwell with prudence and find out knowledge of witty inventions.
-Proverbs 8:12.

Best Men Needed. The worst times need the best men. -Alexander Maciaren.

Reduces Counterfelting. The idea of imbedding small picks of silk in the paper of which bank ducing counterfeiting by 90 per cent.

Damascus Retains Old Wall. Damascus is surrounded by a dilap-idated wall six miles in circumfer-

Talent and Character. Talent forms Itself in secret; character, in the great current of the world .- Goethy.

The Darkness of "Man's Day"

By REV. GEORGE E. GUILLE Institute, Chicago.

hing that I should be judged of your f man's day.-1 Cor. 4:3, R. V.

"Man's Day." Thus does the Spirit

of God designate this present age. He has designations, such as "This darkness' and "This present evil

nge." Man's Day had a definite mornan evening is now rapidly drawing near. We know not at what hour the clock I church of God it shall end when that next prophetic Day—the Day of Christ—shall dawn.

Man's Day, like the other days of Scripture, has its own characteristics, all set forth in the Word of God. The Bible is as fully up to date as though God had but this morning placed it ip our hands, and there is not a design nor an achievement of man in world affairs, in politics, in religion, not a world-movement that has not been anticipated by Holy Scripture. The most striking mark of Man's

Day ig the silence of God. In the ages before the cross God spoke by the prophets, and in the last of those dars He spoke by His Son. Since that blessed voice was stilled at Calvary God has remained silent and man has been speaking and manifesting his folly. "They speak every man vanity with his neighbor." "Professing them-selves to be wise, they became fools," because "they became valu in their reasonings and their senseless heart was darkened." All the powers of his soul have been corrupted by sin, yet he exalts human reason above all things, criticizes God, contradicts His Word, makes light of His wisdom, rejects His Son and laughs at His preclous blood as the divine repledy for He imagines that God endowed him with reason to equip him as a "critic" of His Word and His works and His ways, instead of using this power, along with the other powers of his soul and spirit, for becoming ac quainted with God and finding his

highest joy in fellowship with Him. He denies that he is a fallen, ruined creature, without God and withou hope in the world, and prates of hi divinity, admitting that the Lord Jesus is divine only as all men are divine. He debases God with his panthelm and speaks, with much show of learn ing, of the divine immanence. ounding phrases he talks much of the dignity and glory of manhood while he humanizes God or drags Him from His throne. He proposes all sorts of remedies for the evils which he would fain remove while he scoffs

Scripture. And the evils increase en men die in their sins. He talks science and education by which proposes to lift up the masses, and of reform and self-culture by which h promises to empty jails and peniten tiaries. Still the masses are down and the penitentiaries are full. He boasts of his science and his progress and calls his fellowmen to his fairs that they may behold the work of his

And God remains silent! "These things hast thou done," says He, "and I kept slience. Thou thoughtest that I was altogether such an one as thy self."

The reasons for God's allence are

easy to discover.

1. He has given to men His Word. complete and final, and confirmed as to its truth and trustworthiness by a taking any precaution or treatment, thousand infallible proofs. The climax and a knowledge of this fact leads oth-of divine revelation has been reached ers to take their chances instead of and there is no reserve of mercy yet giving their colds the needed attention. that Word need no other voice, for the one voice that spoke it in the beginning speaketh in it still to all who have ears to hear. "Oh, earth, earth, earth, hear the word of Jehovai," is God's challenge to all the world. "Let will believe." The answer is that "God hath spoken" in Hls Word,

2. God's present stlence proclaims this as the accepted time and the day of His grace. "The longsuffering of our Lord is salvation" and "He en-dured with much longsuffering the vessels of wrath fitted (by themselves) to destruction." The infinite sacrifice by which His righteous claims have been satisfied has been accepted, the great amnesty has been declared, and He keeps back the storm of judgment while He waits in grace and mercy to save. I hear men speak of "golden silence." How golden this silence of God! How eloquent for sinners!

3. But God's silence, though it has

continued long, is at length to be broken. When he speaks again it shall be by that the in whom He spoke last. A moment is coming of which it is written: "The mighty God hath spoken and called the earth from the rising of the sun unto the going down thereof." Yea, "our God shall come and shall not keep silence." "These things hast thou done and I kept silence. But I will reprove

Man's Day is going out in awful night. Oh soul, while God's gracious silence remains, be saved and escape that night of doom. Accept the waiting Savior now and He will accept thee.

Multiplication of Bacteria.

Bacteria multiply by simply breaking apart. Soon the two parts are fullsized germs and each itself separates, so that it is easy to see how quickly millions of germs can be produced. Cold stops their growth, but they begin to grow agair, when they become

Just Find. Sometimes you can't follow a man's "line of reasoning" because it is merely a line of talk. Boston Transcript.

Hands and Voices.

"Will you faithfully promise to estore it at the proper time?" playfully demanded one of a friend to cherished volume that would be right hand," she insisted as the promise began.

"She has more faith in my hand han in my voice," laughed the riend, but in a moment came the houghtful conclusion, "In the last analysis hands really do count for more than voices, I suppose."

The voice means words, the hand epresents deeds, and the two do not always agree, as we learn early and to our sorrow. "The voice is Jacob's voice, but the hands are the hands of Eeau," said blind old Isaac, trusting to the ministering hands that which he would have refused to the deceitful voice. The world is full of beautiful theories, easy pledges, inviting calls, but it is only as strong and faithful bands are ready to supplement these with their gifts and labor that they become of any value. Orators may thrill a nation, but it is only when be multitude are stirred to deeds that the eloquence becomes effect-

ive. "Fly abroad thou mighty; gospel," sang the old colored woman, but the man who was taking the collection nudged her with the basket and remarked, "Shoutin' won't make it fly; it takes money."

To link our voices and our hands together in such a way that what the one promises the other is bound te perform, makes a strong character. To be careful that our words pledge us only to that which it is possible and right for our deeds to fulfill makes our utterances of valce, and our lives trustworthy. The careless tongue makes unreliable hands, and it is not promises but performances that enable men to live safely and comfortably together, and keep the machinery or the world going .- Forward.

The goodness that waits for others to get out of its way and leave it a clear field will never have much exercise. No doubt we could keep our tempers more casily if others did not irritate us, and we might be more generous if others were not selfish. We could follow our own

people's paths did not cross ours but that sort of goodness will never have room to thrive in this world. The sturdy righteousness that can grow in and around things as they are, sending its roots deeper for cause of every obstacle—that is the kind that overcomes the world and will bear transplanting to a better one. -Selected.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without to be unfolded. Those who come to It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such God speak," cries the skeptic, "and I desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

> "One of the hardest sins to conquer is the sin of judging others, expressly forbidden by Christ, yet often found flourishing, unrebuked, in Christian lives. The old verse is one to remember:

"Tell not abroad another's faults Till thou hast cured thine own, Nor whisper of thy neighbor's sin Till thou art perfect grown."

"The most musical language in the world is not Italian, nor Persian, nor Samoan. It is a language that any child can easily learn to speak, that any stranger can understand, and that will never become a dead language while the human race lives, for it is the language of kindness."

"Every day brings to our door something that is good to do and that it never will come our way to do again. If we are blind and do not see it, and insist that our days are featureless, whose fault is it? Opportunity does its part, and we must do ours."

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By CLARISSA MACKIE

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Joan watched the door of her father's library, a standow clouding the screnity of her wide gray eyes. Bob had been in there a whole hour, closeted with Sline Worth, millionaire manne facturer-his errand was to ask for Jean's hand in marriage. She had been listening to the bass nurnur of their voices-now it stopped suddenly. She heard one or two sentences, and then the Hirary door opened and cosed, and Rob Dacre walked briskly through the hall; past the living room where she waited expectantly, and out of the house!

"Without one word!" she gasped, drawing back from the window as he ran down the steps and swung down the path to the gate. He held his head high, and he whistled as he wentwithout one backward glance,

The library door opened and her father crossed the hall and came to her, a quizzical look in his eyes. Jean blushed hotly.

"Well?" she asked. He waved his hand. "Gone. Plucky beggar, too. Said he came to ask my consent to your marriage-said he could earn some kind of a living-and that if you were the right kind of a girl-the kind he thought you were, that you'd want to help him build. I offered him a position in the worksfine chance for advancement, but he turned it down. Said he wanted to be a self-made man, that he wasn't hiring out as a son-in-law. Ha! Ha!" He laughed reminiscently.

"Wh-what did you think of him, daddy?"

"Spunky-liked his independencewe will hear of him some day, Jeanie. Told me of his people-good family, little money, and out of luck. Is alone in the world, and bound to succeed. Let him try-in the meantime you had better play about awhile-your Aunt Louise is going to 'lurope and will take you along with her- better go."

"Very well, daddy," said Jeante, and he did not see the flame that turned to her own home, screne-eyed, smoldered in her eyes. So Bot had grave and less selfish. flung away without wanting to see her again; two could play at that game, tired of being idle and good-for-nothshe thought, as she went to the tele- ing!"



"Chicken Soup-and"

phone to call her nunt. She loved Bob

dearly and would gladly have married

him. If he had only consented to ac-

cept a little help from her father-just

a start in life. The years of the war

had left Bob Dacre physically whole

and sound, but his sh had been filled.

The clamor of battle still assailed his

ears and he could not settle down to

anything new, and there were few

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valted during the days of her prepara-

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was too proud to let bim know of her

"I will forget him," she declared pas-

But she did not-could not, when she

cisited the devastated regions of

fields where Bob and his comrades had

France and Belgium-saw the battle-

fought-when she wept over the poppy-

fields of Flanders where her playmates

and friends had held down their lives

-and when summer waned rie re-

"I want work to do, daddy. I am

openings

slonately.

Worth in the solitude of his study, "This is the limit!" So he stamped an board with Mrs. Lawrence,"

mshess trip!" jaunt-you may drive all the way. We

It was a cold October morning when in the driveway of the great factory; shrubbery and the remains of bloomlvy. There was a sharp pungent smell

fragrance of some late roses. "You have made some changes since I was here last winter," said Jean. "It that they had again come into touch must have been beautiful here during

"It was," he said briefly. "You have built a new restaurantisn't it pretty?" Jean pointed across the inclosure to a small red brick bungalow, smothered in woodbine, where a sign swung to and fro. "Good Eat-

"That's not the factory restaurantnew chap came along and rented that little building and has opened a cafeterla-we have had to close our lunchroom, didn't pay. Said his mother was an invalid and he had learned to cook when a boy-has some housewives about here to help. Better go over there and get your lunch-I will come over later; I have to see Ferguson

Jean walked slowly to the cafeteria. A few men and girls werp golog in, people from the offices, for the factory whistle had not sounded the noon hour Inside it was clean and cheery, with painted floor and tables and chairs, with pots of red geraniums in the window. Jean picked up a tray, with the open space where a line was formed. Joan studied the bill of fare on the

wall in front of her.

"Chicken soup and—" Jean stared at her young days. Then love was everythe white-clad young man who was, thing-now it was money that counted.

"You could never be good for noth ng when you brighten all my days," he told her, as he took his motherles.

girl in his arms. But Jean fretted. She refused all nvitations, read a great deal and took

olitary walks. "Hung his pride" blurted out Silas down the ball to bis daughter and yed her sternly. "You look pale, lennle. Get some things together-I am going down to the works in the enr; we shall stay a few days and you

"Mercy-you don't want me on a "We will mak. It into a pleasure

can leave Sellers at home." the big car of Silas Worth drew up | me!" ing flower beds. The brick walls of the various buildings were clothed in of chrysanthemums and a fleeting

ing," read the signboard.

the mother asked. "Yes, of course," answered Kitty promptly. "Why, don't you know he's lmage at twenty."

shoulders and looked at her anxiously. "Care for him?" Kithy wrinkled her pretty brows and laughed, "Well, I suppose it's possible to care for any one if you make up your mind to, necessary silver, and approached the isn't it?" she answered. "Of course, he's forty-eight."

Edna Blaine sighed, Girls were different from what they had been in

with soup ladle poised in air. How big and hearty he looked, how clean, and wholesome and happy in the humble business of feeding hungry people. He smiled and bowed to Jenn, while a red flush struggled through the tan of his skin. She went to a distant table and tried to eat, but listening to the sound of his cheery voice as he greeted one after another, she fell to dreaming, and when her father appeared the soup was cold and forgotten. Silas Worth brought a heavilyladen tray and with blm came the young proprietor to bend above the se-"I just saw Jean, sir-it's taken my breath away, Mr. Worth-and if she won't marry me-as I am-making money-why I will sell the place out

to you and leave the country. Silas Worth lifted twinkling eyes 'Jearle, this young man needs more help in his business-a pretty wife to help him spend the proceeds; so if you could manage to make your home in the old manor house, and keep a corner for me, when I give up the town

lunch is getting cold!" No one in the busy place enjoying the "good cating" saw Bab Dacre's swift downward swoop as he dropped kiss on Jennie's bright halr.

office-wby, we'll call it a day. My

LAND OF SPLENDID CHURCHES

Spanish Sacred Edifices Declared to Glow With All the Splender of All the Arts.

One thing the churches of Spain possess that can be found nowhere else in all the world, and that is the manifestation of all the arts of Christianity assembled in definite places that is to say, since Spain has exver been subject to the Reformation, the social revolution of the Eighteenth century or the restorations of the Nineteenth, the churches are still as they were, fell of the glory of all the arts, so that architecture becomes only the setting for, and the co-ordination of, a score of acts and handlerafts. The cathedrals and the churches of the rest of Europe, devastated as they have been by one pestilence after another, are bare, empty and cold, but the churches of Spain still glow with all the splendor of all the arts. Of course Spain has suffered, chiefly through the savage invasions from time to time of the French, who are still known in the peninsula as "the northern barbarians." What England did to France during the Hundred Years war and Germany perpetrated during the World war, has been more than duplicated in Spain by the French themselves, but war and invasion have never destroyed religious art as this has been wrecked, ruined and devastated by religious, political and archeological fanatacism. So the churches of Spain still remain the best existing examples of what the Christian arts accomplished under a splendid stimulus and in a unity of action that has not existed since,

It's a Sweet Old World.

things on the truin was amusing. He bars" ("nl" pronounced as in Al diating protection somehow; she could Smith). Then he shouted: "Califor- burdly keep from crying. optimism, "Sweet, delicious Life and Journal.

Citizenship Broadcast, The Virginia League of Women Voters has been a ing radio to breadcast a course in citizenship.

-mannenninggianninnannnar Love Handed Down

By ELLA SAUNDERS Samunamanamanamanaman

"Mother I've got such a piece of news for You!" Kirty Blaine, who had arrived home for her two weeks' vacation three minutes before, stood facing her pretty mother in the doorway of their home. "Yes remember that Mr. Croft, who used to be a beau of yours, that you gave me a

letter to? Well, he wants to marry-Mrs. Blaine looked at her daughter here were carefully kept lawns and with a little sense of shock. It seemed only yesterday that Eddle Croft and she had strolled under those same upple trees, accepted lovers. Then had come the quarrel about a trine, they had drifted apart, and had heard nothing of each other for years, It was only a few months before

by one of those little coincidences that seem so strange, yet are so common. Eddie Croft had answered a letter of Edna Blaine's addressed to the corporation which he served, regarding s position for her daughter, and had promised to do his best for her.

"And have you accepted him, dear?"

Mr. Roger's right mand man in the corporation? He must be as rich as And he told me"-Kitty giggled-"that he hadn't married all these years because he never met any one he cared for as he did you, until he saw me, and that I was your very "And you care for him, Kitty?" The mother put her hands on the girl's

> Grieger intends to use the rabbit Ils News.

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They wanted a good thate from the Quantum manuscrimentum start. She felt a pang for Ritty, and then another for Eddle-perhaps one for the past as well.

"And he's coming down on Saturday to tell you about it," Klity said.

Edna Blaine sighed again. Somehow she did not quite feel like seeing Eddie after all those years. And her Leart was troubled for both of them. What sort of wife would Kitty make Eddle - Kitty, Irresponsible,

feather-headed, and again renewing ker long-standing Alreation with Jim Baker, who lived at the end of the street, and was in the bank? "Mother, Jim's promised to take me out in his car tomorrow.

"My car, do you think it quite right for you to go about with Jim. under the circumstances?" "Oh, ney defir mother, do please re

member that this is the twentieth century and not the nineteenth," said Kitty

Edmi Blance ren Jost and wildered. Especially on the Saturday afternoon, when toldle came down, and Kitty was away with Jim, she suspected. The dight of Eddle was a first called: "Sweet, delicious almond, wert man who stude beside her, ra-

nia (no 'r') sweet, delicious figy." Next
he came with "Sweet, delicious peanuts and caudies of all kinds." And
come. It was universel; but not so so full of a number of "sweet, delici- awkword as waen Kitty returned. It ons" things was the poor old world was a very meernful evening, and becoming that the Woman fully ex- Edna saw Eddie gloneing from her nected to hear him announce in his to Kitty in a passied way.

Smart Set!" He didn't however. He Edna gasped when Kitty calmly merely called them "new,"-Chicago pleaded an appointment for the after

"You see, I didn't know you were staying over," she explained, Eddle took Edna for a country walk. The spell of the past was upon both of them, they were very stlent as they turned homes and in the evening,

"I hope you and Kitty will be harry, Eddie," sald Edna softly. He did not ansver, and she dared

not look at his face. Suddenly the beard voices in the darkness on the other side of the

elms that bornered the road, "but, Jim, 1-yes musto't. You. know I'm engaged." "Do you love libs, Kitty? If yo

don't, you're simple; against your better metare in marrying him. Do you toye bini? Answer me!" "No?" came rise almost inaudible

whisper. "It's niways been you, Jim." The voices died away. There was the faint sound of pacing footstepstovers' footsteps. Eddle tufned to

"And it's always been you, Edna," he said. "It was the part of you I saw in her. Now it's you forever."

Mother Didn't Reply. Bobby, four you's old accompanied is mother to a woman's club meeting one afternoon, where the women, very tastefully gowned, batted and velled. discussed the affairs of their organization for two hours. On the way home Eobby said: "Mother, why don't you buy a vell and cover up your face and look pretty?"

Force of Bad Example. F. P. A, started it and now he's got us doing H. Perpend! "Alack! sighed the liquor-liktor with a lack o' lucre, "I haven't a lick o' liquor in east locker."-Boston Beening Transcript.

Fred Grieger, Muncle clothing merchant, is tender-hearted. He says so himself. One evening recently he was driving in the country when he noticed a rabbit sitting in the road, apparently dazed by his automobile lights. Fearing be would run over it, he stopped the car, and taking it gently in his arms, placed it by the rendside, expecting it to hop away into the neighborhood fields, but instead, according to Grieger, it gave a running jump and landed in the car. Now the animal will not leave him, out of gratitude, Grieger believes, for having saved its life.

as a decoy for other rabbits when he goes hunting, he says,-IndianapoThe Condemned Man's Mascot

By JOHN PALMER Sammanan and Aller Samman and Aller Sammanan and Aller Sammanan and Aller Sammanan and Al

"I can't make out why Big George wants rabbit every day for dinner," said the warden.

"Oh, well, I guess we'll have to humor him," answered the penitentiary governor. "He's only got three more weeks now."

Big George was the cheerfulest negro prisoner that ever lay in the condemned cell. Big George was to be electrocuted in three weeks' time for the murder of his wife, Lily.

He had drowned her in the creek, near his cabin, giving out the story that she had left him for another man. He had mutilated her body, so that the remains were only recognizable by the ring on the finger. Witnesses had sworn rositively that it was Lily's ring.

to the defense it was alleged that of body was that of one Martha Asshington, an aged colored chore-lade, who had its opened one night on her way home across the bridge, while under the induence of moonshire. But that had not weighed with

the Jary. Big George kept up his courage and reiterated that he would not go to the

"Lily'll iten up-yes, sah," he kept repeating. "That woman's always on de job. Say, bass, cain't you give me the was staying over Sunday, and give me rabbits' legs for a change of

> "Humor him," said the governor "We don't often get a prisoner like

George." He certainly was a cheerful coon, and every one was sorry that the chair toomed so deadly close to him. There had not been an execution in the

prison for three or four years. There were three condemned cells, but none of them had been occupied within that period of time, until George came. The other two were used for storing fuel and potatoes.

The chair had had to be overhauled -altogether it was nasty business, and every one would be thankful when it was over. They had tried their hardest to get a reprieve for George, but the governor had turned down the appeni decisively. So George had to go. "That worean'll turn up, sah," George insisted.

"Say, ain't you got no rabbits' laigs for a chance?"

Two weeks before the day set for the execution George's sister was auounced. George opened his eyes. He had no sister-at least, he had never met one. However, the prospect of a lady visitor was naturally a welcome

In came Lily, as large as life, accompanied by the warden. "Hello, Lily, I guessed you'd turn up," said George. "So you come back

to me?" "What yo' talking about, nigger?" demanded Lily, "I'm your sister, Pansy, Yo' killed Lily in the crick. Yo' brain must be going, nigger." "For Gawd's sake, Lily, don't hand

going to tell the governor yo'se my wife, so's they'll let me out?" The warden, who was listening to the conversation, grinned cheerfully.

"I dunno, George," said Lily. "I mought say it, but they wouldn't believe it, 'cos every one knows I'se yo' sister, Pansy-see?"

day, "how many times must I ask you for rabbits' laigs? Sure to Mike they

ain't all backs, are they?" "Humer him," said the penitentiary Moriden and Sparkhill, near Birming-governor. So George had rabbits' legs ham. In Wimbledon the postmistress

Lily came again. "Say, coon, I been thinking over what you asked me," she almost hurled out of an arm chair in said. "If you was to get clear of here, which he was sitting, yo' see, I'd have to take up with you again. You're a worthless sort of nigger, and go' aln't a good pervider, are

George, what I left you for because Tribune.

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"Pil git it for you, Lity," pleaded George desperately. "And yo' know I

allus loved you, boney." "Hey! None of that!" commanded the warden-for only quick kisses are

permitted in the condemned cell. Three days later George was summoned into the governor's room, There stood Lily, his lawyer and a representative of the police department. The governor clasped George by the

band. "George, you're a free man," sald the governor. "And you're got to thank your devoted wife for it. You've had the narrowest escape of sour cereer." He shook hands with him, "Re a good boy, George," he said. "Go home with your wife and be good to

George grinned. "I tole you I wasn't going to the chair," he said. "But it shore was a mighty near thing. Ef you hadn't given me rabbits' laigs-" He planked a rabbit's foot down on

the governor's desk.

The United States glove industry shows a favorable increase on the export trade of 1922, as compared with 1921. During the January-May perfect 73,4 per cent as many leather gloves year of 1921. The five leading markets for 1922 are Canada, England Cuba. Mexico and Norway .- From the industrial Digest.

WOULD WASH WITH THE BOYS

Salesman Appreciated Dignity of Partnership in the Firm, but It Had Its Drawbacks.

Something like forty years ago one of our South Meridian street houses had a star salesman, writes a correspondent of the Indianapolis Star. It also had two lavatories, in one of which the salesmen, bookkeepers and clerks washed off the grime of toil, while the other was reserved for the exclusive use of the two members of the firm. All the salesmen were on a commission basis, and in casting up the accounts at the end of the year the partners discovered that this particular traveler had made considerable more money than either of them. They docided that it would be a plous scheme to take him in as a partner. The senior member made him quite a solemn speech on the occasion and ended by impressively presenting him with a key to the private lavatory. Delighted with the promotion, the star salesman went out and sold more goods during the next year than he had ever sold before. At the end of the year his ardor was dampened not a little when he found that his profits were considerably less than his carnings had been in previous years. He took the balfince sheet to his desk and studied it carefully and finally brought it back to the senior partner along with the

lavatory key. "I'm much obliged for this mark of confidence," he said, "but, if it's all the same to you, I'll wash with the boys next year."

Great Britain's Earthquakes.

Consternation is reported to have been caused in England recently at points 25 miles distant from one another by earthquakes. Seismic shocks were experienced at Himbleton in George collapsed on his bed. "For Worcestershire, a few miles from Droit-de Lawd's sake have a heart, woman," wich (famous for its salt baths). wich (famous for its salt baths). e pleaded.
"Say," he asked the warden next Warwickshire. In the latter county reports of similar earth tremors came from such places as Knole, Sollhull, Henley-in-Harden, Hampton-in-Harden, was thrown some distance across a room and her next-door neighbor was

All Was Quiet.
At a church service when all was

quiet and the congregation had been "How bout that yaher ball dress."

BERLIN ADVANCE.

BERLIN, MD., DEC. 1, 1922

onesty and cheapness.

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urday for California.

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ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md. For Sale -8 room house with cellar. Irquire of Garfield Johnson.

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without board. Mrs. S M. Mason, of the family will come later. opposite schoolhouse.

Gillis Rayne and son, Dale Rayne, went to Philadelphia, Tuesday, to look for employment.

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For a quality range at moderate cost, buy Cole's Down-Draft Range. band and stepmother, Mrs. James It has no equal for the price.

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Save furnace coal spring and fall Salisbury to visit a sick friend. by using Cole's Air-Tight Wood Stove. It ho'ds the fire all night

Mrs. Frank Hammond and Mrs. John Hammond motored to Philadelphia, Wednesday.

Seaside Hotel at Ocean City. He expects to remodel the hotel and 9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. run it during the season.

Miss Katherine Haddock, of Wilmington, came last Friday to visit her friend, Mrs. Eliza Teas. She

will remain for a few days longer. The Buckingham Church Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Horace Davis on Wednesday evening,

Dec. 6th. All are cordially invited. Members of our Holiday Savings Club are requested to leave their

books at Bank not later than Dec. 4th. Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., 9.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. Lost -Sunday evening, gold wrist

watch, Elgin. Initials on back, H. 6 30 p. m. R. R. \$10 reward if returned to 7.30 p. m. Hilda R. Rounds, Ocean City, Md. Sermon. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayer service.

Worcester County hopes to arrange for a Sunday School Day, rallying people from all over the county to take part in a great street parade.

All farmers who ship their dressed poultry for Thanksgiving and X mas holidays will do well to ship to versions, sixteen of whom have Chas. B. Hovey, New York. A. T. joined the church. Chance, Agent.

Notice—All trespassers seen on 10.30 a. m., Preaching. my property known as James P. 7.30 p. m . Epworth League. Henry Farm, or Burleigh Glen will be prosecuted according to law. 10.00 a. m., Sunday School. H. Maneland, Proprietor,

Mrs. J. Russell Verbrycke left 7 00 p. m., Epworth League. New Orleans Thursday night of last week for Washington, D C, where Rev. J. R. Verbrycke met her on Wednesday, returning to Berlin to-

S. Collins will preach in Stevenson immediately after supper. They will M. E. Church Sunday morning, not only cause a gentle movement of and at Ironshire Sunday afternoon the bowels, without copleasant effects, and evening, when revival services but banish that dull, stupid feeling, will begin, that often accompanies constitution.

Mrs. M. E. Vincent, who nurses Beautiful Church Wedding. her sister, Mrs. Martha Mills, near Walston's, spent Wednesday night and Thursday here with her daugh-THE ADVANCE for sound doctrine, ters, Miss Minnie Vincent and Mrs.

Alma Davis. As several cases of scarlet fever have been reported, our public school has been closed the most of the week while it is being cleaned and fumigated. Small children will not be admitted at the Globe Theatre until school re-opens.

Notice-The party who was seen taking the marble sich and table from my house, "Burleigh Gleu," will please return same at once in.3 no questions will be asked. Otherwise the matter will be put into the Proprietor.

All persons baving jewelry to be mended at H. O. Cropper's will please call for same before X mas, as Wood For Sale - C. B Jolley, I am selling out everything in the jewelry stope at cost, and will discontinue the jewelry business after Xmss. This will enable me to give more room and time to my optical busine-s. Thanking all my friends for their patronage and hoping to save them money on their X mas presents, this, my last Xmas, I am H O Cropper

Miss Dasia Bowen.

Miss Dasia Bowen, aged 50 years was called into eternity Thanksgivirg evening about five o'clock, the cause of death was neuritis. She For Sale-Wall showcase, four had been in ill health for a long

Miss Bowen is survived by her Real economy and comfort in the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bowen, a brother, Robert, of Berlin, and two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Reynolds, 7 Preston, and Mrs. Nellie Bunting, of Baltimore. Mrs. Reynolds-was with her before the end came; Mrs. Bunting arrived For Rent-Heated rooms with or Thursday night and other members

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the for headache and bilious attacks. I am home, by her pastor, Rev. J. Russell Verbrycke, and the interment will be in Buckingham Cemetery.

Mrs. B. B. Brittingham.

The community was shocked to learn that Mrs B. Barsett Brittingham, while talking with her hus-W. Rayne, (who resided with her,) Cole's Original Wood Stoves nov. early Wednesday morning, became er cook you-never freeze you, violently ill and died in five minjutes as the result of heart trouble.

> Mrs. Brittingham was a highlybe greatly missed.

Superintendent Collins.

7.30 p. m., Preaching service. 7.30 p. m , Tuesday, Mid-week Prayer-meeting.

A cordial invitation extended to all. S. N. PILCHARD, Pastor.

Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister. Taylor, Superintendent

10.45 a. m. Divine Worship.

You are cordially invited to these

Newark M. E. Charge,

CEDARTOWN:

The revival meetings at Cedartown resulted in twenty-five con-Services next Sunday as follows:

BOWEN M. E. CHURCH: 11.00 a. m , Preaching. Subject, "The Compassion of Jesus."

When You Are Constipated.

W. F. Godwin, Pastor.

To insure a healthy action of the howels and correct disorders of the liv-District Superintendent Vaughan er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets

Miss Vera Frances Cropper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Cropper of this city, and Mr. Leroy Roger Richardson, of Salisbury, Maryland, were united in marriage Wednesday, November 29th, in Stevenson Methodist Episcopal Church. The wedding was beld at one o'clock p. m , after which the bridal party motored to Salisbury, taking the 3.10 train to New York.

The Church was beautifully decorated with potted plants, autumn leaves and evergreens.

The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling costume of brown hands of the law H. Maneland, duvetyne trimmed with beaver and carried a beguet of Bride's roses and lily-of-the-valley.

While the many friends of the bridal couple were gathering at the Truly" and "O Promise Me" were rendered on the pipe organ by Miss Geq. A. Harrison, Laura V. Bethards. At the opening strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March the bridal couple marched slowly down the aisle accompanied by Mrs. Earl Morris, stater of the bride, as Matron of Honor, and Mr.

Earl Morris as Best Man. the charcel tail underneath a beau- ADVANCE, and that a copy be sent to tiful arch decerated with holly and the family, and may the Great Spirit

of Whaleyville, Md. The ushers were Dale Cropper brother of the bride, William Thom

ason and Lester Esham. The bride is one of Berlin's younger set and very popular. The groom is associated with the Richardson Brothers Company in the plambing

After the honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson will reside at 1302 ning, Dec. 6th, in Dirickson's Hall. North Division St., Salisbury, Md

Laura M. Hoyt Recommend

Chamberlain's Tablets. "I have frequently used Chamberlain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Doors open at 2.30 p. m. Laura M. Hoyt. Rockport, N. Y.

Planning to Mail

Applications May Be Filed Now.

Distribution Begins Today.

Under plans announced by E. Austin Baughman, Automobile Commissioner, applications for licer so tags for 1923 will be mailed to every owner has been reached. It is expected that many owners will kindly bring or send the amount at respected member of the community have their tags many days shead of once; trade, if more convenient than Paul Morris and family, Mr. and living just outside of Berlin and will January 1, when the first go into cash.

Commissioner Baughman has asked that the owners fill out the in- Notice of Trespassers formation blanks, which deal with H. O. Cropper has purchased the Stevenson M. E. Church formation blanks, which deal with chauffeur or operator's card number and the other necessary information

Furbush, Superintendent.

10.45 a. m., Presching by District
Superintendent Collins

As soon as the applications have been filled out they must be mailed under penalty of the law. back to the office, accompanied by a check or cash for the amount based on the proscribed fee. Then it is planned to dispose of each day's request on the same day as received. This will do away, to some extent, with the last minute rush which has

> er and the office force. hat only the cards which have been filled out accurately will receive ards. prompt attention, as the others will have to be gone over sgain. The stub marked "Registration Certifi-Christian Endeavor, cate' must not be detached, he said, Evening Service and and if care is not exercised to see that the required information is properly filled in the entire application blank will be returned and de-

ays will occur and confusion result. As an aid to the smooth working of the plans which have been laid BERLIN. in the Automobile Commissioner's office, it has been requested that all owners of motor vehicles who have changed their address since last raceiving registration should notify the office of the Commissioner in Baltimore at once The tags this year will be on a yellow background with black numerals and lettering.



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Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular council of White Eagle Tribe No. 101, Improved Order of Red Men, the following resolutions were a-

dopted: WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Church, the selections 'I Love You Spirit to visit our hunting ground and prices. remove therefrom our worthy brother,

Resolved, That we deeply feel and sympathize with our brother and his family in this, their dark hour of sorrow, and in accordance with the teachings o our Order, and that of the Great Spirit and with heartfelt sympathy help

them to bear their sorrow. Perolved, That these resolutions b spread upon the records of our Tribe, The ceremony was performed at that they be published in the BEBLIS crowsfoot, by it v. C. P. Butler, watch over us and guard us and at last receive us in the Happy Hunting Grounds on high.

J. B. LYTLE, H. B. JARMAN, C. D. POWELL,

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Romance a la Mode

By GERTRUDE CUSHING

On the Eve of Sailing .- Dear Diary, my newest friend: I think you're going to mean a lot to me, for, with dear old Bill on one side of the pond and me on the other-or crossing it-i laugh at; sort of evolutionary. Now | that we've almost parted I'm torn with one great dread. I wish Nell Stuart were going to Alaska-or on one of that Doctor Traprock's expeditions-though, as Bill broke their engagement, of course he can't care where she is. I'm actually sizzling with excitement, and no wonder. Monmay, graduated from college, Tuesday, announced my engagement, and tomorrow sall for Europe. I don't expeet te sleep a wink.

First Day Out,-Dear Diary, I wonder if I'm cut eat for adventure? We had the most wonderful send-off. I was just about smothered with flowers, candy, magazines, etc.,-and kisses. And I cried like a roor boob, Then I went floundering around hunting for my stateroom and I burst into the wrong one-and my dear! There was the handsomest man I ever sawof course, excepting Bill. Light, curly hair, brown eyes that danced, tall, broad-shouldered-Oh! he's simply great! I do hope I'll be able to go to all my mouls. He's at our table. Eve decided it is safer for the purser to take care of my jewelry. The diamond in my engagement ring is so large, I wonder if Bill's writing me tonight.

Second Day Out .- Have Just written Bid with my watch open so as to see his face while I write, Dear old thing! That good-looking man's name is Paul Whitten. Aunt Liu thinks she knew



This Cablegram,

14 mother. Aunt Em's getting rendy done, but I realize that I must have o'r and exercise. Mr. Whitten's sent at table is opposite ours. Aunt Emhates to have people see her looking abe and spicitives," as she calls it. I may have to assert myself,

Third Day Out.-Aunt Ear's all in and I simply can't sit with her in that stuffy room, even though it is one or the best on the best. She Just reads and wats ginger-besides her four regulars- and matches her complexion. She down't need me and I need The most exciting thing has haprecord. The old gentleman in the deck etair next mine fell and spratned his saile, and today Paul Whitten-Mr. Winter-usked permission to have hes charitied to that place. He certain-It is a peach and he c averses won Cerfully. You'd be surprised how fast one gets on on shipboard. I feel as though I'd always known him. . I'd hile to know if Nell Stuart has tried to get her claws on Bill. I don't trust speare said: "One foot in the water and one on land. To one girl constant never." or comething like that, and I guess be knew.

Fourth Day Out,-Well, what do you know! Paul says I'm the best travelleg companion he ever met mad the most wonderful sailor. It's quite rough too, but I certainly feel better to keep on deck. And he is the one whose mother Aunt Em knows, I Layen't said anything about his changleg his chair. It doesn't seem necessary. He read aloud so long today I couldn't get in my daily letter to Bill -Oh! what is there about light hair and dark eyes that is so thrilling?

I dreamt the most marvelous dream last night, I shan't tell even you. He asked why I blushed so when he joined me this morning, and I just thought I should pass away. He has stacks of what they call personality and he thinks I am positively magnetic. We sort of draw each other. I haven't sald anything about Bill yet, and of course Paul may be married, but I don't think so. He has the most wonderful way of tooking at you-in through your eyes, sort of.

Fifth Day Out,--We're doing some of what Paul calls "intensive reading." Today it was Locksley Hall. I never went in much for poetry, and Bill doesn't. He's all tennis and business -which is fine, of course. Paul's a journalist. I think that's a more remantic occupation-but of course you have to have all kinds. Aunt Em's still below, but O. K., as far as I can see, and she can always ring for the stew-

Sixth Day Out .- I'aul's been reading "The Last Ride Together," and I'm more all in than Aunt Em, only different. She's going to dinner tonight and looks great and I can't eat, and I think I'm a little pale. I feel

as though something were going to happen. I ask myself what is this suttle-or subtle-change that has come over me, and I can't answer. If It's love, then the other wasn't, that's al!. I feel vampish tonight. I almost wish Bill hadn't thrown over Nell Stuart. And then I ask, "If I were a free woman, would Paul speak?" mean, except with his eyes. I think, "yes." And, my dear, if he did?—But enough of this. I must write a dinky letter to Bill and then cammofladge (I guess that's wrong, but never mind) for dinner. I must use plenty of rouge. We land tomorrow. How can

Day After Landing .- "Ye Gods!" as shall be bursting with thoughts. I Bab would say. What a woman can mean the kind that even be might hazt night and we went up to the hurricane deck and for a long while there was silence between us. And suddenly Paul put his hand over mine and repeated some lines from "The Last Ride," Something about being together and breathing and riding side by side and ending: "Who knows but the world may end tonight?" And nie, poor thing, I just cuddled up to him and emitted one dry sob. And that was just about enough! Well! . . Of course I told him everything and

he was simply magnificent! He saw that we must part and after a thrilling scene I went to my stateroom to cry my heart out and incidentally write to Bill. It was just like "The Prisoner of Zenda," my favorite romance, if It is old. About two o'clock in the morning I woke with a sort of inspiration. I got up and wrote two letters. One to Paul to tell him that I had decided I had no right to wreck his life and that If he still cared. Love had conkerred. (Is that tight, I wonder?) The other was to Bill, confessing humbly that I had come to love another and that as he had not scrupled to follow the dictates of his heart when he left Nell, perhaps he would quoted something I read once, "Revenge is sweet," said the knight; "but forgiveness is sweeter," said the indy. It was a fine womanly letter and then I went to sleep calmly. I got up early and sent Paul's letter to his stateroom and went bravely to breakfast.

Imagine my sensations at finding this cablegram from Nell Stuart: "Bill and I married today. We couldn't help it. Forgive u:" It was dated the day before. And that's that!

It seems that Paul's people are very wealthy so Aunt Em has been simply peachy and is going to fix up everything with dad. Isn't life wonderful!

WARM DISPUTE OVER GRAPE

Alabama Claims to Be Ancestral Home of the Scuppernong, but Texas Writer Denies. It.

Here comes the Montgomery Advertiser charging that we are an ignor amus so far as the Scuppernong grape is concerned, and it claims Alabama as the ancestral home of that grape writes George M. Balley in the Houston Post. There is in Manteo, Roanoke Island, N. C., a Scuppernong grape arbor whose history is known for nore than three hundred years. The grape itself gets its name from the Scuppernong river, the dividing line between the counties of Tyrrell and Dare. There never was a Scuppernong grape in Alabama until that domain ceased to be a part of Louislana, and after England had acquired it by conquest in 1703. Then the settlers from the Cardiens entered that country through with them. We have seen some nice coppernong arbors in Alabama. which is a fine state, but Alabama is The grape is a native of North Carolina, and was cultivated there by settlers early in the Seventate like Alabama ought to be more pareful with its claims in the presence of an ancient commonwealth that boasts the earliest white settlers on the North American continent.

A Girl and a Wife. "Most men marry a girl they love little to escape marrying one they love

"A wife is so irrevocable and intermirable. You have to put up with her ill day, and, what's worse, all night, And that not for an age but for all time. You've even got to do it, I suppose, in the life beyond, Fancy waking up in the next world and seeing your wife still there!"

"She had not the imagination to be lieve he could be as great as he decamed. It wanted imagination to think that a child whose neck she had washed could be the equal of Thackeray or Dumas, 'But even Shake-spears,' thought David, 'must have had is neck washed by someone."-From 'Rossenni," by Ernest Raymond.

An III Wind. "Your 'ashand 'as got to look shabby

lately."
"Well, it's really a blessin' in disguise, Mrs. Miggs; yer see, it saves me ail the expense of 'avin' to dress up to Im." - London Punch.

Serum for Snake Bites.

Sixty drops of venom, which will form the basis of a serum to cure snake bites, were milked from 33 copperhead and moccasin snakes in the Bronx zoo, New York, Experiments in Brazil, establishing that whisky is no remedy for snake bites, have led to an increased demand for serum.

Groups of sober animals and groups of intoxicated ones were bitten by snakes in the experiments. The sober ones outlived the drunks by five or six hours, indicating that the increased circulation due to alcohol speeded up the work of the poison.

Serum has been delivered by airplane in response to radio calls, and Is infallible as a cure if injected within six hours, according to Direc tor Dittmars of the Bronx zoo,

Sea Varies in Salinity.

Different parts of the surface of the sen vary markedly in salinity, for it will increase where evaporation is great, as in the Red sea, and decrease where the rainfall is heavy, or where there is very little wind and much

A Comedy of Mishap:

By GRACE W. ABBOTT

Jane E'izabeth Scott trudged doggedly through the pouring rain, her dainty, gauzy dress quite drenched, her satin slippers sloshing miserably in the puddles. Jane was mad! In fact, Jane was more than that—she was exceeding wroth both with herself and the world in general, but in particular with the masculine balf of it.

Three hours earlier she had preened for 30 minutes before her mirror, and, satisfied with the picture she saw reflected there, she had joined her hundsome escort and started for the most Important event of her young life.

After much worming and squirming she had been invited to the supperdance at the Fitz-Carlton, the party including the most socially important members of the exclusive South side set. Her escort had been Jimmy Laneman, a creature of her own modest class, and he had been the cause of Jane's wrath.

The very first dance! With perspiring brow and fast wilting collar, he had bravely started the dance, but alack and alas, he had slipped in the centre of the floor, sprawling ungracefully, which was bad enough, but in his mad attempt to regain his footing he had clutched at her skirt, which partially gave way, and reduced her in a heap on the floor beside him, with an undignified expanse of silk stocking furnishing the last straw.

Jane never knew how she left the hotel. She had Jammed on her hat, ignoring poor Jimmy's frantic pleadings for forgiveness, and had walked determinedly out into the pouring rain. Such was Jane's hard-luck story. Never again! She was through with men! Fire fairly popping out of her dark blue eyes, Jane trudged on, regardless of the looks of passers-by. One block from her home she caught the light of the street lamp glistening on the badge of the policeman on the She pressed on, reached the carb, slipped in the mud, and went splashing into the biggest puddle for



Night?"

docks around. Her satin slipper went flying off into the darkness. Jine sat perfectly still and cried. This was the

"Well, well, this is too bad. Are you hurt, miss?" Without waiting for a reply the policeman attempted to lift Jane from her damp seat, but with frantic, puny fists she fought him off. "Don't touch me!" she cried hysterically.

He stood back, surprised, but said nothing. She continued to sit there, striving for self-control.

"Are you going to sit in that there puddle all night?" It's against the law, you see—obstructing traffic." She glanced up angrily. "Will you please go away from here and leave me alone?"

"No, ma-am! It's my duty as an officer of the law to see you safely on your way." He bent and, in spite of her, lifted her from the street. One glance told him her shoes were gone. Her gown was clinging to her shamelessly, a wretched mess of torn chiffon and mud.

"You can't be walking" far, miss;

Weakly she leaned against him and cried. In spite of himself the officer laughed. "You poor kid! Where do you live?" Humbly now, she told him, and he picked her up and carried her the one block and left her at the door, "Take better care of yourself hereafter, miss! Keep out of the puddles." She slammed the door in his face. Although the rain poured consistently all the rest of his watch, Officer Rob-

ert Atwater kept smiling to himself as he thought of the girl in the puddle. A week later Jane, retiring for the night, wrote in her diary: "For a whole week I have not spoken to a single man. I hate them-one and all! I've seen that odious policeman twice. but I did not return his greeting.

"I shall never marry now. I shall devote my life to hard work," She laid her pen aside, switched off the light, and crept into bed. In vain she tried to sleep, but she could not. Patrolman Atwater's laughing brown eyes tormented her. She hated him! Hated him! She punched her pillow

Later, she did not know how late, she awoke, stifling. Her room was filled with dense smoke. Frightened, she jumped from her bed and opened her door, but at the sight of the blaz-

ing buil makes, she hastily closed it. she could not escape that way. Her little room was on the third loor of the refined boarding house for ladies, that she called her home, and there was no are escape. Thoroughly

screamed lustily for help. A crowd had gathered below. Fire apparatus came, and the work of rescuing went on. Still no one noticed the girl on the third floor. For five minutes the stood there, now and then crying out, but her voice was drowned in the shouts of the firemen and cries of the frightened women. At last in the crowd she caught the gleam of the firelight on a row of brass buttons and

scared, she opened her window and

a police badge, "Help! Help!" she screamed again, and continued to cry until the smoke got the best of her, and she sank in a little heap by the window. She was but dimly cansclous of a pair of strong arms that slung her over a pair of broad shoulders. A great cheer greeted them as they reached the ground, and willing hands would have taken Jane from her rescuer but she clung to him, frantically, and he held her, carrying her to the embulance. For two days she remained in the hospital, recover-ing from her shock and the effects of the smoke, and the Arl waited pa-tiently. In the afternoon of the first day he came,

"I knew you'd come," she whispered, as she held out her hand to him. Her eyes shone as she nowd his immaculate uniform, the clean-shaven face. and laughing brown eyes.

"Yes, I had to come. You need a guardian !" "How can L . . ." she began, but heart of her lover. he interrupted her, taking her hands

possessively in his. "Don't say it. I know what you were going to say-'How can I ever repay you? Well, I'll tell you before you ask. Please let me prove to you that a police officer is the best guardian in

Jane's pale face flushed, "You-you have proved it, haven't you?" she stammered, turning her face into the Patrolman Atwater stared unbellev-

ing at the girl on the bed. "Good-by!" he cried, and snatching up his cap started for the door. "Where, where are you going?" she cried, dismayed.

"I've got one hour before I go or duty to get that license!" he answered joyously.
"Come back here," the old Jane cried. He turned. "You idlot! Don't

you know nothin'?" He came back to the bedside meek ly, "Yes, ma-am," "What's my name? Where was I

born? What's my great-grandfather's

uncle's occupation?" she laughed up at him-"and besides, you might . . nt least . . . kiss me!"

Patroland: Atwater was late for rollcall that night, but in view of his fame as a rescuer, and the tell-tale

face of him, he was forgiven.

BEAUTIFUL GEM NOT UNLUCKY Superstition About the Opal Has No Real Foundation—Sir Walter Scott (Seponeible.

There is no more beautiful gem than the rainbow-hued opal, and unfortuuntely it is saddened with a reputation for bringing misfortune on its wearer. The prevalence of this superstition y very curious, for it can be traced back to nothing more unlucky than Sir Walter Scott's famous novel, "Anne of eierstein." This book introduced an pal that brought sorrow on all its

century ago, when Sir Walter was at the zenith of his popularity, that the gen began to be credited with the evil power he gave it in the story. But there is no reason why we moderns should be influenced by an almost forgotten piece of fiction, which most of us have not even read. In real life opals are no more unlucky than any other stone, and plenty of people who possess them can point to happy lives. The opal is the symbol of hope, and is said to sharpen the sight and strengthen the faith of its wearers. It is considered particularly the stone of the October-horn.

Animals and Birds and Drink. Will wild animals touch fermented

The books on bird-diet say very little and nothing entirely germane to the question, remarks a writer in Adventure Magazine, However, orly a few days are there was a newspaper iten concerning the presence of bees about mash from a greeked bootleg still. According to the reporter, the bees deserted the flowers of the locality to flock about the mash. It was remarked, half-seriously, that the housy made would probably be mildly intoxicating.

Also a dozen times or more "since prohibition" there have been accounts of pigs and chickens growing hilarious from feeding on the residue from stills; several times such stills have been discovered through the peculiar arties of hogs and chickens in the neighborhood.

"Little Mothers" Work in Shifts. Youngsters who use the wide plaza in front of City hall as a playground in the eyenings have adopted a system that makes lighter the task of those who look after publes. Under the system one youngster will herd a group of about twenty or twenty-five wards on the steps and keep them amused and safe for 15 minutes or so. Then she is relieved in turn by group of about twenty or twenty-five another.
Of course, the system doesn't al-

ways run along smoothly. There are quarrels about time and turn of work, but for the most part it enables all the East side "little mothers" to get in a turn at playing and roller skating without neglecting their little broods.— New York Sun.

Peculiar Church Services. There is more than one men's church service held in the east end of London where visitors are told to take off their coats if they are too warm, and to fill up their pipes and get them started before the text is

KEEP WATCH FOR GREEN RAY

Majority of People of the British Isles on the Keen Lookout for Phenemenon.

The fad of the moment in England is watching for the green ray from the sun which is shot out for a second or two just as the rim disappears beow the horizon. You may also see he sun's rice from green or bluish-green; but it is the flash you should watch for. The Scots in the western Highlands know the green flash. They cherish a belief that any person who has seen it not only knows his or her own heart, but can see clearly into the hearts of others.

Tourists over the British isles are looking for the green ray and parties are seen seeking positions of vantage where they can get the best look at the parting orb. Observations are exchanged later and those who claim to have seen it are closely questioned by others. The green ray is not exactly a new discovery, but there is a great revival of interest in the alleged phenomenon, Doctor Molder, a Dutch scientist, has just written an elaborate book on the green ray, and says he suw it at Hiracombe in July, 1907. The inte Lord Kelvin and Sir Henry Miers, of Manchester, are other witnesses.

In 1812 Jules Verne published a re markable never on this rare phenome on. The heroine was a young Scot tish girl, who was determined to see the ray. She saw it at last, from one of the caves of Staffa. Having seen it, she saw into her heart and the

BALFOUR NO HERO TO CADDY Young American of Chevy Chase Outspoken in His Opinion of Great British Diplomat.

Lord Balfour liked a good yarn, en at his own expense, and be told one to us at a dinner of which he was the center at the British embassy

It was a splendid weighty funcon, worthy of pre-war days, when Europe was neither depressed nor hysterical. Some one had spoken of Balfour in complimentary fashion, of his play!"-Princess Contacuzene in the great brain and lds work at the conference, and he replied that this consoled him for an occurrence at Chevy Chase club, where he had gone to play golf the day previous.

Finding no one he knew about, he

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engaged a caddy and started off. walking and chatting with the latter. He asked the caddy's opinion about the use of a certain club. The boy gave advice, which Lord Balfour attempted to follow; but he missed the shot. Caddy took the club, Illustrated his explanations, also missed the ball; but further explained this was because he was too short for the club. Lord Balfour again tried to follow caddy's instructions and again missed; whereupon enddy eyed him and remarked in solemn sincerity: "Gee, if I was as tall as you or you had my brains, what golf we could

European Birds Visit Japan. travel as far as Japan for the winter,

Drivers' Code Criticised.

"Don't you-all up here have any code for an automobile driver to use?" asked the young man from Virginia after he had guessed for the third time at what the driver ahead intended to do when he held his hand out. "There should be laws to make them

use one set of signs.
"There, see that fellow. He has his arm out straight. That should mean he is going to turn to the right. But you see he is only stopping. For that he should have his arm turned up straight from the elbow.

"If he wanted to turn in to the left he should have swung his hand in circles, to indicate that he intended to pull around on his own side of the road. If things like that were generally used there would be fewer acci-dents."-New York Sun.

Practical Christmas Gifts

Darodoonide voorson It is generally known that the peninsula is not enjoying prosperity this year-one to the low prices farmers have received for their products.

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Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

NEWS ITEMS FOR OUR READERS

Crisfield.-While hunting ducks in Moon Bay, Great Annamesse River, early the other morning in a small skiff, Eldridge Palmer, 16, of Marion was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun, according to his half-brother, Lee. Seated in the stern, Eldridge had placed the gun against the seat when it slipped, the entire charge entering his face and head. He was the son of John Palmer, who moved to this section a year ago. A coroner's jury gave a verdict of accidental death.

Elkton.-Viola M. Ashbridge, six-year-old daughter of Winfield S. Ashbridge, near Bay View, was struck by an automobile driven by William B Cooney, of Rising Sun, and instantly killed. The child had just stepped out of a lane, near its home, onto the read when the machine was but a few feet away. Mr. Cooney, in order to avoid striking the child, ran his car into a side fence, but failed to save the little one. Coroner Magraw summoned a jury, which gave a verdict of accidental death, exonerating Mr. Cooney of any blame.

Frederick. - The twelve-year-old daughter of Mrs. John Aumen, near Woodshoro, was horribly lacerated about the face when she was bitten by a dog alleged to be owned by Oliver Baker, of near Woodsboro. The child had accompanied her mother to the home of a neighbor and was attacked by the dog, which accompanied Baker. It is said the animal rushed In from the State road, sinking its teeth in the cheek of the girl. The cheek of the child was laid open, the bone showing in places. The condition of the victim is serious.

Annapolis .- A board of naval officers convened here to begin an in vestigation of the "disgraceful con duct" of scores of midshipmen at Philadelphia November 25, following the Army Navy football game. The board, consisting of Rear-Admiral A. H. Robertson, Rear-Admiral S. S. Robinson, Capt. J. T. Tomkins, is responsi-ble only to the Secrets of the Navy. It is charged with "fixing seponsible ity for the lack of supervision over the midshipmen at the midshipmen's ball," at which, it is alleged liquor

flowed in copious quantities. Baltimore.-Alvin M. Owsley, anfaucon Post Sunday called for a inited stand of the Legion against the release of political prisoners and against recognition of the Russian Government. "There is," he declared, "a great wave of radicalism abroad which you and I must do everything to check. Whether this radicalism is because the tension of the war has been let down, or because unemployment, or both, it is nevertheless a serious

Hagerstown. - The local Circuit Court was thrown into an uproar when Adolphus Dickens, indicted for larceny, attacked State's Attorney D. Angle Wolfinger. Dickens was finally overcome by court attendants as he lunged toward Mr. Wolfinger the second time. Dickens was being questioned at the time concerning some automobile tires he is alleged to have stolen. A physician who examined Dickens later declared that the nervous strain of the two days' trial was too much for the prisoner and that his nerves had snapped. The State's Attorney will not prefer charges against Dickens because of the attack.

Hagerstown.-The death of Roy Di ert, 27 years old, cashier at the Penngive us the small amount required. men. H. D. Harvey, demurrage clerk, If eggs, butter, potatoes, wood, is still in a serious condition at the inhaled flames when a sheet of fire enveloped the interior. The blaze is supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a number of tanks with acetylene consigned to a local dealer and stored in the building.

> Savage.-This city has been presented with a stone library and community hall by the Savage Manufac turing Company, makers of cotton duck. It has been named the Carroll Baldwin Memorial Hall, in memory of Carroll Baldwin, former president of the company, brother of Miss Sarah R. Baldwin, of Baltimore. The building contains a meeting room, library, kitchens, bowling alleys and a radio receiving apparatus for pleasure of the people of the community. The hall was opened Thursday morning with services. Following the services dinner was served to 500 employes of the Savage Manufacturing Company

Greatest Flaning Stream. The Columbia river is the greatest shing stream in the world.

STATE

Court Reform Board

Annapolia'

The first meeting of the Judician; Commission, appointed by Governor Ritchie to survey the work of the State courts and recommend any changes which may seem necessary. will be held Saturday in the office of Charles F. Harley, one of the leaders in the movement to place the judiciary system on a more efficient basis.

The following are some of the contemplated reforms which will be considered by the members of the body: Elimination of police courts and the establishment of a municipal court for the consideration of a".

minor cases. Establishment of courts of comestic relations for the consideration of all domestic problems. Centralization of judicial power

under a committee. Establishment of a State-wide Court of Appeals. Establishment of courts of con-

ciliation. Increased salaries for the judges. The meeting will be for the pur ose of organizing the commission. After the State courts have been thoroughly surveyed the commission will make the recommendations which it thinks necessary to the Governor. It is pointed out that at present our judicial system is the same as it was a century ago and that the cost of justice in Maryland is very high.

Besides Mr. Harley, the following nen are members of the commission: Samuel K. Dennis, George Weam Williams, former Judge Morris A Soper, Charles McHenry Howard, Syl van H. Lauchheimer, Omar F. Hersey John M. Requardt, Walter H. Buck, J Craig McLanaban, Philip B. Perlman Emerson C. Harrington, of Cambridge; T. Hughlett Henry, of Easton; Thomas H. Robinson, of Belair; N. Charles Burke, of Towson; Alexander Armstrong, of Hagerstown; William C Walsh, of Cumberland; F. Neale Park er, of Westminster; Jacob Rohrbach of Frederick; John B. Gray, of Prince Frederick, and Ridgely P. Melvin, o

Ritchie To Review Case Of Dr. Wade Testimony as to conditions at Foster Clinic, given at hearings by the Governor's investigating committee, will be studied by Governor Ritchie and by the board of managers of Spring Grove State Hospital, of which the Lindson

Both Governor Ritchie and Howard Bryant, secretary of the board, said that the board's report Wednesday was not finel. This report said the board's opinion was that all charge tional commander of the American was then advised, Dr. J. Percy Wade Legion, in an address before the Mont. the superintendent, should continue to

Mr. Bryant said that thus far the board has had before it only the in vertigating committee's report and not the testimony given at the hear

Mr. Bryant said the board expected to get the testimony after the Gov ernor had studied it for several days There would be no delay by the board in taking action, he said, and, in his judgment, there would be no conflict between the Governor and the board

Governor Ritchie said he intended to study the testimony for several days and expected the board to de likewise. If he found there was sufficient reason to believe Dr. Wade should be removed, he said, he would make such a recommendation to the Board of Governors.

The Governor said he looked upo the report as one hurriedly prepared and based on Dr. Wade's denial of the investigating committee's charges.

Commissioners Face Unique Problem Whether a toll charge is a tax within the meaning of the State Constitution is a problem to be settled by Alexander Armstrong, Attorney-General, and William M. Maloy, chairman of the Public Service Commission.

Both are members of the commis sion appointed under an act of the last Legislature and charged with the duty of purchasing the bridge over the Susquehanna between Perryville and -Havre de Grace. The act providing for the bridge stipulates that bonds shall be issued for the purchase of the bridge and that the interest and sinking funds for the retirement of the bonds shall be provided by tol charges upon those who use the bridge. The Constitution provides that no bonds shall be Issued unless a tax is levied to provide for the interest on them and for a sinking fund.

One solution of the difficulty which has been suggested is that the owners of the bridge put in a bid for the bonds at par and if there were no higher bidders for them the bridge owners could take the bonds in payment for their property.

Ritchie Paroles Mayhew.

Governor Ritchie issued a parole to Frank Mayhew, who is serving a three-year sentence in the Maryland Penitentiary, having beep convicted of robbery in Garrett coudty. Mayhev was sentenced December 20, 1921. The Parole Board recommended the granting of the action by Governor Ritchie The Board will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday and consider some 85 cases of prisoners who are making applications for paroles and

Origin Lost In Antiquity. Origin of the word Asia remains we



Between Keel and Pelvio Bones Shows Capacity Late Molters Are Favored.

It has been found that there are definite outward indications and measurements of a fowl's lady which folicate greater or less production.

For instance, it has been observed that a bird during the course of its laying spreads out the pelvic or jan bones. The greater and longer the production the more these bones are sprend. Also production straightens out the curve in these Tance. The activities of the intestines cause the fowl to have what is called cannelty, that is, considerable capacity between

the pelvic and keel bones. It has also been noted that contin ual laying uses up the surplus fat in the body so that in the fall of the year after a fowl has been produ heavily we find by feeling the fowl between the pelvics and keel it has a soft pliable feeling, no layer of fat

being evident under the skin There are also definite color changes which take place with egg production. Directly after molting, during which time the fowl has laid up a surplu of fat, the skin, shank and beak of the yellow-skin varieties have a very strong yellow color. As the proces of egg laying continues this yello color disappears. Observations show that the color around the vent dis appears first, then in the beak, the in the legs. In leaving the beak it leaves the base first, the part nearest the bead, and fades out toward the tip. In leaving the legs it begins or



Layer.

edges of the eyelle also fades with production.

The molting of the fowl is another definite index of production. The late molter is almost invariably the best layer. The stage of moit is a good index as to whether one bird has been a better producer than the other. A fowl usually mofts in the neck first, then the body, the tall, and the wing starting from the center and molting in both directions. This might vary a little in rare cases.

The above are some of the indications which are used in judging production contests.-H. Embleton, Poultry Division, Oklahoma A. and M

POOR FOWLS LOWER PROFITS Smaller Flock of High Producera Wil

Prove Far More Satisfactory-

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There is certainly no room for fowls on any farm when they lay so few eggs during the year that they scarcely pay for the grain and other feed they get. A smaller flock of high producers will make twice the profit with a smaller cost for feed and housing space. When a hen begins to moult, taking most of the summer and fall to replenish her supply of feathers, it is about as sure a sign as a poultryraiser needs that she is an undesirable

ENCOURAGE PULLETS TO LAY With Small Amount of Attention and Care Young Fowla Will Produce

Much Earlier.

Most pullets raised on the farm start laying when they are about ten months old in spite of the fact that of scientific perfessors are going to a small amount of attention and care Africa to hunt for humans with tails!" would bring them into laying when they are from six to seven months old. Getting eggs three months earlier at a time when egg prices are likely to be high is an important factor in increasing the profits from the flock.

DETERMINE BEST LAYING HEN

Fowls With Full Crops on Going to Roost at Night Are In All Probability Good Layers.

You can help to decide which hens are kept at a loss by going through the house just after dark and feeling the crop of each bird. Those hens whose crops are packed full are in all probability the bens which are laying well. You may well be suspicious of the hen which night after night has reunion of broken parts. It was in early use in the sense of bone setting. only a partly-filled crop.

In the Case of Love.

Absence is like a wind which fans configuration, but which extinguishes a candle.- Mr. Tinayre.

RECENT INVENTION WILL REDUCE PRICE OF SILK. -Silk has always been con sidered an article of inxury on account of its bigh cost in comparison with other textile materials, writes United States Commercial Attache H. C. Mac-Lean from Rome. This has been due in large degree to the labor necessary in hauffling the cocoons and preparing the thread for spinning. Consequently the silk industry has flourished only in countries where cheap labor is available.

After socking the cocoons in water the thread has always been unreeled by hand, which is. a work of great delicacy, but one for which it has not been posstble to pay high wages. Thus, while slik weaving in traly has heen making progress the preparation of the raw silk has shown a decline. It is now reported that an Italian silk expert has succeeded in perfecting a machine which will perform the operation of unrecting the thread mechanically. A new company has recently been tormed, which has taken over the perents covering the invention and will manufacture the

If the invention succeeds commercially as well as it has in the experiments that have been made it blds fair to revolutionize the slik industry, and, according to the loventor, the cost of silk may be reduced to such an extent that it will be able to compete with cotton and linen.

MAN'S NOSE SENSITIVE ORGAN

How Extraordinarily Minute Particles in Air at Once Affect the Olfactory Nerve.

Do you know why you have to "snift

the air" when trying to detect a faint odor? It is because the nerves governing the sense of smell are not located, as is generally supposed, in the nasa! passages, but in an area of sensitive membrane about the size of a dirac and located high above each nostril. A portion of the hairlike tips of the olfactory nerves terminating in this membrane receives the sense impres sion and conducts it to the brain. Because of the position of this membrane outside the natural path of the breath, It is necessary to draw aside a curren-of air by spiding belove-dimed was The effects of snuff and smelling salts have nothing to do with the ser of smell. They react only on the lin-

ings of the nasal passages So far as physiologists have been able to learn, smells are pigeonholed in the brain as visual impressions. Each smell carries associations good brought forth by the brain when particular nerves are excited.

The reaction of the brain to an odor depends also to a large extent on the sense of taste. Only by combining the brain reports of these two senses can odors be accurately catalogued.

Degenerate as the olfactory nerve sense in man has become through evo- that 600 feet of water is not an unlution, it still retains the marvelous ability to detect one part of camphor in four hundred thousand parts of air, and one part of vanillin in ten millionparts of air. As for the obnoxious sme! mercaptan, the human nose can dotect the presence of one part in of water that rolls floats as much shiptwenty-five trillion parts of air.-Popular Science Monthly.

How Icebergs Are Detected. Icebergs are probably the greatest senace to trans-Atlantic shipping: it was an iceberg which sent the great Titanic to the bottom with such fenrful loss of life.

A new device has been brought out by a French inventor which detects cebergs when they are six miles away. Melting ice sends out rays which are invisible to the eye, but which will affect a delicate instrument called the thermo-couple. This apparatus can be made so finely that it will register the presence of a lighted candle at a disance of half a mile. The thermo-couple is connected to a

elephone receiver on the bridge of the ship. When conditions are normal it emits a continuous note of unchang-As soon as an iceberg la approached, however, the note changes, and the look-out man knows at once that there is danger.

His Deduction. "Land o' the livin'!" ejaculated Mrs. Johnson in the midst of her reading "It says here in the paper that a bunch "Uh-hub!" nonchalantly replied Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "What do they aim to do when they find 'em-

Why He Had to Steal. Judge-How could you be so con scienceless as to steal the watch of the doctor who had just prescribed for Prisoner-Well, yer honor, I was in

bloomin' fix. Yer see, his prescrip-

tie tin cans to 'em?"-Kansas City

tion read "a spoonful every hour," an' I had no timeplece.-Boston Tran-How Algebra Got Name, Algebra is no Italian word derived rom the Arabic al-jebr, meaning the

Apply Prusing Knife. Envy is the most acid fruit that grows on the stock of Min.-Hosea

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GREAT LAKES THINGS APART

Writer Complains, With Reason, That Wonderful Bodies of Water Are Not Appreciated.

Statistics can never make people

understand the Great Lakes. That It is 300 miles down Lake Michigan from Chicago to Manistique means little; usual depth: that the tonnage which goes through the locks at Sault Ste. Marie makes the annual tonnage of the Suez canal seem insignificantthese things mean little in themselves. Try another: No equal area oing in a year as does the Detrait river. That falls flat, too. The beauty of the Great Lakes cannot be compared to that of any other water in the world and carry meaning, Harold Titus writes in Everybody's. They are things apart, an influence, a background for important cultural factors that are beyond statistics. There is no locality more American in America than the Great Lakes. The romance of exploration is largely for gotten by America as a whole; the island communities, once so picturque, are thinning out, railroads have driven the trading hooker off this fresh water; fishing, for the most part, is today as efficient and commonpiace as most forms of business; the great fleets of freighters go up and down, up and down, hardly noticed, rarely thought of, except by those directly interested in shipping. And yet the Great Lakes have their place in our civilization, and in time that place will be recognized and talked about and respected and the lakes themselves will be studied and appreciated

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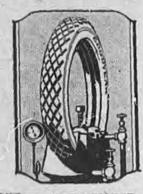
and understood.

Almost any alibi will do in a pinch. Old John Smithers of Richmond, in the days of long ago, was one of those "shif'less" individuals, too trifling for words and of no value to himself or anybody else. His wife kept a rallroad boarding house and tolerated him about the place as a sort of safety valve for her temper and used him as an errand boy to run to the grocery. One afternoon, when it was about time to start the cooking for the evening meal, she could not find either him or the hired girl. At last she discovered them in the woodshed hugging and kissing to beat the band. The girl fled and left him to face the

"Here you are," caled his indigmo. wife, "mooning and spooning around with that young hussy, and me working the skin off my fingers to keep your worthless body and soul together! Now, ain't you ashamed of

"Humph," retorted old John, "I guess a man's got a right to some privilege in his own home, ain't he?" Indianapolis News.

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Improvement in Reindeer Herds. L. J. Palmer, in charge of the government's reindeer experiment station at Nome, Alaska, has just sent in a report to the United States Department of Agriculture that conditions among Alaskan reindeer herds are the best this year in the history of the industry. The fawn crop has been unusually large, and favorable conditions have greatly reduced the ordinary lesses. Herd owners who have adopted recommendations of the biological survey for improved handling of the herds report marked gain in size and condition of animals, and a reduction in the losses from those experienced under former methods. Reindeer introduced two years ago on Nunivak island are doing remarkably well, with the young much larger in size than animals of the same age on the mainlend.

Sowing and Reaping. We sow a thought and reap an act; we sow an act and reap a habit; we

sow a habit and reap a character; we sow a character and reap destiny .-Thackerny.

Our own guess is that after con-quering the world, Alexander died of rage while trying to collect the indemnity.-Birmingham (Ala.) News.

Good Work Never Lost. No good work is ever lost; many Isborers must be content to sow; others will come to reap the harvest, -Max Maller.

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

GIANT TREE ON LONG ISLAND

Experts Say Sycamore is Nearly Fou Hundred Years Old and Good for Century More.

"Old Sycamore," the giant on the place of James Hill at Wheatley, L. I., which recently won the "biggest tree on Long Island" contest conducted by Normal Taylor of Brooklyn Botanic gardens, was born only 57 years after Columbus landed at San Salvador, in 1492. It was eighty years old when Hendrick Hudson first saw Long Is-

This is the opinion of Mr. Taylor and other experts who have examined the glant sycamore, the New York world states. Its age is estimated between 300 and 400 years, 1 sore likely the latter, it is said. The trunk near the ground is 24 feet in circumference and some of the limbs, half way up even, are larger than the trunks of many trees which claim to be putri

The height of "Old Sycamore" has not been ascertained, but it towers over the landscape in lerdly fashion Mr. Hill says that 00 years ago the place was used by the county butche. his home. His beef, when slaugh tered, was hung on chains from "Old Sycamore's" limbs. One of the chain was there when Mr. Hill bought the

During the past 105 or 120 years after the forest was cut away, so com neighboring hills was washed down and filled around the tree to a depth of 15 feet. This was verified x years ago, Mr. 1101 says, when tree expert gave "Old Sycamore" the first deciering of its life.

The tree is said to be in splendid condition and good for a century of

FOLLOWED SEA FIFTY YEARS

Retired Commander Has Many Stories of Adventure Accumulated During Half Century on Ocean.

Capt. J. W. Christle, formerly com nameler of the White Star Deminior liner Canada, has refired after salling contain the sile lies went to se

the next half century participated in

- of was employed to carry the us Hadson's Horse from India to ! Durchaselles at the time of the als reached their destination, and eached close to the beach and we breed to commence detarkation cade ties. The youthful apprentice wa mounted on the name back sound hit streed toward the beach and the Tark The nulmal, necoviling to the captain's well alread of all competitors and then despite the carried ciforis of its rides dashed headlong toward the Turkish would check the boast's order, until e of many bulleys from the intionched enemy struck it and turned again toward the sen. The appron the regained his ship in safety, none the worse for his unusual experience but with a strong and lasting distaste for international complications.

Wood and Furniture.

There are thousands of different species of wood in the world, but no two square inches are allke. The say wood may be plain-sawed or quarte sawed, but there will be a world o difference in the two. No one inch in a board is like another. Nor will you ever find two pieces of wood of the same texture.

Trees are developed very much as a human being is developed. They have vertical pipes or pores which carry water and modicums of mineral through their trunks and limbs, just as the blood feeds the human body. There are no products in the world Church, on whose history will compare will

those fashloned from wood. Civilization itself has evolved along with the evolution of wood and its uses, Civilization would have been impossible without wood. Nations which have succeeded most are those which have fellowed the hardwood belts.

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Wax Renders Varnish Acid Resisting. Recent Investigations have show that the addition of small quantities of wax to a varnish that is resistant to water or acid fumes will make it considerably more resistant, says Popular Mechanics. Various kinds of wax may I e used, and as the amount wax sidded is small it has no appreclable effect on the toughness or other desirable qualities of the var-

Drilling and Boring. In machine shop parlance, driffing is making a round hole through metal or the like with a rotating pointed tool that forces its way through by pres-sure and rotation, while boring is cularging a hole that already exists. Cutting a circular hole in wood with a brace and bit, as done by carpenters. s boring, but a similar operation in

Pat Beat the Echo. erful, and as for arguing with hime never falled to have the last word. fact into consideration, er who have "Now, Pat," sait a visitor, who had beard of his fame, "I'll bet you five chillings that I can take you to a

etal is drilling.

"Done!" cried Pat. So the two went to a place where there was a famous echo. When they returned Pat was jingling his five shil-

place where you won't have the last

"Me bhoys," gasped one of his friends, "there's ould Pat beaten the

"Yes, it's thrue!" cried Pat. "Och but sure en' it was a job at first. The thing came back to me again and ngain, but I got even wid it. I spoke the last word under me breath!"-London Answers.

He Belonged There,

One evening as my escort and I ore walking up town a car drove up the curb and stopped. Thinking it on for both of us?"

the car, a perfect stranger to us properly. s were all the other occupants of car-and who was merely stopng in front of his own house, rgot to beg the man's pardon .--

When you start furnishing any roo the house, it is necessary to begin th a definite idea of what effect ! what type of furniture will i

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rack, and many other articles. TERMS OF SALE: All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; all sums over \$10.00, credit of 4 months, purchaser giving note with approved

ers, set wicker parlor furniture, win

"Sale rain or shine." F. H. Elmore.

Fruning Knife, Systematically Used Is Favored for Bushes That Have "Run Out,"

There is one point to be kept in mind in pruning currants, and that is that the best fruit is borne on the two and three-year-old wood rather than younger cones, as is the case with most bush fruits. After the canes are four or five years old they become rially dwarfed in size. The prining knife is the only remedy. It should Pat's command of language was won- be systematically used to cut away the old growth and encourage new. Many people who do not take this



Every Well-Balanced Garden Should

opped to pick us up, and seeing that of the current complain that their car was crowded, my escort bushes have "run out" and no longer erry voice, "Do you think there's The fault lies not so often with the currents as with the person himself. "I'm afraid not," said the drivet. He has not used the pruning knife

Currants can be trained to grow in trellis work and stakes, but the best basic to depart we even plan is to grow them as a bush. Half dozen good, sturdy current bushes properly ha alled should supply a famlly all the currents needed.

They can be set to the best advange in the spring and when you order from the nurse is be sure to specify two-year-old bushes. Set them four eet apart, if you plant more than one row. The first two years it is necesary to practicat siena culture in order to give them the proper start. Plant, owever, when they are dormant and

they will continue to produce good

BEST WAY TO CONTROL LICE

Spray Trees With Black Leaf No. 40, a Standard Commercial To-

them with Buck Leaf 40, which is a candere e amercial tobacco extract. This policies, robution can be purchased should breed within three or four quired, for instance, to remain motion at meet any store handling spray maerials, and you will and directions on the can fer its use,

It is a little difficult to satisfactorily ontrol lice after they have become se-In regular spraying this to-Peters and Norman M. Peters, trading bacco extract is added to the regular spray solution, as it is just as effective when used in combination with other materials as when used alone.

BEST TREE SHAPE AND FORM

While Foliage is at its Best is Time to Determine Limb or Branch to Remove.

At this time of the year the follre is at its best. This makes it easy to get the best shape and form of the tree. It is best to examine the reg entefully to determine just the runch or flub to be removed. The larger limbs should be kept and the cross limbs and these that seem in the way should be removed. When limbs of trees are removed, it is nec nody of the tree. This will give easy the highest bidder at the place where I access for the veturn flow of sap to now reside, known as "Poplar Neek cover the wound. Never leave a stump

> Prune When Necessary. Trees are valuable, and if any pruning is necessary—do it now. One of safe rules is to remove dead branches and leave the tree natural.

Cut Out Old Wood. Prune current and gooseberry bushes as soon as they are through fruiting. Cut out the old wood and It is false economy to give a liberal some of the new growth. Remember

itistics show that there are only 75 fruit trees on the farms of the country where 100 stood tan years ago. And still the decrease goes on until in n few years we will have almost a fruitless country.

Four-Vear-Old Chedse. One of the best grades of Italian Xylography was invented by the ancheese is said only after it has been cient Chinese, who carved the letters dow shades, and hangings, 5 guns with sensoned for at least four years. Ideal State of Society.

Society is well governed when the magistrates the laves,-Solon.

Improvement Always in Order. Whatever in provement we make in ourselves, we are thereby sure to mellorate our future condition.-Paley.

Roughages Furnish Large Amount of Energy and Are Cheaper Than Concentrates.

"Economical feeding," says J. G. is the important thing in caring for to make the world more happy. the idle work horse during the winter months. Roughage such as hay, corr stover and seraw, furnish a large mount of net energy. They are usualfar cheaper freds than the concentrates, and when they are of sufficiently good quality, the animals may be maintained on these feeds alone.

and proper shelter are most important. National Conference of Scout Execu The Arabs have a saying, 'Rest and fat tives at Blue Ridge, N. C. Mr. Des are the greatest enemies of the borse. Jardins is known throughout the The horse is par excellence the creature of motion, and in its feeding and for his work for the welfare of boys management this fact should always he is also prominent for his efforts t be kert in mind. A mature horse unify scouting in France and he is th should receive regular exercise, travel- first man to be honored jointly by th ing not less than five or six miles per | three French scout movements for the day to maintain health. Horses can mission of representing the whole be turned into the pasture until it scout body. The Italian and Belgian



A Well-Ventilated Stable.

snows or the ground becomes too soft, and then into the yard so that they may have exercise. Cool, well-venti- for some time, and noticing the ablated quarters are far preferable to sence of idle, loafing boys, I said to a warm, close stables. In all cases little fellow nearby: 'Where are all horses must be protected from drafts the tough kids that used to be around and extreme weather.

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FAVOR FLUSHING EWE FLOCK Advantage to Have Lamb

Dropped Within Comparatively

Short Period in Spring.

When ewes are in a gaining condition determined by conditions at the breed- an unscoutlike comrade,

GROWING SWINE ON ALFALFA

No One but a Greenhorn Would Attempt to Raise Hogs on Corn Alone-Grass Needed.

The feeding of corn to hogs is a custom so old and well established that no Midwert farmer would think of alsing wine without this greatest of nil coreals. While corn is the best and heapest grain for fattening hogs, no one but a greenhorn would attempt to raise pigs on corn exclusively.

Feeding Growing Horses. Proper feeding will accomplish much where growing horses are concerned, diet to the best-looking animals only. ones may develop or how they may turn out if well fed.

Hogs Are Most Important. Hogs are among the most important animals to raise on the farm for meat or for profit, and no farm is complete modern method of farming.

of the Chinese alphabet on blocks of wood, and thus introduced a form of printing. It came to Europe during the first quarter of the Fifteenth century, and in the intervening centuries had reached a very high plane of skill.

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"To the Boy Scouts of America from the Boy Scouts of France: "A scout is a man whose open to new ideas, and who goes on his way unafraid; he is also a knight Fuller of the annual busbandry depart-ment of the University of Wisconsin, people at all times, and to do his best people at all times, and to do his best

"France of the Old World is the home of the knight; America of the New World, the home of the plonee What a magnificent ideal we can present to the world in placing together The bearer of this message was M. Guerin Des Jardins, who represente "Next to feeding, sufficient exercise the Boy Scouts of France at the recent

organizations have decorated him with their highest award, and in England he has been honored by receiving from Sir Robert Buden-Powell, father of the scout movement, the silver Wolf cup. M. Des Jardins brought warm and

cordial expressions of the appreciation . he French scouts for their American brothers. He said: "The French boy and the American boy may differ as far as natural surroundings go, but at heart they are attke-happy and gay and lovable. The same spien-did qualities to be developed and the me dangers to be avoided." When M. Des Jardins was complimented on his study of boy psychology, he credited our American books on the sublect as the basis of his work. "I read these works and then I observe our own boys to see how they react under the same conditions as are described in your books. The experiment proves the boy is essentially the same every where. We, too, find 'the gang spirit' barmful, but thanks to our scouting boys are being now formed into useful, energetic troops. Once in passing through a small town I had not visited here? 'We nin't got any tough kids "If good quality roughages are not any more," said the lad there a boy available in sufficient amount, a small scout troop here now."

grain ration may be added. In any event," says Mr. Fuller, "no more than showed an exhibit of the French scouts' e to bair 2 work ration should be given bandleraft, and their version of the which ordinarily ranges from 5 to 8 life and work of the American Indian.

endurance, courage and self-control of the Red Man. Sometimes they will set a scal in self-restraint by not apeaking for a certain Ength of time. That's just to be like the indian, who is a man of few words. When a French scout inc a himself, he tries to bear the pair travely, without letting one know how much it hurts. That, too, is weight rather than losing at the breed- Indians did. Indeed, one of the official ing senson, they will come in beat scout tests in France is called 'the Inre nearly at the same time and dian test, in which the boys are reweeks. This is a big advantage in the less for a certain length of time, just spring for then the lambs will all be as the Red Man would have done in dropped within a comparatively short the forests of old when studying the period and careful attention can prof- ways of the birds and timid animals hably be given the flock at that time, of the woods. Other features of the test bring out the great virtues of they drop more twins. This has been these first Americans, In fact, Visage proven time after time on the western | Pate, which in English is 'Pale Face,' range where the lamb crop is largely is a sturdy scout's term of reproach for

Ing season.

With the beginning of cool weather, healthy ewer will have a better appetite and if feed is provided will naturally gain in weight. Ten days before the ram is to be turned into the flock the ewes should be given a little grain—about half a pound a day—or else have the run of a good pasture. Chopped pumpkins and rape make excellent stimulating feeds at this season.

an unscoutlike comrade.

M. Des Jardins says that the French boys are especially fond of the artistic features connected with scouting. At the French camps the boys compete in arranging floral decorations of their own design on the tables in the mess hall or outside of their camps. They like to beautify the interior of their camps, too, with decorations which they make themselves. This summer at M. Des Jardins camp a daily prize was offered to the boy who arranged the most beautiful decoration in the mess half. So interested were these French lads in this artistic work that they would give up part of their play time to designing attractive center

pieces for the mess hall in small stones, wild flowers and moss. Often such slogans of appreciation as "Vive l' Amerique"-Long live America, "Vive les Boy Scouts d'Amerique"-Long live the Boy Scouts of America, would appear worked in small white stones. Pear worked in small white stones.

Throughout his stay in this country,
M. Des Jardins will be the guest of
the American Committee for Devastated France.

SCOUTS RUN EXCITING RACE A miniature automobile race oy boy

scouts for the "McGinty Cap" from Fargo, N. D., to San Francisco, Calif., was the unique form of competition used by boy scout troops of Fargo in an endeavor to increase troop efficiency, membership, and public interest in the movement. In the window of a local business concern a mini ture track was laid. The race lasted one month, sand the place of the cars on the road was determined by points gained in the contest.

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and when softened ad of bolling water. sugar and two tables fulce; cool and add cooked apple pulp. the mixture begins with a wire whick add two well-beaten well. Tura into a lady fingers or cake whipped cream,

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Toasted Sandwiches .blespoonfuls of salad spoonful of vinegar, spoonful of salt, a das with one-half cupful of or thick cream. Spread inch slices of graham sprinkle with chopped Put together in pairs and shaped pieces and toast

Cantaloupe Pickle.-A taloupe makes a very Cut the melon in section the seeds. Soak in a sali quart of water. Dra to the following sirup: fuls of water, four cupfi one cupful of vinegar, on ful of cinnamon, one tabl allspice and cloves; put s ten minutes and let the the sirup all night. Dr sirup, add the fruit and co

If he's married, you can't

cantaloupe is clear. Seal

er he smokes a pipe becau cause he smokes a pipe.-

Personal Contact "Ef'n I was a preacher," eoal Eph, ruminatively, "I'd pulpit less an' go visitin' m Richmond Times-Dispatch.

The Cost of Telephone Service

Telephone service has become of such universal use as to justify it as one of the various items which go to make up the householder's budget.

That its cost has not mounted to the extent of the other items is shown by the following comparison of per cent increases in costs throughout the United States since the year 1914, taken from the reports of the National Industrial Conference Board.

	Per Cent Over 1914
	1920 1 2
House Rents	58 (3
Clothing	166 .53
Fuel	66 81
Sundries	85 72
Food	119 40
I.Iaryland Telephone Rate	es 23 23

This table shows that in 1920, the period of highest prices, the increase in the cost of telephone service over 1914 was less than a fourth of the average increase in the cost of the other items; and now, with prices largely stabilized, the increase is less than one-third of the increase in the other items.

The usefulness of the telephone service to the patron in a city, town or community depends largely upon the number of persons with whom he may communicate; in other words, the value of telephone service increases as the number of telephones increases.

In some places in Maryland since 1914, the number of telephones has increased as high as 100%; in the entire state the increase has been 53%. In other words, the increase in the value of the telephone service to the user in Maryland has greatly exceeded the increase in our rates.

> The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City





A winding road up hill and down, Hetween green fields, away from town, Where doming clouds ride in the sky And dusty feet plod noisclessly.

SOMETHING TO EAT

lelicious desserts may be prepared. -Take one-half



ful of cold water. and when softened add one-half cupful of boiling water. Add one cupful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice; cool and add one cupful of cooked apple pulp. Cool, and when the mixture begins to thicken beat with a wire whisk until light, then add two well-beaten whites and beat well. Turn into a mold lined with lady fingers or cake. Serve with

Rice With Pineapple,-Soak one-half package of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water, then add onehalf cupful of scalding hot pincapple juice, one-half cupful of sugar, and one cupful of cooked rice, one teaspoonful of salt, and one tablespoonful of lemon juice. Turn into a mold lined with slices of canned pineapple. Chill and serve with whipped cream. Two egg whites may be used in place of whipped cream,

Toasted Sandwiches .- Mix two tablespoonfuls of salad oll, one tablespoonful of vinegar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, a dash of paprika with one-half cupful of cottage cheese or thick cream. Spread on one-fourth inch slices of graham bread, then sprinkle with chopped walnut meats. Put together in pairs and cut in fingershaped pieces and toast.

Cantaloupe Pickle .- An unripe cantaloupe makes a very good pickle. Cut the melon in sections and remove the seeds. Soak in a salt solution, using one-quarter of a cupful of salt, to a quart of water. Drain and add to the following sirup: Four cupfuls of water, four cupfuls of sugar, one cupful of vinegar, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, one tablespoonful of allspice and cloves; put spice in small bag and cook with the melon. Boil ten minutes and let the fruit stand in the sirup all night. Drain, botl the sirup, add the fruit and cook until the cantaloupe is clear. Seal in hot jars.

Neceie Maxwell

Might Be Either. If he's married, you can't tell whether he smokes a pipe because he is an outdoor man or is an outdoor man because he smokes a pipe.-Exchange.

Personal Contact. "Ef'n I was a preacher," said Char-coal Eph, ruminatively, "I'd pound de pulpit less an' go visitin' mo', suh."-Richmond Times-Dispatch.

CARRY ON VAST PROPAGANDA am Fraternities Factors of Great

mportance Throughout the Wirele

A spiritual factor of great importance in the Mohammedan world is the fraie nities. Islam slways had its frateralties, but the two which did the most for its religious and political revival came into existence about the middle of the Nineteenth centurythe Sennussiya and the Djemal-ed-Din, writes Rev. Amos I. Dushaw in the

Christian Herald. The founder of the Sennussiya was Seyld Mohammed Sennussl, a descendant of the prophet and a man of learning, plety and position. It was strictly puritanic in character and now, eighty years old, is exerting a great spiritual influence on Islam. This fraternity has lodges scattered throughout the whole of Islam, but El Sennussi, the prescut leader, has a firm hold on the whole movement and he has kept it from political alliances, Islamic and Christian. He is aiming at a spiritual revival of his people because he feels that Islam cannot regain its complete political independence without its old spiritual life. In

ing preparatory work. It is also carrying on a tremendous missionary propaganda and converting millions of pagan negroes to its faith. Diemal-ed-Din, unlike Sennussi, was less of a theologian and more of a political propagandist, feared and persecuted by the English. He saw Islam's danger and worked hard to stir it up to action. Stoddart says, "It is not too much to say that he is the father of every shade of Egyptian nationalism." His influence did not end with Egypt. Djemal-ed-Din was no wild fanatic. He knew the forces that faced the Islam world and, like tennussi, only dealing with political matters, he offered advice of real value to his people. "It is plain that the whole Moslem world must unite in a great defensive alliance to pre-

a word, the Sennussi fraternity is do-

REPORT SMALL GRAIN CROPS

of European power."

serve itself from destruction; and to

do this it must acquire the technic of

western progress and learn the secret

Neither France Nor Germany Will Read the Quantity Which Was the Result of the Last Harvest.

The wheat crop of France for 1922 is estimated at 235,380,000 bushels, according to a cablegram received by the United States Department of Agriculture from the international institute of agriculture at Rome. This is a decrease of 88,090,000 bushels from the yield in 1921. The wheat yield of Germany is estimated at 69,670,000 hushels, a reduction of 38,130,000 bushels

from last year's crop. The rye crop of France is estimated The rye crop of France is estimated and the state of the Malometan religion as laid made in Rome as early as 269 B. C., and 12 was 4392 000 bushels last year; barley, of the Malometan religion as laid made in Rome as early as 269 B. C. It 44,392,000 bushels last year; barley, 39,540,000 bushels, compared with 38, down in the sacred books of the 318,000 bushels in 1921; oats, 288,250,- prophet. 000 bushels, compared with 244,455,000 bushels. In Germany the yield of rye is estimated at 210,580,000 bushels, compared with 267,648,000 bushels last year; oats, 284,600,000 bushels, compared with 344.812,000 bushels.

The Praying Christ

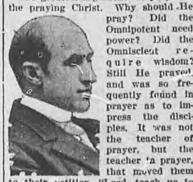
By UEV. C. H. BENSON

pray? Did the

Omnipotent need

power? Did the

TEXT-As He prayed.-Luke 9:29. The greatest argument for prayer is



ples. It was not the teacher of prayer, but the eacher 'a prayer, that moved them to their petition, "Lord, teach us to

He prayed as he was being baptized. "And it came to pass that Jesus, also being baptized and praying, the beaven was opened and the Holy Spirit de-scended upon him." Baptism is a sacred sacrament, but it was not so much the water that John administered as the prayer that Jesus uttered that opened the heavens and brought down the gift of the Holy Spirit.

He prayed as He chose His disciples. "He went up into a mountain to pray and continued all night, and when it was day He called unto Him His disciples and of them He chose twelve." Whom shall He honor? Shall He choose Matthew, the unpopular publican? Shall He choose Thomas? Thomas will doubt Him. Shall He choose Peter, that ignorant, swearing fisherman who will deny Him? Oh, what agony of heart He must have whom He knew must betray Him!

He prayed at the hour of His greatest popularity. He had gained great duty. prestige when He fed the five thousand. But "when Jesus perceived that they would come and take Him by force and make Him king, He departed again into a mountain himself alone." Alone on His knees he struggled to escape the flattering temptation of the

He prayed at the time of His greatest unpopularity. He had an unpleasant announcement to make to His disciples. They had left all to follow Him, with the hopes that eventually He would proclaim himself as King and sit on His throne in Jerusalem. But the time had come for Him to predict that "the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected and slain." How would the disciples accept such an announcement? Would they then and there forsake Him? And so, when that fatal day arrived, we read that "as He was praying His disciples were with Him." They must have witnessed the struggle going on within His breast. Prayer was to pre-pare them for that most undesired an-

est glov. "As He prayed the Tashlen of His counterence was offenged and His raincent was white and glistening." He proyed pimes into His transfig-uration. It was prayer that revealed to the discouraged disciples the trans-figured f.ord as prophet, priest and

He prayed at the time of His greatest agony. It was the night before the highway by the robbers is the man great tragedy. Alone He must face it. who needs a neighbor. My neighbor, alon would forsake Him. Angels would therefore, is the one who needs my desert Him. God would hide His face. | help, whether he lives next But He went through this hour of on the outside of the world. Those agony upon His knees and by prayer who have the Spirit of Christ can see He was strengthened for the trying their neighbors on every hand. ordent.

He prayed in the hour of greatest pain. It was when they were nailing His hands and feet to the cross and putting it in place with a joit that orlinarily made the victim scream with pain. But, to the astonishment of all, the suffering Saviour prays! Was it for himself? No. He prayed for His (b) Have compassion on the needy murderers! "Father, forgive them for wonder the unbiased Roman centurion is moved to comment, "Truly this was a righteous man."

He prayed at the time of His death, His last words were, "Father, into Thy hands I commit my spirit." A thousand years before, the ! pired psalmist had prophesied that these words would be on the dying Savior's lips, A few years later they were to constitute the last prayer of the martyred Stephen.

He prayed at the time of His ascen-"He led them out as far as Bethany and He lifted up His hands and blessed them." No longer need He pray for himself. His mission was accomplished. Glory and honor awaited Him. But, praying to the last, the care of the unfortunate (v. 34). Genspreads out His hands in loving penediction upon His disciples as He is parted from them.

Do you think those disciples who had seen their Lord so much in prayer and even thus engaged at their parting glimpse could ever forget the importance of prayer? No wonder they prayed. And what they did we can do. we must do, if we follow the praying

The Rich and the Poor.

If there come unto your assembly a man with a gold ring, in-goodly apparel, and there come in also a poor nan in vile raiment; and ye respect him that weareth the gay clothing, and gay unto him, Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: are ye not partial in yourselves, and are become judges of evil thoughts?-James 2:2-4.

Turkish Law Based on Koran. The laws of the Turkish empire are pased on the precepts of the Koran, and the sultan's will is absolute when

Wonderful Power of Love. So long as we love, we serve. So for Puck, the little scamp in "A long as we are loved by others, I Midsummer Night's Dream," who would almost say, we are indispensa- squeezed the magic juice on the eyeble; and no men is useless while he nids of the Athenian lovers and mixed

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(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Tible Institute of Chicago.) Ct., right, 1922, Western Newspaper Union.

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 10

THE STORY OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN Omniscient re quire wisdom? Still He prayed and was so fre-LESSON TEXT-Luke /10:25-37. GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt love the seighbor as thyself.—Lev. 19:13. PRIMARY TOPIC—Showing Kindnes quently found in prayer as to im press the discito a Stranger.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Story of the Good

> INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC -Reing a Good Neighbor.
> YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
> -Who Is My Neighbor!

1 How to Inherit Eternal Life (vv.

1. The Lawyer's Question (v. 29) "Lawyer" here means one versed in religious law-the Scriptures. This does not mean lawyer in our modern sense of that term. It would more nearly correspond to a theological professor. The lawyer's object was to trap Jesus-to induce Him to take such a stand as would weaken His influence as a teacher. He expected Jesus to set forth some new ceremonies which would conflict with or disparage the law.

2. Jesus' Question (v. 26). Though Jesus knew the motive of the lawye He did not evade his question, sent him to the law-the field which was familiar to him. He thus was robbed of his own weapon.

3. The Lawyer's Reply (v. 27). He made an intelligent answer declaring suffered as He prayed over Judas, that the entire content of the law was embraced in love to God and man. This expresses the whole of human

> 4. Jesus Reply (v. 28.) This straightforward answer went to the heart of the lawyer. Perfect love to God and man is truly the way of life. No man has yet had or can have such love. His sinful condition precludes its possibility. Man's failure to measur up to this requirement is his condemnation. The lawver keenly felt this thrust. He was defeated on his grounds and convicted of

II. Who is My Neighbor (vv. 29-

1. The Lawyer's Question (v. 29). This question reveals the insincerity of the lawyer. Christ's answer had reached his conscience and now he seeks to escape the difficulty by asking a captious question. Lawyer-like he sought to get off by raising a question as to the meaning of words,

2. Jesus' Answer (vv. 30-37). Christ's reply more than answered the lawyer's question. In the parable of the Good Samaritan He makes clear who is a neighbor, and also what it means to be a neighbor, or man to the a neighbor means. Christ's answer had a double meaning. He not only made clear who is my heighbor, but made it clear that the lawyer was not play-ing the neighbor. Lin thus was convicted of not having been a neigh-

(1) Who is my neighbor? This des titute and wounded men left on the (2) What being a neighbor means. Our supreme concern should not be "Who is my neighbor?" but "Whose neighbor am I?" To be a neighbor is (a) to see those about us who need help (v. 33). Love is keen to discern need. We should be on the lookout those in need of our help. (v. 33). Christ's compassion was they know not what they do," No aroused as He came into contact with those who were suffering and in need. All those who have His nature will be likewise moved. (c) Give to those in need (v. 34). Many are willing to give money to help the poor and needy, but are unwilling to personally minister to them. Many times the personal touch is more important than the material aid. We should give ourselves as well as our money. (d) Bind up wounds (v. 34). (e) Set the helpleys ones on our beasts while we walk (v. 34). This is proof that love is genuine. Christians will deny themselves in order to have something to give to those who have need. This kind of sympathy is greatly needed iddey. (f) Bring to the inn and take uine love does not leave its service in complete. Much Christian service is spasmodic, helps and then leaves a man to take care of himself. (g) Give money (v. 85). It costs a good deal to be a neighbor. Love is the most expensive thing in the world. It cost life. May we go and do likewise!

When the Last Trump Sounds, The Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first .-- I Thessalonians 4:16.

Such as I Love. Such as I love, I rebuke and chastise. Be zealous, therefore, and do penance.-Apocalypse 3:19.

Doing Nothing. Doing nothing with a deal of skill,--

Metallic Coins.

Money, in the form of metallic coins, probably superseded all other legal tenders. The first record of the coin was first coined in England in 1087.

"Robin Goodfellow." Robin Goodfellow is another name has a friend .- Robert Louis Stevenson, them all up in their affections.

Too Late!

Many have so often refused the Gospel, so put off the soul's salvation to some future time, that when they have been, as it were, surprised into the reality of death, bitter remorse of conscience, "I bave sold my soul for a straw!" or. "Too late! too late!" Others have been so sensible of their being eternally lost, that they have spoken of their going to the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone almost with the last breath. Reader, beware of procrastination! "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" The following account of one who put off this momentous matter until he had to exclaim, in bitter anguish, "Too latel" is only, I am pained to say, one of a long list that might be given.

"D-was a young man of twenty-five years. When I saw him first he was just recovering from fever, and seemed very anxious about his soul. He realized in some measure his deliverance from an early grave, and now his raind was exercised about sternal things. I endeavored to set before him God's simple way of salvation. He said, 'Oh, if I am spared, how differently I would live.' I tried to show him that that was a device of Satan,-that it was his duty NOW to trust the Lord Jesus.

"He recovered, and as strength returned his anxiety disappeared, and he now only seemed to rest in the vain hope of 'turning over a new eaf.' To my surprise, on entering he ward one day, I found him again ill. He was very much alarmed, and I sgain spoke to him. My visits were earnestly sought, and as cheerfully paid, hoping that now he would be brought, not to rest on 'turning over a new leaf,' but, resting only on Christ Jesus, become at once a new creation. He was brought very low, but once more restored, and after a few weeks was again walking about, convalescent, hoping to be dismissed in a few days from the building where his life had been in so much jeopardy. He had as yet not embraced the free offers of the Gospel, but

welled for the converient season. "I had just entered the hospital oce afternoon, when the nurse of the ward where D- was a pa tien came for me. I followed her to his bedside. There he lay; every limb trembled, his eya wandered wildly, his lip quivered. I spoke to him of the compassion of Jesus, -His work for the lost, His will ngness to save. He listened for a few minutes, but, as if my words could no longer be borne, he gave me such a look that I cannot soon forgot. Oh! the despair and terror that seemed mingled in that gaze, and his voice almost fified the ward with the cry, 'IT'S TOO LATE! IT'S TOO LATE!' and before the sun went down, the lifeless form of the procrastinator was carried a-

Dear reader, NOW think of God's Word, that He "go loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." NOW, then, turn Word, and rejoice that YOU HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE,-H. H. S., In Good Tidings.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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DIFFERING VIEWS OF RAINBOW

Declaration Made That No Two Persons Can See the Same Display in the Same Way.

Misconceptions concerning the rainbow are many, according to Prof. W. J. Humphreys, Ph. D., of Franklin institute, Philadelphia. Close observations have shown that not even the celors are always the same. Neither is the band of any color of constant angular width, nor is the total brendth of the several colors uniform. But perhaps the most interesting feature which Professor Humphreys brings out is the fact that no two persons see the same rainbow; there are as many rainbows as there are persons looking

at them, it seems, Theory teaches and ordinary experience shows as the observer remains stationary or moves, so also, other things being equal, does his rainbow. If then, two observers initially close together should move in opposite directions, each would find his rainbow responding in the same sense as his shadow, and presently the two posttions, and, therefore, the identity of the two bows, would become unquestionably different, from which it follows that, as the eyes of the two observers

must always be separated by a great-

er or less distance, their bows must also be correspondingly separated and different positions are produced by different raindrops,

In short, since the rainbow is a spe cial distribution of colors (produced in a particular way) with reference to a definite point-the eye of the observer-and as no single distribution (other than uniform and infinite) can be the same for two separate points, It follows that two observers cannot see the same rainbow.-Rehoboth Supday Herald.

Maple Sugar Long Known. In the days of Napoleon's wars maple sugar had been made for some time in Bohemia, the government encouraging its manufacture. However, soon died out there, for the sugar beet came into prominence. The earliest explorers in America found the Indians making sugar from the sap of the huge maple trees that stood in companies and brigades in the ancient forests and nobody can tell when they

Old Phrase of the Sea. Davy Jones' locker, at the bottom of the sea, where Davy Jones, a mythical sea demon, holds court. When a ship sinks, it is said to have gone to Davy Jones' locker.

began it.

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Adventure of the Golden Fleece

By CLARISSA MACKIE

"A boat?" pondered old Sam Beez

ey, as he scanned the long sun-blistered pier, where the water washed restlessly against the piles; "why, man plive, I don't believe there's any kind of fishing boat in harbor today. You how the little blues are runnin' now and every man that can heave a line

Raymond looked wistfully at the bright blue water rippled by the fresh breeze. Off by the breakwater h rould see a dozen small hoats bobbing

"Good fishin" in the channel," of served Mr. Beezley, as he carefully cur a piece of tobacco

Yes," agreed the city man; "mus be pretty good if I can't hire any kind of boat. Say, there's a pretty little craft—the yawl yonder." He pointed to a small beat that had shot up to the landing steps. A slim boyish form was fussing over a line flung ashere and caught by a small boy.

"That's Captain Jemmy-might take on out for a spell-go and ask, son! He chuckled as Dick Raymond hurried down the pier toward the boat. When he reached the step he leaned over and halled the boat.

"Boat ahoy!"

"Hello!" came back briskly, "Captain Jemmy aboard?"

"Kight!" "I want to speak to him."

"Speak away!" said the tar, as bending a sunburned hand over his eyes, he scanned the breakwater. "Think he would take me fishing?"

"All aboard-casting off now. I've got plenty of tackle and balt. Ob. Elljah, cast off that line, will you? Thank you?" Captalu Jemmy devoted himself to maneuvering the boat away from the pier, and Raymond did not offer to help. He recognized Captain Jemmy as one of those born sons of the wind and tide who had been raised along shore, and who would disdain any interference unless there was dan-

Once the wind flapped the brim of the captain's enormous straw hat back

"Take It Off?" Repeated Raymond.

and for an instant Raymond had a vision of a sun-tinted face, with wide, long-lashed eyes, and damp rings of hair on the forehead. In profile the face of Captain Jemmy, hardened mariner though he might be, was that of a young angel.

"Who would suspect a young pirate like this Captain Jemmy would have a face like that?" mused the passenger as he watched the youthful figure moving easily about the little eraft. The captain's costume was ple turesque and colorful, for he wore white ducks thrust into black rubber boots, a white silk shirt open at the neck, where a scarlet scarf flickered in the wind. The big peanut-straw hat hid even the lips of the master of the Golden Fleece.

"Who named your boat?" asked Maymond at last.

"Why did you call her that?" "Oh-perhaps because it reminds

me of stories I loved when I was little then diffidently, still facing away from his passenger, he added, "every time I start on a cruise-even around the harbor, I tell myself that perhaps am setting out on a wild adventure shipwreck, hidden treasure-you know the yarns!'

"Good stuff." agreed Raymond. Captain Jenny steered for the channel, scudded past the fleet of fisher men, waved a brown hand in response to numerous halls and presently the Golden Fleece dropped anchor in the chancel, where she docked industriously, while Captain Jemmy tossed tackle nd buit toward the passenger.
"Fish here," he said laconically,

snappers are cunning fine," But Raymond was as much inter sted in the catch of harbor blues, Presently Captain Jemmy, sitting back to him, flung a line deftly at his feet. On the book wriggled a blue and silver

"Take it off, please," requested the captain, dropping another line over-

"Take it off?" repeated Raymond. "Take-it-off-please!" The young aptain's voice was icy. "Why not remove it yourself?" Ray-

ond spilled at the impudence. After awhite Captain Jemmy spoke, just as another flopping fish landed at Raymond's feet; "I hate to take em off the hook-it's messy-and-I don't know how!"

"At your service, captain," said Ray-mond gently, but his lips were puckered into a whistle as he rebaited the hook. He did not remonstrate when a second fish came bying toward him and a third and a fourth. He was busy enough between his own fishing and removing the catch from the captain's flying lines.

"Better rename the Golden Fleece, he suggested dryly.

"Call her the Flying Fish." Captain Jemmy laughed aloud, such a revealing laugh, and just as if the wind wanted to join in exposing this trickster, the peanut straw hat flopped upward and went soaring away to land on the rocks of the breakwater. "Oh, goodness!" yelled Captain

Jemmy Raymond forgot to laugh as he say a mass of ruddy hair streaming out on the wind. At that moment the Golden Fleece decided to heel to the puffing breeze.

Captain Jemmy was tying back her hair with the scarlet scarf. Her face was rosy and her eyes were evasive, All the boldness of this young tar was

ter get nome," said the captain,

Raymord gathered up the fish and cleaned up the mess about the deck. The yawl flew back through the channel, raised a cheer among the fisher-men, Captain Jemmy waved a sunburned hand and presently they were scraping against the pier.

"How much do I owe you?" asked "Nothing at all-this is a pleasure boat-and if you've enjoyed the fishing that is enough," said Captain Jemmy

rather shamefacedly. "And I shall never know more about the captain of the Golden Fleece nor hear what further adventures befell

that brave mariner?" asked the man, anxiously. "I am staying at Mr. Max-"My father is your host," she said,

demurely, pulling at her hair ribbon like a small girl. "We will go afishing tomorrow if you like." Raymond smiled contentedly, "Every day-and perhaps, who knows when we might find hidden treasure-"

"Who knows?" she repented shyly, and it is no secret now to tell that the greatest adventure of the Golden Fleece the next year was their honeymoon spent aboard that brave craft as she found her way among the Thou-

PILCHARDS LURED BY MUSIC

Proves That the Fish Have Ear for Sweet Sounds.

Pilchards are fond of music. In the summer months large pilchard seines, manned by some 18 hands, were in full swing fishing. One of them had singers of a choir belonging to a chapel among the crew, and one evening when pilchards here scarce and no fish reported by the 60 craft watching the sea, the two boats of this seine closed together to practice music for the coming Sunday's service. Instantly pilchards were seen springing up out of the water around them. The stringed instruments were quickly dropped, and in a few minutes the men were prepared to enclose the fish; but when the sound ceased no more fish could be discovered.

As no fish appeared after for some time, the music practice was resumed, and then the boats were surrounded by pilchards. To keep them around, some of the instruments continued to play, while the men got a big baul. Though these two boats got a splendid shoul, it was discovered in the morning that no other boat in the bay had enught any

Burning at the Stake.

Fire seems to be eating into the heart of Company, tongues of flame leap about the margyr who is being burned to death on the stage.

But the logs are made of asbestos built up with wire netting, painted to resemble wood and sprinkled with wood ashes. The glowing embers are only electric lights behind red paper, and the darting flames are long stream.

inch electric find placed for the foot of the pile. A separate battery or red lights that thrown strong glare on the silk streamers gives the remarkable illusion of flames.-Exchange.

Figures Produced by Quarter-Sawing. In some woods, notably the oaks, a figure is produced by quarter-sawing, says a forestry magazine. In practically all woods there are c'hbons of tissue which run at right angles to the U axis of the tree like spokes in a These are the rays, often wheel. called medullary, or pith rays, because some of them appear as extensions of

the pith into the wood. In all the confers and most hardwoods these rays are too fine to show distinctly. In others, as in maple, cherry and mahogany, they are distinct but not consulctious.

URGES USE OF WATER POWER

Prominent Engineer Shows How Fue Consumption Could Be Cut by Its Employment.

A saving of 400,000,000 tons of coal a year could be accomplished if the latent water power in the United States were developed to capacity, Dr. Charles P. Steinmetz, chief engineer of the General Electric company, declared at a dinner of the advisory council of the Federated Engineers' Development corporation, of which he

Is a member, The state of New York could cut its coal bill for industrial enterprises and public utilities to one-third of its

present cost, he said. "There is available in the state 4,-000,000 horse power, or a saving of 34,000,000 tons of coal annually," he "At present the consumption of fuel in New York is 54,000,000 tons a year. The recent strikes in the coul fields and on the railroads have shown that neither one of these public services can be relied upon, and the solution to the problem is for the state

to become independent of both. "Ten million tons of coal are saved annually in New York through the use of water power developing 1,300,000 horse power. The country at large uses 70,000,000 horse power, an annual fuel saving of 80,000,000 tons, and there is a latent horse power of 50,-000,000, or a saving of 400,000,000 tons. It still would be necessary to use 1,000,000 tons of coal each year for

Looking-Glass Country.

According to copy of the Russian

journal, Ekonomitse Heskala Zizu, which has just been received at Paris by a French socialist, the editors offer a month's subscription for 1,200,-000 rubles. For a two-months' subscription the price is 3,000,000 rubles. The apparent paradox is explained by a note saying that the difference in price for the first and second month's subscription is due to the estimated depreciation of the ruble in the next four weeks. The amount of this depreciation is so uncertain, however, that subscription prices cannot be quoted more than two months in advance.-New York Times.



Representative John W. Longley, from hentucky, tells this one in Wash-

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ington, mys Everybody's: A young attorney in Pikeville, who sought county honors, was on an electheneering your in his district when he da the gastress who he was and that e was n-camildate seeking votes at the coming election.

"And it's you!" she exclaimed, try to get away with that kind of a Why, of course my husband will vote | road in our district,"-Los Angeles for you, beln' it was you that got him Times, leared of stealin' that meat." "Say on the charge of stealing the

ment," the attorney corrected her. "Charge nothin";" said the woman 'Why, part of that meat is hangin' up in the house yet."

Try Asbestos. In the Friend Richardson guberna-

Mojave, who wanted to know what Richardson really stood for, before he

Among other matters taken up was that of the state roads, which Richardson made one of the prime issues enbed at a house where the head of of his campaign. Regarding this sub-"Our minister says the road to hell is paved with good intentions. Please don't get your locations mixed and

Plural of Two.

In modern usage the preferred plurat of the word "two" is "twos;" see Charles Kingsley (1835)-"They would lodge by twos and threes in the lonely farmhouse," The form "twoes" occurs in the folio edition of Shakespeare's "Winter Tale," act 1, scene 2 (1611)torial camp they are still laughing "By twoes and threes."

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Horace S. Hastings.

Apples for Sale -G. H. McCabe, Birlin, Md., Route 2.

Prof. Barton spent part of the week in Philadelphia.

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Mrs. Jones Workman is spending the week in Philadelphia

The Methodist bazaar is thought to have cleared about \$300 For Sale-Buick roadster. Ap-

ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md. For Sale-8-room house with cel-

lar. Inquire of Garfield Johnson. For Sale-Grocery store; good location. Apply Berlin Advance.

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A. F. Powell has been regaining the house on William St. he recently purchased to John Wainright.

Miss He'en Carroll returned last week from a two-weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Beauchamp, nized Friday evening, Dec 1, at the of Pocomoke.

Beilin's new candy kitchen and soda fountain is now open, in the room formerly used by Harry Rog. ers for a restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor, of Salisbury, and Miss Nellie Grise, of Pocomoke, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Law on Sunday.

For Rent-Fine water front farm 175 acres 2; miles Berlin, Md. Apply Geo. E. Aldrich, 18 W. 101st St., New York City, N. Y.

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Lost-A fur gauntlet glove for left hand, on Powellton Ave. or North Main St. Please return to Powell Pattey and receive reward.

Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Clift spent Thanksgiving Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N.

Mumford, returning home, Friday. Santa Claus will be at Benson's Jewelry store some day soon, with immediately after supper. They will presents for all the little folks.

and day. Late Wednesday forenoon fire destroye I the dwelling on West St. which was occupied by Gordon Marshall and owned by H. F. Harmonson. This was the middle house of a group of three belonging to Mr. 19 acres of land. Apply to Harmonson, another catching fire, but being quickly extinguished.

The Worcester County Woman's Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 14th, at 2.30 p. m. in the club room at The Deposit and Savings Bank,

The government asks us to warn Stamps, which will mature Jan. 1st, 6 p. m. The shooting occurred not to accept anything less than near the post office, and was the

Notice-All farmers who shid their dressed poultry for and Xmas rested and taken to Snow Hill Jail and New Year holidays will do well to await Court, where he should reto ship to Chas. B. Hovey, New ceive the full penalty for his crime. York. A. T. Chance, Agent.

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Creston Trader and Joseph Harrion went to Wilmington Saturday, For Sale-One mule-hide robe, returning home Sunday night, They attended the marriage of Edward Will'ams and Helen Baker, tor, Rev. William T. McGuire, offi- their parents. both of Selby ville.

> Mrs. Z P. Henry, Miss Fannie green Cemetery. Scott, Mrs. S. A. Potter and daugher, Cornelia, Baymond Davis, and Georgette Ettinger, (the latter having been visiting friends here for nearly two weeks,) motored to Phildelphia last Friday to visit ber father, who was critically ill. They returned to Berlin Sugday.

All persons having jewelry to b mended at H. O. Cropper's will please call for same before Xmas, as I am selling out everything in the jewelry store at cost, and will dismore room and time to my optical Have your pictures framed to or- business. Thanking all my friends der, by F. E. Konetzka, Commerce for their patronage and hoping to save them money on their Xmas was not reported, a resolution of with I sympathy was offered the relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Elizavery soon. Watch the windows for H. O. Cropper.

Young ... Jarvis.

Mrs. Sadie K. Whittko, of Bristol, Pa, announces the wedding of her sister, Annie C. Jarvis, of Ocean City, Md., to David E. Young, of for headache and bilious attacks. I am For Rent-One apartment and Wilmington, Del., on Nov. 29th, at only too pleased, at any time, to speak her home of Millin St.

> The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry M. Ha tmann, of the Presbyterian Church of Bristol. The wedding was a brilliant atair, the home being besutifully decorated for the occasion.

The bride wore a gown of white Canton Crepe finished with Irish Miss Flora Brittingham had the point lace, and carried a beautiful

The bride was attended by Miss For Rent-3-room house and lot Ida Jenks, Ray Jenks acted as best man.

After the honey-moon, which will include a visit to the bride's mother, Mrs. Sewell Jones, of Ocean City, the couple will be at home at 304 Wood St., Bristol, Pa

A beautiful reception was given, Cole's Original Wood Stove. Any and the bride receive I many levely presents. A long life of happiness is the wish of their many friends.

Taylor---King.

A very quiet we iding was solemhome of William Griffin, near Ocean City, when his sister, Mrs. Ella 2.30 p. m. Preaching at Liberty-King, of Berlin, was united in marriage to Joseph Taylor, a prosperous farmer of Ellendale, Del. The cer- 7.30 p. m. Evening Service and emony was performed by Rev. Dr. Burk, after which a bountiful supper was served to the relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside at Ellendale.

Double Wedding.

A double wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse, Sunday J. R. Verbrycke united in marriage Charles Bishop and Miss Alberta 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week Hastings, both of Libertytown; and Aurley Powell, of Libertytown, and Miss Ella Dennis, of Willards. The newly-wedded parties will reside at Liberty town.

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The murderer was promptly ar-

Mr. Parker was 48 years old, and leaves a widow and four sons and daughters, as follows: W. H. Parker and Francis Parker, of Ocean City, and Mrs. W. M. Batho and Miss Alva Parker, of Chicago, and one brother, William H. Parker, of Ocean City; he was a son of Mrs

Sarah Parker, of Berlin. Funeral services were held Tuesclating; the interment was in Ever-

The Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club met at the appointed time Friday, Dec. 1st. with an average attendance.

It was a very interesting session as after the mention of current events in response to the roll call, several

present time were freely discussed. The remaining time was devoted continue the jewelry business a'ter Xmas. This will enable me to give of Maryland," which hat been seto the reading and consideration of lected for study.

At the previous meeting, which Paul, of Ocean View, spent Sunday was not reported, a resolution of with his aunt, Mrs. Cetherine Mc beth Dirickson, who was an honor ary member of the Club.

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7.00 p. m., Epworth League. CEDARTOWN: 2.30 p. m., Sunday School. 3.30 p. m., Preaching. 7.30 p. m., Epworth Les 7.30 p. m. Thursday, Prayer-meet ing. Leader, Dorsey Holston.

IRONSHIRE: 0.30 a. m., Sunday School. 7.30 p. m., Evangelistic Service.

Preaching by the pastor. W. F. Godwin, Pastor.

Buckingham Presbyterian Church J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

9.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m. Divine Worship.

town. 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Sermon. Subject, "On, to the

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fleeing, many of them through

storms over the snow-covered moun-

through embarkation for unknown

Armenians in Constantinople are

threatened with banishment or

Dr. Ellioti cables-"Is there no

way of bringing to American people

realization of how these hapless,

relpless folk need their assistance?"

Dr. Fowle, Near Eras foreign sec-

retary cables, "Deaths from star-

bread, else 10,000 people perish.

would starve."

safety.

From Samsoun, "Feeding one

hot meal daily, otherwise children

15,000 orphans enroute from Asia

Minor, and death, to Greece and

esponding or must I refuse?"

complish nothing for relief."

"Before winter, America is the

only life-saver," the telegram from

Mr. Vickrey concludes, "many

thousand of innocent helpless wom-

en and children await mawer that

wozse."

perate condition in that section.

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SELBYVILLE, DEL.

Mr. Fred Murray spent Thanksgiving with his Tarents.

Misses Helen Baker, Pauline Moore, Bertha McGee and Lucile day afternoon at 1 o'clock in the M. Petro, who are attending Delaware prices. E. Church at Ocean City, the pas- College, spent the week-end with

> Mrs. Willis Hudson is slowly improving in the Lewes Hospital; think she will soon be able to return

> Dr. G. E. James bas just had a radio put in his house.

Capt. Isaac Tracy and wife have motored to Philadelphis, to spend this morning from points in the a few days.

Mr. Thomas McCabe spent topics of especial interest at the Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCabe.

Mr. G. W. McCabe, wife and son,

Mr. Russell West is still in the continues the telegram. "Approx-Jefferson Hospital, in Philadelphia, imately another million reported

for treatment.

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Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bowen desire to express their sincere thanks to their neighbors and many friends, who so kindly assisted them during the iliness, death and burial of their daughter, Andasia Catherina.

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NOTICE.

PUBLIC HEALTH CHILD-WELFARE A County-wide meeting will be held

in the Court House at Snow Hill on secretary of the Near East Relief, P. M. in the interest of child welfare and public health in Worcester County. The choir of the M. E. Church Maryland Headquarters, containing This meeting will be held and addresse the very latest news about the des. by Dr. J. H. Mason Knox, Jr., Chief of the Child Welfare Department of the State of Maryland, one of the foremost authorities in the United Str. . If gees on the islands and shores of Dr. Knox finds sufficient interest manithe Aegean Sea, almost exclusively fested in this County, it is his intention women and children, the men all to send a State Nurse at State expense killed or held prisoners in Asis," for several months into this County to Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Warorganize this work on a permanent ba-

> This is an unusua! opportunity for people of Worcester County to obtain a service that will mean better health

tains of Anatolia, seeking safety for all the children of the County. It is, therefore, hoped that all physicians of the County will attend, that destinations. Cold winter rains be- all civic bodies will have full represenginning in lower altitudes. A half tation, and that as many citizens as million once prosperous Greeks and possible will attend.

DR. V. H. DE SOMOSKEOY, Deputy State Health Officer.

Bible Students' Activity. During the past school year of The Moody Bible Institute of Chi- groom. We rea bar shappy and cago, the individual practical work prosperous carried life. assignments filled by the students kindly bring or send the amount at ration, exhaustion, violation, mal- of the Institute's Day and Evening once; trade, if more convenient than treatment reported from all parts of Classes averaged 10,000 weekly, a total of 450,000 for the forty-five

Mersine cables, "Most of refugees weeks of the year. arrive penniless, having been re- 10,721 religious services were conpeatedly robbed enroute, where can ducted, at which students delivered

they go?" Requests money for 15,022 addresses. Sunday School classes were taught

total of 26,076 times. 1,550 meetings were conducted in gospel Missions; 595 prison serv-Davidson, at Sinope, "Pleads for ices in jails and reform schools; transportation immediately, other- 1,027 open-air meetings were held; al meeting of the stockholders of the wise 5000 Christians perish from 5,885 times the singing was led in Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, religious services; 1,923 times Maryland, will be held in the bank build-

solos were supg. A total of 521,600 tracts, gospels, Scripture portions, etc., were dis

McAfee cables, "Hundreds of tributed. 94,680 persons in all were dealt Stockholders' Meeting. refugees arriving daily, is America with personally on the subject of religion. 7,612 professed conver-Nansen, Barton, cable from Lausanne, "Peace conference can ac-

> Notice the date on your label, to date, please settle at once.

ST. MARTIN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Nock, of Harrington, Del., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Nock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hudson, of Delmar, Del., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J.

Hudson. Miss Ruth Jarman returned to Smyrna, Del., Monday, after spending a few days with her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. L. N. Jarman. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Warren spent ren's sister, Mrs. George Betbards, of Ironshire.

A very quiet wedding took place last Saturday evening, when Mr. Howard Jarman, of this place, and Miss Viola Rogers, of Taylorville, called at the paraonage. They took Rev. E. M. Byrd out tor ande, motored about a mile ave. for bere. off from the State for he here he performed the carears store club were on the at and drove up on the peddiers! oxpress and witnessed this the splinit, very much surprisity de bride and

There will be Sunday School, Sunday, at 10 o'clock, Clars meeting at 11, and preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. All are cordially in-

vited to these services. Mr. W. P. Keitleman and Mr. Howard Jaman made a business trip to Clastorne, Saturday.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annu-White, Constantinople, reports choirs were conducted, and 7,071 tag, on Monday, the 1st day January, ing nine directors of said bank for the ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

A meeting of the stockholders of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., of Berlin. Md., will be held at the Banking-House of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., Berlin, Md., on Wednesday, January 3rd, 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose (the date to which you are paid,) of electing directors for the ensuing and if you are not paid at least up year, and for such other business as may

ome before the meeting. William L. Holloway, Cashier.

See J. M. Bratten's Advertisement On The Last Page.

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tages on the Site Has Aroused

leigh may be destroyed. It lies inwest country, on the edge of Martntly it was the seat of the family of Sir Walter Raleigh; today it is nothing we'r than a farmhouse, or its historical associations.

Releigh's fither, a country gentle an, originally settled at Fardet. there he owned property. His second John, succeeded to the family estate at Fordel, and there outlived his re famous brother Walter. Conerable remains of the old mension Fardet exists, but what has roused he protest of the Devonshire association is the proposal to convert the old chapel into a number of cottages, Such vendalism ought to be prevented at

The courtyard at Fordel formerly entained on Inscribed bi-lingual stone f the Rymano-British period. On he one side were the words "Fanoni Macquisin," and on the other, "Sapa-

Relween this stone and Fardel Hall Lies as much money as the devil can haul. Anyone who wisher to see the stone now must apply at the British mus enm,-Christian Science Monitor.

INDIVIDUALITY IN THE HOME

Arrangements Able to Reflect in a Thousand Ways the Personality of the Occupant.

on the subject of individuality in ie home a recent writer his this to ay: Individuality is as important to house as personality to a woman, A room should be as sure an index to the haracter and taste of the person who ecuples it as the clothes she wears r the books she reads. The truly interesting interiors are the ones reflecting in a thousand subtle ways the graclous personality of the occupant. A favored color repeated here and there unusual bibelots culled from far corners of the globe-n rug that immedintely challenges attention-these are he things that stamp a room and ren-

tar it infinitely desirable. You are all familiar with those Interiors perect to the last detail-every piece of urniture of the right period and in the right place, and we all know how uninspired they are and how difficult to live in. Nowhere is the unusual touch, no sense of any personality breaks through. Everything is stereo typed and consequently dull.

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Grenadices, St. Lucia).

Leaderless Orchestras. There must be no despotism of leadership, not even in art, is the decree of the soviets. So in Moscow they have concerts given by orchestras without conductors. The soviet papers insist that the performances were just as good; and, what is more, the dignity of the performers was safeguarded by

the absence of the conductor, with his baton, a symbol of tyrangy, intolerable to free men. The soviet press adds that these per formances constitute the musical as well us the political ideal.

Gas Consumption Soars. The daily average consumption of gasoline in the United States has increased 60 per cent in five years, During the first quarter of 1918 the av erage dally consumption was 7,083,-900 gallots. During the first quarter of 1922 it was 11.883,000 gallons.



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Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

Cristield .- While hunting ducks in Moon Bay, Great Annamesse River, early the other morning in a small skiff, Eldridge Palmer. 16, of Marion was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun, according to his half-brother, Lee. Seated in the stern, Eldridge had placed the gun against DR. O. H. MASON. the seat when it slipped, the entire charge entering his face and head. He was the son of John Palmer, who moved to this section a year ago. A coroner's jury gave a verdict of ac cidental death

> Eikton.-Viola M. Ashbridge, six year-old daughter of Winfield S. Ashbridge, near Bay View, was struck by an automobile drives by William B Cooney, of Rising Sun, and instantly The child had just stepped out of a lane, near its home, onto the the State courts have been thoroughly road when the machine was but a few feet away. Mr. Cooney, in order to avoid striking the child, run his car into a side fence, but failed to save the little one. Coroner Magraw summoned a jury, which gave a verdict of accidental death, exonerating Mr. Cooney of any blame.

Frederick. - The twelve-year-ole daughter of Mrs. John Avmen, near Woodsboro, was horribly lacerated about the face when she was bitter by a dog alleged to be owned by Oliver Baker, of near Woodsboro. The child had accompanied her mother to the home of a neighbor and was attacked by the dog, which accompanied Baker. It is said the animal rushed in from the State road, sinking its teeth in the cheek of the girl. The cheek of the child was laid open, the bone showing in places. The condition of the vic'im is serious.

Annapolis -- A board of naval officers convened here to begin an in vestigation of the "disgraceful conduct" of scores of midshipmen at Philadelphia November 25, following the Army-Navy football game. The board, consisting of Rear-Admiral A. H. Robertson, Rear-Admiral S. S. Robinson, Capt. J. T. Tomkins, is responsi-ble only to the Secretary of the Navy. It is charged with "fixing responsibil-ity for the tack of supervision over the midshipmen at the midshipmen's ball," at which, it is alleged liquor flowed in copious quantities.

Baltimore.-Alvin M. Owsley national commander of the American Legion, in an address before the Montfaucon Post Sunday called for a united stand of the Legion against the release of political prisoners and against recognition of the Russian Govern-ment. "There is," he declared, "a great wave of radicalism abroad which you and I must do everything to check. Whether this radicalism is because the tension of the war has been let down, or because unemployment or both, it is nevertheless a serious

Hagerstown. - The local Circul Court was thrown into an uproar when Adolphus Dickens, indicted for larceny, attacked State's Attorney D. Angle Wolfinger. Dickens was finally overcome by court attendants as he lunged toward Mr. Wolfinger the second time. Dickens was being questioned at the time concerning some automobile tires he is alleged to have stolen. A physician who examined Dickens later declared that, the nervous strain of the two days' trial was too much for the prisoner and that his nerves had snapped. The State's Attorney will not prefer charges against Dickens because of

Hagerstown .- The death of Roy Di sert, 27 years old, cashler at the Penn bring or send us the money today, sylvania Railroad freight depot in this before you forget it. We have kept city, at the Washington Councy Hosthe price of the Advance at the pital, brought the death toll as a result of the fire which destroyed the depot same low; rate when every other Wednesday night up to two. Disert newspaper we know of has gone up was one of the three employes who were burned when they attempted to for producing it, and you should extinguish the blaze. Leslie Rotz, 27 appreciate our sacrifice enough to when taken from the building by firegive us the small amount required. men. H. D. Harvey, demurrage clerk, is still in a serious condition at the hospital, but is reported improved. Disert and Rotz are believed to have nhaled flames when a sheet of fire enveloped the interior. The blaze is supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a number of tanks with acetylene consigned to a local dealer and stored in the building.

Savage.-This city has been presented with a stone library and community hall by the Savage Manufacturing Company, makers of cotton duck. It has been named the Carroll Baldwin Memorial Hall, in memory of Carroll Baldwin, former president of the company, brother of Miss Sarah t. Baldwin, of Baltimore. The buildng contains a meeting room, library, kitchens, bowling alleys and a radio receiving apparatus for pleasure of the people of the community. The hall was opened Thursday morning with services. Following the services dinner was served to 500 employes of he Savage Manufacturing Company

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STATE CAPITAL

Annapoliy The first meeting of the Judiciary Commission, appointed by Governo Ritchie to survey the work of the State courts and recommend any changes which may seem necessary will be held Saturday in the office of Charles F. Harley, one of the leaders in the movement to place the judiclary system on a more efficient basis. The following are some of the con

templated reforms which will be considered by the members of the body Elimination of police courts and the establishment of a manicipal court for the consideration of all minor cases.

Establishment of courts of domestic relations for the consideration of all domestic problems. Centralization of judicial power under a committee.

Establishment of a State-wide Court of Appeals. Establishment of courts of con ciliation.

Increased salaries for the judges. The meeting will be for the purpos of organizing the commission. After surveyed the commission will make the recommendations which it thinks necessary to the Governor. It is pointed out that at present our ju dicial system is the same as it was a century ago and that the cost o justice in Maryland is very high.

Besides Mr. Harley, the following men are members of the commission Samuel K. Dennis, George Weem Williams, former Judge Morris A Soper, Charles McHenry Howard, Syl van H. Lauchheimer, Omar F. Hersey John M. Requardt, Walter H. Buck, J Craig McLanahan, Philip B. Perlman Emerson C. Harrington, of Cambridge; T. Hughlett Henry, of Easton Thomas H. Robinson, of Belair; N Charles Burke, of Towson: Alexander Armstrong, of Hagerstown: William C Walsh, of Cumberland; F. Neale Parker, of Westminster; Jacob Rohrbach, of Frederick; John B. Gray, of Prince Frederick, and Ridgely F. Melvic, of Annapolis.

Ritchie To Review Case Of Dr. Wade Testimony as to conditions at Foster Clinic, given at hearings by the Gov-

ernor's investigating committee will be studied by Governor Ritchie and by the board of managers of Spring Grove State Hospital, of which the clinic is Both Governor Riterie and Howard Bryant, secretary of the board, said that the board's report Wednesday was not final. This report said the board's opinion was that all charge was then advised, Dr. J. Percy Wade

the superintendent, should continue t Mr. Bryant said that thus far poard has had before it only the investigating committee's report and not the testimony given at the hear-

Mr. Bryant said the board expected to get the testimony after the Governor had studied it for several days There would be no delay by the board in taking action, he said, and, in his udgment, there would be no conflict between the Governor and the board Governor Ritchie sald he intended o study the testimony for several days and expected the board to de likewise. If he found there was sufficlent reason to believe Dr. Wade should be removed, he said, he would make such a recommendation to the

Board of Governors. The Governor sald he looked upor the report as one hurriedly prepared and based on Dr. Wade's denial of the investigating committee's charges.

Commissioners Face Unique Problem.

Whether a toll charge is a tax within the meaning of the State Constitution is a problem to be settled by Alexander Armstrong, Attorney-General, and William M. Maloy, chairman of the Public Service Commission.

Both are members of the commis sion appointed under an act of the last Legislature and charged with the duty of purchasing the bridge over the Susquehanna between Perryville and Havre de Grace. The act providing for the bridge stipulates that bond shall be issued for the purchase of the bridge and that the interest and sinking funds for the retirement of the bonds shall be provided by toll charges upon those who use the bridge. The Constitution provides that no bonds shall be issued unless a tax is levied to provide for the interes

on them and for a sinking fund. One solution of the difficulty which has been suggested is that the owners of the bridge put in a bid for the oonds at par and if there were no higher bidders for them the bridge owners could take the bonds in payment for their property.

Ritchie Paroles Mayhew.

Governor Ritchie issued a parole to Frank Mayhew, who is serving three-year sentence in the Maryland Penitentiary, having been convicted of robbery in Garrett county. Maybew was sentenced December 20, 1921. The Parole Board recommended the grant ing of the action by Governor Ritchie. The Board will hold its mouthly

meeting on Tuesday and consider some 85 cases of prisoners who are making applications for paroles and

Origin Lost in Antiquity. Origin of the word Asia remains up



INDICATIONS OF GOOD LAYER

Bones Shows Capacity-Late Molters Are Savored.

It has been found that there are lefinite outward indications and neasurements of a fort's body which definite outward dicate greater or less production. For instance, it has been observed that a bird during the course of its laying spreads out the pelvic or pin The greater und longer the production the more these bones are spread. Also production straightens out the curve in these bones. The activities of the intestines cause the fowi to have what is called capacity, that is, considerable capacity between the pelvic and keel hones.

It has also been noted that contin ual laying uses up too surplus fat in the body so that in the fail of the year after a fowl has been producing heavily we find by feeling the fowl between the privies and well it has a soft plink's feeling, no layer of fat being evident under the skin.

There are also definite color changes which take place with egg production. Directly after molding, during which time the fowl has hid up a surplus of fat, the akin, shank and beak of the yellow-skin varieties have a very strong yellow color. As the process of egg faying continues this yellow disappears. Observations show that the color around the vent disappears first, then in the beak, then in the legs. In leaving the beak it leaves the base first, the part nearest the head, and fades out toward the tip. In leaving the legs it begins of



The Red Plump Comb Denotes the Layer.

the front of the leg where the lejoins the foot and fades upward and back. The reddish color around the edges of the eyelld also fades with production,

The molting of the fowl is another definite index of production. The late molter is almost invariably the lest layer. The stage of molt is a good index as to whether one bird has been a better producer than the other. A fowl usually molts in the neck first, then the body, the tall, and the wing, starting from the center and molting in both directions. This might vary a little in rare cases.

The above are some of the indications which are used in judging production contests .- H. Embleton, Poultry Division, Oklahoma A. and M.

POOR FOWLS LOWER PROFITS

Smaller Flock of High Producers Will Prove Far More Satisfactory-Cute Feed Bill.

There is certainly no room for fowls en any farm when they lay so few eggs during the year that they scarcely pay for the grain and other feed they get. A smaller flock of high producers will make twice the profit with a smaller cost for feed and housing space. When a hen begins to moult, taking most of the summer and fall to replenish her supply of feathers, it is about as sure a sign as a poultryraiser needs that she is an undesirable

ENCOURAGE PULLETS TO LAY

With Small Amount of Attention and Care Young Fowls Will Produce Much Earlier.

Most pullets reised on the farm start laying when they are about ten months old in spite of the fact that a small amount of attention and care Africa to bunt for bumans with talls!" would bring them into laying when they are from six to seven months old. Getting eggs three months earlier they aim to do when they find 'emat a time when egg prices are likely tie tin cans to 'em?"-Kansas City to be high is an important factor in Star. increasing the profits from the flock.

DETERMINE BEST LAYING HEN

Fowls With Full Crops on Going to Roost at Night Are in All Probability Good Layers.

You can help to decide which hens are kept at a loss by going through the house just after dark and feeling the crop of each bird. Those hens whose crops are packed full are in all probability the hens which are laying well. You may well be auspicious of the hen which night after night has

only a partly-filled crop. In the Case of Love. Altence is like a wind which fans configration, but which extinguishes a candle.-M. Tinayre.

RECENT INVENTION WILL REDUCE PRICE OF SILK -Silk has always been con sidered no article of luxury on account of its high cost in compurison with other rextile ma terials, writes United States Commercial Attache H. C. Mac-Lean from Rome, This has been due in large degree to the labor necessary in handling the cocooms and preparing the thread for spinning. Consequently the silk industry has flourished only In countries where cheap labor is avallable.

After sonking the cocoons in water the thrend has always been unreceled by head, which is a work of great delicacy, but one for which it has not been possible to pay high wages. Thus, while silk weaving in Haly has been making progress the preparation of the raw silk bas shown a decline. It is now repert has succeeded in perfecting unchine which will perform the operation of unrecting the thread mechanically. A new company las recently been formed, which has taken over the patents covering the lovention and will nanufacture the

If the invention succeeds conmercially as well as it has in the experiments that have been made it bids fair to revolutionize the silk industry, and, necording to the inventor, the cost of silk may be reduced to such an extent that it will be able to compete with cotton and linen.

MAN'S NOSE SENSITIVE ORGAN

How Extraordinarily Minute Particles in Air at Once Affect the Oifactory Nerve.

Do you know why you have to "snift the air" when trying to detect a faint odor? It is because the nerves governing the sense of smell are not located, as is generally supposed, in the nasal passages, but in an area of sensitive membrane about the size of a dim and located high above each nestril A portion of the hairlike tips of the olfactory nerves terminating in this membrane receives the sense impres sion and conducts it to the brain. Because of the position of this membrane outside the natural path of the breath it is necessary to draw aside a curren of air by sniffing before the exact shade of odor can be determined. salts have nothing to do with the se of smell. They react only on the lin-ings of the nasal pasanges.

So far as physiologists have been able to learn, smells are pigeonholed in the brain as visual impressions. Each smell carries associations good or bad and these associated images are brought forth by the brain when parcular nerves are excited

The reaction of the brain to an odor depends also to a large extent on the sense of taste. Only by combining the brain reports of these two senses can dors be accurately catalogued.

Degenerate as the olfactory nerve sense in man has become through evolution, it still retains the marvelous ability to detect one part of camphor in four hundred thousand parts of air. and one part of vanillin in ten million parts of air. As for the obnoxious smell mercaptan, the human nose can detect the presence of one part in twenty-five trillion parts of air.-Popular Science Monthly.

How Icebergs Are Detected. Icebergs are probably the greatest nenace to trans-Atlantic shipping: It was an iceberg which sent the great Titanic to the bottom with such fear-

ful loss of life. A new device has been brought out | no locality more American in Amerof a French inventor which detects cebergs when they are six miles away. Melting Ice sends out rays which are invisible to the eye, but which will affect a delicate instrument called the thermo-couple. This apparatus can be made so finely that it will register the presence of a lighted candle at a dis-

tance of half a mile, The thermo-couple is connected to a telephone receiver on the bridge of the ship. When conditions are normal it emits a continuous note of unchanging pitch. As soon as an leeberg is approached, however, the note changes, and the look-out man knows at once that there is danger,

His Deduction. "Land o' the livin'!" ejaculated Mrs. Johnson in the midst of her reading. "It rays here in the paper that a bunch of scientific perfessors are going to "Uh-huh !" nonchalantly replied Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, "What do

Why He Had to Steal. Judge-How could you be so concienceless us to steal the watch of the doctor who had just prescribed for

Prisoner-Well, yer honor, I was in bloomin' fix. Yer see, his prescription read "a spoonful every hour," an' I had no timeplece.-Boston Tran-

How Algebra Got Name. Algebra is an Italian word derived rom the Arable al-jebr, meaning the union of broken parts. It was in arly use in the sense of bone setting.

Apply Pruning Knife. Eavy is the most acid fruit that grows on the stock of sin.-Hosen

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GREAT LAKES THINGS APART Writer Complains, With Reason, That

Not Appreciated. Statistics can never make people understand the Grent Lakes. That it is 300 miles down Lake Michigan from Chicago to Manistique means little; that 600 feet of water is not an un wual depth; that the tonnage which goes through the locks at Sault Ste. Marie makes the annual tonnage of the Suez canal seem insignificantthese things mean little in themservey. Try another: No equal area of water that rolls floats as much shipping in a year as does the Detroit river. That falls flat, too, The beauty of the Great Lakes cannot be ompared to that of any other water PROMPT SERVICE in the world and carry meaning, Harold Titus writes in Everybody's. They are things apart, an influence, a background for important cultural factors that are beyond statistics. There is SATISFACTION QUARANTEED Ica than the Great Lakes. The romance of exploration is largely for-

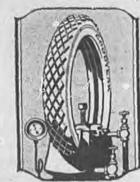
gotten by America as a whole; the island communities, once so picture, are thinning out, rallroads have ariven the trading booker off this fresh water; Eshing, for the most part, is today as efficient and commonplace as most forms of business; the great fleets of freighters go up and down, up ad down, hardly noticed, rarely thought of, except by those directly interested in shipping. And yet the Great Lakes have their place in our civilization, and in time that place will be recognized and talked about and respected and the lakes themselves will be studied and appreciated nd understood,

Surely Inalienable Right. Almost any alibi will do in a pinch. Old John Smithers of Richmond, in the days of long ago, was one of those 'shif'less" individuals, too trifling for words and of no value to himself or anybody else. His wife kept a rallroad boarding house and tolerated him about the place as a sort of safety valve for her temper and used him as an arrand boy to run to the gre cery. One afternoon, when it was about time to start the cooking for the evening meal, she could not find either him or the hired girl. At last she discovered them in the woodshed hugging and kissing to best the band. The girl fled and left him to face the Theckeray. music alone.

"Here you are," cried his indignant wife, "mooning and spooning around with that young hussy, and me working the skin off my fingers to keep your worthless body and soul together! Now, ain't you ushamed of

"Humiph," retorted old John, "I guess a man's got a right to some privilege in his own home, ain't he?" Indianapolis News.

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Sowing and Reaping. We sow a thought and reap an act; we sow an act and reap a habit; we sow a habit and reap a character; we sow a character and reap destiny,-

animals of the same age on the main-

lend.

The Hardest Part, Our own guess is that after conjuering the world, Alexander died of rage while trying to collect the indemnity.-Birmingham (Ala.) News.

Good Work Never Lost. No good work is ever lost; many oborers must be content to sow; others will come to resp the harvest, -Max Muller.

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This is the opinion of Mr. Taylor and other experts who have exam the giant sycamore, the New York world states. Its age is estimated ctiveen 300 and 400 years, more likel the latter, it is said. The frunk ne the ground is 24 feet in circumference and some of the limbs, half way up even, are larger than the trunks many trees which claim to be putr

bot been ascertained, but it tower lands and in terdly fashi Hill says that 90 years bgo the was used by the county butche ens. 16 beef, when slaugh was there when Mr. Hill bought the

During the past 105 or 120 years, ter the forms was cut away so to m neighboring hills was washed on and filled around like tree to a upile of In feet. This was verified years ago, Mr. 1113 cays, when tree expect gave "Old Sycamore" th heat the normal of its hire

The tree is sold to be in splendid udition and good for a century or

FOLLOWED SEA FIFTY YEARS

Retired Commander Has Many Stories of Adventure Accumulated During Half Contury on Ocean.

Cute J. M. Chrane, formed, com or Camada, but retired after spilling

Capmin Christs first went to ser of the pears old and during next helf contains participated in

tive regalities his knop in safety, none the warse for his mineral especience, be closed by that date.

Wood and Furniture.

we show a implessing allke. The same with but there will be a world or difference in the two. No one lines in a bound is like another. Nor will you ever find two places of wood of the

luman being is developed. The have vertical pipes or pures which arry water and medicums of mineral through their trushs and limbs, just as the blood feeds the buman body. There are no products in the world Church, on whose history will compare with those fashioned from wood, Civiliz. tion itself has evolved along with the evolution of wood and its uses, Civilization would have been impossible without wood. Nations which have

succeeded most are those which have followed the hardwood belts, And all these facts must be weighed

American homes are considered, Minute Atoms of Oxygen.

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Recent investigations have shown that the addition of small quantities of wax to a varnish that is resistant to water or acid fumes will make It considerably more resisted, says Pop ular Mechanics. Various kinds of wax may be used, and as the amount of wax added is rmall it 'ms no appre clable effect on the toughness or other desirable qualifies of the var-

Drilling and Boring. In machine shop parlance, drilling is making a round hole through metal r the like with a rotating pointed tool hat forces his way through by pressure and rotation, while boring is en-larging a hole that already exists. Cuting a circular hole in wood with a race and bit, as done by carpenters, boring, but a similar operation in netal is drilling.

Pat Beat the Echo. Pat's command of language was wor lerful, and as for arguing with him- old growth and encourage new. vell, it seemed absolutely useless, for he never failed to have the last word. fact into consideration, or who have "Now, Pat," said a visitor, who had heard of his fame, "Fil bet you five

dace where you won't have the last "Done!" cried Fat. So the two went to a place where

dillings that I can take you to a

returned Pat was jingling his five shil-"Me bloys," gasped one of his friends, "there's ould Pat beaten the

"Yes, it's thrue!" orled Pat, "Och out sure an' it was a job at first. The thing came back to me again and again, but I got even wid it. I spoke the last word under me breath?"-London Answers.

He Belonged There.

One evening as my escort and I ere walking up town a car drove up to the curb and stopped. Thinking it

of the cur, a perfect stranger to us properly
as were all the other occupants of Curral e car-and who was merely stop to in front of his own house. erect to ber the man's pardon .-

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wood stoves, oil cook stove with oven, few years we will have almost a oil heater, 4 oil lamps, Colman gas lamp, frabliss country. hairs, dining table, rugs, writing-desk. 4 beds, 2 bed couches, several small tables, sewing-machine, 2 carpet sweepers, set wicker parlor furniture, winlow shades, and hangings, 5 guns with

rack, and many other articles. TERMS OF SALE: All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; ill sums over \$10.00, credit of 4 months, magistrates the laws. - Solon. purchaser giving note with approved

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Pruning Knife, Systematically Used, is Favored for Bushes That Have "Run Out."

There is one point to be kept in nied in pruning currents, and that is that the best fruit is borne on the two and three-year-old wood rather than most bush fruits. After the cants are four or five years old they become stunted in growth and the fruit mate rially dwarfed in size. The pruning knife is the only remedy. It should be systematically used to cut away the Many people who do not take this



Every Well-Balanced Garden Should

was some of our friends who had not taken the time to study the nature topped to pick us up, and sceing that of the current complain that their he car was crowded, my escort bushes have "run out" and no longer cheery voice, "Do you think there's The fault lies not so often with the "I'm afraid not," said the driver He has not used the pruning kulfe

almost any way desirable, even on trellis work and stakes, but the best In our baste to depart we even plan is to grow them as a bush. Half a dozen good, sturdy current bushes properly handled should supply a manly all the currents needed.

. They can be set to the best advanage in the spring and when you order from the markery be sore to specify two-year-old is some Sit them four cet apart, if you want more than one row. The Rey - years it is necessary to pray the city of collary in order

o give them the reper sect. Plant, without Individuality for your of you caret do this, cardy fail planting the current does that is a cool con

foult year offer year

BEST WAY TO CONTROL LICE

Spray Trees With Black Leaf No. 40, a Standard Commercial Tobases Entract.

The most satisfactory way to conrol lice on fruit trees is by spraying | weight rather than losing at the breed- | Indians did. Indeed, one of the official the tobacco volution can be purchased should breed within three or four quired, for instance, to remain motionat most any store handling spray has weeks. This is a big advantage in the less for a certain length of time, just erials, and you will find directions on energy for then the lambs will all be as the Red Man would have done in the con for its use.

It is a little difficult to sa infactorily control lice after they have accome sewhen used in combination with other

BEST TREE SHAPE AND FORM

While Foliage Is at Its Best Is Time to Determine Limb or Branch to Ermove.

age is at its best. This makes it casy to get the best shape and form of he tree. It is best to examine the ree carefully to determine just the erger linds should be kept and the eas limbs and those that seem I he way should be removed. When mbs of trees are removed, it is nec only of the tree. This will give easy the highest hidder at the place where I | access for the return flow of sap to now reside, known as "Poplar Neck cover the would. Never leave a stump

> Pruna When Necessary. Treescare valuable, and if any prunng is necessary do it now, One of the safe rules is to remove dead

branches and leave the tree natural, Cut Out Old Wood. Prune current and gooseberry bushes as soon as they are through that the fruit is borne on two and

three year old wood. Fruit Trees Decrease. 75 fruit trees on the farms of the munity where 100 stood ten years ago. And still the decrease goes on until in

Four-Year-Old Cheese. One of the best grades of Italian cheese is sold only ofter it has been seasoned for at least four years,

Ideal State of Society. Society is well governed when the people obey the magistrates and the

Improvement Always In Order. Whatever improvement we make in ourselves, we are thereby sure to mellorate our future condition. Paley.

CARE FOR IDLE WORK HORSE

Roughages Furnish Large Amount of Energy and Are Cheaper Than

ment of the University of Wisconsin "is the important thing in caring for the idle work horse during the winter months. Roughage such as hay, corn home of the knight; America of the stover and straw, furnish a large New World, the home of the ploneer. amount of net energy. They are usual-what a magnificent ideal we can pre-ly far cheaper feeds than the concen-sent to the world in placing together ly good quality, the animals may be intained on these feeds alone,

The Arabs have a saying, 'Rest and fat' tives at Blue Ridge, N. C. Mr. De management this fact should always he is also prominent for his efforts



grain ration may be added. In any event," says Mr. Fuller, "no more than showed an exhibit of the French scouts" one-half a work ration should be given handleraft, and their version of the which ordinarily ranges from 5 to 8 life and work of the American Indian. pounds of grain a day. At the approach of spring, the grain ration must be enthusiastic about the Indians than the

FAVOR FLUSHING EWE FLOCK

Big Advantage to Have Lambs Dropped Within Comparatively

Short Period in Spring.

When the ewe flock is gaining in ing season, they will come in heat ing season, they will come in heat more nearly at the same time and should breed within three or four weeks. This is a big advantage in the spring for then the lambs will all be dropped within a comparatively short period and careful attention can proflably be given the flock at that time. When ewes are in a gaining condition they drop more twins. This has been proven time after time on the western range where the lamb crop is largely determined by conditions at the breedand commercial tobacco extract, more nearly at the same time and dian test, in which the boys are re-

With the beginning of cool weather.

No One but a Greenhorn Would At tempt to Raise Hogs on Corn Alone-Grass Needed.

The feeding of corn to hogs is a cus-The feeding of corn to hogs is a custom so old and well established that less Boy Scouts d'Amerique"—Long live no Midwest farmer would think of the Boy Scouts of America, would apall cereals. While corn is the best and cheapest grain for fattening hogs.

In one but a grander of the process of America, would a pear worked in small white stones.

Throughout his stay in this count is the pear worked in small white stones. no one but a greenhorn would attempt to raise pigs on corn exclusively.

Feeding Growing Horses. Proper feeding will accomplish much where growing horses are concerned bushes as soon as they are through fruiting. Cut out the old wood and diet to the best-looking animals only. Seconds for the "McGinty Cup" from diet to the best-looking animals only.

turn out if well fed.

Hogs Are Most Important. llogs are among the most important unimals to raise on the farm for meat or for profit, and no farm is complete unless some are kept to ald in the modern method of farming.

Ancient Form of Printing, Nylography was invented by the anelent Chinese, who carved the letters of the Chinese alphabet on blocks of wood, and thus introduced a form of printing. It came to Europe during the first quarter of the Fifteenth century, and in the intervening centuries had reached a very high plane of skill.

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A MESSAGE FROM FRANCE "To the Boy Scouts of America from the Boy Scouts of France:

"A scout is a man whose mind is open to new idens, and who goes on "Economical feeding," says J. G. his way unuffield; he is also a knight Fuller of the animal husbandry depart- with the firm conviction to aid other his way unnfraid; he is also a knight people at all times, and to do his best to make the world more happy. "France of the Old World is the

rates, and when they are of sufficient the noble traditions which are ours!" The bearer of this message was M. Guerin Des Jardins, who represented "Next to feeding, sufficient exercise the Boy Scouts of France at the recent and proper shelter are most important. National Conference of Scout Execuare the greatest enemies of the horse.' Jardins is known throughout the The horse is par excellence the crea- length and breadth of his own country ture of motion, and in its freeling and for his work for the welfare of hoys be kept in mind. A mature horse unify scouting in France and he is the should receive /egular exercise, travei- first man to be honored jointly by the ing not less than five or six miles per | three French scout movements for the day to maintain health. Horses can mission of representing the whole be turned into the pasture until it scout body. The Italian and Belgian organizations have decorated him with their highest award, and in England he has been honored by receiving from Sir Robert Baden-Powell, father of the scout movement, the sliver Wolf cup.

M. Des Jardius brought warm and cordial expressions of the appreciation of the French scouts for their American brothers. He said: "The Frenc's boy and the American boy may differ as far as pateral surroundings go, but at heart they are alike-happy and gay and lovable. The same splendid qualities to be developed and the same dangers to be avoided." When M. Des Jardins was complimented on his study of boy psychology, he credifed our American books on the sub-ject as the basis of his work, "I read ese works and then I observe our own boys to see how they react under the same conditions as are described your books. The experiment proves the boy is essentially the same every where. We, too, find 'the gang spirit' harmful, but thanks to our scouting snows or the ground becomes too soft, energetic troops. Once in passing and then into the yard so that they through a small town I had not visited boys are being now formed into useful. may have exercise. Cool, well-venti- for some time, and noticing the ablated quarters are far preferable to sence of idle, loading boys, I said to a warm, close stables. In all cases little fellow nearby: "Where are all horses must be protected from drafts the tough kids that used to be around

"If good quality roughages are not available in sufficient amount, a small scont troop here now." At the conference M. Des Jardins gradually increesed in proportion for spring work. A good ration for a 1.400-period horse in full work is 13 to 15 pounds of eats and 15 pounds good-quality mixed hay."

enmusiante about the indians than the American boys themselves. J. Fennimore Cooper is engerly read everywhere by the French boy. Our lads are constantly trying to imitate the endurance, courage and self-control of

endurance, courage and self-control of the Red Man. Sometimes they will set a goal in self-restraint by not speaking for a certain length of time. That's just to be like the Indian, who is n man of few words. When a French scout huita himself, he tries to bear the pain bravely, without letting one know how much it hurts. That, too, is an effort to endure bravely just as the

an unscoutilke comrade. M. Des Jardins says that the French boys are especially fond of the artistic healthy ewes will have a better appe- features connected with scouting. At tite and if feed is provided will nat- the French camps the boys compete in urally gain in weight. Ten days be- arranging floral decorations of their fore the ram is to be turned into the own design on the tables in the mess flock the ewes should be given a little | ball or outside of their camps. They grain-about buil a pound a day-or like to benutify the interior of their close have the run of r. good pasture. camps, too, with decorations which Chopped pumpkins and rape make exthey make themselves. This summer cellent stimulating feeds at this sea- at M. Des Jardins' camp a daily prize was offered to the boy who arranged the most beautiful decoration in the GROWING SWINE ON ALFALFA Brench lads in this artistic work that mess hall. So Interested were these they would give up part of their play time to designing attractive center-places for the mess hall in small stones, wild flowers and moss. Often such slogans of appreciation as "Vive !"

pear worked in small white stones.

Throughout his stay in this country,
M. Des Jardins will be the guest of
the American Committee for Devas-

SCOUTS RUN EXCITING RACE

One can never tell how the plainer was the unique form of competition ones may develop or how they may used by boy scout troops of Fargo in an endeavor to increase troop ef-ficiency, membership, and public interest in the movement. In the window of a local business concern a mininture track was laid. The race lasted one month, and the place of the cars on the road was determined by points was a contest.

> Helps Guam Farmers. To protest growing plants from the strong winds which occur in Cham during certain parts of the year, the federal agricultural experiment station on that island reports the suc cessful introduction of the use of the pigeon pea, planted around the garden in double rows. It makes a thick growth, reaching a height of 10 to 15 feet, bears large quantities of edible peas, and is effective without replanting for two or three years,

gained in the contest.

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> House Rents Clothing Sundries Food Liaryland T

This table highest prices phone service of the average items; and no the increase crease in the

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and when softened add one-ha of boiling water. Add one sugar and two tatlespoonfuls juice; cool and add one of cooked apple pulp. Cool, ar the mixture begins to thick with a wire whisk until its add two well-beaten whites well. Turn into a mold lin lady fingers or cake. Ser whipped cream.

Rice With Pineapple,-Sonk puckage of gelatin in one-four cupful of cold water, then half cupful of scalding hot p juice, one-half cupful of su one cupful of cooked rice, spoonful of salt, and one ta lined with slices of canned p Chill and serve with whippe Two egg whites may be used of whipped cream.

Toasted Sandwiches,-Mix blespoonfuls of salad oil, e spoonful of vinegar, one-fo spoonful of salt, a dash of with one-half cupful of cotts or thick cream. Spread on inch silces of graham br sprinkle with chopped waln Put together in pairs and cu shaped pieces and toast.

Cantaloupe Pickle,-An u taloupe makes a very go Cut the melon in sections a the seeds. Sonk in a sait so ing one-quarter of a cupful of quart of water. Drain to the following sirup: fuls of water, four cupfuls one cupful of vinegar, one ful of cinnamon, one tables alispice and cloves; put spli bag and cook with the m ten minutes and let the fru the sirup all night. Drain sirup, add the fruit and coo cantaloupe is clear. Seal i

If he's married, you can't er he smokes a pipe becauseutdoor man or is an outdo cause he smokes a pipe.-E

Personal Contact.
"Ef'n I was a preacher,"
coal Eph, ruminatively, "I'd pulpit less an' go visitin' s

#### The Cost of Telephone Service

Telephone service has become of such universal use as to justify it as one of the various items which go to make up the householder's budget.

That its cost has not mounted to the extent of the other items is shown by the following comparison of per cent increases in costs throughout the United States since the year 1914, taken from the reports of the National Industrial Conference Board.

|                           | Per Cent Over 191 |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
|                           | 1920 1 2          |
| House Rents               | 58 (5             |
| Clothing                  | 166 53            |
| Fuel                      | 66 81             |
| Sundries                  |                   |
| Food                      |                   |
| I.Iaryland Telephone Rate |                   |

This table shows that in 1920, the period of highest prices, the increase in the cost of telephone service over 1914 was less than a fourth of the average increase in the cost of the other items; and now, with prices largely stabilized, the increase is less than one-third of the increase in the other items.

The usefulness of the telephone service to the patron in a city, town or community depends largely upon the number of persons with whom he may communicate; in other words, the value of telephone service increases as the number of telephones increases.

In some places in Maryland since 1914, the number of telephones has increased as high as 100%; in the entire state the increase has been 53%. In other words, the increase in the value of the telephone service to the user in Maryland has greatly exceeded the increase in our rates.

> The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City





A winding road up hill and down, Where doming clouds ride in the sky And dusty feet plod noiselessly.

SOMETHING TO EAT

With a few boxes of getatin in the



delicious desserts ay be prepared. apple Charlotte. -Take one-half of an envelope of sparkling gelatin and one fourth of a cup-

ful of cold water. and when softened add one-half cupful of boiling water. Add one cupful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of lemon fuice; cool and add one cupful of cooked apple pulp. Cool, and when the mixture begins to thicken beat with a wire whisk until light, then add two well-beaten whites and beat well. Turn into a mold lined with lady fingers or cake. Serve with whip, ed cream.

Rice With Pineapple,-Soak one-half package of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water, then add onehalf cupful of scalding hot pineapple juice, one-half cupful of sugar, and one cupful of cooked rice, one teaspoonful of salt, and one tablespoonful of lemon juice. Turn into a mold lined with slices of canned pineapple. Chill and serve with whipped cream. Two egg whites may be used in place of whipped cream.

Toauted Sandwiches .- Mix two tablespoonfuls of salad oil, one tablespoonful of vinegar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, a dash of paprika with one-half cupful of cottage cheese or thick cream. Spread on one-fourth inch slices of graham bread, then sprinkle with chopped walnut meats. Put together in pairs and cut in fingershaped pieces and toast.

Cantaloupe Pickle .- An unripe cantaloupe makes a very good pickle. Cut the melon in sections and remove the seeds. Soak in a sait solution, using one-quarter of a cupful of salt, to a quart of water, Drain and add to the following sirup: Four cupfuls of water, four cupfuls of sugar one cupful of vinegar, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, one tablespoonful of alispice and cloves; put spice in small bag and cook with the melon. Boll ten minutes and let the fruit stand in the sirup all night. Drain, bott the sirup, add the fruit and cook until the cantaloupe is clear. Seal in hot jars.

## Mellie Maxwell

Might Be Either. If he's married, you can't tell whether he smokes a pipe because he is an outdoor man or is an outdoor man be-

cause he smokes a pipe.-Exchange.

"Ef'n I yas a preacher," said Charcoal Eph, 'uminatively, "I'd pound de pulpit less an' go visitin' mo', suh,"-Richmond Times-Dispatch.

lelam Fraternities Factors of Great Importance Throughout the Whole Mohammedan World.

CARRY ON VAST PROPAGANDA

A spiritual factor of great importance in the Mohammeder world is the fraternities. Islam always had its fraternities, but the two which did the most for its religious and political revival came into existence about the middle of the Nineteenth centurythe Sennussiya and the Djemal-ed-Din, writes Rev. Amos I. Dushaw in the Christian Herald.

The founder of the Sennussiya was Seyld Mohammed Sennussi, a descendant of the prophet and a man of learning, plety and position. It was strictly puritanic in character and now. eighty years old, is exerting a great spiritual influence on Islam. This fraternity has lodges scattered throughout the whole of Islam, but El Sennussi, the present leader, has a firm hold on the whole movement and he has kept it from political alliances, Islamic and Christian. He is aiming at a spiritual revival of his people because he feels that Islam cannot regain its complete political independence without its old spiritual life. In a word, the Sennussi fraternity is do-

in a great defensive alliance to pre-

Neither France Nor Germany Will

Reap the Quantity Which Was the

Result of the Last Harvest,

The wheat crop of France for 1922

is estimated at 235,380,000 bushels, ac-

cording to a cablegram received by the

United States Department of Agricul-

ture from the international institute

of agriculture at Rome. This is a de-

crease of 88,090,000 bushels from the

yield in 1921. The wheat yield of Ger-

many is estimated at 69,670,000 bush-

els, a reduction of 38,130,000 bushels

The rye crop of France is estimated

at 37,600,000 bushels, compared with

44,392,000 bushels last year; barley,

89,540,000 bushels, compared with 38,-

318,000 bushels in 1921; oats, 288,250,-

000 bushels, compared with 244.455,000

oushels. In Germany the yield of rye

is estimated at 210,580,000 bushels,

compared with 267,648,000 bushels last

year; oats, 284,600,000 bushels, com-

pared with 344,812,000 bushels.

from last year's crop.

of European power."

is moved to comment, "Truly this was a righteous man." He prayed at the time of His death. ing preparatory work. It is also carrying on a tremendous missionary propaganda and converting sand years before, the inspired psalmmillions of pagan negroes to its faith. ist had prophesied that these words Djemal-ed-Din, unlike Sernussi, was would be on the dying Savior's lips. less of a theologian and more of a A few years later they were to consti-

political propagandist, feared and pertute the last prayer of the martyred secuted by the English. He saw Islam's danger and worked hard to stir He prayed at the time of His ascen-It up to action. Stoddart says, "It "He led them out as far as is not too much to say that he is the Bethany and He lifted up His hands father of every shade of Egyptian and blessed them." No longer need He pray for himself. His mission was acnationalism." His influence did not end with Egypt. Djemal-ed-Din was no wild fanatic. He knew the forces complished. Glory and honor awalted that faced the Islam world and, like spreads out His hands in loving bene-Sennussi, only dealing with political diction upon His disciples as He is matters, he offered advice of real value to his people. "It is plain that parted from them.

Do you think those disciples who the whole Moslem world must unite had seen their Lord so much in prayer and even thus engaged at their parting serve itself from destruction; and to glimpse could ever forget the impordo this it must acquire the technic of tance of prayer? No wonder they western progress and learn the secret prayed. And what they did we can do, we must do, if we follow the praying Christ. REPORT SMALL GRAIN CROPS

The Rich and the Poor.

man with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and there come in also a poor man in vile ralment; and ye respect him that weareth the gay clothing, and say unto him, Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: are ye not partial in yourselves, and are become judges of evil thoughts?-James 2:2-4.

Turkish Law Based on Koran. The laws of the Turkish empire are pased on the precepts of the Koran, and the suitan's will is absolute when not in opposition to accepted truths of the Mahometan religion as laid down in the sacred books of the was first coined in England in 1087.

Wonderful Power of Love. So long as we love, we serve. So long as we are loved by others, I Midsummer Night's Dream," who would almost say, we are indispensa- squeezed the magic juice on the eyeble; and no man is useless while he hids of the Athenian lovers and mixed I has a friend. Robert Louis Stevenson. them all up in their affections.

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 10 THE STORY OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN

quire wisdom Still He prayed, I ESSON TEXT -Luke 10:25-27. and was so fre-GOLDEN TEXT-Thou stait love thy neighbor as thyself.—Lev. 19:18. PRIMARY TOPIC-Showing Kindness quently found in prayer as to impress the discito a Stranger.

JUNIOR TOPIC-The Story of the Good. ples. It was not Samaritan.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC

The Praying

Christ

By REV. C. H. BENSON

Teacher of Religious Pedagogy, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago,

The greatest argument for prayer is

he praying Christ. Why should He

pray? Did the

Omnipotent need power? Did the

Omniscient re-

the teacher of

prayer, but the

TEXT-As He prayed.-Luke 9:29.

down the gift of the Holy Spirit.

His disciples and of them He caose

Shall He choose Mutihew, the unropu-

lar publican? Shall He choose Thomas?

what agony of heart He must have

suffered as He prayed over Judas,

whom He knew must betray Him! He prayed at the hour of His great-

prestige when He fed the five thou-

sand. But "when Jesus perceived that they would come and take Him by

force and make Him king, He departed

again into a mountain himself alone."

Alone on His knees he struggled to es-

cape the flattering temptation of the

He prayed at the time of His great-

est unpopularity. He had an unpleas-

ant announcement to make to His dis-

ciples. They had left all to follow Him, with the hopes that eventually He would proclaim himself as King

and sit on His throne in Jerusalem.

But the time had come for Him to pre-

dict that "the Son of Man must suffer

many things and be rejected and

cept such an announcement? Would

they then and there forsake Him? And

so, when that fatal day arrived, we

His raiment was white and glistening."

He prayed bimself into His transfig-

He'prayed at the time of His great-

But He went through this hour of

agony upon His knees and by prayer

He was strengthened for the trying

He prayed in the hour of greatest

pain. It was when they were nalling

His hands and feet to the cross and

putting it in place with a jolt that or-

dinarily made the victim scream with

pain. But, to the astonishment of all,

the suffering Saviour prays! Was it for blmself? No. He prayed for His

murderers! "Father, forgive them for

they know not what they do," No

wonder the unbiased Roman centurion

How would the disciples ac-

Whom shall He honor?

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC tencher in prayer, that moved them to their petition, "Lord, teach us to 1. How to Inherit Eternal Life (vv.

25-28). He prayed as he was being baptized. 1. The Lawyer's Question (v. 29). "And it came to pass that Jesus, also "Lawyer" here means ore versed in being baptized and praying, the heaven religious law-the galletures. This was opened and the Holy Spirit de-scended upon him." Baptism is a sacred sacrament, but it was not so does not mean lawye; in our modern sense of that term. It would more nearly correspond to a theological much the water that John adminisprofessor. The la vyer's object was tered as the prayer that Jesus uttered to trap Jesus-to induce Him to take that opened the heavens and brought such a stand as would weaken His influence as a teacter. He expected He prayed as He chose His disci-Jesus to set forth some new cere "He went up into a mountain to monies which would conflict with or pray and continued all night, and when it was day He called unto Him disparage the law.

2. Jesus' Question (v. 26). Though Jesus knew the motive of the lawyer He did not evade his question. He sent him to the la.v-the field which Thomas will doubt Him. Shall He was familiar to him. He thus was robbed of his own weapon.

choose Peter, that Ignorant, swearing fisherman who will deny Him? Oh, 3. The Lawyer's Reply (v. 27). He made an intelligent answer declaring that the entire content of the law was embraced in love to God and man. This expresses the whole of human est popularity. He had gained great | duty.

4. Jesus Beply (v. 28.) This straightforward answer went to the heart of the lawyer. Perfect love to God and man is truly the way of life. No man has yet had or can have such love. His sinful condition precludes its possibility. Man's failure to measure up to this requirement is his condemnation. The lawyer keenly felt this thrust. He was defeated on his grounds and convicted of

II. Who Is My Neighbor (vv. 29

1. The Lawyer's Question (v. 29) This question revenls the insincerity of the lawyer. Christ's mawer had reached his conscience and now he seeks to escape the difficulty by asking a captious question. Lawyer-like he sought to get off by raising a question as to the meaning of words.

read that "as He was praying His dis-ciples were with Him." They must have witnessed the struggle going on 2. Jesus' Answer (vv. 30-37), Christ's reply more than enswered the lawyer's question. In the parable of the within His breast. Prayer was to pre-pare them for that most undesired an-Good Samaritan He makes clear who is a neighbor, and also what it means to be a neighbor, or what loving a neighbor means. Christ's answer had a dcuble meaning. He not only made He prayed at the hour of His great-est glory. "As He prayed the Jashlon of His countenance was charge; and clear who is my neighbor, but made it clear that the lawyer was not playing the neighbor. He thus was cor uration. It was prayer that revealed victed of not having been a neighto the discouraged disciples the transfigured Lord as prophet, priest and

(1) Who is my neighbor? This desest agony. It was the night before the highway by the robbers is the man great tragely. Alone He must face it. who needs a neighbor. My neighbor, therefore is the one who needs m desert Him. God would aide His face. help, whether he lives next door or on the outside of the world. Thos. who have the Spirit of Christ can see their neighbors on every hand, (2) What being a neighbor means Our supreme concern should not be "Who is my neighbor?" but "Whose neighbor am 17" To be a neighbor is (a) to see those about us who need help (v. 33). Love is keen to discern need. We should be on the lookout those in need of our help. (b) Have compassion on the needy (v. 33), Christ's compassion was aroused as He came into contact with those who were suffering and in need. All those who have His nature will be likewise moved. (c) Give to those In need (v. 34). Many are willing to His last words were, "Father, into Thy give money to help the poor and needy, hands I commit my spirit." A thou- but are unwilling to personally minister to them. Many times the personal touch is more important than the material aid. We should give ourselves as well as our money. (d) Bind up wounds (v. 34). (e) Set the helpless ones on our beasts while we walk (v. 34). This is proof that love is genuine. Christians will deny them-selves in order to have something to give to those who have need. This kind of sympathy is greatly needed today. (f) Bring to the inn and take Him. But, praying to the last, He care of the unfortunate (v. 34). Genulne love does not leave its service incomplete. Much Christian service is spasmodic, helps and then leaves a man to take care of himself. (g) Give money (v. 35). It costs a good deal to be a neighbor. Love is the most expensive thing in the world. It cost God His only Son. It cost Christ His life. May we go and do likewise!

When the Last Trump Sounds. The Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the If there come unto your assembly a trump of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first .- I Thessalon av. 4:16.

> Such as I Love. Such as I love, I rebuke and chastise. Be zenious, therefore, and do penance.-Apocalypse 3:19.

Doing Nothing. Doing nothing with a deal of skill .--

Metallic Coins. Money, in the form of metallic colns, probably superseded all other legal tenders. The first record of the coln ing of silver was 860 B. C., and it was made in Rome as early as 269 B. C. It

"Robin Goodfellow," Robin Goodfellow is another name for Puck, Use little scamp in "A

#### Too Late!

Many have so often refused the Gospel, so put off the soul's salvation to some future time, that when they have been, as it were, surprised into the reality of death, they have exclaimed, in deep and Present membership over nine thousand, with over \$13,000,000.00 bitter remorse of conscience, "I have sold my soul for a straw!" or, "Too late! too late!" Others have been so sensible of their being eternally lost, that they have spoken of their going to the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone almost with the last breath. Reader, beware of procrastination! "What shall it profit a tean if he gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" The following account of one who put off this momentous matter until he had to exclaim, in bitter angulab, "Too late!" is only, I am pained to say, one of a long list that might be given.

-was a young man of twenty-five years. When I saw him first he was just recovering from fever, and seemed very anxious about his soul. He realized in some measure his deliverance from an early grave, and now his mind was exercised about eternal things. I endeavored to set before him God's simple way of salvation. He said, 'Oh, if f am spared, how differently I would live.' I tried to show him that that was a device of Satan, -that it was his duty NOW to trust the Lord Jesus.

"He recovered, and as strength returned his anxiety disappeared, and he now only seemed to rest in the vain hope of 'turning over a new eat.' To my surprise, on entering he ward one day, I found him again ill. He was very much alarmed, and I again spoke to him. My visits were earnestly sought, and as cheerfully paid, hoping that now he would be brought, not to rest on 'turning over a new leaf,' but, resting only on Christ Josus, become at once a new creation. He was brought very low, but once more restored, and after a few weeks was again walking about, convalescent, hoping to be dismissed in a few days from the building where his life had been in so much jeopardy. He had as yet not embraced the free offers of the Gospel, but

waited for the convenient season. one afternoon, when the nurse of the ward where D- was a patient came for me. I followed her to his bedside. There he lay; eve-

way." Dear reader. NOW think of God's Word, that He "go loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." NOW, then, turn to God through His crucified, risen, and glorified Son, believe His Word, and rejoice that YOU HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE .- H. H. S., In Good Tidings.

colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads oth- DIFFERING VIEWS OF RAINBOW ers to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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Deciaration Made That No Two Persons Can See the Same Display in the Same Way.

Misconceptions concerning the rainbow are many, according to Prof. W. J. Humphreys, Ph. D., of Franklin institute, Philadelphia. Close observations have shown that not even the colors are always the same. Neither Is the band of any color of constant angular width, nor is the total breadth of the several colors uniform. But perhaps the most interesting feature which Professor Humphreys brings out is the fact that no two persons see the same rainbow; there are as many rainbows as there are persons looking

at them, it seems. Theory teaches and ordinary experience shows as the observer remains stationary or moves, so also other things being equal, does his ral; bow. If then, two observers initially close together should move in opposite directions, each would find his rainbow responding in the same sense as his shadow, and presently the two post tions, and, therefore, the identity of the two bows, would become unquestion

er or less distance, their bows must also be correspondingly separated and different positions are produced by different raindrops,

In short, since the rainbow is a spe cial distribution of colors (produced n a particular way) with reference to a definite point-the eye of the observer-and as no single distribution (other than uniform and infinite) can be the same for two separate points, it follows that two observers cannot see the same rainbow,-Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

Maple Sugar Long Known. In the days of Napoleon's wars maple sugar had been made for some time in Bohemia, the government encouraging its manufacture. However, it soon died out there, for the sugar beet came into prominence. The ear-liest explorers in America found the Indians making sugar from the sap of the huge haple trees that stood in companies and prigades in the ancient forests and nobady can tell when they began it.

Old Phrase of the Sea. Davy Jones' locker, at the bottom of the sea, where Davy Jones, a mythical sea demon, holds court. When a ship sinks, it is said to have gone to Davy must always be separated by a great-

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Adventure of the

Golden Fleece

By CLARISSA MACKIE 4444444444444

A bout?" pundered old Sam Beez lov, as he scanned the long sanddis te ed pler, where the water washes dive, I don't believe there's my kind of fishing boat in harbor today. You know the little blues are runnin' now and every man that can beave a the Baymend looked wisifully at the

bright blue water clippled by the freshbreeze. Off by the breakwater he could see a dozen small boats bobbing

"Good fishin" in the channel," observed Mr. Beezley, as he carefully cut a plece of tolmee

"Yes," agreed the city man; "must be pretty good if I can't hire any kind of boat. Say, there's a pretty little craft—the yawi yonder." He pointed to a small boat that had shot up to the landing steps. A slim boyish form was fussing over a line flung ashore and caught by a small boy.

"That's Captain Jemmy-might take you out for a spell-go and ask, son!" He chuckled as Dick Raymond hurried down the pier toward the boat. When he reached the step be leaned over and halled the bont.

"Bont ahoy!"

"Hello!" came back briskly, "Captain Jemmy aboard?"

"I want to speak to him."

"Speak away!" said the tar, as, bending a sunburned hand over his eyes, he scanned the breakwater.
"Think he would take me fishing?"

"All aboard-casting off now, I've got plenty of tackle and bait. Ob, Elijah, cast off that line, will you? Thank you!" Captaln Jemmy devoted himself to maneuvering the boat away from the pier, and Raymond did not neck, where a scarlet scarf flickered offer to help. He recognized Captain Jemmy as one of those born sons of the wind and tide who had been raised along shore, and who would disdain any interference unless there was dan-

Once the wind dapped the brim of the captain's enormous straw hat back



"Take It Off?" Repeated Raymond.

and for an instant Raymond had a vision of a sun-tinted face, with wide, long-lashed eyes, and damp rings of hair on the forehead. In profile the face of Captain Jenumy, hardened marmer though he might be, was that of young angel.

"Who would suspect a young pirete like this Captain Jemmy would have face like that?" mused the passenper as he watched the youthful figare moving easily about the little craft. The captain's costume was plepresque and colorful, for he wore white ducks thrust into black rubber boots, a white silk shirt open at the in the wind. The big peanut-straw hat hid even the lips of the master of the Golden Fleece.

"Who pamed your boat?" asked Raymond at last.

"Why did you call her that?" "Oh-perhaps because it reminds

me of stoffes T loved when I was little -" then diffidently, still facing away from his passenger, he added, "every time I start on a cruise-even around the harbor, I tell myself that perhaps I am setting out on a wild adventure, shipwreck, bidden treasure—you know he yarns!

"Good stuff," agreed Raymond. Captain Jemmy steered for the chan-nel, scudded past the neet of fishernen, waved a brown hand in respons to numerous halls and presently the Golden Fleece dropped anchor in the hannel, where she docked industrious ly, while Captain Jemmy tossed tackle and balt toward the passenger. "Fish here," he said laconically

snappers are runo ag fine," But Raymond was as much inter sted in the catch of harbor blues, Presently Captain Jemmy, sitting back to him, flung a line deftly at his feet.

On the hook wriggled a blue and silver "Take it off, please," requested the aptain, dropping another line over-

"Take it off?" revented Raymond. "Take-it-off-please!" The young

aptain's voice was tey. Why not remove it yourself?" Raynond smiled at the impudence. After awhile Captain Jemmy spoke just as another flopping fish landed at Raymond's feet; "I hate to take

em off the hook-it's messy-and--1 don't know how!" "At your service, captain," said Raymond gently, but his lips were puckered into a whistle as he rebalted the hook. He did not remonstrate when a second fish came flying toward him, and a third and a fourth. He was busy enough between his own fishing

and removing the catch from the captain's flying lines "Better rename the Golden Fleece," he suggested dryly.

"What?" "Call her the Flying Fish." Captain Jemmy laughed aloud, such a revealing laugh, and just as if the wind wanted to join in exposing this trickster, the peanut straw hat flopped upward and went soaring away to land on the rocks of the breakwater.
"Oh, goodness!" yelled Captain

Raymond forgot to laugh as he saw a mass of ruddy hair streaming out on the wind. At that moment the Golden Fleece decided to heel to the

Captain Jemmy was tying back her hair with the scarlet scarf. Her face was rosy and her eyes were evasive. All the boldness of this young tar was

get home," said the captain, Raymond gathered up the fish and The vawl flew back through the chan-

nel, raised a cheer among the fishernen, Captain Jemmy waved a sunburned hand and presently they were scraping against the pier. "How much do I owe you?" asked

"Nothing at all-this is a pleasure boat-and if you've enjoyed the fishing that is enough," said Captain Jeway rather shamefacedly.

"And I shan never know more about the captain of the Golden Fleece por hear what further adventures befell that brave mariner?" asked the man, anxiously. "I am staying at Mr. Max-

"My father is your host," she said, demurcly, pulling at her hair ribbon like a small girl. "We will go afishing tomorrow if you like."

Raymond smiled or icentedly, "Every day—and perhaps, who knows when we might find hidden treasure—" "Who knows?" she repeated shyly, and it is no secret now to tell that the greatest adventure of the Golden, moon spent aboard that brave craft as she found her way among the Thousand Islands.

FILCHARDS LURED BY MUSIC

Proves That the Fish Havs Ear for Sweet Sounds.

Pitchards are fond of music. In the summer months large plichard seines, manned by some 18 hands, were in full swing fishing. One of them had singers of a choir belonging to a ning when pilchards were scarce and closed together to practice music for the coming Sunday's service. Instantly plichards were seen springing up out of the water around them. The stringed instruments were quickly dropped, and in a few minutes the men were prepared to enclose the fish; but when the sound censed no more fish could be discovered.

As no fish appeared after for some ie, the music practice was resumed, by pilchards. To keep them around, ne of the instruments continued to play, while the men got a big baul, gh these two bonts got a spien did shoat, it was discovered in the mcating that no other boat in the bay

Fire seems to be enting into the leart of the logs, tongues of flame leap about the martyr who is being burned

built up with wire netting, painted to resemble wood and sprinkled with wood ashes. The glowing embers are efectric Behts bealed red paper, E and the darting flames are long stream inch electric fan placed at the foot of the pile. A separate battery of red lights that throw a strong glare on the slik streamers gives the remarkable Husion of flames.-Exchange,

Figures Produced by Quarter-Sawing. In some woods, notably the oaks, a figure is produced by quarter-sawing, I says a forestry magazine. In practically all woods there are ribbons of tissue which run at right angles to the exis of the tree like spokes in a These are the rays, often called medullary, or pith rays, because ome of them appear as extensions of

In all the confers and most hardvoods these rays are too fine to show distinctly. In others, as in maple, herry and mahaging, they are distinct, but not considerious.

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Prominent Engineer Shows How Fuel Consumption Could Be Cut by Its Employment.

A saving of 469,000,000 tons of coal year could be necomplished if the latent water power in the United States were developed to capacity, Dr. Charles P. Steinmeiz, chief engineer of the General Electric company, declared at a dinner of the advisory council of the Federated Engineers' Development corporation, of which he is a member.

The state of New York could cut its coal bill for industrial enterprises and public utilities to one-third of its

present cost, he said. "There is available in the state 4,-000,000 horse power, or a saving of 34,000,000 tons of coal annually," he said. "At present the consumption of fuel in New York 1s 54,000,000 tons a year. The recent strikes in the coal fields and on the railroads have shown that neither one of these public services can be relied upon, and the solution to the problem is for the state

to become independent of both. "Ten million tons of coal are saved annually in New York through the use of water power developing 1,300,000 horse power. The country at large uses 10,000,000 horse power, an annual fuel saving of 80,000,000 tons, and there is a latent horse power of 50,-000,000, or a saving of 400,000,000 tons. It still would be necessary to use 1,000,000 tons of coal each year for

Looking-Glass Country. According to a copy of the Russian

journal, Ekonomitse Heskaia Zizu, which has just been received at Paris by a French socialist, the editors offer a month's subscription for 1,200,-000 rubles. For a two-months' subscription the price is 3,000,000 rubles. The apparent paradox is explained by a note saying that the difference in price for the first and second month's subscription is due to the estimated depreciation of the ruble in the next four weeks. The amount of this depreciation is so uncertain, however, that subscription prices cannot be quoted more than two months in advance.-New York Times

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Representative John W. Longley, Mojave, who war, id to know what igton, mys Everybody's:

A young attorney in Pikeri'le, who ought county honors, was on an election of the state roads, which Richconcering tour in his district when he old the mistress who he was and that was a candidate weeking votes at he coming election.

Why, of course my hosband will vote | road in our district."-Los Angeles for you, bein' it was you that got him Times. deared of stenlin' that meat." "Say on the charge of stealing the

meat," the ultorney corrected her.
"Charge northin'!" said the woman "Why, part of that meat is hangin' up

rom hentucky, tells this one in Wash- Richardson really stood for, before he east his vote. Among other uniters taken up was

ardson made one of the prime issues called at a house where the head of of his campaign. Regarding this sub-the family happened to be absent. He ject the gentleman from Mojave wrote "Our minister says the road to hell is paved with good intentions. Please don't get your locations mixed and "And it's you!" she exclaimed try to get away with that kind of a

> Plural of Two. In modern usage the preferred plural

of the word "two" is "twos;" see Charles Kingsley (1835)-"They would lodge by twos and threes in the lonely farmhouse," The form "twoes" occurs Try Asbestos.
In the Friend Richardson guberna- "Winter Tale," act 1, scene 2 (1611)— In the follo edition of Shakespeare's orial camp they are still laughing "By twoes and threes."

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A good friend stands by you in need. Berlin people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Horace F. Harmonson, Ex-State Game Warden and State Representstive, and now proprietor of the Atlantic Hotel of Berlin, endorsed Doan's four years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

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#### Locals.

Tuesday will be Clean-Up Day,

For Sale-Gasoline boat. J. M.

For picture frames and mouldings see F. E. Konetzka.

For Sale-One mule-hide robe, Horace S. Hastings.

Apples for Sale-G. H. McCabe B rlin, Md., Route 2.

Prof. Barton spent part of th week in Philadelphia. Any kind of a Ford body built

Apply to James F. Celby. Mrs. Jones Workman is spending

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to have cleared about \$300 For Sale-Buick roadster. Ap-

ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md. lar. Irquire of Garfield Johnson.

For Sale-Grocery store; good location. Apply Berlin Advance, Have your pictures framed to or-

der, by F. E. Konetzka, Commerce

very soon. Watch the windows for H. O. Cropper. the day.

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Miss Flora Brittingham had the miefortune to fall, Thanksgiving bouquet of Bride roses. Day, and broke ber arm.

For Rent -- 3-room house and lot near St. Martin's on State road. Apply to H. B. Sockriter.

Bring your eggs to us; we pay the highest market price. American Stores Co., Berlin, Md.

For a popular family heater get a Cole's Original Wood Stove. Any child can control it perfectly.

A. F. Powell has been regaining the house on William St. he recently purchased fo John Wainright.

Miss He'en Carroll returned last week from a two-weeks' visit with her eister, Mrs. Fred Beauchamp, nized Friday evening, Dec 1, at the of Pocomoke.

ers for a restaurant. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor, of

Salisbury, and Miss Nellie Grise, of Mrs. Law on Sunday.

For Rent-Fine water front farm 175 acres 21 miles Berlin, Md. Apply Geo. E. Aldrich, 18 W. 101st St., New York City, N. Y.

appropriate holiday present for an evening, Dec. 3rd, when the Rev. absent friend, why not give a year's J. R. Verbrycke united in marriage 7.30 p. m., Preaching service subscription to this newspaper?

Lost-A fur gauntlet glove for left hand, on Powellton Ave. or North Main St. Please return to Powell Pattey and receive reward.

Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Clift spent Thanksgiving Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Mumford, returning home, Friday.

Jewelry store some day soon, with immediately after supper. They will impossibility to secure coal and presents for all the little folks not only cause a gentle movement of Watch the windows for the time but banish that dull, stupid feeling, that often accompanies constipation. and day.

Late Wednesday forenoon fire destroyel the dwelling on West St. which was occupied by Gordon Marshall and owned by H. F. Harmonson. This was the middle house of a group of three belonging to Mr. Harmonson, another catching fire, but being quickly extinguished.

The Worcester County Woman's Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 14th, at 2,30 p. m. in the club room at The Deposit and Savings Bank,

Notice-All farmers who whid to ship to Chas. B. Hovey, New ceive the full penalty for his crime. York. A. T. Chance, Agent.

Notice-Anyone trespassing, See J. M. Bratten's ad on last trapping, hunting with dog or gun, or removing anything from my farm, 21 miles from Berlin, Md., will be punished by full penalty of the law. Geo, E. Aldrich

> Creston Trader and Joseph Harrison went to Wilmington Saturday, returning home Sunday night. They attended the marriage of Edward Will'ams and Helen Baker, tor, Rev. William T. McGuire, offiboth of Selby ville.

Mrs. Z P. Henry, Mies Fannie Scott, Mrs. S. A. Potter and daughter, Cornelia, Raymond Davis, and Georgette Ettinger, (the latter having been visiting friends here for nearly two weeks,) motored to Philadelphia last Friday to visit her father, who was critically ill. They The Methodist bazaar is thought returned to Berlin Sunday.

All persons having jewelry to be mended at H. O. Cropper's will please call for same before Xmas, as For Sale-8-room house with cel- I am selling out everything in the jewelry store at cost, and will discontinue the jewelry business after Xmas. This will enable me to give more room and time to my optical business. Thanking all my friends for their patronage and Loping to save them money on their X mas Santa Claus will be at Beuson's presents, this, my last Xmas, I am

#### Young---Jarvis.

Mrs. Sadie K. Whittko, of Bristol, Pa, announces the wedding of her sister, Annie C. Jarvis, of Ocean City, Md., to David E. Young, of her home of Mifflin St.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry M. Hartmann, of the Presbyterian Church of Bristol. The wedding was a brilliant affair, the home being beautifully decorated for the occasion.

The bride wore a gown of white Canton Crepe finished with Irish point lace, and carried a beautiful 7.00 p. m., Epworth League.

The bride was attended by Miss Ida Jenks, Ray Jenks acted as best 3.20 p. m., Preaching.

include a visit to the bride's moth er, Mrs. Sewell Jones, of Ocean City, the couple will be at home at 304 Wood St., Bristol, Pa

A beautiful reception was given. and the bride receive I many lovely presents. A long life of happiness is the wish of their many friends.

#### Taylor---King.

home of William Griffin, near Ocean 10.45 a.m. Divine Worship Beilin's new candy kitchen and City, when his sister, Mrs. Ella 2.30 p. m. Preaching at Libertys da fountain is now open, in the King, of Berlin, was united in marroom formerly used by Harry Rog. riage to Joseph Taylor, a prosperous 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. emony was performed by Rev. Dr. Burk, after which a bountiful sup-Salisbury, and Miss Nellie Grise, of Pocomoke, were guests of Dr. and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will You are cordially invited to these reside at Ellendale

#### Double Wedding.

A double wedding took place at In casting about in search of an the Presbyterian Manse, Sunday Charles Bishop and Miss Alberta 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week Hastings, both of Libertytown: and Hurley Powell, of Libertytown, and Miss Ella Dennis, of Willards. The newly-wedded parties will reside at Libertytown.

When You Are Constinated. To insure a healthy action of the powels and correct disorders of the liv-Santa Claus will be at Benson's er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets not only cause a gentle movement of

#### FOR SALE

The Graham or Grise property, in Berlin, Md. Fine residence and 19 acres of land. Apply to FRANKLIN UPSHUR, Atty.

#### Oliver Parker Murdered.

The community was shocked Saturday evening to learn the Oliver Parker, of Ocean City, was shot The government asks us to warn several times and killed by William holders of 1918 War-Savings Hastings, also of Ocean City, about Stamps, which will mature Jan. 1st, 6 p. m. The shooting occurred not to accept anything less than near the post office, and was the outcome of an old grudge.

The murderer was promptly artheir dressed poultry for and X mas rested and taken to Snow Hill Jail and New Year holidays will do well to await Court, where he should re-

> Mr. Parker was 48 years old, and leaves a widow and four sons and daughters, as follows: W. H. Parker and Francis Parker, of Ocean City, and Mrs. W. M. Batho and Miss Alva Parker, of Chicago, and one brother, William H. Parker, of Ocean City; he was a son of Mrs Sarah Parker, of Berlin.

Funeral services were held Tuesdey afternoon at 1 o'clock in the M. E. Church at Ocean City, the pasclating; the interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

#### The Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club met at the appointed time Friday, Dec. 1st. with an average attendance.

It was a very interesting session, as after the mention of current events a few days. in response to the roll call, several present time were freely discussed.

The remaining time was devoted to the reading and consideration of of Maryland," which hat been selected for study.

sympathy was offered the relatives Cabe. and friends of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Dirickson, who was an honor ary meraber of the Club.

#### Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I have frequently used Chamberlain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid for headache and bilious attacks. I am For Rent-One spartment and Wilmington, Del., on Nov. 29th, at only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

#### Newark M. E. Charge,

BOWEN M. B. CHURCH: 10 00 a. ni., three ay Bulliol. 11.00 a. m., special service in the Odd Fellows. Preaching by the pastor.

CEDARTOWN: 2.30 p. m., Sunday School.

After the honey-moon, which will 7.30 p. m., Epworth League. 7.30 p. m. Thursday, Prayer-meet ing. Leader, Dorsey Holston. IRONSHIRE:

10 30 a. m., Sunday School. 7.30 p. m., Evangelistic Service. Preaching by the pastor.

W. F. Godwin, Pastor.

#### Buckingham Presbyterian Church J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

A very quiet we Iding was solem- 9.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent.

farmer of Ellendale, Del. The cer- 7.30 p. m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "On, to the Other Side."

You are cordially invited to these

#### Stevenson M. E. Church

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. Furbush, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m , Preaching by pastor.

Prayer-meeting. A cordial invitation extended to all S. N. PILCHARD, Pastor

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#### SELBYVILLE, DEL.

Mr. Fred Murray spent Thanksgiving with his parents.

Misses Helen Baker, Parline wonderful values. Georgette and Moore, Bertha McGee and Lucile Crepe-de-Chine Walsts at very low Petro, who are attending Delaware prices. College, spent the week-end with their parents.

Mrs. Willis Hudson is slowly improving in the Lewes Hospital; think she will soon be able to return

radio put in his house. Capt. Isaac Tracy and wife have

Dr. G E. James bas just bad a

motored to Philadelphis, to spend this morning from points in the Mr. Thomas McCabe spent rants of ancient Christian races,"

and Mrs. W. R. McCabe.

Mr. G. W. McCabe, wife and son, At the previous meeting, which Paul, of Ocean View, spent Sunday was not reported, a resolution of with his aunt, Mrs. Catherine Mc-

> Mr. Russell West is still in the continues the telegram. "Approx-Jefferson Hospital, in Philadelphia, imately another million reported

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#### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Annie Parker and family, together with mother and William H. Parker and other relatives, wish to express their sincere appreciation and thanks to the many friends who expressed their sympathy and rendored such loving service in the hour of the'r bereavement.

#### Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bowen desire to express their sincere thanks safety. to their neighbors and many friends, who so kind'y assisted them during the illness, decth and burial of their daughter, Andasia Catherine.

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#### Near-East DesperatePosition

NOTICE. "A dozen cablegrams on my desk PUBLIC HEALTH CHILD-WELFARE Avery Nock. Near East, read like death war-

A County-wide meeting will be held topics of especial interest at the Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. says Charles V. Vickrey, general in the Court House at Snow Hill on secretary of the Near East Relief, P. M. in the interest of child welfare in a telegram sent yesterday to and public health in Worcester County. The choir of the M. E. Church Maryland Headquarters, containing This meeting will be held and addressed a few papers of "The Government are practicing for their Christmas the very latest news about the des- by Dr. J. H. Mason Knox, Jr., Chief of the Child Welfare Department of the perate condition in that section. "Million homeless, helpless refuauthorities in the United States. If gees on the islands and shores of Dr. Knox finds sufficient interest manithe Aegean Sea, almost exclusively feated in this County, it is his intention women and children, the men all to send a State Nurse at State expense Mr. and Mrs. Herman Warren spent

> organize this work on a permanent ba-This is an unusual opportunity for fleeing, many of them through people of Worcester County to obtain storms over the snow-covered moun- a service that will mean better health tains of Anatolia, seeking safety for all the children of the County. It is, therefore, hoped that all phythrough embarkation for unknown sicians of the County will attend, that Miss Viola Rogers, of Taylorville, destinations. Cold winter rains be- all civic bodies will have full represenginning in lower altitudes. A half tation, and that as many citizens as million once prosperous Greeks and possible will attend.

Maryland will give at this Christ-

DR. V. H. DE SOMOSKEOY, Deputy State Health Officer.

Bible Students' Activity. Dr. Elliott cables - 'Is there no way of bringing to American people realization of how these hapless, During the past school year of belple a peed their assist nice?"

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Mersine cables, "Most of refugees weeks of the year. arrive penniless, having been re- 10,721 religious services were conpeatedly robbed enroute, where can ducted, at which students delivered

they go?" Requests money for 5.022 addresses bread, else 10,000 people perish. Sunday School classes were taught From Samsoun, "Feeding one a total of 26,076 times. hot meal daily, otherwise children

in gospel Misslons; 595 prison serv-Davidson, at Sinope, "Pleads for ices in jalls and reform schools; transportation immediately, other- 1,027 open-at- meetings were held; wise 5000 Christians perish from 5,885 times the singing was led in Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, religious services; 1,923 times Maryland, will be held in the bank build-White, Constantinople, reports choirs were conducted, and 7,071

15,000 orphans enroute from Asia solos were sung. Minor, and death, to Greece and Scripture portions, etc., were distributed. McAice cables, "Hundreds of

94,680 persons in all were dealt with personally on the subject of religion. 7,612 professed conver-

to date, please settle at once.

#### ST. MARTIN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Nock, of Harrington, Del., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hudson, of Delmar, Del., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J.

Miss Ruth Jarman returned to Smyrns, Del., Monday, after spend-State of Maryland, one of the foremost ing a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Jarman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Warren and killed or held prisoners in Asis," for several months into this County to Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Warren's sister, Mrs. George Bethards, of Ironshire.

A very quiet wedding took place last Saturday evening, when Mr. Howard Jarman, of this place, and called at the parsonage. They took Rev. E. M. Byrd out for a ride, motored about a mile away from here, off from the State road, where he performed the ceremony. But the store club were on the job and drove up on the peddlers' express and witnessed this unique affair, very much surprising the bride and The Moody Bible Institute of Chi- groom. We wish them a happy and

There will be Snaday School. of the Institute's Day and Evening Sunday, at 10 o'clock, Class meettotal of 450,500 for the forty-five tor at 7 p. m. All are cordially ining at 11, and preaching by the pasvited to these services.

Mr. W. P. Keitleman and Mr. trip to Claiborne, Saturday.

#### 1,550 meetings were conducted Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the ing, on Monday, the 1st day January, 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the A total of 521,600 tracts, gospels, ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

#### Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stocknowiers of Calrin B. Taylor Panking Co., of Berlin, Md., will be neld at the Banking-House of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., Berlin, Md., on Wednesday, January 3rd, Notice the date on your label, 1923, at 20'clock p. m., for the purpose (the date to which you are paid,) of electing directors for the ensuing and if you are not paid at least up year, and for such other business as may come before the meeting. William L. Holloway, Cashier.

See J. M. Bratten's Advertisement On The Last

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Haleigh's fother, a country gentleman, originally settled at Fardel, where he owned property. His second son, John, succeeded to the family estate at Fardel, and there outlived his more famous brother Walter. Considerable remains of the old mansion of Fardel exists, but what has roused the protest of the Devonshire association is the proposal to convert the old chapel into a number of cottager. Such yandalism ought to be prevented at any cost.

The courtyard at Fardel formerly contained an inscribed bi-lingual stons of the Romano-British period. On the one side were the words "Fanoni Macquisini," and on the other, "Saparel," with some Gaman characters on the edge. Local tradition makes the ascription refer to treasure buried by Roleigh in an adjoining field; and the local rivene runs thus:

local rhyme runs thus; Between this stone and Fardet Hall Lies as much money as the devil can haul. Anyone who wishes to see the stone new must apply at the British museum.—Christian Science Monitor.

INDIVIDUALITY IN THE HOME

Arrangements Able to Reflect in Thousand Ways the Personality of the Occupant,

On the subject of individuality in he Dome a recept writer has this to my: Individuality is us important to a house as personality to a woman. A room should be an sure an index to the character and taste of the person who occupies it as the clothes she wears or the books she reads. The truly interesting interiors are the ones reflectlog in a thousand subtle ways the graclous personality of the occupant. A favored color repeated here and there -unusua! bibelots called from far corners of the globe-n rug that immediately chailenges attention—these are the things that stamp a room and ren-

Ger it impliely desirable. For are all familiar with those interiors perfect to the last detail—every piece of furniture of the right period and in the right place, and we all know how uninspired they are and how difficult to live in. Nowhere is the unusual touch, no sense of any personality breaks through, Everything is stereotyped and consequently dull.

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## Gov. Albert C. Ritchie admitted that

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ne had offered the post of director of welfare, which is one of the most important appointments under the reor ganization plan, to Emory L. Coblentz of Frederick. Mr. Coblentz said that the matter was under consideration.

"It is a fact that I have offered the post to Mr. Coblentz," said Governor Ritchie, "and I sincerely hope that he will decide to accept it. It would be impossible for me to discuss the offer any further owing to the uncertainty of whether I can get him to accept."

It is understood that if Mr. Coblentz accepts the appointment he will refuse to take the full \$4,000 salary that goes with the post until he is able to give the major part of his time to the work,

#### State Grange Celebrates.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Maryland State Grange was celebrated Monday night at the opening session of the annual meeting of that organiration in the State Normal School, Towson.

A reception began the affair and was followed by an address of welcome delivered by Miss Llda Lee Tall, principal of the school, B. John Black, State master of the grange, responded and was followed by the speaker of the evening, Judge Frank I. Duncan. Following Judge Dancan, Reuben Brigham, former State lecturer of the grange, gave a history of the organization since its inception here half a century ago. The meeting was open to the public

Tuesday night another public meeting was held, when Albert S. Cook, State Superintendent of Schools delivered an address. He was followed by A. S. Goldsborough, of the Merchants and Manutacturers' Association, who spoke on the work of the order and also commented on business conditions of the moment. Folger Mc-Kinsey read an original poem dedicated to the occasion.

#### Farmers Organize Bursau.

More than 300 Howard county farmers organized a county branch of the National Farm Bureau Federation and and presser; scouring and dysing disbanded the Farmers Associations. First-class bootblack work called for This action was taken at a meeting 21 Ellicott City.

Senator Edwin F. Ladd, of North Dakots, in and address, told of the necessity of organizing, not only for baying and selling, but for fitting the farmers for the acid of competitive

Edwin F. Warfield was elented temporary president; Hart B. Noll, temporary secretary-treasurer.

Farm bureaus have been established in Washington, Frederick and Anne Arundel counties, and are being organized in Talbot and Harford.

county bureau is similar to those of the other counties. The federation instructs the farmer how to dispose of his crops by business methods and aims to protect him from profiteers. Work of the Howard county bureau will be carried on by community locals, which will be formed in all sections of the county. When these are

#### Commission of Judiciary System.

organized their members will name

directors who will, in turn, nominate

permanent officers. Then the execu-

ive committee will be chosen.

A step toward a reorganization of the judicial system of the State was taken Saturday when members of the Judiciary Commission appointed by Governor Ritchie meet in the office of Lation plans.

It is expected that Mr. Harley will be elected chairman. Mr. Harley was position of cases. As a result of the findings of this committee a fourth Criminal Court was added, and its investigation indirectly resulted in the appointment of the commission. Sub-committees will be appointed to

investigate various phases of the State courts, and the survey is expected to be more thorough than any which has ever been made. The body time to report to the General Assembly of 1924. It will recommend changes it thinks necessary, and legislation embodying these reforms will be

#### Sovernor Addresses Teachers and Parents.

Governor Ritchie, speaking before the meeting of the Maryland Branch, National Congress of Mother and Parent-Teacher Associations, at the Hotel Emerson, said that the real object of government is to have an agency to ook out for the human interests of boys and girls, women and men. The Governor told of the State's interest in all organizations helping in the education of children, and mentioned in a general way the measures being taken in Maryland to provide adequate facilities for education. Preceding Governor Ritchie was Mrs. A. H. Reeves, of Philadelphia, editor of Child Welfare. Mrs. Reeves said that teachers alone cannot educate children, but that the greatest part of the burden falls on the parents.

Daily Thought. The man who can't sad anything to do generally hunts with great caution,

# STATE NEWS

Over the State

THINGS SEEN AND HEARD

State for donations to the American Legion, it was reported by Arthur Renous, commander of the Depart ment of Maryland. "We have no solicitors," Mr. Renous said, "and we wish the public to know that any one asking contributions to the Legion is an imposter."

Baltimore.-Annouacement that the old tobacco crops of 1920 and 1921 had fire after dark? Once I slept alon been disposed of in Germany, France and Holland, and that present conditions with regard to the brainess are most encouraging, was made at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Maryland Tobacco Growers' Association at the headquarters, Conway and Light streets. Some dissatisfaction with the management or the association was manifested in 1920 and last year for the failure to take advantage of the market of two years ago and sell the crop of that year at a higher price than could reasonably be expected at a subsequent time.

Towson.-Stockholders of Timoniam Fair, conducted by the Maryland State Fair and Agricultural Society of Baltimore county, decided to erect a new grandstand, to cost \$30,000. as one of the improvements to be made to the grounds at Timonium next year. This action was taken at the annual meetng of the stockholders held at Tow-The following managers were elected: Clinton L. Riggs, Granville H. Hibberd, John M. Dennis, J. Mays Little, Charles E. McLane, R. J. Walden, Stirling A. Mays, Frank J. Hoen, Miss K. E. Braithwaite, C. I. Reynolds, M. L. Daiger and William P. Riggs The managers will organize January

Baltimore. - Governor Ritchie Its tened to a proposition from represen tatives of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Ferry Line, Inc., and the Pen insula Ferry Company concerning a proposed merger of the two corporations. The object of the merger is to save the State appropriation of \$33,000 Company The matter will be sub-mitted to the Public Service Commission and the Attorney General. The Penintula Ferry Company some months ago coased to operate its boats which ran between Baltimere and Queenstown. The company has sustained heavy losses from operation. It is now proposed to turn its property over to the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Ferry Line, Inc., which operate boats between Bay Shore and Rock Hall, and extend the service from Rock Hall to Queenstown. The sub sidy paid to the boat lines is taken out of State roads maintenance fund.

Baltimore.-Maryland growers took 22 prizes, with a total money value of \$220, at the International Grain and Hay Show at Chicago last week, officials of the University of Maryland announced on their return from the exhibit. This is regarded as an unprecedented achievement for a State of Maryland's size, and particularly in view of noted corn-producing States which compete with Maryland in the district. Maryland was second in the number of prizes won. Following is the list of prize winners: G. D. Radenbaugh; Bynum, Harford county; Gardon, Forest Hill; Walter Tucker, Forest Hill; A. D. Short, Elkton; Frank Radenbaugh, Bynum; G. P. Radenbaugh, Bynum; S. J. Gaibreath, Street Harford county; James Galbreath, Street; J. A. Hartenstein, Principlo Furnace; E. B. Milbourn, Eikton; Joseph Hornberger, Elkton; W. R. Harvey, Corbett; Charles Gibson, Principio Furnace; John Lippincott, Calora; Roy Thomas, Darlington; Wilson Heaps, Plyesville; Edwin Caudill, Forest Hill; Mrs. G. B. Rigdon, Forest

Baltimore.-Three youths, who es caped from the Maryland School for is expected to conclude its work in Boys and set out on a career of highway piracy, were in a Richmond (Va.) jail Saturday, according to word re ceived by Capt. Charles Carey at police headquarters from Sheriff Syprepared for the consideration of the duor, of Henrico county. Virginia. The police allege that the trio stole two automobiles and robbed stores at Maryland and Virginia during their drive southward. Their names were any hardware store, is spread over the given as Otto Childress, 18 years old; Ernest Ritter, 19, and Chandler Darpelle, 19. Captain Carey said the three took a speedy roadster belonging to Charles H. Evers, who lives in Hazelwood avenue, Baltimore county, becember 5 and set out for the South. They drove 200 miles to Scottville, Va., were their car was wrecked in a ditch. There, according to Sheriff Syduor, they pre-empted another motor car and piled booty taken from wayside stores into it. A description of the car was broadcasted and they were arrested in Richmond. Merchandise valued at several hundreds of dollars was recovered, Sheriff Syduor said. They will be tried in Virginia for the theft of the second car, it was

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# Do Men Have Instinctive Fear of the Darkness?

And while I am on the question of nfluences, I would like to add my testimony concerning that enigmatic sensation, the fear of the dark. Why is t, do you suppose, that two grown men, who have deliberately fied the great white ways because of the joys of the great unlighted—why should they prefer to stick around the campin the woods for two months and at the end of that time I was no more broken from the faint distrust of something beyond the Brelight than at the beginning. It was the salest place in the world, my Adirondack camp. There were no dangerous animals, no dangerous Insects, ad snokes, no tramps. I took supper regularly with friends on the other side of the lake paddled over alone under glatious heavens, and suffered no feel nerves. But my tent was 50 feet back from the water's edge, and those 50 feet through darkness up the familiar path verged on the unpleasant. I should have left r lantern on the land-ing to light me home, but that seemed I had lighted the lantern in my tent-

There was always relief very slight relief, but actual. I haver thought about being alone after the light was burning or minded waking up at night. I would like to know whether forest rangers, Yellowstone guards, nightwatchmen and all the citizens whose legal business is conducted after dark, have this same faint distrust of it, that is many degrees less than fright, yet a shade different from daylight case. All our cave-men ancestors could not have terror at the approach of twilight. Yet mything short of that could scarcely have survived as instinct when so

DATES FROM ANCIENT TIMES

many other instincts have fallen by the

way.-From T. Morris Longstreth's "The Adirondacks."

from old English times, when the males and females of a family were described as of the "spear side," or "spindle side," from the different oc cupations of the sexes. While the men worked or fought, the women stopped at home spinning

In those days every woman, whether single or married, was a spinster, because in the literal meaning of the word, her chief work was spinning

while the men fought or hunted. Gradually the word spinster came to mean more especially the unmar ried daughters, possibly because it was understood that they were spinning for themselves, and the future "bottom drawer," whereas the word wife meant literally one who had been weaver, and therefore was not now. Later spinster stood exclusively for the unmarried, and in 1617 it became the legal term for such.

There was never a time when swim ming was so widely recommended as today-not only as an amusement, but

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Why Eddies Whirl Counter-Clockwise. A correspondent writes to the Scientific American asking if it is true that all whirlwinds, tornadoes, cyclones, typhoons (movements of air), maelstroms, water leaving a washbowl or bathtub ents of water), unless artificially interfered with, revolve counter-clockwise. If so, what causes this? The answer is: "The rotary motions which you describe are caused by the earth's rotation on its axis. They are counter-clockwise in the northern and clockwise in the southern hem!

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There is no doubt that formerly officers were too lax in the enforcement of the law. To remedy this, it was decided to give them a percentage of the fines, instead of a regular salary, which no doubt accounts for their extreme alertus a But they should certainly confine their arrests to real violations

Many have been brought before magistrates for minor offenses, and a large number excessively fire but autoists who use the very dazzling lights, which cause many collisions or other accidents by blinding those who meet them, seem to be seldom or never troubled.

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two cupfuls of tomato, one cup chopped (canned).

slice of onlon two tablespoonfuls of butter and two eggs. Mix tomatoes, cheese, pepper and onlon. Melt butter and add this mixture. Stir until heated and the cheese is melted. When het add the well-heaten eggs slowly and cook until creamy, stirring constantly. Serve hot on toast or waters.

Tomato Jelly Salad,-Take one en velope of gelatin and soften in one-bulf cupful of cold water. Stew a can of tomatoes with one-half an onion. one-balf a bay leaf, two cloves, one fourth of a teaspoonful of cayenne one tenspoonful of salt, one tenspoonful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of vinegar; after cooking five minutes strain, reheat and add the softened gelatin, stirring until dissolved. Turn into a large mold and chill. Removfrom the mold to a bed of lettuce and garnish with dressing,

Mt. Vernon Salad, -- To the tomate jelly above, add one cupful of choppes celery, one cupful of chopped apple and one cupful of coarsely broken nutmeats. Mold in small cups and turn out on lettuce. Serve with a highlysensoned mayonnaise which may be colored red.

Heart Sandwiches,-Bake a white cake in a sheet, cut in heart-shaped pleces, split and put together with a slice of brick ice cream. Cover with a thick whilpped cream or a marshmal low; whip with raspberries or jelly as a garnish.

Sponge Dainty.-Make a sponge cake or plain white cake mixture and bake in two round layer cake pans. Prepare butter, leing and spread be-tween the layers and on the outside of the cake. Press the remainder of the icing through a pastry tube, in any design. Score the cake in pieces for serving.

Neceie Maxwell

Stray Bit of Wisdom. Patience is the support of weakness; impatience is the ruin of strength .-

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#### Horticultural Points

DISEASE INJURES RASPBERRY

Atlacks Canes of Plant Primarily, but May Also Spread to Leaves-Caused by Fungus.

Anthracnose is one of the most se rious diseases attacking raspberries. It also affects blackberries, but the injury it does to these plants is not nearly so severe. While the disease injures the canes of the plants primarlly, it may also attack the leaves, the leaf-stems, the fruits and the fruit stems. The diseased parts of the plants may be killed outright, or, if they are not killed, the fruit may be nent members of the three great faiths, prevented from forming, or if it does form, it may be rendered unfit for con-

Anthracnose is caused by a fungus which lives for the most part as a mycellum or root-like body inside of the host. Here it feeds at the ex-pense of the plant tissue, with the Dr. William Potent, president, Wake consequence that this part of the plant dies. The disease makes its appearance on the lower parts of the John F. White, director of education, new canes of the rapperry plants, but boy scout extension, National Catho spicuous symptom of the disease consists of small, purplish spots on the canes, but as these become older, they increase in size and their centers become grayish white. As time goes on, neighboring spots may enlarge until they conlesce. Should such areas encircle a cane, girdling results. Frequently, badly diseased stems become rough, scabby, and even cracked. Such canes cannot function normally and they either die or continue to survive in a weakened condition. If they produce fruit, the berries ripen prematurely and they are small and dry The leaves, leaf stems and fruit stems are also affected by this fungus, the discase making its appearance here in the form of the characteristic spots

described above. The life cycle of the organism caus ng anthracnose is not yet completely



known, but it is generally agreed that the winder is passed in the disease canes and that the disease is spread

WAY TO GROW FANCY GRAPES

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Fungous Diseases. es to to tie on the bunches in aper bags. The bags protect the Moreover, the bags afof bleds, insects and even fun us diseases, according to the Ne

braska Agricultural college, Because of the warmth afforded by he bags the bagged grapes ripen r little carlier and are better flavored tion the unbagged grapes. Bagged grapes do not reem to become overripe as quickly as do the unbagged rapes. This is an advantage in that son during which fresh grapes be used is prolonged about ten ays. The late varieties, like the Conord, may be allowed to remain on vines until after the first light

For bagging grapes the one and one alf and two-pound manila bags used by grocers are very satisfactory,

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onservator of nations.

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ENDORSE THE MOVEMENT One of the finest tributes paid to the cout movement at the national con ference of scout executives recently held in Blue Ridge, N. C., was contained in the addresses of three promiwhen they gave their support and strong endorsement to this great movement dedicated to the characterbuilding and citizenship training of boys, regardless of birth, nationality or creed. These addresses were de-Forest college, North Carolina, speaking for the Protestant religion; Rev. lic Welfare council, for the Catholics, and Rabbi W. H. Tenas reiber of Memphis, Tenn., for the Jewish.

Doctor Potent sail in part : "Each generation starts life afresh, nd presents so much plastic material for the home, the rchool, the church, and the manifold play of circumstances, to mold to noble or ignoble Save the children-save the

"Save the boys from Idleness, if you could save the world from anarchy. ndividualism runs rapidly to seed in evolt, impatient , restraint. Society s possible only on condition of its suremacy. -Limitations upon personal liberty imposed by the social group for the common good mark social prog-

"Save the boys from the fascination f the military career, if you would ave the world from war. Scouts are not soldlers in training, even if they dowear thiform and drill. Turn the fighting instinct against the enemies of human life. Substitute a moral equivalent.

"Save the boys from excess, if you would save the world from incompetence and wreck. "Save the boys from irreligion, it

you would save the world from barbarism. Religion is the sovereign human interest. It is the mother and

"Happily the boy scout movement is mitted to the fullness of life which have sketched. I congratulate you wish you Godspeed." Father White, spenking on "Scrvice and Citizenship," said:

"The happy man is the man who strives to lighten the burdens and dispel the sorrows of others. Service should mean the willingness to spend ourselves and to be spent for others. Citizenship implies more than the mere right to demand privileges and favors. Citizenship implies the positive willngness to sacrifice self when the good of our country demands such sacrifice. Not-What can I get from my coun try? but 'What can I do for my com try" must be the real slogan of al true Americans. Don't ask 'What's wrong with the government?-ask-What's wrong with me?' Answer this latter question, right the wrong, and you'll discover there's nothing wrong with the government. I can't teach boys how to serve unless I myself have served. I can't teach boys how to be good citizens, unless I myself am a good citizen.

"Love God, love your country; serve God, serve your country; and be assured of thus obtaining that peace and happiness that surpasseth all under

"Scouting has succeeded amazingly," said Rabbi Feinshreiber, in the course of his address. "All the qualities which the teachers of religion have considered fundamental to the re ligious life-reverence, faith, honesty, loyalty, cleanness, responsibility-ar being translated into concrete realities in the bay scout's life. Best of all, he learns by doing. In this, scout ing has been a great stimulus to the educational life of our country. The schools will have to pattern themselves as best they can, after wouting pedagogy.

"It has been a stimulus to our civil life, inculcating as it does, the duty of service above self. It has been a challenge to the churches, since it has successfully demonstrated that religion can be taught without narrowness, without race antogonism.

and women?" WE'LL SAY THEY DO

The Peoris (III.) Transcript, comnenting on the latest statistics on enrottment published by na-

430,000 boy scouts in the United States and 430,000 of them know just what to do when the flag goes by."

THE SCOUT WAY

A gentleman walking along a street of a certain city noticed a group of boys chattering and sauntering carelessly, as boys will. He noticed, also, at the same time an elderly woman standing by the curb, evidently trying to muster courage to venture across the street. One of the boys saw the woman, too. In an instant he had left his mates and was at the woman's side. The onlooker saw him help her across the street and semper back to his companions.

RENEW STRAWBERRY PATCH

Bar Off Old Row So as to Plow Ou Plants-Cultivate During Entire Summer.

At the end of the fruiting season of the strawberry patch it should be renewed for the following year. Renew al will consist of barring off the old row so as to plow out the old plants, thus leaving the new plants beside the old row it a new soll. Keep the strawberry patch cultivated during the er

The Best Spray. The best spray for aphids of al kinds is nicotine sulphate. A com mon form on the market is known as "Black Leaf 40." This always should be used with soap or a soap oil emul-

Trees Require Trimming. Fruit trees and shade trees require about the same core in trimming and the finer limbs and water spreuts from the inside should be removed. This opens up the inside of the tree, thus giving free necess of sor and air

Repartee Extraordinary. "They were two brilliant minds."
"That so? What was said?" "One called the other a liar,"

"And the other retorted, 'You're another!" - lervolt Free Preca.

To the Ant, Thou Weather Shark. Ants are credited with an instinct tive knowledge of the general weather for a whole season. When they are observed in the summer enlarging and strengthening their dwellings, I is said to be a sign of an early and

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When you request the discontinuance of telephone service, there is necessary a similar series of detailed changes and operations. In addition, some of the wiring must be abandoned and the labor of putting in and taking out the telephone is a loss. Our records and plant facilities must be again rearranged so as to leave your telephone out of the general telephone system.

These "ins" and "outs" of the telephone business-which we call "station movement"cost in the aggregate a large sum of money, representing a substantial part of our expenses.

One way of meeting this cost is to make our regular monthly rates for service high enough to cover these expenses, thus placing it upon all subscribers. This would be unfair to those subscribers who require no "station movement" over a long period of time. They would contribute toward the costs incurred by those who require service for only short periods or who demand that their equipment be moved frequently from place to place. This, we believe, is not a fair basis of charging for this

The other way of meeting these costs is to place them wholly or partly upon the particular subscribers for whom this work is done, by means of a "Service Connection Charge." This is the method we follow. It is the generally accepted method and is considered fair and reasonable to all concerned.

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No Object of Sympathy. "Are you receiving many visits from politicians?"

"No," sald Mr. Cobbles, "Tve painted the old home place, built a new barn and bought a big motorcar that stands out in front most of the time when daughter's not using it. I guess the candidates think I look too prosperous to put in half a day hearing them tell me I'm a downtrodden tiller of the soil,"-Birmingham Age-

> Largely Guesswork. do you react to flapper

"I'm all at sea," replied Mr. Grumpson. "When a young woman of this sort makes a remark to me I don't understand what she's talking about and I don't know whether to reply. 'Absolutely' or 'The very idea!' "-Dieminehum Ave-Herald.

The Largest Web. The largest web that the writer ever heard of was not a spider's web, but was built by a butterfly larva, or rather by several of them. A lady in Australia placed some of these little insects in a room on her veranda. Coming into the apartment some time after, she was surprised to find the walls completely covered by a beautiful web, attached at the corners by coarse threads, so that it hung like a

Some Age-Old Superstitions. Many people would rather "dle" than decorate any part of the house with peacocks' feathers, and to open an umbrella in the house is equally unlucky. Spilling salt is a real disaster, and the only way to get rid of the inevitable result is to fling a pinch "to the fairles" over the left shoulder.

Social Success. Someone has said "Social success is the infinite capacity for being bored." That may be a rather crude way to put it, but there is more than a little truth in the statement. Most people like to talk about themselves, and good listeners are scarce.

Pearl Thimbles, Ladies of high class in China use the daintlest thimbles imagicable, some of them being carved out of enormous pearls, and ornamented with bands of fine gold, on which all man-

ner of quaint and fantastic designs

are engraved. Indirect Sight. His Wife-"It's a shame that big, fat woman had to take the seat directly in front of you. You're miss-ing the whole show." Mr. Littleton-"No, not all of it. She's reading all the titles aloud."-Buffalo Express.

Lapse of the Tonque.

Mild sensation was caused in a drawing room when a woman was heard to appeal dramatically to her hostess on the subject of some per son under discussion. "My dear, how could you possibly expect anything else of him? Can the leper change his spots?" With some presence of mind the hostess murmured that she supposed he could not.

Counterfeiting Precious Stones. A reconstructed sapphire is an imitation of that stone. When rubles are

so counterfeited they tell the tale of the deceir by showing bubbles and possibly the same indication is displayed by the sham sapphire. It is probably the same as, or similar to, a doublet, which is made by two clear pieces of crystal with a color between "Dutch Concert."

A Dutch concert is a social entertainment in which every man sings his song at the same time that his neighbor is singing his, or in which each person present sings in turn one verse of any song he pleases, some well-known chorus being used as a burden after each verse.

Charcoai Eph's Daily Thought. "No man ain't got a mortgage on heaven," said Charcoal Eph, rumicatively, "an' fur's dat go, dey ain' no man sure a brick ain' gwine fall on he hald right hyar on Broad street. Eat a prune, Mistah Jackson."-Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Invisible Writing. Writing done with a mixed solution of chloride of cobalt and chloride of nickel gives a bright green on heating, the shade varying according to the relative proportions of the two salts used. The writing fades away

Discreet Preference. "Would you rather be photographed than interviewed?" "Yes," replied Senator Sorghum. "What you look like may not help you much, but there's no chance of its being as embarrassing as what you happen to say."

Ermine "Royal Fur." The beauty of ermine caused it to be worn by royalty and it was made a punishable offense for any persons except those of royal birth to wear it. This restriction has long been removed, but the fur still enjoys royal favor.

Why Wood Fails to Float, Wood is heavier than water. It is the air trapped in the many cells that makes it appear lighter. When wood has been in water for some time this nir escapes, the wood is waterlogged and will not float.

At the Bar of God's Word

By REV. 11. OSTROM, D. D. n Department, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT-The Word of God is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. -Heb. 4-12.

If men who spend so much time judging the Bible would remember that the Bible is a judge of them the result would be good. For, the word in our text translated "a discerner," is in many judge."

instances translated "a Indeed, the selection represents a court God's Word Is judge and the ghts and intents of the hearts of are the apprehended prisoners on trial. As for the prisoners, they are very significant ones. The name of one is Thought, and his given name Heart,

ally) Outbollings; his given name is Heart, too. There they stand, Heart Thoughts and Heart Outbollings on trial. And there is the Judge, the Word of God. To say that these two live behind closed doors or to pronounce them hermits is to speak too mildly. Doors? They comainly live within the within Looks, gestures, galts, words, these are all further out than they. These are exposed to view. But Heart Thoughts

and Heart Outbollings, who can see

them? We know what results from

them when it all appears in the life

one lives, but to see back and in we

and the name of the second is (liter-

It is there that God sees, hence His Word searches like a sharp sword there. What folly to try to persuade ourselves that because men smile on us we must therefore be happy. And what elaborate folly for us to think that because men cannot see our secret sins therefore we may cover them with our thousands of devisings!

The Bible Truth not only declares at face value," the Bible answers that there is no face value established until the deed has been measured by the motive. The Bible stands us in the courtroom and judges that motive. Men's acclaims melt away in the air and men's slaps on the back fall into palsy while this continues in full strength and vigor. "Why!" Why did you do it? Open go the doors, exposed is the secrecy and stripped is the form when the fingers of that word "why" proceed to work.

And we may rightly ask, "Why should I have to answer why concerning my doings?" The answer is reneatedly given in God's Word. Sun glory of God; for this he was created and refeemed. We cannot look about and gather to curselves some justification of our doings from nature. Neither her songs nor her sighs can justify us. We cannot surpass the efforts of those about us and then, because of that, be justified. How do we know how bard they strive? We cannot make money and give it and thereby seeking His destruction. justified. The very making of it buoyancy and thereby be justified. We intend? Had you "set the Lord always before your face?" Had He, so

place of Judge through His Word? Men may paint the old car and make it look newer; they may groom the old horse and make him took younger; but the Bible is "yea yea" and "nay nay." Even the reason for one's acts must be up to face value there. This can be white men condemn you or this can be if men praise you, but if this is wanting God cannot approve of you. It was heart-hardness that made it impossible for those men who had seen the multitude fed to escape confusion when they saw Jesus master the stormy waves. The "single eye," the clean-cut determination not to try to "serve two masters," the witness straight from the shoulder that "there is none other name given among men wherely we can be saved," and the "pure heart"-such, and such only, consist with right thinking. And these thrive when the outboilings of the heart accord with God's Word, blood, but to deal effectually with the very springing of its waters.

The Truth in Man.

The ultimate truth in man is not in his intellect, or in his possessions; it is who keep its precious truths from in his illumination of mind, in his radiation of sympathy, in his recognition of this world, not merely as a store-house of power, but as a habitation of man's spirit, with its eternal music of beauty and inner light of the Divine Presence Tagore.

Christianity and Business. The average man and woman is tired of the heroic, and sighs for the possible. Full well I know that Christinnity adapted to business today would revolutionize the world and leave no social sores to appail us .-Chellenge.

Hint to Housewives, Preserves and canned goods should always be shielded from the light. An old window shade will answer. should be hung exactly as it would be at the window, and when drawn will effectively darken the shelf.

Rest the Eyes. It is well to give some definite attention to the eyes. Rest them occasionally from the light, if only by placing the fingertips gently over the balls of the eyes and completely relaxing for a few minutes.

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**LESSON FOR DECEMBER 17** JESUS AMONG FRIENDS AND FOES

LESSON TEXT-Luke 10:88-27; 11:14-54.
GOLDEN CEXT-Ye 2:-2 my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.—John 15:14. REFERENCE MATERIAL-Luke 2:34, PP MARY TOPIC—Jesus in the Home of Fr sads.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Among Friends

And Foes.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC
-Friends and Enemies of Jesus.
YOUNG FEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
-Common Methods of Desling With Peo-

1. Jesus in the Home of Friends (Luke 10:38-42).

There is no place where true character is so clearly revealed as at home. 1. His Reception (v. 38), Martha was the head of the home, therefore she received him. It would be a fing thing if all homes were open to re-

2. Mary Sitting at Jesus' Feet (v. 30). She, of fine spiritual discern-ment, knew that sitting at the Lord's feet and hearing His Word was that which would please him most.

S. Martha Cumbered About Müch Serving (v. 40). Both slaters loved the Lord. It would be impossible to say which loved the more; but Martha was bent on providing a fine ment for Him. She was trying to do so many things that she was on the verge of distraction. This had so completely got on her nerves that she found fault with Jesus for permitt'ng Mary to leave the kitchen to listen to His teaching. Not only did she criticize her sister and Jesus, but she assumed the authority to command Him to send Mary back to the kitchen to help.

4. Jesus' Answer (vv. 41, 42. (1) Rebuked Martha (v. 41). He did this that all is seen and known by Him tenderly, for He knew that she loved who gave it, but the Bible will ask us Him sincerely. (2) Defends Mary concerning our doings—"why?" It will (v. 42). He declared that but one say, "What was in your thought and thing was needful, and that Mary had heart?" If we say, "Let the deed pass chosen that good part which could not be taken away from her.

II. Jesus Among Foes (11:14-23; 20-

32; 37-54). 1. Charged With Being in League With the Devil (vv. 14-23). Being un-willing to receive Him as the Son of God, and yet unable to account for His mighty works, they declared He was casting out demons through Beel-zebub, the chief of demons. Jesus exposed the fallacy of their reasoning by showing that in that case Satan would be arrayed against himself, and therefore would destroy his own king-

2. Refused to Believe His Miracles to which He reviled hat they would the feath heaven in His death and resurrective. He reminded theu, sowever, that their request showed unbeilef surpassing that of the heather queen of the South, and the wicked people of Nineveh.

S. Wickedness Denoutreed (vv. 37-54). He pronounced six woes upon those who were opposing Him and

(1) The Pharisees (vv. 37-41). These and the result of the giving is too ob- He denounced for (a) punctilscure for us to trace it. We cannot as- lously observing some minute rites and semble our records for cheer and at the same time breaking the Ten Commandments. They carefully tithed know that there is a mirth of madness. the small herbs of the garden while "Why?" says the Word. What did you practicing injustice to their fellowmen and withholding love from God. He pointed out to them the folly of often crowded out, been accorded the attending to these external acts while the heart was filled with wickedness, (b) Desiring public recognition (v. 43). This is a common sin today. (c) For feigning humility (v. 44). He compares their hypocrisy to graves which are on a level with the ground and may be stepped upon unconscious ly by someone, and thus defiled. We can avoid those who make their vanity known by boasting, but some are

filled with this same wickedness who

do not thus make it known. (2) The Lawyers (vv. 45-54). Jesus' strictures on the hypocritical Pharisees aroused the lawyers, one of whom indignantly declared: "You are insulting us also," In replying to this Christ pronounced three woes upon them; (a) for placing burdensome re quirements upon the people to which they themselves would not sumbit (v. 46). (b) For the murder of God's prophets (vv. 47-51). He showed that their attitude toward Him was Jesus Christ came not only to make the same that was shown to the the fountain clean with His cleansing prophets by their fathers. (c) For keeping back the knowledge of God by false interpretation of the Scriptures (vv. 52-54). There is no wickedness perhaps so great as that of supposed teachers of God's Word the people by perverting its meaning,

> But seek ye first his kingdom, and Matthew 6:33.

> Ye have plowed wickedness, ye have reaped iniquity; ye have eaten the fruit of lies .- Hosen 10:13.

Final Permanence. Character attains final permanence, and final permanence can come but once.-Joseph Cook.

Mayas Led the World. 'Maya Indians, whose civilization flourished in what is now Guatemala, made use of the zero in their numerical calculations 500 years before the Hindus and 1,000 years before Euro-

Time Not a Thief. Time is cried out upon as a great thlef—it is people's own fault. Use him well, and you will get from his hand more than he will ever take from yours.-Exchange.

Working With God.

A story is told of a young girl eaving college filled with enthusi- insures Property Against Fire and Lightning. 19m over the parting advice of her and write over the doors of life, sight of the purpose or being turned aside by lesser things, forgetting W. L. Holloway, agt.,
Berlin, Md. the things behind and pressing

toward the mark. Her dream was to be a missionary or a settlement worker when the younger members of the family should be educated. She longed to do something great, to concentrate her efforts, and make her life count. So far she had been scattering her energies-teaching a Sunday School class, visiting the Old Ladies' Home and reading to the

A month later, when her mother returned from a much-needed holiday, made possible by this daughter's giving up her cherished plans and staying at home to look after the family, she said, "I hadn't really got hold of the 'one thing I do.' I know now that it means 'to press toward the mark,' and you can do that in a great many ways, and sometimes the things that seem to hinder are belping you on. I saw it all one morning when our minister said that Paul was pressing toward the mark as much when he was making tents and helping Onesimus out of trouble as he was when preaching or writing epistles. He was pressing on and taking others with him."

"And you, dear heart," said her mother, "when you were caring for the home and helping your brother and alding in keeping his motherless chum from evil influences, you were indeed doing the same,"-E. D. Hooey, in Young People.

#### Perfumed, Peppered, and Poisoned Bibles.

Not only must Bibles be attractively bound and well printed, but some of their must be perfumed, peppered, and poisoned, as well, Bibles going to the dilbert Islands contain in the binding gine and the paste which lastens the cover # pepper, and corresty aublimate. It seems that the www.worms of the Gilbert Islands are more pious than in other places, and have a particular pleasure in devouring the bindings of Bibles, so that this appetizing and fatal menu awaits their attacks upon the Heriptures.

Twelve puncted such bibles hav been sent recently by the American Bible Society on their fifieen thousand-mile journey to Ocean Island, by way of Sydney, Australia.

Rev. Dr. Hiram Bingham, the famous missionary translator, gave his life to the preparation of the Bible in the Gilbertese language.

The Bibles are printed and bound by the American Bible Society in New York, and a consignment is shipped every few years to the Gilbert Islands .- Young People.

A soul may begin to serve Christ for what it gets-peace, salvation, joy, strength. But if it keeps on serving Christ, the time will come when it will desire to give and to praise. This is inevitable, for the spirit of Christ is the spirit of unselfish, generous love.—Selected.

"When evil thoughts have been welcomed into the mind, there is no filter that can strain them cut. The poison remains, recret and subtle."

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without 4 o'clock came his grade rose und taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads othhis righteousness; and nil these ers to take their chances instead of things shall be added unto you giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every school. You can imagine that put a cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to Chicago Journal. withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious dis eases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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Budding Romance Nipped. I was eight and he was ten. We

attended the same school and our two grades were in the same room. When marched out of the room first. When he reached the door he would turn toward me slightly and I would wink as him. One evening the teacher exught me winking, and kept me after quick stop to that budding romance,-

Omar Khayyam.

Omar Khayyam was a Persian poet, astronomer and mathematician, born at Nishapur, in Khorasan. His scientific works, which were of high value in their day, have been eclipsed by his "Rubalyat," a collection of about 500 epigrams in praise of wine, love and pleasure, and at the same time depressingly pessimistic. He died in Nishapur in 1123.

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There is a time in every man's education when he arrives of the conviction when he arrives of the conviction that curv is ignorance.—Emerson.

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Richmond Times Dispatch. One on the Jury.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said the prosecuting attorney, "this prisoner is an unmitigated scoundrel; he acknowledges it. And yet, thanks to the wis-



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#### The Curtises' Grandmother

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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Mary Curtis gathered her children about her one morning and broke the news to them that their Grandmother Johnson had given up her home and was coming to live with them.

"And," she concluded, "I expect you to make the sacrifices cheerfully which this will entail. You must re member that your grandmother is well along in years, that a perpetual racket cannot help but annoy her at times and that she deserves the consideration due old age."

With such warnings ringing in their ears the Curtis youngsters, from sev enteen-year-old Wayne down to sixear-old Janet, were decidedly on their best behavior the first few days after their grandmother's arrival. Although she was their mother's own mother her-long residence in the West had meant that for years she had not seen them nor they her, and it must be admitted she did not turn out to be the feeble, white-haired old lady of their expectations.

Even her own daughter thought inwardly that her mother seemed no older than she had ten years ago, and the vision of a gentle, cooky-making. lace-capped grandmother for the children dimmed. Grandma Johnson didn't conform to type.

"She's certainly the spryest grand-mother I ever saw," Mary's husband remarked one morning when she had been with them for a month, as he watched her tripping down the street to the Home for Aged Couples, where she already knew every one, from head gardener to grocery boy.

Mary shook her head. "If I'd heard of any of the old ladies passing on I should be worrying for fear she was making eyes at the widower," she said.

"You don't suppose old Caleb--"
"Old Caleb! John, are you out of your mind?"

"Well," said John stiffly, "she may be your mother, but she certainly spends considerable of her time gossiping over the feace with the old man, and if you cast your weather



"I've Been and Got Married." his garden near our fence is the only part that's been weeded for a

But his wife turned away indig nantly. She was truly fond of her mother, and had expected gladly to give up a valued room for her comfort and, in short, do everything to make her happy. Yet she was turning out to be as much a problem as one of the children. For example, take her daily holmobbing with old Caleb.

Ever since the Curtises bought their home their eccentric neighbor had been a thorn in their flesh. Not one of Wayne's carelessly flung balls had ever landed anywhere but among his choicest plants and done, according to Caleb, untold and irreparable damage. Old Caleb's hens, shut from his own preserves, had balked all Mary's efforts to make flower beds and all John's efforts to render fences impassable. Moreover, old Caleb had once been a sea captain and his sollioquies when things went wrong were such eye that way you'll observe that part | that Mary was forced to gather her

And, from the start, that same old Caleb and Grandom Johnson had been what Wayne called "real chummy."

One more illustration of the unforeseen disturbances the advent of her mother brought into the home. The youngsters were, to be frank, "jazz crazy," particularly Wayne and sixteen-year-old Phyills. Their pocket money went for new records, although their father claimed it was extravagance to buy new ones. One was in distinguishable from the other, and it would be no loss mesterfly and a gain onomically to use the same one until

It were out.

Mary had haped to make an excuse of Grandma Johnson to lessen up on he phonograph. She had fancled heroff speaking gently to them of her nerves and men't for quiet and rest. But from the day she came upon Wayne swinging his grandmother eross the rugless floor and admonsning her "to two-step or pivot the urn as she pleased, but not to forget but toddling was absolutely a thing cone by and the neck hold was going," she abandoned that cherished hope as

Grandma made a great point of her 'pet philanthropy," which signified weekly visits to the home for the aged couples, bearing a basket of doughnuts and a few magazines. Mary felt that very likely she brought a real breath of cheer into the place and grew to count upon the home's visiting hours as quiet moments in the week when her mother was innocently

But there came a time when Mary felt that to ship grandma back West would bring the household a very real relief. Old Caleb had taken to run nieg over evenings and occupying the porch with grandma. This resulted in driving Phyllis and her callers indoors, which was the step prior to starting the phonograph and driving Mr. and Mrs. Curtis upstairs.

Then one day when grandma had gone to the home she falled to return for supper. Mary was a triffe alarmed, but it had happened once before and the matron had invited her to stay to tea and John promised to run over immediately after the meal if she had not appeared.

It did not prove necessary. as dessert was being served the front door opened and grandma entered, finttered over to the table and sank into her chair. She had the air of one who had not come to stay, but had paused in passing.

asked Mary brightly. "All of us were worried to pieces."

"Well," said Grandma, slowly, "I've been-and got married."

"Married !" "Not old Caleb?"

Grandma snorted. "That old fossil! Why, he's decrepit, he is! Well, I've been to the parsonage and that nice old Reverend Samuels married me-" "Married you-why, he's got one

This time it was John who won grandma's scornful look. "I'm married to Joe Whipple, su-

perintendent of the home for aged cripples, and I'm to have a whole suit, and-"

"Joe Whipple!" Mary could not re-frain from interrupting, "But, mother, he's so much younger!" "Seven years eight months and twenty-three days," came back Grand-na Johnson's prompt reply, "but that's fifteen years older'n I feel, so I figure

#### SMALLEST OF LARGE TRIBE

we're about even!"

Mouse Deer Tells All About Himself, Principally for the Benefit of the Smaller Readers.

I am a little gouse deer. I am the like a fairy deer from fairyland, But I am no fairy. I'm as real as you. My wife and children and aunts and uncles and cousins and I all live in India and in some of the Islands near-We like warm countries and

thick jungles where we can bide, The natives of India call us kanchil, which means "little." We're little, but oh my! Little fellows need to be extra smart to make up for not being big and strong. My little brown legs are no thicker around than a lead pen-cil, but you ought to see them run! If anything chases me too closely, why, I just lie down and pretend I'm

dead and fool 'em proper.

My own grandfather never grew to be any bigger than an 18-inch-long rabbit, and my wife's last pair of twins (we're usually born in twos) were about the size of a rat.

I have no antiers on my forehead to fight with, like my hig, glant deer cousins in the 200. But my long, sharp front tooth is just as good for defending myself. Deer me! I haven't told you the color of my suit-brown, with a white chin, a white tummy and dark brown legs .- Delineator.

Honesty.

It is not given to all to have genius -it is given to all to have honesty of purpose; an ordinary writer may have this in common with the greatest-that he may compose his work with sincere and distinct views of promoting truth and administering to knowledge. I claim this intention fearlessly for myself. . . . And if, contrary to my most solemn wishes, and my most thoughtful designs, any one of my writings can be shown, by dispassionate argument to convey les-

by stamping on it my own condemnation, and omitting it from the list of those it coes not shame me to acknowledge .- Bulwer Lytton.

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#### The Old Maids' Wishes

By MYRA C. LANE ទីពេលពេលពេលពេលពេលពេលពេលពេលពេលគេទី

Old Mr. Richmond had been very considerate, the three maiden ladies agreed, as they went along the road to He was not going to turn

them out of their home, though he had bought it, and the rent he was charging them was almost a nominal one. It was hard that they should have had to sell the old homestead, but it would pass into other hands after their death, and they needed a little

ready money, owing to the slump in Miss Alice's investments. Miss Alice was nearly staty; Miss Jill was fifty-two; Miss Delia, the baby of the family, was-well, younger.

Miss Della had always been the baby. Miss Alice and Miss Jill had always known that they were cut out for old malds, but they had hoped to find a Lusband for Miss Delia. Even now, at-well, at her age, she had a sort of girlish look; she was just the kind to make a splendid wife, and at one time Mr. Richmond had seemed quite taken with her. But that was years ago, and there had been some little disagreement-nobody knew what-and he had stopped calling, though he and Miss Delia had always remained friends.

Mr. Richmond was not really old. He was in his early fifties, perhaps. It was a pity. But all that was dead and gone, and here were the three maiden ladies walking to church in the bright

"Perhaps we might have ordered things better, Alice," said Miss Jill. Have you been reading that book of mine about being able to control life by just sitting down and wishing?" "Wishing? What a funny idea!" ex-claimed Miss Alice. "Besides, how do

you know you'd wish for what was best for you?"
"What would you wish for?" asked
Miss Jill. "Oh, I forgot; it spoils it if you say what your wish is. But I know what I'd wish for."

"I know what I'd wish for," said Miss Alice, "What would you wish for, "I think I know what I'd wish for,"

said Miss Della, blushing.

ottage?" be laughed. "I'm sure there isn't," said Miss Al-

"Yes, in feed!" echoed Miss Jill. They fell back, to allow Mr. Richmond to walk with Delia, a pretty little maneuver. The two elder fadies had always given place to the sister whom they idolized. They saw the two walking along the road together.

"Is It too late?" asked Miss Jill. "I'm afraid so," Miss Alice answered. "That was ten years ago. and they've been such good friends ever since. Too good, my dear." They did not rejoin Mr. Richmond and their sister until they reached the

her with us?" asked Miss Alice. He glanced at Miss Della, who marry each other," Mr. Richmond said tears that elderly maiden ladies re

was bandshaking. "I'm a lucky fellow," said Mr. Richmond. "As a matter of fact, just be-tween ourselves, that's why I bought the cottage. Knew I'd never get Della out of it any other way. But, of course, we shall insist on your all staying

'He whistled to his retriever, which went scampering off beside him.
"Dear Delia, I am so happy!" sighed

started. "Why, it's my wish I" she ex-

"I wished you both to have your wishes," Miss Alice answered, you wish, Della, darling?" Della was crying. "Oh, yee, yes; but

"What was it, dear?" "I wished to have-have a dog!" Della sobbed.

They walked on to the little church After the service they met old Mr. Richmond, with his dog, and he accompanied them along the road.

"Sure there's no Ill feeling about the "You've been most considerate,

"I do wish it had come off!" sighed Miss Alice.

cottage.

"No, I-I positively must be getting back," answered Mr. Richmond. "Iwas blushing like a peony. "I-your sister and I have-hum!-promised to Miss Alice and Miss Jill took Della In their arms, and there followed those serve for such occusions. Then there

with us. Come, Bob!"

"And so am I," said Miss Jill, She

"What did you wish, my flear?"
"I wished Delia to have a sweet-heart. What did you wish, Alice?"

mine was such a selfish wish," she sobbed. It was all for myself and not for you.'

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Mrs. Charles R. Law is spending some time in Baltimore and West-

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Wanted to Rent or Buy-A good farm for 1923. W. D. Rayne, Berlin, Md.

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Buy a phonograph for \$50 and spend the difference for records at Morgan Bros.

For Rent-One apartment and room 8 with board, opposite school. for the ensuing year Monday eve- but banish that dull, stupid feeling

Miss Laura Eitel, of Ocean City,

Mrs. Fletcher Porter has been ill with grippe several days this week

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William B. Easom, of Laurel, Del , spent the past week with his daughter, Mrs Noble Morgan

Lost-Overcoat placed in Ford auto by mistake; finder, please re turn to Edward Bell, Berlin, Md.

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Mrs. Ettinger returned to Berlin the first of the week, following the death of Mr. Ettinger, from cancer, the previous Monday.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an absent friend, why not give a year's

subscription to this newspaper? Charlie Gibbs, Jr., has bought of Dr. Thomas V. Hammond the house and lot on Broad St. now occupied

by John Burbage, Jr., and family. Santa Claus will be 'at Benson's 7.30 p. m , Tuesday, Mid-week Jewelry store some day soon, with

presents for all the little folks. Watch the windows for the time and day.

R. B. Adams, of Ocean City, recently purchased the George Scott place, in the northern part of Berlin, and, with his family, moved in this week.

All persons wishing to contribute canned fruit, preserves, jelly or veg- we would advise that you supply direction. ctables to the Methodist Hospital yourselves with wood. If later will kindly take same to the church we can secure any coal we will be Saturday.

A. P. Collins made a business the outlook at the present time glad to furnish, without charge, trip to Grand Rapids, Mich., in the is not encouraging. interest of Harrisons' Nurseries, DAVIS ICE & COAL CO., Connecticut.

The monthly business meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held next Wednesday evening with Mrs. H. G. Fassett. and if you are not paid at least up Members and friends are invited.

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Lost-On Monday, Dec. 11th, gold four-leaved-clover breastpin. Reward if returned to Mrs. Calvin

We are glad to report that Thoms Purnell, who has been in St. Jo-

Our first coowflakes that were large enough to be seen, fell early Sunday morning. Part of the time Episcopal Church, Thursday afterit melted as fa-t as it fell, and only noon at 3 o'clock, by the Rector, barely covered the ground; but the Rev. S. A. Potter, and the interment tomperature dropped sufficiently for was in the Episcopal Churchyard a small portion of it to remain more than twenty four hours.

All persons having jewelry to be mended at H. O. Cropper's will please call for same before Xmas, as am selling out everything in the jewelry store at cost, and will discontinue the jewelry business after Xmas. This will enable me to give more room and time to my optical busine s. Thanking all my friends for their patronage and hoping to save them money on their X was presents, this, my last Xmss, I am H. O. Cropper.

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#### A Correction.

We are requested to state that the marriage which was reported in last week's Advance of Edward Williams Cemetery. and Helen Baker, of Selbyville,

#### Eastern Star News.

ning, Dec. 11th, by Holly Chapter that often accompanies constipation.

No. 45, O. E. S.: Mrs. Lena B. Layton, Worthy Matron. s ent a few days this week with Mr. Alonzo Porter, Worthy Patron.
Mrs. Frank Bowen. Miss Laura Bethards, Associate Matron. Miss Elizabeth Powell, Conductress.

Mrs. Susie Farlow, Associate Conductress Mrs. Catherine Porter, Secretary. Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall, Treasurer.

After the meeting adjourned, ice cream, cakes, and coff-e were serve !. joyel. This order is growing rapidly, and has a chance to become one of the strongest of its kind on the

Buckingham Presbyterian Church J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent,

0.45 a. m. Divine Worship. 3.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topic, "The Glorious Gain of Fidelity."

30 p. m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Crossing the Jordan."

Tuesday, 7.30 p. m., Prayer service. You are cordially invited to these

#### Stevenson M. E. Church

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S Furbush, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m., Preaching by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service.

Prayer-meeting. A cordial invitation extended to all. S. N. PILCHARD, Pastor.

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#### William J. Pitts.

After a lingering illness of tuberculosis of the throat, William J. Pitts was called into eternity at 11.30 Tuesday night. He was a native of Berlin, but spent several

years of his life in Baltimore. Mr. Pitts was 71 years of age. He had for many years be a County Surveyor for Wordester County, and was active in advancing the interests of the Democratic party.

seph's Hospital, Baltimore, since He is survived by his widow and August, returned to his home on one son, William D. Pitts, of Ber-Baker St. last Friday, much better. lin, and one sister, Mrs. Louis Dil-

worth, near Golden Quarter. Funeral services were held in the

#### Charles Grunsten, Jr.

Charles, Jr., the year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten, residing near Berlin, was transplanted into the Heavenly land Sunday night. The going was an after result of measles. Three other children, two girls and a boy, still re-

main with the parents. Rev. J. Russell Verbrycke conducted funeral services Tuesday afternoon, and the little one was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

#### Emory Molnar.

Emory Molnar, a Hungarian who Dec. 8th, of cancer. He was 42 years old. His widow and several children survive him.

Funeral services were conducted in Faith Chapel, Libertytown, Sunday, at 2 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. J. Russell Verbrycke. The remains were interred in Riverside

When You Are Constipated. To insure a hegithy action of the bowels and correct disorders of the liver, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets mmediately after supper. They will not only cause a gentle movement of The following officers were elected the bowels, without unpleasant effects,

#### ORDINANCE NO. 28

of automobiles on Main Street near the Public High School, in the interest of the safety of the school children cross

ing the street. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and Council of Berlin, Maryland: SEC. 1. That on and after Monday, bile, or allow same to stand on the west side of Main Street in the town of Berlin, between the corner of Mill Street ing nine directors of said bank for the and the yard of Buckingham Presbyterian Church, between the hours of 8.30 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. on any day on which the public school shall be in session in the Berlin Public School Building bordering on said restricted area, for

more than 15 minutes continuously. SEC. 2. And that any person found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be fined, for each offense, not less than one dollar, and not more than five dol-

lars and the costs of prosecution. This ordinance was passed by unani mous votes of the Council and approved by the Mayor, duly sitting as Mayor and Council of Berlin this 12th day of December, 1922.

Edward S. Furbush, Secretary . Richard Phillips, Jr., Mayor.

# Be Careful in Gathering

This is the season of the year, when property owners, especially along the highways, should exercise the utmost vigilance in protecting their evergreens, holly, running

pine, laurel, and the like. The gathering of Christmas greens became such a serious matter, because of vandalism practiced, that the Legislature of 1918 enacted a BERLIN. special law covering the subject. This law makes it a misdemeanor, with a fine of \$25.00 or 90 days' imprisonment, or both, to remove, injure, or destroy any trees or strubs, mers that it seems to be an utter without the written consent of the owner, or except under his personal

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Oh how we prayed to the Lord to spare But our efforts were in vain; Angels came and took her from us, She's with the Saviour, free from

In our hearts your memory lingers, Sweetly, tender, fond and true; There is not a day, dear daughter,

That we do not think of you. Some may think you are forgotton; Tho' on earth you are no more: But in loving memory, you ere with us,

As you always were before. One year has passed, dear Florida, w miss you;

Friends may think the wound t healed; But they don't know the sorrow That lies within our hearts concealed. Florida is gone, but not forgotten;

Sweetest thoughts shall always linger

Naver shall her memory fade;

Around the spot where she is laid. A loving mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. Jones.

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## Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annu al meeting of the stockholders of the January 15th, 1923, it shall be unlawful Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, Maryland, will be held ing, on Monday, the 1st day January, 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

#### Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., of Berlin, Md., will be held at the Banking-House of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., Berlin, Md., on Wednesday, January 3rd, 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may

ome before the meeting. William L. Holloway, Cashier

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Income From Autos Will Drop.

Next year will be the last in which

the office of the Automobile Commis-

sloner will serve as the biggest single

revenue-producing department of the State. In 1922 this department pro-

duced about \$2,790,000 from the regis-

tration fees of automobiles. On the

basis of these figures it should collect

about \$3,000,000 in 1923, most of which

will be received prior to January 15.

After that the receipts of the office

will be nomiral in comparison with

The reason for this is the tax on

gasoline. Beginning January 1, 1924,

this tax will constitute the bulk of the

charge on automobilists for the use of

the State roads. The tax has been in

effect since June 1 last, but it has been only at the rate of 1 cent a gal-

lon and has been for the purpose of

providing for the deficit in the con-

struction funds of the State Roads

John N. Mackall, chairman of the

out the gas tax and was instrumental

pated. It has averaged \$60,000 a

month for the six months the tax has

been in operation and is expected to

average \$65,000 a month for the 13

months to January 1, 1924. If it does,

On January 1, when the two-cent tax

on gasoline goes into effect, it is ex-

pected to produce a revenue of at least

\$1,500,000 a year. Then the registra-

tion fees of automobilists will be re-

duced. The new charge is expected to be about one-third of the old registra-

tion fees, or 20 cents per horsepower.

and the District of Cclambia automat-

ically will solve all reciprocity trou-

bles that have been agitating motor-

A bill already is before Congress

providing for the adoption of the gas

tax in the District beginning with

Maryland machines and no Maryland

Smory L. Co. entz. State Director of Wellier, believes that one of the members of the Board of Welfare

should be a physician of standing. To

this end it is probable that Mr. Co-

blentz will recommend that Governor

Dr. Barker is chairman of the

of Prison Control, has reported re-

cently on conditions at the House of

It appears that Mr. Coblentz is will-

ng to allow the Governor to find a

There has been some speculation as

to whether Robert D. Case, secre-

tary of present Prison Board will be

Welfare. It seems that action to

a year, as he has an extensive knowl-

duties of his new office, even if those

duties take six days out of the seven

Sweezey Talks On Code.

Maryland's penal system and need-

ed reforms in the classification of

address by Warden Claude B.

Sweezey at the meeting of the Men's

Club of Grace and St. Peter's Church.

No study is made of convicts at the

present time, according to Warden

Sweezey, who also said that the House

of Correction, intended for "first of-

tramps, who have a bad influence on

"What is needed," he declared, "is

Fifth Regiment Adds 150 To Its

Personnel.

The Fifth Maryland Infantry has

added 150 men to its personnel since

the recruiting began in October. This

brings the personnel of the regiment

up to 1,250, which is only 150 men

A movement to recruit and organize

Company L from the young men of

Walbrook is now on. This organiza-

tion will be known as the Walbrook

Company. The Headquarters Com-

pany, recently organized, is still short 10 men.

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Adoption of the gas tax by Maryland

the maintenance deficit will be wiped

ceed \$1,000,000 again.

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#### STATE CAPITAL

Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

Elkton.-Given a hearing before Magistrate Andrew J. Jones, of Rising Sun, on the charge of killing a pheasant contrary to the State game laws, what they have been. It is not ex-Joseph Hall, of Rowlandville, was fined \$25 and costs, amounting to pected that the receipts ever will ex-

Elkton.-The School Commissioners for Cecil county have engaged Clarence R. Hope, of Baltimore, to prepare plans and specifications for the new school buildings to be erected from the \$150,000 bond issue, which was approved and authorized by the voters at the November general election.

Princess Anne.-The following officers of the Princess Anne Volunteer Fire Company were elected to serve State Roads Commission, who worked for one year from January 1: President, C. Edwin Hayman; vice-presiin securing its passage through the dent, Paul A. Walker; treasurer, Oscar Legislature, said the one-cent tax had F. Jones; secretary, Burton H. Dryworked out almost exactly as antici- den; chief, George W. Colborn, Jr.

Cumberland .- Mrs. Margaret Ann Cox, 80 years old, widow of Samuel Cox, died at her residence here. She is survived by one daughter. Mrs. Sarah Connors; three brothers, Thomas, Charles and Wesley Cox, and two sisters, Mrs. Sellah Wheeler and Mrs. Louise Boyd.

Cambridge,-Mrs. Margaret Jane Gillis, widow of William Gillis, 89 years old, died Thursday morning. Mrs. Gillis leaves three sons and three daughters, George B., Henry L., Ernest A., and Miss Lottie Gillis, Mrs. Isaac Pattison and Mrs. John Pateison, all of this county. She was a native of Wicomico county, but had lived in Dorchester for the last 50 years.

Prince Frederick.-The members the Calvert County Medical Society met in Prince Frederick Thursday and elected officers Dr. William H. 1924. When this is passed no Wash- Marsh was elected president, Dr. 1. N. ington license tag will be required for King, vice-president, and Dr. J. W. Leitch, secretary. Dr. Philip Briscoe wis elected delegate to the State Medical Association. If was decided that the society meet himonthly at the Favors Physician For Welfere Body Baltimore. Waryland Vational Guard officers will be received New Year's Eve at this Executive Mansion at Annapolis by Governor Ritchie, it was announced by the local headquar-Ritchie appoint Dr. Lewellys F. Barkters. This reception has become an

annual custom. It was said that 150

officers were present last year. The

Fifth Regiment has added 150 men to

its personnel during the recruiting

physicians' committee, which, at the request of the present State Board drive which began in October. Elkton.-In the Circuit Court for Cecil county when the cases of Harry Hall, Harry Harvey and Charles Biddle, of North East, and Robert Varsuccessor to William H. Lankford as diver and Thomas C. Hopkins, of Havre de Grace, indicted by the grand gunning laws governing the Susquehanna Flats, were called their counmade secretary to the new Board of sel entered demurrers to the indictments, which were upheld by the supersede Mr. Case may be deferred court, thus wiping the case off the docket. The State Game Department, which is pushing the cases, will, it is The Director of Welfare takes the understood, undertake to have these view that he should devote all the men indicted in the Federal Court at time necessary to discharge the Daltimore.

Baltimore .- Mrs. David M. Robinson was elected regent of the Thomas Johnson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a meeting held at the College Club, 821 North Charles street. Mrs. Howard O. Price was chosen vice-regent; Miss Kath erine D. Hull, recording secretary; Mrs. George R. Ellsler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William H. Hayward, treasurer; Mrs. George M. Scott, historian, and Mrs. Edward Passano registrar. Additions to the board of management were as follows: Mrs. William M. Powell, Mrs. Frederic Tyson, Mrs. Wallace L. Ball and Mrs. Augustus S. Duffey. Following the elections the educational work and activities of the State Board of Fores. try were explained in an illustrated lecture by F. W. Besley, State

Baltimore. - Nomination of Alan Johnstone, Jr., as director of the Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission was confirmed by the board of direct ors. Immediately afterward Mr. John stone announced that he would summon the executive committee and the consulting committee, which is com posed of the president and vice-presidents, toward the end of framing "a work program." This program, which will deal exclusively with police administration, criminal jurisprudence, institutions, probations and paroles, juvenile court systems and all other matters related to the undertaking of the commission, may be outlined. Its application will begin at about the first of the year. The director has already proposed to the board of directors the name of an associate director. Officers have not yet no funds, but, according to Mr. Johnstone, contemplates a campaign to raise \$35,000 or so through public subscription. "For myself." he said.

"I am ready to start without funds. Wedding Ring Never Pledies The ancient Greeks and Romans used betrothal rings as piedges, but

HEAT IS WASTED THROUGH use ten times as myen coal as is necessary," Charles P. Stein-nietz, research expert for the General Electric combany, said recently in a contribution to the coal number assue of the Survey

"We could save nine tenths of it, but we prob bly will not do so until forced to it by a falling coal supply, for to save would require a radical change

In building construction, "Usualty over 90 per cent of all the heat from our farances is lost. Although we must replace the foul air with fresh air, there is no reason why we should throw away with the foul should throw away with the foul air all the good and valuable heat which it contain and not supply new heat to the fresh air. If it were properly ar u.ged we would take the heat not of the foul air before we chaust it, turn it into the laconing fresh air, and so heat the incoming air by the heat of the introduction. by the heat of the outgoing warm air.

"This recovery of the heat is catied the regenerative system of heating. We could do this by passing the outgoing form air around the outside of the pipes which bring in the fresh air and

so warm the latter by the former. "By preper building construcslight, so that a very small amount of heat would curn the house; so small, indeed, that it would be economical to heat housen electrically; to own a house without a chim-ney, even though the price of electric energy must always remain many times greater than the price of coal, comidering the same amount of energy."

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Egg. Once Boiled to Hardness Will Not Soften With a Drop in Temperature

An egg contains a large proportion of albumen, intended by nature for the nourishment of the growing chick. This albumen belongs to a class of substances which have the positionity of "coagulating" or turning sole when exposed to a certain degree of heat. The action is a permandal classical of oge, and these so a significant soften with a street fure. For this result, plate, the boiled egg has

to a lesser atmospheric pressure, the water boils at a lower temperature and this temperature being under the "congulation point" makes it impos sible to "cook" an egg.

How Lime Increases Fertility. That time or calcium salts increase the fertility of animals has been strikingly shown by the German physiolo gists Emmerich and Loew, in a lecent lavestigation reported in Umschau (Berlin). They used three groups of mice in their experiments. The first jury on the charge of violating the group was given ordinary food; the second received the same with the addition of measured quantities of table salt (sodium chloride), which has also the reputation of increasing fecundity; the third group received corresponding amounts of calcium chloride instead of the sodium chloride, Within e given Jength of time the three groups bore offspring 23 times, 33 times and 43 times respectively. In spite of the great increase of the number of litters in the third case, the total number of individuals was also greater. At the end of seven months covered by the investigation, the three groups had produced respectively 115.

> 179 and 262 young. How a Fish Files. highly interesting observalous on flying fishes have been made by Dr. F. H. Hankin, in the Arabian sen. In still weather, the length of a glide was about a meter, with considerable lateral instability; in a light wind this was increased to from 200 to 400 meters. A resemblance between the wing action of souring vultures and the fin action of the fishes was marked. In both, the wing or fin is inclined upward, the outer parc at a higher level than the base, in slow-speed flights, while both show a downward inclination in flight at high speed.

Youth's Lucky Day. A corset that was used as evidence in four trials in Philadelphia was given to a boy to be burned up after a verdict had been finally reached. It had passed through the hands of numerous lawyers and police officials in their investigations, but it remained for the boy to find \$128 concealed in it.

Why Storm Sours Milk. There is something about the condition of the sir when charged with electricity during a thunder storm which affects the milk; while the moisture and warmth of the air at such a time also has some effect upon milk and cream, causing it to turn sour.

Cat's Eyes of Odd Color. A girl in Vermont is said to have a blue-eyed cat. The cat had two kittens, one of which has odd eyes. One of its eyes is blue, like its mother's. while the other is like the ordinary cat's eye.

Comes in Silence. Joy descends quietly upon us like the evening dew and does not patter down like a ballstorm. Jean Paul.

#### EXECUTIVES' CONFERENCE

The second blennial conference of scout executives held at Blue Ridge, N. C., in September, proved to be the N. C., in September, proved to be the ers of boys ever held in the world. Over 400 executives from all parts of the country, devoting their full time to the work of scouting, and a group of experts in executive management leadership, education, recreation, ou of-doors activities, camp and wood craft, Indian lore and boy psychology, met for the purpose of training and discussion. These executives are regarded as the key-pins, so to speak, of this great movement numbering 550,000 boys and men. On them rests the responsibility of maintaining stand ards and keeping the work efficien and progressive, and of bringing with in the reach of every boy he this coun try regardless of birth, creet or na tio ality the advantages of the scout movement-namely, character building and citizenship training through a pro gram of work and play in the out-of

The earliest morning hour each day of the conference was devoted to training course for new executives This was under the leadership of Lorne W. Barclay, national director of education, B. S. of A. Among th speakers were Jumes E. West, chief scout executive; A. A. Shuck, executive of Reading, Pa.; George E. Ehler, national director of records; E, B. De Groot, executive of Los Angeles; James M. Brockway, executive of Port-land, Ore., and Dr. George J. Fisher, deputy chief scout executive, and E. St. Elmo Lewis of New York, Detroit and Chicago, who delivered a powerful series on salesmanship, finances and budgets, advertising and publicity, records and accounting, the executive and the community.

Then came a good morning sing, followed by impirational talks on "Service," given by Franklin K. Mathiews, chief scout librarian; Fr d. H. H. Horne, professor of history of education and philosophy at York university; Rev. John F. White, educational director of boy scout extension, national Catholic Welfare

Each afterneon the conference black in true scout fraction to the woods of the Blue Black hale to learn from ation experts the activity in the opbalsam Loughs, learned to the a dia mond bltes, light camp fires without matches-even when daripness pre valls-that would fill an uninitiated with total dismay; Gey learned how to blaze new trails, and more than ne method of finding their way when lost in the woods.

National Scout Commissioner Dan Beard, actual ploneer of many years' experience, daily gave demonstration of camperaft and woodcraft. Commo dore W. E. Longfellow, noted swimmer and official of the American Red Cross, gave instruction in lifesaving by land and by water. New games-red-blooded boy games

that call for sportsmanlike attitude,

that develop strength and clear thinking and are filled with the joy of adventure, were demonstrated by Charles F. Smith, in charge of the Scoutmasters' Training school at Columbia university, and by Dr. E. K. Fretwell, also of Columbia, both of whom are au-thorities on the subject of recreation, Ralph Hubbard, expert plainsman, student for many years in Indian ceremonials, interpreted Indian fore and exhibited his collection of Indian regalla. Mr. James A. Wilder, artist author, boy expert and chief sea scout Boy Scouts of America, came to the conference from Hawail. L. L. Mc Donald, national director of camping shared with his colleagues the knowledge and experience he had gained from study and inspection of scout camps throughout the country; safety measures, programs for camps, camp sanitation and real cooking were features Mr. McDonald emphasizes. Prof. J. C. Elsom, director of scout courses of the University of Wisconsin, and Prof. E. Laurence Palmer, assistant professor of rural education of Cornell university, contributed special ideas on outof-door work and play. Also one of the national council officers, George D. Pratt, treasurer, who for many years has been a member of the Camp Fire Club of America, took part in the outof-door instruction.

#### THE PIONEER SCOUT

A pioneer scout is a scout who, because of distance or other reasons, cannot associate himself with a troop, and hence carries on his scouting alone, after the manner of the great early

SCOUTS TO LAY TRAIL Boy scouts of the Bronx, New York, are laying a trail which will completely encircle the Kanawauke Lake camps. and will measure 40 level miles, which will be extended from 25 to 50 per cent when all the hills and valleys are ncluded. Portions of this trail have already been marked, but many of the markers have disappeared. The trail fellows a path of remarkable scenic beanty and the scoots' work as trail layers will be a real good turn to all vho enjoy hiking.

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#### DAYAT ESTATES BROKEN UP Among British Lands Recently Places on the Market Are Those of the

If one is not too deeply steeped in commuce he may fall to feel remorse at the sale of many of the large English estates, for the greater part of their broad lands are of agricultura value. With Scotland it is rather different, for there is much that is no more than heath and rock, where there is no more than beauty and sentiment and romance, and that in every

stone and sprig. The real Highlander feels sad when he reads that the wide Cameron er tates of 117,000 acres, including the do mains of historic Lochaber and Lochiel, are in the market. They include a big sheep range and some valuable timber, but that is about all commercially, for deer, black-game and wild duck are not articles of

In the old days the great lairds maintained these wild lands and their wild retainers out of their own pockets; now they cannot afford it and lands and retainers have to go. In all the Highlands, probably there is no clan better known by name and story to the world than the mighty Camerons. The Cameron Highlanders, "The March of the Cameron Men," Lochlet's siogan and the Lochaber ax, are spoken of everywhere.

There was not a Cameron among the "Seven Men of Glenmoriston" (who were Grants, MacDonells, Macgregor, and Chisholms), but they were connected with almost every other episode of the gallant young Prince Charlie's sad and brief career. The beautiful estates now in the market were forfeited on that account, to be restored half a century later, this being the only break in the Camero possession

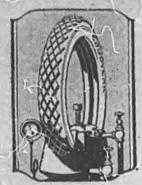
Cosmopolitan New York.

New York each year becomes mor of a foreign city. With considerably more than half o' its population foreign-born or of foreign parentage, and with fully a third of its residents Jewis, it is fast ac-quiring many habits and customs that are distinctly not American, although in all the various groups of untional ities in the metropolis a tematic efforts toward Americanization are be-

The principal society at work to this end is called "America's Making." is headed by Dr. John Houston Finley, formerly president of City college and widely known in educational At a carnival this society give at the Hotel Astor the other evening there were groups of 36 differ at nationalities, all in native dressand all of them were New Yorkers.

His Own "Double!" Few modern ctatesmen are the sublect of so many good stories as M. Clemenceau, who is eighty-one. Here is one of the latest:

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fifty, because, my little old man, you resemble our good M. Clemenceau." Keep Tight Rain on Emotions The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulalveness. The storms of emotion which continually sweep through them

cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their judgment, and thus deceiving them into conclusions which may be the reverse of sound. "An angry man," as the proverb tersely puts it, "cannot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the

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Francis King Carey, William H. Maltbie,

J. Augustine Mason, Frank Novak, and George C. Smith.

Mr. Carey and Mr Maltbie are members of the Baltimore Bar; Mr. Mason is a prominent lawyer of that often accompanies constipation. Hagerstown; Mr. Novak i- a wei known Baltimore builder, and Mr Smith is the Director of the Indutrial Bureau of the Board of Tradof Baltimore

All of the members of the Commission are requested by the Act to serve without pay.

Mr. Carey was chosen Chairman of the Commission and Mr Malibie the little ones, and would advise Vice-Chairman.

By the terms of the Act under things they especially want and perwhich it was appointed the Com- haps they can get word to him. We mission is requested to investigate the systems of State, County and gifts best suited to make happy Municipal taxation in force in Marland and to inquire into their prac tical operation and eff-ct in the ras ing of adequate revenue. The Comvery much want. mission is instructed to it quire into the systems of State, Cou ty and Municipal taxation in force in other States and to ascertain their place tiest operation and off et, and is on structed to make a printed coport to the Governor by Dec mber 1, 1923, dith r. Lexis R Crawford Holland, for his use and for transmission by Elizabeth thris opner, Gorce Thomhim to the General Assembly of tes, D naid P. Marshill, Catteries 1924; which report is to contain a Fo'k, E'eanor Po'k, Norris Polk providing for the imposition and col- E. Joseph, Raymond Joseph, Charlection of revenue, taxes and charges lie Joseph, Daniel Joseph in the State of Maryland "

At the conclusion of the meeting

"Governor Ritchie has asked to Tax Revision Commission to per torm a very difficult and responsible piece of work; and although all of us have been selected by the Governor without any consultation with us, we have all thought it our duty to accept the appointments and have entered aggressively upon our investigations

"The Act requires all public offi cers of the State to supply us; or request, with all needed information; but our Commission feels that as it has a State-wide responsibility. Mildred Dannis, and the three-yearwhich it must, of course, exercise o'd son of Mr. and Mr. Engene in an absolutely impartial fashi n. Dennis. it must have the warmest co operation and support from all the officials of the State who have to do with the questions of taxation in the cities and counties of the State, and we will seize upon the earliest op portunity to confer with these offi cials and invite their advice and sug gestions. in the meantime, we will authracite will not be sufficient to set in motion machinery for collect give 100% to all who want it, a ing, recording and digesting all pos sible information which we can obthe right price, we have place 1 in our yard two cars of the best soft tain from other States, many of which, we understand, have recent- coal obtainable, also two cars of ly completed and reported upon in- Semi-Anthracite, screened to nut vestigations of this character, and size. We do this so we will be in in some of which modernized ma position to furnish our trade somechinery for assessing and collecting thing to keep them warm, in adtaxes has been in operation long dition to our monthly allotment of survey of the United States Departenough to give reasonable evidence Anthracite. of its practical operation.

orders for the above mentioned "Whether our Commission reccoals and according to reports from ommends to Governor Ritchie, as the best authorities, you will be the result of our study, any radical pleased with the Semi-Authracite. changes in the present tax laws or not, I think the entire Bar of the lic is aware of the position in which State and all of the taxing authorithe coal dealer is placed and we asties will agree with us in thinking sure you that if you exercise a little that the existing laws can at least patience and are willing to cobe put in a more orderly and inteloperate with us, we will be able to ligible form without the exercise of take care of your wants and give any high ability in Statute writing; you something to keep you warm and even if we find it unnecessary during the cold weather. tem of Maryland, I think we may DAVIS ICE & COAL CO., be able to render a real service to

the public by recodifying the exist- OF COURSE DORIS WON OUT ng law so that it will be found under one article and can be read and understood by a man of ordinary

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They had been chathing since enter "It is perhaps unnecessary to say ing the bus, but the Woman, who say that the members of our Commis opposite them on lop, heard nothing sion will take the greatest pleasure really good until Grant's monument in receiving and carefully consider- was reached.

Without taxing her hearing in the ing any suggestions which anybody least the Woman learned that they is good enough to make to us. Durwere former schoolmates at the unlng the coming spring and summer! versity (for university days were mentioned again and again) who were t is the purpose of the members of the Commission to visit each one of the counties of the State for the pur-"I don't think the girls of this cen pose of having personal conferences

again," remarked the one in the green with the local taxing authorities; dress, "Reminds me of what Evelyn and if the Mayor and City Council was telling me just before I came provides for a Commission to study away. She was making a skiri for her daughter, Doris. Everything except the local taxing system of Baltimore, the correct length had been decided we will, of course, gladly wolcome upon. Evelyn wanted to make this a little longer than Doris' other skirts. She told her that the fashion was for "Before completing our report or increasing the length. But Doris was

Argument?

"Evelyn, you know, generally let her have her way in matters of dress but this time she argued and Doris plended. 'Honest Injun, now which do you think I should take-the advice of one mother or of twenty girls?"

"And what happened?" "Oh, mother shortened the skirt, o ourse." -Exchange.

HISTORIC HOME FOR AMERICA

Possibility That Dwelling in Which Miles Standish Was Born May Be Brought Here.

The hero of Longfellow's poe The Courtship of Miles Standish. was a real historical character, who was born in Lancashire, England, omewhere about 1584. It is now sug gested that the house where he was orn should be transported to New So many children have written six months the four rooms of the letters to "Santa Claus" this season, Standish home now located in the parlsh of Standish, near Wigan, Lanexpecting the Advance to publish cushire, England, will be fitted into the them, that we find it impossible to house for some United States citizen do so. We are sorry to disappoint whose family history goes back to Mayflower days. The Stendish house has been occupied by the Standish each child to tell their parents what family since the Norman conquest One of the uncestral stately homes of England is just now being taken down and carried across the Atlantic to be hope that each one will receive the set up stone by stone somewhere in the States. Now if history belonging to these ancient buildings could also hours, and that each child will try be transferred to the United States. to appreciate the presents received what a heap of renown that enterprising nation could collect and own?and be bappy with them, even if Montreal Family Herald. the fail to get other things that they

Rodent Was the Burglar, The following children wish a via A New York Chinaman sent an u gent call to detective headquarters from him. The Chink, who conducts Elsie M. Esham, James Truitt, a restaurant, fold the detectives he suspected a colored employed, stating Macon Truit, Hilda L. Pavis, E.

detectives made a careful survey. without results. As they turned to abundon their search, one of them "deaft of a general system of law Ernest Greenfield Holland, Michie Lettleed a small bundle of paper move scross the celler floar. Springing upon the object, he placed his foot full upon it. The buedle ceased to move, but its moving force-a husky ratvanished into a nearby hole. Nine Louise Jarmon, Georgia Jarmon. undle, thus accidentalic clearing un what might have been a baffling mys-Cherl's Holloway Trutt, Dorls Ru ! Cinit. Lettie Car-v. Carroll

> Diplomatic Corps Cared For. Other Washingtoniens may shiver with the cold this winter, owing to the has seen to it that the 400 persons in the diplomatic corps will not suffer, owing to a lack of fuel. Many of the diplomats come from countries where artificial heat in homes is almost unknown and, indeed, unnecessary, and worried about their empty coal bins The State department has given them precedence over others, thus emphasizing the entente cordiale. It is only in recent years that the English and the Scotch have known the comfort of stenm heat, the sea coal fire, as they call it, burned in open grates, being the only method of heating their

homes,-Washington 3tar. Something He Can Teach Her. "I simply couldn't teach my wife to frive the car. Gave it up and let omebody else do it."

"Same with bridge. She wouldn't lst n to me at all. Hired a tutor for

"Dancing was another art we learned separately. Always wrangled when we tried the new steps together. but, at that, there's one thing she's willing to let me teach her."

"What is that?" "She insists that I must teach her low to blow cigarette smoke through

Martens Raised in Captivity. The raising of martens in captivity is now commercially possible as a resuit of the discovery of their breeding season by naturalists of the biological ment of Agriculture. These valuable fur bearers mate late in July and in August, and appear to have a gestation period of eight months, much longer than most animals of the same group. It was formerly thought that their winter, the young being born in the

Odd European Bellef. In some parts of Europe, when here are several bables to be christened at the same time, the mothers insist on the minister baptizing the girl babies first, as otherwise when they grow up they will develop beards.

The Tortworth chestnut, in England, figures upon a charter dated 1135, and so is probably well on toward its tenth century, and there year's soit as a final resort, has rewhich was there in the year 1250.

AUTOMOBILE HERE TO STAY

Foolish to Compare It to Popular "Crazes" That Merely Bloomed

"If the automobile craze cont nues," queried a Man Who Loves to Talk "what will we do for roads for the cars to run on? Just now all the main roads around the city are used to capacity on nice Sundays, and it is on knowledge that down-town than a car can travel in the street. revisiting the city after a number of Shall we have to double-deck our streets?"

"Possibly," replied the Man Who Remembers. "But the use of automo-biles is not a craze. It is too enduring for a craze. The roller-skating epidemic that swept the country in the middle eightles was a craze. Remem ber how rinks sprang up in every town? Bicycle riding ten years later was a craze. The Williamsburgh bridge was built while it was at its height, and plans for the bridge called for a space devoted exclusively to blkes, but the craze passed before the bridge was completed.

"Ping-pone was a craze that bloomed in the morning and died at night, though while it lasted there were ping-pong clubs, tournaments and contests. But baseball, politics and the motorcar are not crazes. They are institutions."-New York Sun.

CHANGES IN ARCTIC OCEAN

Seals Said to Be Finding Temperature a Little Too High, and Ice is Less Pientiful. The Arctic ocean is warming up, ice-

bergs are growing scarce and in some aces the seals are finding the water too hot, according to a report to the ommerce department from Consu Reports from fishermen, seal hunt-

ers and explorers all point to a radical change in climatic conditions and hitherto unheard of temperatures in the Arctic zone, exploration expeditions reporting that scarcely any ice has been encountered as far worth as 81 degrees 29 minutes. Soundings to a depth of 3,100 meters showed the Gulf stream

glaciers have disappeared, Very few s als and no white fish are being found in the eastern Arctic while vast shoals of herring and smelts, which never before have ven tured so far north, are being encour tered in the old seal-fishing grounds.

Ingenious, but Futile Plea. When a robbery is not a robbery was told a judge of General Session in New York, when a negro was charged with entering a house and taking a \$3,500 diamond ring. "Did you?" asked the judge. "Jedge," said the prisoner, "It wasn't no burglary It was summer time and the windows was open. The windows was open an' I went'in and this yere lady woke up spabkled. Oh, Jedge, if it on'y hadn't spahkled! An' I said: 'Lady, whu you got thath on yoh hand?' An' she said: 'Take it, an' please do go ra't it immediate.' Jedge, the ludy requested me to take that spahkler an go pa't out im-mee-dee-ate. An' I took it and went. Jedge, it wasn't no burglary," It seemed that the prisoner had undergone a similar painful to speak of a record of four previous convictions. He will sparkle in Sing ding for fourteen pears.

Ancestors Worth Beasting About. For about an hour a man from Denver had been hoasting to an Irishman about the magnificence of the Rocky

"You seem mighty proud ov thin nountains," the Irishman observed. from Denver. "And I ought to be, since my ancestors built them." The Irishman thought this over for

you ever happen to hear ov the Dead sea in-in one ov the old countries?" "Yes, indeed," replied the man from "Well, did you happen to know that me great-grandfather killed the

thing?"-London Tit-Bits. Felt His Job Was Safe. A newspaper that was not making expenses decided to economize, and accordingly two reporters and a spe-

cial writer were dismissed. The other employees became nervous with the exception of one min who showed no symptoms of uneasiness. He worked In what wer known as the art department, for the journal published a great many pictures. Asked if he had had no qualms as to the stability of his job, he said: "Oh, no. They can't fire me." "Why not? They are cutting all along the line." "Waal, I figure that the paper can't afford to make a cut in its art department. You see we have so many subscribers who do

Working in Reverse. getting fat! What have you been de ing to get all that flesh on your ones?" exclaimed the friend. "Oh," said the former thin man, "I began taking the reduction dope, diet and exercises they prescribed for my wife and I began to olck up right away. And she started in on the tonics and diets I had been falling for to make me fat and she already has

Authors Who Got Rich. The first British writer to make arge fortune was Sir Walter Scott. who earned about a million. Dickens received \$12,500 for "Pickwick," and George Ellot \$35,000 for "Romola." Lew Wallace received \$400,000 for two novels.

Ye Editor's Luck. Western Paper-Ye hard-up editor, going through the pockets of his last is an oak at Tilford, near Farnham, celved aid from an unexpected quar-

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#### Trustee's Sale Of, Valuable Real Estate.

Court of Worcester County. Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th streets are a jammed at times that a day of December, 1922, in a cause pendman can waik on the sidewalk faster ing in said court, wherein John S. Goldy et al are complainants and Martin Manuel et al are defendants, being No. 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee | will offer for sale to the highest bilder at public auction in front of Trader's store at Stockton, Maryland, on Saturday, January 13th, 1923,

at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, and interest of the parties to the aforesaid cause i and to all that parcel of land situated on the left hand side of the county road leading from Stockton to Welbourne the eighth election district of Worces ter County, Maryland, and described a follows: beginning at a pine tree stand ing on the left hand side of the coun road above named and on the line Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land or line about east course to run of branch at marked black gum tree, thence running by and with the run of said branch and line of Charlotte Ward land about south course to marked black gum tree, thence running about west course to marked red oak tree standing on left hand side of county road above named, thence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and place of beginning, containing 5] acres [ of land, more or less. It being the same real estate conveyed to Edward Manuel by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed dated the 26th day of October, 1921. and recorded among the land records of Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. 41, felio 535. Taxes paid up to January 1st, 1923. Title papers at purch-

TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balance in six months, or all cash at option placed by moraines of earth and of purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to th satisfaction of the trustee.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

AIRPLANES TO LOCATE LAKES

Plan to Use Flying Machines in the Finding and Photographing of Alaskan Inland Waters.

Locating and photographing undisovered lakes in the national forests of Alaska are the latest uses to which he nirplane has been put, kays American Forestry, quoting the United States forest service. We read: "It has long been known that there be many lakes on the headle age between Scattle and Skayway that do not appear on any map. Dur ing the New York-Name flight made by rmy avaito's, lakes were frequently ighted walch could not be found or the intest and most authentic maps of the territory. Tales of unknown water odles are constantly being brough n by trappers and prospectors. Less ne-quarter miles from tidewater, yet ecause of the surrounding territory's ough topography has remained unbhown and unnamed. Recognizing that many others of these 'lost lakes' may be sources of valuable water power, the forest service has le'd dans to map this no man's land of the North by means of nerial photographs. A few day's flight, it is said will be sufficient to cover the area with a degree of accuracy that would require many years and great expense to accomplish by ordinary methods. The work, which has been approved by the federal power commission, will be Denver. "I know all about the Dead done by scaplane, flying from Ketchikan as a base."

Big-Game Hunters. The Woman has recently received a etter from the staff artist of the Beebe tropical research expedition. Hitherto they have had the jungle more or less to themselves and have ad most excellent chances to study

But now it is not so. Since the recent diamond mine boom the rush of prospectors to the diamond fields has thought the juagle would belong ex dusively to them and to the wild crea tures who made their homes there will low come home sooner than planned. It seems that no place can remain s wilde ness or a jungle if the thought of wealth can be connected with it,-Exchange.

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Neceie M Ancients Knew Use

Wax candles were i clent times, but at th the Christian era an o was used in many part or power, and to Proquered country. Of o ing olive oil. Many o lamps have been foun-of Roman cities, in the

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Easy Deduction. "Now, Archibald, tell m engineer is," said the tea is a man who works an e plied Archibald. "Correct, teacher. "Now, William, me what a ploneer is?" answered William, "he's a works a plano."

Different Types of Sea There are 40 different buoys used at sea, each has a meaning of its own. green color, for instance, wreck, while others similar tive show where rocks, sh banks and deep-water channe

Some Queer Foods Chickens' tongues and is eaten on the Island of De pale blue mole and two mic tasty supper that Livingsto gave him after crossing the

Originally From Holy I Hollyhock is the garder (Anglo-Saxon hoc, mallow) called hollyhock, or helyh the Holy land, where it is in

To secure and promote the aim of all our endeavors aft ness .- Schopenhauer.

Deserves to Get the We The earliest riser in the ily is the greenfinch, which s begins to sing at one o'clock o



The grassy crossread in the fall is lined with purple-exters tal.. Sunflowers gay and plumes that nod Of spired, brilliant, golden rod. Walter P. Eaton.

A FEW SALADS AND DESSERTS

The eating of vegetables in every form is a habit to be cultivated and with a nicely-seasoned salad dressing, the habit is a good one, easily ac-



-Dissolve one table-spoonful of gelatin in one and one-fourth capfuls of water, add onefourth of a cupful of vinegar, one-fourth of a cupful of sugar, one tea-

spoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. Let the mixture stand until it begins to thicken, add one supful of diced cucumber, one-fourth of a cupful of green pepper and one teaspoonful of onion juice. Turn the mixture into molds, chill and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Beet Celery and Pea Salad .- Take two cupfuls of diced, cooked beets one cupful of finely cut celery, one cupful of cooked peas drained, one tablespoonful of minced onion, one tablespoonful of horseradish sauce, salt and paprika. Marinate the vegetables with French dressing and let them stand for two hours. Serve on lettuce with a boiled dressing or with

Rice and Pen Salad,-Fill small greased molds half full of seasoned cooked green pens. Cover with cold boiled rice which has been seasoned with finely minced pimento, parsley and onlon juice. Press the rice lightly to fill the mold. Loosen with a spatula and turn out on a salad plate garnished with lettuce or endive. Serve with French or mayonnaise dressing.

Cherry Fluff .- Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of water, place over hot water until the gelatin is dissolved. Now add two cupfuls of cherry julce, one-third of a cupful of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside until the mixture begins to thicken, then beat well and add two-thirds of a cupful of cherries; other fruit may be used. Add three tablespoonfuls of sugar to two-thirds of a cupful of whipped eream and fold lightly into the fruit mixture. Turn into a mold and chill. Serve with soft custard, a fruit sauce, or cream. Garnish with whipped

Neceie Maxwell

Ancients Knew Use of Lamps. Wax candles were made in very anclent times, but at the beginning of the Christian era an oil-burning lamp was used in many parts of the Roman empire, for instance, in Italy, the seat of power, and in Palestine, a con-quered country. Of course, this lamp was most common in countries produc-ing olive oil. Many of these ancient lamps have been found in the ruins of Roman cities, in the ruins of Pom-

Inevitable.

A newspaper advises the young man to escape from labor troubles and other complexities of civilization by taking refuge on a tropic isle. But when he got there he would probabl find the coconuts cornered on the consolidated coconut exchange, and the amalgamated union of banana pickers engineering an island-wide strike.-Boston Transcript.

"Due Process of Law." The constitutions of the various states and the federal constitution contain no description of those processes which it was intended to allow or forbld by the various uses of the expresslon "due process of law." It is generally held to mean, however, law in its regular course of administration through courts of justice.

Paper for Car Wheels. The bureau of standards says the only case it knows of where wheels are made out of papier-mache is in Pullman cars. Pullman car wheels have been made very successfully by giuing together a large number plates of cardboard with two outside plates of thin metal and surrounded by steel tire.

Easy Deduction.

"Now, Archibald, tell me what an engineer is," said the teacher. "He is a man who works an engine," replied Archibald. "Correct," said the teacher. "Now, William, can you tell me what a pioneer is?" "Yes, sir," answered William, "he's a man who works a plano."

Different Types of Sea Buoys. There are 40 different types of buoys used at sea, each of which has a meaning of its own. That of a green color, for instance, marks a wreck, while others similarly distinctive show where rocks, shoals, sand-banks and deep-water channel occur.

Some Queer Foods. Chickens' tongues and unhatched chickens are Chinese delicacies; sloth is eaten on the Island of Demerara; s

pale blue mole and two mice were the tasty supper that Livingstone's guides gave him after crossing the Kasat. Originally From Holy Land. Hollyhock is the garden mallow (Anglo-Saxon hoc, mallow). It is

called hollyhock, or helyhock, from the Holy land, where it is indigenous Best of All Endeavors, To secure and promote the feeling of cheerfulness should be the supreme

aim of all our endeavors after happiness.-Schopenhauer.

Deserves to Get the Worm. The earliest riser in the bird fam-ily is the greenfinch, which sometimes begins to sing at one o'clock on a sum-

#### FARM LIVE STOCK

Charcoal for Swine

To prevent worms, keep the following charcoal mixture be fore the pigs all the time: Hardwood ashes, 1 bushel. Salt, 8 pounds.

Air-slake 1 lime, A pounds.
Sulphur, 4 pounds.
Pulverized copperas, 2 pounds.
First mir the lime, sait, and sulphur thoroughly, and then mix in the charcoal and ushes. Dissolve the copperas in two quarts of hot water and sprinkle it over the whole mass, mixing thoroughly. Store th's in a barrel under shelter, and keep some of it in

an open shallow box where the

hogs can get it as they wish .-Bureau Anlmai Industry, United States Department Agriculture.

**GUARD AGAINST HOG CHOLERA** 

If Herd is Treated Immediately of First Sign of Disease Loss Will Be Small.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Watch for the first hog to show signs of cholera, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. If the herd is treated immediately it is gen-16-21). The parable of the rich man erally possible to save the herd with but few losses. If the disease, however, is allowed to reach all the animals before the serum preventive treatment is applied heavy losses may be expected. Hog-cholera serum is a preventive and not a cure for hog

cholera, the department points out. Whenever a hog dies of an unknown cause the owner should watch his herd closely for at least a week, and if any more hogs in the herd begin to show signs of sickt ess a veterinarian should be called a mediately, for the chances are that nog cholera has reached the herd and prompt action in applying the serum treatment is the only thing that grees F., to 108 degrees F., in a hog pretty good indication of hog cholera. Such hogs should be segregated and or to wander about, for they will spread the disease wherever they go, sometimes in places where it is impossible to disinfect. Hogs that die on the farm should be buried, or, prefer



Hogs With Strong Constitutions Are More Able to Withstand Disease.

ably, burned, in order to prevent birds, cass from spreading the disease.

Usually the disease is most prevalent during the fall months and losses are invariably heavy in herds where owners neglect to immunize their hogs before the disease reaches them, or fail to call a veterinarian immediately on Its first appearance,

MEDIUM STEERS PROFITABLE

De Kalb County (III.) Farmer Is of Opinion That Grade Stuff Is Superior.

The prime feeder steer, so often cited as the best beef-making machine, is sometimes a less profitable animal, according to a De Kalb county (III.) cattle feeder, than the steer of poorer quality. This man has had experience with both kinds and regularly feeds

eight to ten carloads a year. The prime steer undoubtedly will produce a somewhat better killer than the poorer quality animal, but it is his belief that the difference in price is less on the finished animals than it is on the feeders. The kind of steers he now buys it has been possible to purchase as feeders at about 1 cent less than the price of the best ones. When finished and put on the market these steers ordinarily have sold about half a cent lower than steers of the other quality. He figures that his cost of gain is about the same as that of the others. Thus there is an advantage of one-half cent a pound in feeding this second-grade stuff instead of the very best.

Time to Wean Pigs. Pigs should not be weaned until they are at least eight weeks old, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to twelve weeks old.

Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs must be kept growing, and the breeding stock must be thrifty. Ewes in poor condition in the breed ing season will usually bring single lambs and have a small milk flow.

Russian Wolfhound Fast The swiftest dog in the world, the

borzel, or Russian wolfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

Real Governing Power. The thing that governs us is public opinion-not the nominal public opinion of creed and statute-book, but the real public opinion of living men and women .- Dr. A. T. Hadley.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL The Call to a Life of Faith

Sunday School .essor

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 24

LESSON IN TRUST AND PRE PAREDNESS

LESSON TEXT-Luke 12:13-40, GOLDEN TEXT-The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment. PRIMARY TOPIC-The Story of

oolish Rich Man.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Foolish Rich Man.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Rich Toward God.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC

Since on October 8 we had a lesson on the birth and calldhood of Jesus, many will doubtless prefer to have this new lesson instead of the Christ-

I. A Warning Against Covetousness (vv. 13-21).

1. The Occasion (vv. 13-15). One of the company requested Jesus to be umpire in a disputed estate. Two brothers were in trouble over an inheritance. Christ refused to enter the sphere of the civil law and warned against the spirit of avarice. Christ's mission was preeminently spiritual.

shows clearly that to be concerned with earthly riches while neglecting God is the height of folly. The Lord's warning is of great importance today; for many are seeking gold and forgetting God. Note (1) his increase in goods (v. 16). His riches were rightly obtained, for the ground brought forth plentifully. This shows that a man may be rich because of the Lord's blessing upon him. (2) His perplexity (v. 17). His land was producing more than his barns would hold. He did not want it to go to waste. If he had possessed the right views of life and a sense of stewardship before God, he would have seen that his barns at least will save the well animals. A high had enough for his personal needs and temperature, ranging from 105 dehad enough for his personal needs and plus to the needy and for benevolent that staggers when it walks, is a purposes. (3) The fatal choice (vv. 18, 19). He chose to enlarge his barns and give up his life to ease and not allowed to mingle with other hogs luxury. It ought to be a delightful task for men whom Gog lins made rich to devote their time and energy to the distribution of their possession to benevolent purposes. (4) The awful indictment (vv. 20, 21). God calls

hlm a fool. II. The Certain Cure for Anxiety (vv. 32-34).

Having shown the folly of the rich man who gained gold but lost God. He now urged the disciples to trust God and dismiss all anxious care. He as-

God's care for the flowers of the field (vv. 27, 28). If God is so careful of those flowers which appear but for a day, how much more will He clothe

3. The Exhortations (vv. 29-34). (1) Make not the getting of food and clothes your chief concern. Trust God to provide them. (2) Seek the kingdom of God (v. 31). Those who make God's kingdom first shall have all their needs supplied (Phil. 4:19). (3) Be not afraid (v. 32). God's good pleasure is upon His own, and all good things will He give them, (4) Practice self-denial in order to be able to give gifts to those in need (vv. 33, 34). The doing of such deeds will tend to lift the thoughts upward to God-to trust Him.

III. Be Ready for the Coming of the

Lord (vv. 35-40) Having warned the disciples against the acquisition of worldly goods while forgetting God, and shown them the needlessness of anxiety for food and clothes. He shows them the blessedness of being in a state of readiness when the Lord shall come, Convic tion as to the certainty of the Lord's coming is the sure cure for worldliness and anxious care. This attitude of heart He made clear by two parablesthat of the returning of the Lord and that of the thief. The Lord will be so pleased with those who are waiting for Him that He will take delight in sitting at the banquet with them, and coming is not known.

Paul's Wish.

I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord; if by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead .- Philippians 3:8-11.

So Many Ravens. The Lord never had so many ravens as he has this morning.-T. De-Witt Talmage.

God Is Known Everywhere. In Judah is God known; His name to great in Israel,-Psalm 76:1. When He's Telling It.

We sometimes wish the fellow who knows it all would forget a little of t.-Boston Transcript.

Idea of Quarantine is Old.

Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the Tenth century. World's Death Rate, The world's death rate is estimated

at 68 a minute, 97,920 a day, or 35,-

ctor of Evening Classes, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Characteristics The art gallery of God's Word is

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hung with the most wonderful master pieces of history and blography, of poetry and proph-ecy. One of the interesting rooms contains the portraits of faith's heroes. It quite difficult these to determin which is the is each one seem to illustrate a dif-

ferent virtue of godly living. for us today. Many chapters are nec essary to set forth the life of faith exemplified in the one who carned the think as spatter." divine designation, "The Father of the Faithful." We shall endeavor to em faith in succeeding sermons. We begin with "The Call to a Life of Faith."

"by faith" or a "by sight" life.

The sight position b the sense posiis the opposite. It is "the evidence by His Word, and guided by His

It was to a life of faith that Abrain the blaze of material splendor. He obeyed and went out into an unknown land, simply trusting in the God who had promised. Many times since Abraham's far away day has the vision appeared and the call sounded. To Moses, keeping sheep in tendinn; to Elisha, plowing in the fleid; to Isalab, ministering in the temple; to Amos, gathering fruit at Tekoa; to Peter, washing fishing nets; to Matthew, collecting taxes; to Saul of Tarsus, bent on persecution. To Cromwell, from his farm; to Luther, from his mouns tery cell; in Carey, from the cobbler's bench; to Moody, from the shoe store. And, to every man and woman who has heard the Gospel, the vision of God and the voice of God have come, call-

call involves three things: sured them that they need not be anxious even for the necessities of life.

Note:

1. The Argument (vv. 22, 23). This is summed up in one brief sentence:

"The life is more than food, and the body is more than raiment." The God who gave the life and made the body should be trusted to provide food and clothing.

2. The Illustratious (vv. 24-28). (1) God's care for the fowls, (vv. 24-23). The ravens do not sow nor reap—they have not storehouse or barn, yet they live, for God feeds them. If God does not forget the fowls, certainly He

Sacrifice. was a tremendous tearing loose from all the human heart holds dear. He did not become detached by one act of when it gives him a fair start on cutting off. His kindred went with him and kept him in Haran, the halfway place, until Terah, his father, Still Lot clung to him and caused him sorrow and loss until he moved out. One by one the things of the old life must go if faith is to be

triumphant. It cost his all. But this is the very thing that makes faith precious. Values are always determined by cost. The things we get for nothing are worth little Diamonds are more precious than dirt, therefore cost more. Man is greater than a sheep-hence he could only be redeemed at infinite cost. Salvation is God's free gift but the acworld and the world unto us. Sacrifice is the touchstone of a living faith. Every real advance in the life of faith involves an altar on which some dear fragment of the self-life must die, or some bit of world possession must be to pay the price.

Submission. Obedience is not only an act, it is attitude. Abraham went out. He matriculated the school of faith. Many lessons must be learned. Step by step even serve them. The parable of the he must walk, advancing from one thief shows that the time of the Lord's plane of experience to another. Tested, reproved, encouraged, blessed until he becomes the Friend of God, taken into the divine confidence. It is rifice to have God ask, "Shall I hide that I will do?" "Ye are my friends If ye do whatsoever I command you." Are you longing for real true friendship? There is One who stands at the door of your heart and knocks for adraission. Will you let Him in? Draw inck the bolt; fling open wide the door, and let Him come in. Theu will the life of faith begin and become as a shining light that shineth brighter and brighter unto the perioct day.

Keeping Bordeaux Mixture. If Bordenux mistures cannot be used on the day prepared, dissolve a stir it in thoroughly. This will make it remain good much longer than it would do otherwise,

Coddling Moth. Apple and pear growers will find it necessary to spray for the coddling moth during the summer months. The number of applications will depe upon the seriousness of the infestation. Drifting Both Ways.

School had been out ten minutes and there were a dozen boys on the street corner. Who started to laugh en is apt to be thoughtless enough are more then likely to join in the laugh. Heary heard the laugh and W. L. Holloway, agt., knew what it was all about. The shaky old gentleman was safe on the pavement by this time, but Henry did not wait to hear the grateful words which were intended for his ear.

'The old man looked so confused a study of that—that I thought I'd pilot him across. It just came to me on the greatest. The fact spur of the moment." Henry grinned a little foolishly, and his face flushed, as though he had been The nen pictures of Abraham furnish caught in miscalei. "I think he most interesting and profitable study cannot see or hear much, and the at tomobiles were spinning around

Henry yielded to a generous imphasize several phases of the life of deman cross the crowded street. traise in Justing the shaky old gen-It was an act of simple courtesy of There are only two positions for the which any healthy-minded, clearsoul in its relationship to God-fifth eyed boy might have been proud or sight. "We walk by faith of by even boy might have been proud-sight" is an inescapable differentiation Perhaps Henry would have been of God's Word. One or the other-a glad he did it, if orly that thoughtless boy hadn't laughed, and the tion. It is the pursuit of the material others hadn't joined in. As it was, -satisfied with things that perish; a some of the senseless things they life guided by natural reason. Falta sabi - just to tease him and not beco,ose they were unkindly themof things not seen, the substance of course they were unkindly them-things hoped for"—a life which can relves—made him half resolve not only find its pleasure in God, taught to be "caught in such a scrape again." That wouldn't have happened if Henry's mind had been ham, a Chaldean prince, was called. The thoroughly made up beforehand to glory of God appeared to him, living be courteous and obliging to everybody, let others say what they liked.

> "I just went into it on the spur of the moment." Henry hung his head and flushed red, this time with more reason. "I guess I didn't stop to think that-why, that there'd be any barm in it."

"That is a way of doing things which often gets people into serious trouble, Henry," his father observed. "Impulse is a good thing in its place, but it's a poor rudder ing away from sight to faith. This to steer by, especially over a rough sea. This expande isn't so bad as it might be, but I hope it will teach

not forget the fowls, certainly He would do more for His children. (2)
God's care for the flowers of the field

It alone opens the treasure bouse. The things, good or bad, "on the spur measure of our separation descendaes of the moment," just as the mood the achievements of our faith. Abraham was deeply attached to his that always proves perilous busikindred, his home, his nutive land. It ness. Besides, a mere impulse never carries one very far, even

> the right road. "For he who lets his feelings run In soft, luxurious flow, Faints when hard service must be done,

And shrinks at every blow," -Charles T. White, in The Com-

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads othceptance of it crucifies us unto the ers to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vioffered up. Ou, how few are willing paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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> Surro Too Eager to "Park." Last summer Willy had his first ride on a burro. After jogging along for a few minutes and irritated by frequent stops, he called out: "Mamma, what makes this donkey want to park all the time?"

Constantinople Ignores Mail. In Constantinople it is impossible to commandente with anyone by mall, Instead, it is necessary to send a servant with the message or go one's self to wake the communication in person.

CDff Dwollers Had Stone Idols. Stone idols were used in the religious ceremonials of the prehistoric

Queer Belief Concerning Opal. The ancients believed that the opai shared the charm of every stone of which it reflected the color, but when It was stolen the thief became invisthle and was never caught.

Ancient "Apartment Houses," Apartment-house life was enjoyed by the primitive Indian of New Mexteo, one rule in Chaco canyou having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people.

Rabbit Cannery May Solve Problem. In Argentina a rabbit cannery has been established in the hope of ridding some sections of the country of a pest in a profitable way.

From Bradford he went to Richburg and Boliver and there fortune continued to pour its golden stream into his coffee .- Pasadena Stor.

Lie Has Great Vitality, A He can be turned inside out and so decked in new plumage that none will recognize its lean old carcuss .-

Generosity Not Strongest Point. Many men are capable of doing a wise thing, more a couning thing, but very few a generous thing.-Alexander

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Everything Needed For Building.



with was in mother had selected for John's wife the very wealthy and very charming Clara Deanison an orphan, whose guardian unde approved the selection But Chera on her part had selected for her and Richard Watson, a clerk in a r uncle's brokerage office. Now Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Townsend, Emma's parents, were both of families possessed of colonial and revolutionary traditions, but of little money. The Townsends' visiting cards had a prestige which was denied to the Townsend thirty-day notes. The fond parents saw with secret satisfaction the growing intimacy between their daughter and the son of the wealthy Sylvanus Cartwright-a misalliance, it is true, but then what could you expect in these leveling days? And Cartwright's record in Bradstreet's was so eminently satisfactory! But when the Townsends learned that John Cartwright had been ordered to marry Clara Dennison they rose in aristocratic wrath. Perish the vulgar Cartwrights and perish their 'ase money! Besides, there were as sood

frying pan. Emma was ordered not to think of John Cartwright any more and to hold in readiness to marry some one to be picked out for her by her parents hereafter. Emma was a pretty young thing with not much to her, and John was a well enough young man, but it must be confessed rather commonplace and mightily afraid of his father. So in spite of their love and in spite of Clara Dennison's love for Richard Watson and his love for her, it is quite possible that the parents and a guardian uncle would have had things their own way had it not teen for Clara.

fish in the sea as there were in 'he

'Uncie," said Clara one evening as the and her guardian sat over their after-dinner coffee, "I have made up m; mind to marry that clerk of yours, Richard Watson,

Had a bomb gone off in the middle of the dining room table Mr. Zebulon



I Have Made Up My Mind to Marry That Clerk of Yours."

Denutson would hardly have been more startled. The worthy broker was of an apoplectic build and Clara at first feared she should have broken it to him more gently. But he recovered and managed to splutter after a minute: "You are not. Has he asked you? I will discharge him tomorrow."

"Oh, yes, I am. He has not asked me, but he In going to, and as to your discharging him I shall be twentythree next month, when my property is to be rurned over to me, and I guess we will have enough to set up cousekeeping with," retorted Clara. Zebulon from commanding descend-

ed to arguing. His arguments were all perfectly sound, but what is a sound argument in the pathway of young love? Richard, from the changed manner in which his employer treated him next morning, surmised something of what had happened and over the telephone urranged a meeting with Clara. "What have you been saying to your

mote?" to asked when they were seated in a corner of a bighty respect able tearoom which had been the scene of many of their conferences. Clare told him word for word what she had said to her uncle. "I was right, wasn't 1?" she asked, blushing a little.

"You angel?" cried Richard. "Of ourse you were right. I would have isked you long ago if I hadn't been o plaguey poor."

"Oh, bother that," sald Clara "You'll probably lose your Job with uncle, but you told me last week you were gold to leave soon to go into that South American scheme anyway The question is what are we solng to to for these poer rabes in the woods. Econo Townsend and John Cartwright? John is going to tose me for sure and I do so wish he might get Emma. There! I have an idea. It just struck me. You know that new company uncle is forming? He's all wrapped up in it. I'll infuse a little matrimony into the concern. See if I don't."

That evening Emma and John had a dolorous and despairing interview, which, they agreed, was to be their last. Clara was all smiles and winsome ways when she mot her uncle at dinner that night. "Reconciled yet, unkey?"

laughed as she kissed him. "Of course you are! I met Dick this afternoon and proposed to him, and he accepted me. So that's off my mind."

"Clara!" exclaimed the broker. really-such conduct-I don't know hat to say to you."

"Say yes to everything I propose then, you old dear," she laughed, and then abruptly changed the subject with, "About that new company of yours, uncle-is any of my money in it? No? Well, next month, when I come into my fortune, I'll put some in. I've studied your prospectus. It's a good investment. There's just one condition. I want you to put Marcus Townsend on your board of directors. Now stop. Don't interrupt a lady. It's impolite. This is the idea. Man cus hasn't much money, but he's away up in the old Knickerbocker set and there's lots of money lying around practically idle among those old fossils-'safe' investments at 4 per centwhen they don't keep it in a stocking under the bed. You want those old names of downtown streets in

your list, unkey. Marcus will bring them in. It's good advertising." "My dear," said Zebulon, "there is something in your idea. How much will you invest in the company?" "That depends open whether I can

o coneral manager or not." "Ah, I see; Richard Watson, I sup-

"Exactly." Dennison's work was cut out for him-by Clara. He broke to his associate in the formation of the new company, Mr. Sylvanus Cartwright, as gently as he could the fact that Clara had, as he expressed it, "taken the bit in her teeth" and was going to marry Dick Watson. Also he expatiated upon the value of Clara's den-putting it forward as his ownwith regard to Marcus Townsend, and urged Cartwright to approach Marcus on the subject. As Lebulon was the dominating factor in the whole project, Sylvanus yielded. Pompous Marcus Townsend was cold at first to save his dignity, but was secretly delighted. The position would add to his per-sonal importance—and his income. They gave him a couple of shares in the new company upon the easiest terms possible. And, Clara's engagement being formally announced, loving parents intimated to her that John Cartwright was a most estimable young man-and they could not think of standing in the way of their dear child's happiness.

"Hang It," sald Sylvanus Cartwright to his wife, "I suppose we might as well let that fool boy of ours marry the Townsend girl. He's lost the Den nison girl and there's a certain financlaf value in the old family stuff after all. Putting that turkey cock, Marcus Townsend, on our board has brought I don't know how much money to our new concern."

POOR TIME TO SOUND ALARM

Would Seem That Clock Might Have Had More Consideration for Its Unfortunate Owner.

The 5:30 commuter's train was about to pull out. Two young hus-bands dashed on board, one carrying a neatly wrapped, harmless-looking package. The late convers had to take separate seats, one in front of the other. The package was duly deposited on the hat rack. Just as the train had pulled out of the station a loud brr-rr sounded through the car. Smiling faces turned around and spied the package reposing on the rack above. All was quiet for a few minutes, then again brr-rr, only louder and longer this time. It was unmistakably the ting of an alarm clock. The smiles had changed to grins and laughs by The owner of the clock got hotter and hotter every minute. His commuter friend leaned forward and in a very audible tone said: "Why don't you shut your alarm clock off?" "My clock?" replied the owner, and glared at his friend. "I wouldn't own an alarm clock." The fellow passengers who sat near vere watching to see if he would take the package with him. Defiant of their gaze, he grabbed It when his station was called and dashed off the train, the clock giving its quivering death gasp.

How is the spirit of a free people to be formed and anhanted and cheered, but not of the storchouse of its historic recollections! Are we to be eternally ringing the changes upon Marsthon and Thermopylae, and going back to read in obscure texts of Greek and Latin, and of the exemplars of patriotic virtue? I thank God that we can find them nearer home, in our own country, on our own soilthat ever swelled in the creast of page of our country's history, in the native etoquence of our mother tongue -that the Colonial and provincial councils of America exhibit to us models of the spirit and character that gave Greece and Rome their name and their praise among pations. Here we ought to go for instructionthe lesson is plain, it is clear, it is applicable.-Edward Everett.

**GRASSHOPPERS INJURE TREES** 

Follage Is Often Completely Devoured and Serious Harm Results-Use Poison Balt.

per infestation, orchard and nursery trees are sure to suffer where the grasshoppers are permitted to migrate from adjoining pastures, meadows or other crops. There are three common species of grasshoppers which do this damage, the red-legged, differential and two-lived. Where injury occurs



it is usually soon after hay harvest The folinge is often completely devoured and serious injury may result where the hungry grasshoppers attempt to appease their appetites for ther by grawing the bark from the twigs and even the trunks of small

Where grasshoppers are abundan on crops near the orelard or nursery

one should take precautions to prevent trouble. Poison bran balt sown broadcast in infested meadows and other crops when the hoppers are yet small will rid the community of the pest. Poison bran bait is prepared by mixing dry 50 pounds of bran and two pounds of white arsenic or paris green and moistening this with about eight gallons of water with which are mixed four quarts of cheap sorghum and the juice and chopped-up rinds of six lemons. Sow this at daybreak so the hoppers will get it for breakfast while yet moist and attractive. Where this precaution is not taken and the hoppers are feeding on the foliage spray the trees heavily with an arsenate of lead solution.

PRUNE NEWLY PLANTED TREE

As Many of Feeding Roots Have Been Left in Ground, Tops Must Be Cut to Balance.

The pruning of trees should begin when they are planted. When the trees are dug from the nursery row many of the feeding roots are left in the ground, and it is necessary to remove some of the top of the trees in order to establish more nearly a balance between the tops and the roots. This pruning should be given immediately after the tree has been set.

The following points short; by kept in mind when performing this operabe left in addition to the central lender. The lowest of these branches should be on the southwest side to prevent sun scald; the branches should he four or five luches apart and on different sides of the trunk in order to avoid crotches; the branches that are left should be cut off eight or ten inches from the trunk and the leader shortened back two-thirds. All other branches should be removed close up to the trunk.

TAKE CARE OF FEACH TREE

As Soon as Fruit Has Seen Gathered Remove All Dead Twigs and Diseased Branches.

As soon as the fruit bas been harvested, all diseased fruit and dead twigs should be removed from peach trees immediately. All weak limbs on the tree that slow any sign of bark beetle injury should also be removed. If these dead twigs and limbs are allowed to remain on the tree throughout the summer, the bark beetle will

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gradually spread over the entire tree and destroy it, Stace the fruit bads for next year's crop are formed during late summer, It is very evident that if a good crop of fruit is to be had next season the proper care should be taken of this

year's growth

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dennis are the proud possessors of a baby girl. born Wednesday.

reported one day this week by one of our physicians Mrs. Edward Fisher and son,

James Robert Birch, went to Chincorengue Monday.

Carolyn, have moved to their new their kindness during the illness, home on South Main St.

Mrs. Layfield, of Wilmington, a don C Grunsten sister of Mrs. R. C. Peters, was criticelly ill at last report.

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Money Club a l on this page. Wanted-10 women operators

Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, steady work Berlin Vencer Works. Mrs. T. S. Armentrout, from near

Wilmington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Warren. Walter Cox attended the funeral

of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G. Strickland, in Wilmington, Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Godfrey and daughter, Mrs. A. H. Abbott, are spend of money on hand for flavoring

Miss Nancy Gibbs, Miss Ida Hollins, and Joe Boston are among the from the American Issue. The of-

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanlin returned to Philadelphia, Tuesday, school or some other phase of the Christmas Money Club after a short visit with Berlin friends.

Thursday of last week, from Wil- tee was appointed. mington, much improved, after her The hostess serve I refreshments recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Workman cocos, and fine apples. and daughter, Irene, went to Washington, Saturday, to visit Mrs. ed to their various homes, after ex-Workman's aunts.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an vited the next meeting. absent friend, why not give a year's subscription to this newspaper?

T. R. Bryde has sold his pretty Bungalow Farm to Mr. Satter. Mr. "I have frequently used Chamber-Bryde intends to spend Christmas lain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid with his wife and chi'd in Balti- for headache and bilious attacks. I am

Don't fail to see our beautiful lisplay of cutlery. C. & P. Hdw.

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The members of the Ladies' Aid on Baker St., will entertain the soc'ety at the home of Mrs. H. B. Powell next Thursday evening.

Noble Morgan, Ernest Downing, Paul Downing and Lester Parker going to Wilmington spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadel-

Mrs. P. C. Squires and daughter, Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Parsonsburg, expect to leave in the next few days to join Mr. Fquires, at Swansboro, N. C.

The ladies of Ironshire M. E. Church will hold a measuring and pie social Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Kelly. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. McVeigh Harrison, of the Order of the Holy Cross, will daughters, Mrs. William Birch, hold an eight-day Mission in St. Mrs. Hugh B. Kelso, of Perryville; Paul's Episcopal Church, Berlin, and the Misses Florence and Katle beginning on Sunday, Jan. 21st.

The Episcopal Church School will bold their Christmas festival in the Come in and see the wonderful Parish House, Wednesday, Dec. Sealy mattress. C. & P. Hdw. Co. 27th, the Primary Department at For Sale-Wall showcase, four 2.30, the Junior and Senior Departments at 7.

Mrs. Edward Coffin and two elder daughters spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Philadelphia, al opping. They spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Coffin's cousin, Miss Maude Hambleton, in Camden, N.

A misunderstanding caused us to report last week that Mrs Fletcher Porter was up. She has been quite ill with branchial trouble since get-For Rent-One apartment and ting better of grippe, but is sitting room s with board, opposite school. up some now. Miss Evelyn Selby, of Wesley, came Monday evening to

#### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and effect-Howard Wilkins leaves today for ual cures have made it a favorite with Baltimore, to spend the holidays people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of young children for Eight new cases of meatles were it always affords quick relief and is free from opium and other harmful arugs.

#### Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten desire to express their sincere thanks E. B. Burbage and sister, Miss to their neighbors and friends for death and burial of their son, Shel- BLACKSMITH SHOP

#### W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union For Rent-3 room house and lot was held Wednesday evening with

near St. Martin's on State road. Mrs. Henry G. Fassett. The president, Mrs. Norris, being absent on account of illness, the Stockholders' Meeting meeting was presided over by Mrs.

Joycie Bunting. The Scripture lesson was read by all joined in the Lord's !'rayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The members answered to the roll-call by repeating a Bible verse, as usual. It was decided in future, if the weather was too bad for a meeting on the appointed evening, to hold

it the following evening.

A card was read from Mrs. J. T. Taylor, the Tri-County Secretary. Mrs. Tucker reported the amount ing part of the week in Atlantic City. Dues were paid for two members. Some encouraging facts were read College students home for Christmas. fering of a prize to the higher grades of school children for the best essay on the evil effects of temperance question was discussed Mrs. Clarence Hanley returned and recommended, and a commit-

consisting of delicious cakes and 25 cents each week,

At ten o'clock the guests returnpressing their appreciation to their hostess for a very pleasant occasion. Mrs. Charles A. Holland has in-

#### Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends Five dollars each week, Chamberlain's Tablets.

more, and has considered going only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

#### Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Many friends in this county will sympathize with his loved ones, because of the going from earth to Heaven, on Sunday, Dec. 17th, from his residence in Wilmington, of Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Mr. Strickland was 84 years old, English by birth, as is also his good wife, but residents of Worcester County, Md., for many years before

Mr. Strickland was a Methodist minister until poor health compelled him to retire, while his wife was the much-loved president of Worcester Co W. C. T. U for a long time. Old age and a complication of

diseasea was the cause of death Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 30, and his temains were laid to rest in a Wilmington Cemetery. "God giveth

His beloved ones sleep " Mr. Strickland is survived by his widow, a son, Rev. Clarence W. Strickland, of Pittsville, and four Strickland, at home.

## Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

9.30 a m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent. 10 45 a. m. Divine Worship,

Christmas Service. 2.30 p. m. Service at Libertytown. 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topic, "How to Have Christ-All the Year."

30 p. m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Memorials." Tuesday, 7 30 p. m., Prayer service. You are cordially invited to these

#### Stevenson M. E. Church

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. Furbush, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m., Preaching by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service.

7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week Prayer-meeting. A cordial invitation extended to all. S. N PILCHARD, Pastor

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and in the summer snow storm The rain just fell like glass, And the barefooted boy with shoes Stood sitting in the grass.

While the organ peeles potatoes Lard was rendered by the choic, While the sexton wang the dishrag Some one set the church on fire. "Holy smokes," the preacher cried,

And in the rush he lost his hair; And now his head's like heaven, For there is no parting there.

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#### In Memoriam.

Thomas R. Bryde.

In loving remembrance of Dear Aunt Link Herry, who d'ed December 21, 1914

More and more each day we miss her; Some may think the wound is healed; But they little know the sorrow

That is within our hearts concealed. We think of her in silence, Few eyes that see us weep; But many a silent tear we shed, For none knew her Lut to love her.

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#### The Lovers' Knot Ring

By ROSE MEREDITH

(@. 1912, by McCiure Newspaper Syndicate, "The house is finished at last," said Leonard proudly, as he unlocked the front door and ushered the brown-eyed girl into the home that was to be

theirs. He bent to kins her before they passed into the living room. "Isn't it cozy?" he asked, just as if he hadn't had her opinion about everything from the topmost brick of the chimney to the cement on the cellar floor. "It is perfect," she breathed softly,

as they went from room to room, hand in hand. Still, there was a shadow in the brown eyes that did not depart when they locked the door upon the home-that-was-to-be-theirs in the au-

"What is it, Mildred?" he asked, suddenly. "I thought you would be so happy about it-now, we can go ahead and buy the furn ture-the money is ready, unless-" he hesitated and saw that her checks were pink and her eyes distressed, "unless you would rather walt a few months for the furniture and I will buy the ring you

She put out her hand-her left hand, where the third finger wore a curious ring of twisted gold and silver. "I feel so consticuous with this, Leonard -all the girls wear solitaires-and they seemed so amused when I explained that I preferred to wear this because it meant just as much to us



Overheard Two of Her Office Asso

as a more costly one-but I don't explain any more." Her lips drooped, "You would rather have the diamond?" he asked with assumed carelessness. "It is only a matter of a few

"I know it, Leonard-I am very foolish," she faltered.

ome to go into is something to star

"Never mind, dear-I know how you feel," he said; "suppose we go around to Burtls' now and choose the ring." The next day the little gold and silver lovers' knot was gone from Mil-

dred's finger and in its place was a glistening diamond that called forth all the admiration she had crayed from her friends at the office and else-

"You are a lucky girl," sighed Jennie Jones, one of the bookkeepers. "You are going to marry a man who has built a house, furnished it completely, and given you a beautiful ring. co! Think of poor me-when I married Will he gave me a gorgeous ring and we bought a thousand dollars' worth of furniture on the installment plan and leased an apartment. That was two years ago-we lost all the furniture, the ring was pawned to pay the doctor's bill when I was so sick last winter, and we are doing light housekeeping in two tiny rooms! I nm back at my job and we are both saving every cent we can for a home

so we can start right the next time." "You are a lucky girl," the words rang in Mildred's ears for many a day after that, as she were the beautiful ring, that sealed her engagement to Leonard. She did not earn a large salary, and it was only by scrimping that she could save a little each week after all her expenses were paid. She was all alone in the world and there was no near relative to navise her about the management of her affairs. But experience was teaching her something and all that long, hot summer, when she met Leonard, she could see that he was practicing small econo-

"Perhaps he is saving for the furniture," she thought with a blush, and she would turn the diamond around so that she could not see its mocking glitter. One day she overheard two of her office associates talking together.

"Married?" sniffed one man. "Can't afford it, my boy. Girls expect too much nowadays-first one has to bust loose with a diamond that's worth twice as much as the other fellows are buying-lease an expensive apart-

Mildred hostened away with burning cheeks. It was all true. She had been most unhappy ever since she had worn the diamond ring. She wanted that money to furnish their homeand as the time went by she realized that the home meant more to her than

all the diamond rings in the world. She thought of the little brown shingled house, empty and waiting betrause there was nothing to furnish it with, One evening she walked over there alone and found a light burning behind drawn window shades. Footsteps were echoing in the bare rooms. Perhaps it was Leonard—she pulled

out her key and softly entered the

The light from the dining room chandeller shone into the living room and showed the walls had been po pered in soft brown-even the celling had been done in tvory. In the ing room was g sing-slap as Leonard applied the paste to lengths of paper spread on a roughly constructed

Leonard was papering the rooms himself. Leonard who worked so hard all day long that he was weary at night-who had gone without a vaction so that he might work in the house he was making ready for herfor the most selfish girl in the world, she told herself angrily.

"Leonard," she said softly. "Pearest," he answered, coming to mbrace her, while a paste brush waved uncertainly over her head, what are you doing bere? I was roing to surprise you by finishing it before Sunday."

"I came to ask you for something," she whispered, her face against his old coat where a dab of wet paste clung; "I want the little lovers' knot ring back again-please."

"But the diamond-have you lost it?" be asked.

"No-but I want you to sell it and let us buy the furniture and be happy, and I feel more engaged with the little ring you gave me at first." He laughed and kissed her, holding her tight to his heart. Then he allowed her to pull the litle ring out of his pocket and slip it her third finger, while the diamond found its way into his pocket to be converted into furniture.

"Now I am happy," sighed Mildred, and the paste brush webbled drippingly over their blissful heads.

#### MANY CAUSES FOR BALDNESS

French Psysician Gives Three Reasons for Man's Head Resembling the Fruit of the Hen.

Some interesting views on the causes of baldness have been put for ward by Doctor Guelpha of Paris. He concludes that there are three rea ons for its effect on men.

In the first place, their hats are too hard and beavy; in the second, they cut their hair too short, and thirdly they eat more than is good for them Wearing a heavy or hard hat obvi ously exerts too much pressure and is decidedly harmful. Cutting the mercy of any variations of tempera

ture and atmospheric conditions. Too much ment, says Doctor Guel pha, according to London Tit-Bits, in creases the acids in the blood and consequently in the perspiration. This is still more harmful to the bair, for it quickens the supply of sebum which thickens around the roots and clogs them. This is the reason why fat men are more addicted to baldness than those who are thin,

Doctor Guelpha declares that if men would only wear light felt hats instead of bowlers there would be les

There is one form of painting, the painting with small cubes of glass up on walls and other surfaces, called mosaic, which belongs in the main to the Middle ages, and was at its greatest in the earlier centuries, though it months more-I am sorry you are lasted at Venice and elsewhere into marrying such a poor fellow-but a the great modern period. Rising to perfection in the great Byzantine churches of the Fifth and Sixth centuries, it was not less fine in the Greece of the Eleventh, in the Sicily, Venice, and Rome of the Eleventh Twelfth, and Thirteenth, and in Constantinople, where in the Fourteenth century there was an independent renalssance of painting-a movement of great promise, cut short by the Turkish canquest. Mosaic is a nobje form of the pictorial art which is beyoud us today, with its glittering lights, its soft, dusky shadows, its depth of color, its majesty of vision and vastness of design. The painting of the Thirteenth century sprang out of It .- Percy Dearmer, D.D.

> Moving Plant Native to East India. The moving plant is a native of East India and is remarkable by reason of the motion of its leaves. These are arranged in groups of three, the lateral leaflets much smaller than the terminal one. These lateral leaflets are in constant motion, being elevated by a succession of jerks and ther moving downward by similar rapid jerks. The motion is not rapid, a complete up-and-down movement taking from two to four minutes

The terminal leaf does not remain quiet, but its movements are not like those of the others.

Seek the Color Scheme. Color schemes may be derived from studying a besutiful plece of tapestry of chintz or of other figured material Such combinations as rose and gray, as purple and lavender and plak are successfully worked out in such materials, Not only the colors that are used in barmony, but the proportion of each

to the other, are necessary details of a successful color scheme. Cook Was First.

Hubby-"Don't worry so about the cook's impudence, Jane. Don't take any notice of her." Wifey-"I have to; she's just given it."-London Weekly Telegraph

Great Waste of Fertilizer. By burning raw bituminous coal in stead of coking it we are annually wasting fertilizers of a crop-producing value of 800,000,000 bushels of wheat

Fatal Lapse of Brain Action. Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of rairoad collisions in this country,

Both Would Be Welcomed. Pressing need of the time is an un-

hittable telegraph pole. Also a hillside that a car won't roll down .-Pittsburgh Gazette-Times,

Cast iron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with

ENROLL MORE BETTER SIRES

List of Persons Engaged in Campaign Has Passed 8,000 Mark and Still Growing.

With the growing understanding of the utility value of purebred live stock and especially purebred sires, the list of persons enrolled in the "Better Sires -Better Stock' campaign is rapidly increasing. The middle of August it passed the 8,000 mark, signifying that many persons have filed statements with the United States Department of Agriculture that their live stock breed-



Bull Ascociations Should Get the Best Bull Obtainable.

ing operations will be corducted hence forth on a purebred-sire busis. This includes all classes of domestic live stock, including povirty.

In some countles of limited area the number of farms is relatively small, Gordon B. Nance, county agent of Oldham county, Ky., points out, how ever, that although his county has only 1,086 farms, 10 per cent of the farmers have signed enrellment blanks, which signifies active participation in systematic live stock improvement work. Other counties in which 10 per cent or more of the farmers are using page bred sires exclusively are: Polaski county, Va., 52 per cent; Kittitus county, Wash., 18 per cent; Greene county, Ohio, 13 per cent, and Orrnge county, Va., 10 per cent. in this connection the bureau of admal industry points out that the proportions are for all farms and that the percentages for farms in which live stock is the principal market product probably would

#### be much higher. GETS EWES THROUGH WINTER Something More Than Simple Ration

Necessary to Secure Strong

Lambs in Spring.

It is possible to carry breeding ewes through the winter on a single ration of corn sliage, clover or alfalfa hay, but to produce strong tambs of good ficient milk, something more than a

simple ration must be fed. If corn silnge of good quality, with a heavy yield of grain, is fed along with clover hay, good results should be secured, advises the animal husbandry section of the Iowa experiment station, if only a limited amount of grain is fed four to six weeks before lambing. However, if the amount of grain in the silage is amall, it will be advisable to feed one-half to one pound a day of grain mixture of corn and oats in addition to what silage and hay the ewes will eat for a somewhat longer period.

#### BIG IMPORTANCE OF FEMALES

Many Live Stock Farmers Awakening to Fact That Sire Is Only Half of the Herd.

Many farmers who make live stock part of their operations are awaken ing to the fact that good females are just as essential as good sires. Often the remark is heard that the sire is half the herd, and with many this is a deliberate attempt to overcome the shortcomings of the females in the herd. The sire may have the same defects as the female and the mating of the two only tends to intensify the defects. There is no question that a good sire will improve any herd, but the better the females the greater the

Get Pigs to Eat Grain. Get pigs to eat grain just as soon as possible so that they can be weaned without loss in weight or a check in growth. Fall pigs are best raised with self-feeders.

For Fattening Hogs. For fattening hogs a self feeder is more successful than the best method of hand feeding

Make Manager Rich. Purebred live stock on every farm and that kept healthy, will make the good farm manager rich in due time.

Shed for the Colte. Provide a darkened shed for the colts running in pasture. It protects them from flies and heat and permits greater gains in weight.

Nature's Penalty. Every duty we omit obscures some fruth we should have known.-Ruskin

Cattle Wearing Halter. A Frenchman has invented a halt erlike arrangement which he puts on the head of young cattle, so that they may be wenned without having to separate them from the rest of the herd, and with little trouble to the farmer. A bit in the mouth allows them to eat and drink while it prevents them from sucking, thus forcing them to feed themselves.

## Horticultural Facts

SPRAYING QUITE IMPORTANT

Not the Only Essential, However, for Good Fruit-Prune, Cultivate

"Spraying is the most important single operation in orchard manage ment," says W. S. Perrine, a big Illinois orchardist, in the Prairie Farmer. "Because it is so important, some orchardists have thought it the only thing essential to produce good fruit. and they have sprayed their trees well. but neglected pruning, cultivating and fertilizing. This practice has generaly resulted in failure or in only partini success.

"Spraying is the most expensive or chard operation. The materials for spray mixtures are expensive, and the tich and cultural operations. A cerrost of equipment and labor is great "The cost of materials can be less ered somewhat by spraying each variety according to its individual need. For instance, Yellow Transparent trees need binch less spray'ng than Duchess Grimes Golden and Jonati un nced fewer sprays and cheaper mixtures than Ben Davis,

"The expense for labor can be cut just about in half by the use of prover equipment and management. Por example, two spray rigs and the right kind of a supply-tank wagon will spray Just about twice as much orchard as two rigs mone. Or, to put it another way, two sprny rigs with a good supply-tank rig will spray about or quite as much as four rigs without the supply tank. "Proper equipment énables the grow-

er to get his spraying done on time, or more nearly so. It is necessary to have the spraying on the trees when the eggs of insects batch and the small-winds and the avoldance of low-lying insects begin to cut, and also when the ground subject to severe frosts in fungous spores are being produced. common mistake is to spray too late instead of too carty.

"Spraying should be done thoroughly. However, the trees do not need to be drenched. Summer applications should cease just before the drenching point. Expert sprayers using angle nozzles, small-hole caps and high pressure can do a thorough job and stop spraying long before the drenching point is reached. This is the deal which the average grower has not been able to attain, because he has not the expert belp.

"For several years we have been do ing as much of our scale spraying as



A Demonstration in Proper Spraying remains can easily be done in the spring. When after the growth starts, but not so late as to cause injury to the foliage, we spray again some of the varieties and sections of the orchard that are most susceptible to

senb and blotch. "If our fruit is more or less infected with scab or blotch one senson we are not discouraged, but simply go after the spraying stronger the next season, with a determination to get the sprays on earlier and more thoroughly. Comparatively clean fruit can be produced even on old, badly-infected orchards."

#### CUT OUT BLACKBERRY CANES

After Fruiting Season Prune Back Old Wood and Burn It-Mulch to Keep Moisture.

After blackberries are picked the old bearing cames should be cut back, the old wood burned and the berry rows cultivated. This work should be done ns soon as convenient as much will depend upon making and keeping a mulch to retain moisture for plants during the summer and early fall, Cut back the care about 18 inches above

the ground, A solid sweep is a good implement to cultivate with, at least for the first cultivation in the event the ground is hard and there are weeds. The second cultivation may be done nicely with a one-horse or junior cultivator.

Too Much Water Harmful. Although too little water causes strawberries to be few and small, too much water often renders the fruit

soft and unfit for shipment.

Finch Blackberry Canes. The tops should be pinched out of the new blackberry canes when they reach the height of two and a half or three feet. This will increase the stockiness of the plants as well as the fruithig area of the wood for next

Trim Bush Fruits. The best way to trim gooseberry and current vines is to cut each year one or two of the older falt canes and to allow as many of the newer sprouts to remain to take their place.

Taker of First Whale Honored, Among the Eskimo communities grent honor is paid to the boat which catches the first whale of the season.

Cheerfulness Goes Far. Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness, altogether past calculation in power of endurance.-Inomas Carlyle,

Marvelous Work of Nature. The fly's wing is one of the most perfect and delicate pieces of mechanism Nature has ever produced.

SELECT BEST ORCHARD SITE

Nothing More Important to Well-Being of Trees Than Deep, Friable Soil, Well Drained.

It is only within recent years that the selection of the site for an orchard on the farm has been given any serious thought. Nothing is more important to the well-being of the trees than the choice of a site on deep, friuble soil, naturally well drained if possible, and sheltered from the prevailing winds.

A moderately level area is generally desirable in order to facilitate irriga-



A Well Cared for Planting tain amount of shelter from heavy spring which would rain the blossoms are the chief points to be borne in

Haying selected the site, "observation pits" should be dug in order to some idea of the relationship of the top soil to the subsoil and the un'ure of the latter. Where any doubt exists as to the porosity of the subsoil pits should be dug to a depth of two and a half feet and fill them with water; in a sufficiently porous soil this should drain overnight-if not, the natural drainage is at fault and should be corrected.

Everything proving satisfactory, the and should be ploughed as deeply as possible, then harrowed or disked to break down and assist in leveling. The next item is to cross-plough the site and harrow again. By this time the rchard land will be shaping up and the soil will be capable of retaining noisture and absorbing warmth.

A little grading may be necessary in several places, especially if it is the ntention to irrigate the trees, Having thoroughly prepared the land in which the trees are to grow, develop and produce fruit, it is always gratifying to know that if the trees do not thrive as well as expected, the trouble is not due to lack of preparation.

#### SPRAY FOR FUNGOUS DISEASE

Low Forms of Plant Life Reproduce From Spores, Similar to Seeds in Higher Plants.

Fungous diseases are low forms of plant life which live on the higher forms of plants, such as we grow in our gardens and fields and orchards. These fungi reproduce from spores which are quite similar to seeds in higher plants. Fungous diseases are usually carried over from one year till another in diseased fruits, diseased leaves, twigs, etc.

Spraying for fungous diseases is not cure, but a preventive, if effective. A fungicide must consist of the proper material applied at the proper strength at the right time. The solution, or the dust, as the consistency may be, must be applied thoroughly.

Examples of fungous diseases are brown rot of the peach, black rot of the grape, apple scab, peach-tree leaf curl, etc. The remedy is bordeaux mixture, a mixture of copper sulphate (bluestone) and lime in water, or lime-sulphur, summer strength, must e used while foliage is green.

#### MAKING CUTTINGS OF GRAPE

Most Propagators Prefer to Get Just Below a Bud on Lower End-Tie in Bundles.

Grape cuttings are made from wellripened wood of the past season, usually about eight inches in length, Most propagators prefer to cut the lower end just below a bud and the upper end one or two inches above a bud. They may be tied in bungles of 50 or 100 by means of twisted willow twigs and stored and well callused. Place them in a pit with the

butt end up and three inches of soil

Remove the Labels.

The labels should be removed from fruit trees as soon as they are planted, or they should be so fixed that they cannot tighten and cut through the

Keep the Runners Off. Keep the runners off the everbearing strawberry plants if you want more

Water for Berry Plant: Berry plants require tess water it their first year than attorward.

RAIL YARD TO COST MIL' C

Freight Terminals to Be Built at O. at Los Angeles Will Cover 700 Acres.

Actual construction will be startshortly on a 700-acre freight termin covering a two-mile strip along the Fernando road, beginning at the N-Broadway yards, by the Southern i elfic Rullway company at a cost of eral millions of dollars. This autom ! ment was made recently by T. II v llams, assistant general manathe company, necording to the l

Angeles Examiner. The completed yard will be one the most extensive and comprehes freight terminals in the country will include sections for class it ? and receiving, car storage, delivery pair tracks, stock resting corrais, et tric power house and illuminatio, s tem for the yard, two 50 stall comhouses, enboose tracks, drill ten-

water tanks and mammoth repair sh "The construction of this b freight terminal at Los Angeles is practical recognition of the trem, and growth of the city and surround towns and of the greater growth

prospect," said Mr. Williams. In 1920, a normal year, one rattrecompany spent more than \$5,000 for materials and supplies in 1. Angeles. Its normal pay roll is approx

imately \$1,000,000. Really Useful Umbrella. It was a French inventor, with a tender heart for bleyclists, chauffeurs. fishermen and wandering artists, who contrived a form of unabrella for protection against sun or rain, which can be easily and solidly attached to

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## STATE CAPITAL

Next year will be the last in which the office of the Automobile Commissioner will serve as the biggest single revenue-producing department of the State. In 1922 this department produced about \$2,700,000 from the registration fees of automobiles. On the basis of these figures it should collect about \$3,000,000 in 1923, most of which will be received prior to January 15. After that the receipts of the office will be nominal in comparison with pected that the receipts ever will exceed \$1,000,000 again.

The reason for this is the tax on gasoline. Beginning January 1, 1924, this tax will con litute the bulk of the charge on automobilists for the use of the State roads. The tax has been in effect since June 1 last, but it has been only at the rate of 1 cent a gallon and has been for the purpose of providing for the deficit in the construction funds of the State Roads

State Roads Commission, who worked in securing its passage through the worked out simost exactly as anticipated. It has averaged \$60,000 a month for the six months the tax has seen in operation and is expected to average \$65,000 a month for the 13 months to January 1, 1924. If it does, the maintenance deficit will be wiped

On January 1, when the two-cent tax on gasoline goes into effect, it is expected to produce a revenue of at least \$1,500,000 a year. Then the registration fees of automobilists will be reduced. The new charge is expected to be about one-third of the old registration fees, or 20 cents per horsepower. Adoption of the gas tax by Mgrglad and the District of Columbia automs ically will solve all reciprocity thoubles that have been agitating motorists for years.

A bill already 's before Congress tags for Washington machines.

ors Physician For Walfare of Welters, believes that one of the members of the Board of Welfare should be a physician of standing. To this end it is probable that Mr. Coplentz will recommend that Governor Ritchie appoint Dr. Lewellys F. Barker to the Board.

Dr. Barket is chairman of the physicians' committee, which, at the request of the present State Board of Prison Control, has reported recently on conditions at the House of Correction and the Penitentiary. it appears that Mr. Coblentz is will-

warden of the "Cut". There has been some speculation as to whether Robert D. Case, secreary of present Prison Board, will be ade secretary to the new Board of Welfare. It seems that action to supersede Mr. Case may be deferred a year, as he has an extensive knowl-

edge of the Prison Board's work. The Director of Welfare takes the view that he should devote all the time necessary to discharge the duties of his new office, even if those duties take six days out of the seven.

#### Sweezey Talks On Code.

Maryland's penal system and needed reforms in the classification of prisoners furnished the theme of an the price of the Advance at the Sweezey at the meeting of the Men's same low rate when every other Club of Grace and St. Peter's Church. No study is made of convicts at the present time, according to Warden Sweezey, who also said that the House of Correction, intended for "first of appreciate our sacrifice enough to fenders," is filled with vagrants and tramps, who have a bad influence on youthful prisoners sent there.

"What is needed," he declared, "is system of classification whereby convicts might be placed in institutions and pursuits in keeping with their characters and tendencies. Such classification should be carried out by medical officers and psychlatrists."

#### Fifth Regiment Adds 150 To its

Personnel. The Fifth Maryland Infantry has the recruiting began in October. This

short of the peace-time quota. A movement to recruit and organize Company L from the young men of tion will be known as the Walbrook Company. The Headquarters Company, recently organized, is still short

#### State Snow Plows Ready.

The State Roads Commission's 65 now plows are all ready for any blizard that may develop. The plows are ept at strategic points along the tete's highway system.

Come to All Men. Man, be he who he may, experiences a last piece of good fortune and a

Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

Elkton.-Given a hearing before Magistrate Andrew J. Jones, of Rising Sua, on the charge of killing a pheasant contrary to the State game laws, what they have been. It is not ex. Joseph Hell, of Rowlandville, was fined \$25 and costs, amounting to \$34.10.

Elkton.-The School Commissioners for Cecil county have engaged Clarence R. Hope, of Baltimore, to prepare plans and specifications for the pen school buildings to be erected from the \$150,000 bond issue, which was approved and authorized by the voters at the November general election.

Princess Anne.-The following officers of the Princess Anne Volunteer John N. Mackall, chairman of the Fire Company were elected to serve for one year from January 1: Presiout the gas tax and was instrumental | dent, C. Edwin Hayman; vice-president, Paul A. Walker; treasurer, Oscar Legislature, said the one-cent tax had F. Jones; secretary, Burton H. Dryden; chief, George W. Colborn, Jr.

Cumberland,-Mrs. Margaret Ann Cox, 80 years old, widow of Samuel Cox, died at her residence here. She is survived by one daughter. Sarah Connors; three brothers, Thomas, Charles and Wesley Cox, and two sisters, Mrs. Seliah Wheeler and Mrs. Louise Foyd.

Cambridge.-Mrs. Margaret Jane Gillis, widow of William Gillis, 89 years old, died Thursday morning Mrs. Gillis leaves three sons and three daughters, George B., Henry L., Ernes A., and Miss Lottle Gillis, Mrs. Isaac Pattison and Mrs. John Pattison, all of this county. She was a native of Viccinico county, but had lived in Dorchoster for the last 50 years.

Prizes Frederick.-The members o the Calvert County Medical Society providing for the adoption of the gas met in Prince Frederick Thursday tax in the District beginning with and elected officers, Dr. William H. 1924. When the fit passed no Waah- Marsh was elected president, Dr. I. N ington license to a till be required for King, vice-resident, and Dr. J. W. Maryland mach us and no Maryland Leitch, escritary. Dr. Phillip Briscos was elected delegate to the State Med feat Association. It was decided that

> Year's Eve at the Exactive Mansie at Annapolis by Covernor Ritchie, i was announced by the local headquar ters. This reception has become a annual custom. It was said that 150 officers were present last year. The Fifth Regiment has added 150 men to its personnel during the recruiting drive which began in October

Elkton.-In the Circuit Court for Cecil county when the cases of Harry Hall, Harry Harvey and Charles Biding to allow the Governor to find a dle, of North East, and Robert Vansuccessor to William H. Lankford as diver and Thomas C. Hopkins, of Havre de Grace, indicted by the grand jury on the charge of violating the gunning laws governing the Susquehanna Flats, were called their coun sel entered demurrers to the indictments, which were upheld by the court, thus wiping the case off the docket. The State Game Department, which is pushing the cases, will, it is understood, undertake to have these men indicted in the Federal Court at Eultimore.

> Baltimore.-Mrs. David M. Robinson was elected regent of the Thomas Johnson Chanter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a meeting held at the College Club, 821 North Charles street. Mrs. Howard O. Price was chosen vice-regent; Miss Katherine D. Hull, recording secretary; Mrs. George R. Ellsler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William H. Hayward, treasurer; Mrs. George M. Scott, historian, and Mrs. Edward Passano registrar. Additions to the board of management were as follows: Mrs. William M. Powell, Mrs. Frederic Tyson, Mrs. Wallace L. Ball and Mrs. Augustus S. Duffey. Following the elections the educational work and activities of the State Board of Forestry were explained in an illustrated lecture by F. W. Besley, State

Baltimore. - Nomination of Alap Johnstone, Jr., as director of the Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission was confirmed by the board of direct ors. Immediately afterward Mr. Johnstone announced that he would summon the executive committee and the added 150 men to its personnel since consulting committee, which is composed of the president and vice-presitrings the personnel of the regiment dents, toward the end of framing "a up to 1,250, which is only 150 men work program." This program, which will deal exclusively with police administration, criminal jurisprudence, institutions, probations and Walbrook is now on. This organiza- paroles, juvenile court systems and all other matters related to the undertaking of the commission, may be outlined. Its application will begin at about the first of the year. The director has already proposed to the board of directors the name of an associate director. Officers have not yet no funds, but, according to Mr. Johnstone, contemplates a campaign to raise \$35,000 or so through public subscription. "For myself," he said. "I am ready to start without funds."

> Wedding Ring Never Pleased. The ancient Greeks and Porcans used betrothal rings as picdges, but not wedding rings.

HEAT IS WASTED THROUGH FAULTY EURNACE SYSTEM. -"In beating bouses we really use ten times as much coal as is necessary," Cherles P. Steinmetz, research expert for the General Electric company, said recently in a contribution to the coal number issue of the Survey

"We could save also tenths of it, but we probably will not do so until forced to it by a falling coal supply, for to save would require a radical change in building construction,

"Usually over 90 per cent of all the heat from our furnaces is lost. Although we must replace the foul air with fresh air. there is no reason why we air all the good and valuable heat which it contains and not supply new heat to the fresh air. If it were properly arranged we would take the heat out of the foul air before we exhaust it, turn it into the incoming fresh air, and so heat the lacoming air by the heat of the outgoing

warm mir. This recovery of the heat is called the regenerative system of heating. We could do this by passing the outgoing warm air around the outside of the pipes which bring in the fresh air and

so warm the latter by the former. "By proper building construcslight, so that a very small amount of neat would warm the house; so small, indeed, that it would be economical to heat nouses electrically; economical to own a house without a chim-ney, even though the price of electric energy must always remain many times greater than the price of coal, considering the same amount of energy."

#### MAKES A PERMANENT CHANGE

Why Egg, Once Boiled to Hardness Will Not Soften With a Drop in Temperature.

An egg contains a large proportion of albumen, intended by nature for the nour shment of the growing chick. This allumen belongs to a class of substances which have the peculiarity of "congulating" or turning solid when exposed to a certain degree of heat.

It is, too, for this reason that it is impossible to cook an egg on the top of a high mountain, for there, owing to a lesser atmospheric pressure, the water boils at a lower temperature, and tals temperature being under the sible to "cook" on egg.

How Lime Increases Fertility. That lime or calcium salts increase the fertility of animals has been strik ingly shown by the German physiologists Emmerich and Loew, in a secent investigation reported in Umschau (Berlin). They used three groups of mice in their experiments. The first group was given ordinary food; the second received the same with the addition of measured quantities of table salt (sodium chloride), which has also the reputation of increasing fecundity; the third group received corre sponding amounts of calcium chloride instead of the sodium chloride. Within a given length of time the three groups bore offspring 23 times, 33 times and 43 times respectively. In spite of the great increase of the number of litters in the third case, the total number of individuals was also greater. At the end of seven months covered by the investigation, the three groups had produced respectively 115, 170 and 262 young.

Some highly interesting observaby Dr. E. H. Hankin, in the Arabian sea. In still weather the length of a glide was about a meter, with considerable lateral instability; in a light wind this was increased to from 200 to 400 meters. A resemblance betures and the fin action of the fishes was marked. In both, the wing or fin is inclined upward, the outer part at a higher level than the base, in slow-speed flights, while both show a downward inclination in flight at high speed.

A corset that was used as evidence in four trials in Philadelphia was given to a boy to be burned up after a ver dict had been finally reached. It had passed through the hands of numeror lawyers and police officials in their investigations, but it remained for the boy to find \$128 concealed in it.

Why Storm Sours Milic. There is something about the condition of the air when charged with electricity during a thunder storm which affects the milk; while the moisture and warmth of the air at such a time also has some effect upon milk and cream, causing it to turn sour. A girl in Vermont is said to have a blue-eyed cut. The cut had two kit-

cat's eye. Comes in Silence. Joy descends quietly upon us like the evening dew and does not patter down like a hallstorm. Joan Paul

tens, one of which has odd eyes. One

of its eyes is blue, like its mother's,

while the other is like the ordinary

The second biennial conference of cout executives held at Blue Ridge, N. C., in September, proved to be the largest meeting of professional lead-era of boys ever held in the world. Over 400 executives from all parts of the country, devoting their full time to the work of scouting, and a group of experts in executive management endership, education, recreation, outof-doors activities, camp and woodcraft, Indian lore and boy psychology. met for the purpose of training and discussion. These executives are regarded as the key-pins, so to speak, of this great movement numbering 6-50,000 boys and men. On them rests the responsibility of maintaining standards and keeping the work efficient and progressive, and of bringing within the reach of every boy in this coun try, regardless of birth, creed or mationality the advantages of the scout movement-namely, character building and citizenship training through a program of work and play in the out-of-

The earliest morning hour each day of the conference was devoted to a training course for new executives This was under the leadership of Lorne W. Barelay, national director of education, B. S. of A. Among the speakers were James E. West, chief scout executive; A. A. Shuck, executive of Reading, Pa.; George E. Ehler national director of records; E. B. De Groot, executive of Los Angeles; James M. Brockway, executive of Portland, Ore., and Dr. George J. Fisher, deputy chief scout executive, and E St. Elmo Lewis of New York, Detroit and Chicago, who delivered a powerful budgets, advertising and publicity, records and accounting, the executive and the community.

Then came a good morning sing, followed by inspirational talks on "Service," given by Franklin K. Mathlews, chief scout librarian; Prof. H. H. Horne, professor of history of education and philosophy at New York university; Rev. John F. White, educational director of boy scout extension, national Catholic Welfare

that boys love. The men built lean tos of branches, improvised beds o balsam boughs, tenrned to tie a dia mond bltch, light camp fires without valls-that would fill an uninitiated with total dismay; they learned how to blaze new trails, and more than one method of finding their way when

lost in the woods. National Scout Commissioner Dan Beard, actual pioneer of many years' experience, daily gave demonstration of camperaft and wooderaft. Commodore W. E. Longfellow, noted swimmer and official of the American Red Cross, gave instruction in lifesaving by land and by water.

New games-red-blooded boy games

that call for sportsmanlike attitude that develop strength and clear thinking and are filled with the joy of adventure, were demonstrated by Charles F. Smith, in charge of the Scoutmasters' Training school at Columbia university, and by Dr. E. K. Fretwell, also of Columbia, both of whom are authorities on the subject of recreation. Ralph Hubbard, expert plainsman, student for many years in Indian ceremonials, interpreted Indian lore and exhibited his collection of Indian regalla. Mr. James A. Wilder, artist, author, boy expert and chief sen scont, Boy Scouts of America, came to the conference from Hawaii. L. L. Mc-Donald, national director of camping, shared with his colleagues the knowledge and experience he had gained from study and Inspection of scout camps throughout the country; safety measures, programs for camps, camp sanitation and real cooking were features Mr. McDonald emphasizes. Prof. J. C. Elsom, director of scout courses of the University of Wisconsin, and Prof. E. Laurence Palmer, assistant professor of rural education of Cornell university, contributed special ideas on outof-door work and play. Also one of the national council officers, George D. Pratt, treasurer, who for many years has been a mender of the Camp Fire Club of America, took part in the outof-door instruction.

#### THE PIONEER SCOUT

A ploneer scout is a scout who, because of distance or other reasons, cannot associate himself with a troop, and after the manner of the great early pioneers.

SCOUTS TO LAY TRAIL Boy scouts of the Bronx, New York, are laying a trail which will completely encircle the Kanawauke Lake camps and will measure 40 level miles, which will be extended from 25 to 50 per cent when all the hills and valleys are included. Portions of this trail have niready been marked, but many of the markers have disappeared. The trail follows a path of remarkable scenic beauty and the scouts' work as trail layers will be a real good turn to all the enjoy biking.

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stone and sprig. The real Highlander feels sad when he reads that the wide Cameron es tates of 117,000 acres, including the do mains of historic Lochaber and Lochlel, are in the market. They include a big sheep range and some valuable timber, but that is about all commercially, for deer, black-game and wild duck are not articles of

In the old days the great lairds maintained these wild lands and their wild retainers out of their own pockets; now they cannot afford it and lands and retainers have to go. In all the Highlands, probably there is no clan better known by name and story to the world than the mighty Camer ons. The Cameron Highlanders, "The March of the Cameron Men," Lochiel's siogan and the Lochaber ax, are spoken of everywhere.

There was not a Cameron among the "Seven Men of Glenmoriston" (who were Grants, MacDonells, Macgregors and Chisholms), but they were connected with almost every other opisode of the gallant young Prince Charlie's sad and brief career. The beautiful estates now in the market were forfeited on that account, to be restored half a century later, this being the only break in the Cameron

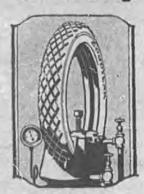
Cosmopolitan New York. New York each year becomes more

of a foreign city. With considerably more than half of its population foreign-born or of foreign parent-age, and with fully a third of its residents Jewish, it is fost acquiring many habits and customs that are distinctly not American, although in all the various groups of nationalities in the metropolis systematic efforts toward Americanization are be-

The principal acciety at work to this end is called "America's Making." in headed by Dr. John Houston Finley, formerly president of City college and widely known in educations circles. At a carnival this society gave at the Hotel Astor the other evening there were groups of 26 differ ent nationalities, all in native dressand my of them were New Yorkers.

His Own "Doublet" New modern statesmen are the sub ject of so many good stories as M. Clemenceau, who is eighty-one. Here is one of the intest:

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The other day he went round the street markets of Paris testing prices, following his usual habit of seeing things for himself. Asking an old woman at one of the stalls the price of some carrots, he was told 60 cen-

"They are too dear," he protested. "I will give you fifty." The woman looked at him a minute, perhaps to see if it was worth while haggling, and then said: "Very well, you shall have them for fifty, because, my little old man, you escrible our good M. Clemenceau,

Keep Tight Rein on Emotions. The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulsiveness. The storms of emotion which continually sweep through them cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their Judgment, and thus. deceiving them into conclusions which

may be the reverse of sound, "An angry man," as the proverb tersely puts it, "cannot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the sensibly efficient, the success-winners. -H. Addington Bruce in the Chicago

The Prophet. A prophet is not without honor but in his own country and in his own house and among his own kindred,-

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

# From the Tax Revi-

The first meeting of the Tax Re-1922. The members of the Com- tion.' mission are:

Francis King Carey, William H. Maltbie, J. Augustine Muson, Frank Novak, and George C. Smith.

Mr. Carey and Mr Malthie are members of the Baltimore Bar; Mr. Mason is a prominent lawyer of that often accompanies constipation. Hagerstown; Mr. Novak i- a wel known Baltimore builder, and Mr Smith is the Director of the Indutrial Bureau of the Board of Trade of Baltimore

All of the members of the Comserve without pay.

By the terms of the Act 'under which it was appointed the Commission is requested to investigate Municipal taxation in force in Marland and to inquire into their practical operation and effect in the rats ing of adequate revenue The Commission is instructed to it quire into the systems of State, Con ty and Municipal taxation in force in other States and to ascertain their p ac tical operation and off ot, and is in structed to make a printed report to the Governor by Dec mber 1, 1923, dith L Davis R Crawford Holland, for his use and for transm s-ion by him to the General Assembly of 1924; which report is to contain a Po'k, Eleanor Po'k, Norris Polk-"don't of a general system of law Ernest Greenfield Ho'land, Micnie providing for the imposition and col- E Joseph, Raymond Joseph, Charlection of revenue, taxes and charges lie Joseph, Daniel Joseph

At the conclusion of the meeti-Mr. Carey made the following start ment:

"Governor Ritchie has asked to Tax Revision Commission to per form a very difficult and responsible piece of work; and although all of us have been selected by the Governor without any cargulation with us, we have all thought it our duty entered aggressively upon our investigations

"The Act requires all public offi cers of the State to supply us, on request, with all needed informa tion; but our Commission feels that as it has a State-wide responsibility, which it must, of course, exercise o'd son of Mr. and Mr. Engene in an absolutely impartial fashion, Denris. it must have the warmest co operation and support from all the officials of the State who have to do with the questions of taxation in the cities and counties of the State, and we will seize upon the earliest on portunity to confer with these offi cials and invite their advice au I suggestions. In the meantime, we will set in motion machinery for collect ing, recording and digesting all possible information which we can ob. the right price, we have place in tain from other States, many of our yard two cars of the best soft which, we understand, have recent. coal obtainable, also two cars of ly completed and reported upon in Semi-Anthracite, screened to nut vestigations of this character, and size. We do this so we will be in in some of which modernized ma chinery for assessing and collecting thing to keep them warm, in adtaxes has been in operation long dition to our monthly allotment of survey of the United States Departenough to give reasonable evidence Anthracite. of its practical operation.

Whether our Commission recommends to Governor Ritchie, as coals and according to reports from It was formerly thought that their the result of our study, any radical changes in the present tax laws cr not, I think the entire Bar of the State and all of the taxing authori ties will agree with us in thinking that the existing laws can at least be put in a more orderly and intelligible form without the exercise of any high ability in Statute writing; you something to keep you warm and even if we find it unnecessary or undesirable to recommend any radical changes in the taxing system of Maryland, I think we may DAVIS ICE & COAL CO., be able to render a real service to

the public by recodifying the existing law so that it will be found under one article and can be read and understood by a man of ordinary

"It is perhaps unnecessary to say that the members of our Commission will take the greatest pleasure really good watil Grant's monumen in receiving and carefully consider- was reached. ing any suggestions which anybody is good enough to make to us. Durng the coming spring and summer is the purpose of the members of he Commission to visit each one of years. the counties of the State for the purpose of having personal conferences with the local taxing authorities; and if the Mayor and City Council provides for a Commission to study the local taxing system of Baltimore, we will, of course, gladly welcome

any suggestions they make to us. "Before completing our report or making a final draft of a State-wide vision Commission appointed by revenue law, which the Act requires Governor Ritchie, under the provi- us to make, we expect to have our sions of Chapter 427 of the Acts of work checked by high class expert the General Assembly of 1922, was advice-especially from the statistiheld on Thursday, December 14th, cal standpoint of revenue produc- you think I should take-the advice of

When You Are Constipated.

To insure a healthy action of the bowels and correct disorders of the liv er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets mmediately after supper. They will not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, while it unpleasant effects, but banish that dull, stupid feeling,

#### Notice to Santa Claus.

So many children have written letters to "Santa Claus" this season, mission are requested by the Act to expecting the Advance to publish them, that we find it impossible to Mr. Carey was chosen Chairman do so. We are sorry to disappoint of the Commission and Mr. Malthie the little ones, and would advise each child to tell their parents what things they especially want and perhaps they can get word to him. We hope that each one will receive the the systems of State, County and gifts best suited to make happy hours, and that each child will try to appreciate the presents received and be happy with them, even if they fail to get other things that they very much want.

The following children wish a vis

it from Santa Clan : Berlin, Maryland: El-ie M Esham, James Tsuitt, Macon Truit', Hilda L. Pavis, E. Elizabeth t bristonier, Grace Thomas, D nald P. Marshill, Catherine

Lauise Jarmon, Georgia Jarmon. Whaleyville.

Charles Hottoway Trutt, Dails Rad Figure, Lettle Carre, Carroll drim Holloway

Newark: Release E Spence, Arman H Williams, Jr

Showell: Madelina Ellis, Corrie Ellis, Je to accept the appointments and have Helen Smeck, Calvin Smack, Clara Smack Lester Smack, John Farson,

> Bishopville: Charlotta M Gallion

Ocean City: John Quillin, Camilla Dennis, Mildred Dennis, and the three-year-

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OF COURSE DORIS WON OUT

in the Face of Such an Argument?

They had been chatting since entering the bus, but the Worsen, who sat opposite them on top, heard nothing

Without taxing her hearing in the least the Woman learned that Liey were former schoolmates at the university (for university days were mentioned again and again) who were revisiting the city after a number of

"I don't think the girls of this century will ever stand for long skirts again," remarked the one in the green telling me just before I came away. She was making a skirt for her daughter, Doris. Everything except Evelyn wanted to make this a little longer than Dorls' other skirts. She told her that the fashion was for Increasing the length, But Doris was

"Evelyn, you know, generally lets her have her way in matters of dress, burst into tears. 'Be fair, mums,' she pleaded. 'Honest Injun, now which do

"And what happened?" "Oh, mother shortened the skirt, o ourse."-Exchange.

HISTORIC HOME FOR AMERICA?

Possibility That Dwelling in Which Miles Standish Was Born May Be Brought Here.

The hero of Longfellow's poen The Courtship of Miles Standish, was a real historical character, who was born in Inneashire, England, somewhere about 1584. It is now sug gested that the house where he was orn should be transported to New England. It is even said that within six months the four rooms of the Standish home now located in the parcashire, England, will be fitted into the house for some United States citizen Mayflower days. The Standish house has been occupied by the Standish family since the Norman conquest. One of the ancestral stately homes of England is lost now being taken down ind carried across the Atlantic to be to these ancient buildings could also what a heap of renown that enterpris ing nation could collect and own?-Montreal Family Herald.

Rodent Was the Burglar, A New York Chinaman sent an u complaining that \$900 had been stoler from him. The Chink, who conduct without results. As they turned to abandon their search, one of them noticed a small bundle of paper move across the cellar floor. Springing upon the object, he pieced his foot full upon it. The bundle ceased to move, bunded dollars in bills was in the bundle, thus accidentally clearing up what might have been a baffling mys-

Diplomatic Corps Cared For. with the cold this winter, owing to the coal shortage, but the administration has seen to it that the 400 persons in the diplomatic corps will not suffer owing to a lack of fuel. htany of the artificial heat in homes is almost un known and, indeed, unnecessary, and worried about their empty coal bins The State department has given then precedence over others, thus emphasizing the entente cordiale. It is only in recent years that the English and the Scotch have known the comfort of steam heat, the sea coal fire, as they call it, burned in open grates, being the only method of heating their homes.-Washington Star.

Something He Can Teach Her "I simply couldn't teach my wife to drive the car. Gave it up and let

Same with bridge. She wouldn't n to me at all. Hired a tutor for

"Well?" "Dancing was another art we arned separately. Always wrangled when we tried the new steps together, but, at that, there's one thing she's

willing to let me teach her." "What Is that?" "She insists that I must teach her how to blow cigarette smoke through

Martens Raised in Captivity. The raising of martens in captivity now commercially possible as a re sult of the discovery of their breeding season by naturalists of the biological ment of Agriculture. These valuable fur bearers mate late in July and in We will be pleased to have your August, and appear to have a gestation than most animals of the same group. the best authorities, you will be breeding season was in the fall or pleased with the Semi-Anthracite, winter, the young being born in the

> Odd European Belief. some parts of Europe, when there are several bables to be chris insist on the minister baptizing the girl bables first, as otherwise when they grow up they will develop beards.

Ages of Trees. The Tortworth chestnut, in England, figures upon a charter dated 1135, and so is probably well on toward its tenth century, or there is an oak at Tilford, near Farnham, which was there in the year 1250.

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#### Trustee's Sale Of Valuable

Real Estate "If the automobile craze continues," uerled a Man Who Loves to Talk, what will we do for roads for the It to run on? Just now all the

main road's around the city are used to capacity on nice Sundays, and it is common knowledge that down-town streets are so jammed at times that a day of December, 1922, in a cause pendman can walk on the sidewalk faster ing in said court, wherein John S. Gordy than a car can trave, in the street, et al are complainants and Martin Man-Shall we have to double-deck our uel et al are defendants, being No. nembers, "But the use of automo-

epidemic that swept the country in the middle eightles was a craze. Reman ber how rinks sprang up in every was a cruze. The Williamsburgh bridge was built while it was at its height, and plans for the bridge called bikes, but the craze passed before the orldge was completed.

"Ping-pong was a craze that bloomed in the morning and died at night, though while it lasted there were motorear are not crazes. They are in-

CHANGES IN ARCTIC OCEAN a Little Too High, and Ice Is Less Pientiful.

The Arctic ocean is warming up, icebergs are growing scarce and in some claces the seals are finding the water too h.t, according to a report to the Commerce department from Consul

Reports from Ashermen, seal huntchange in elimatic conditions and hitherto unheard of temperatures in the Arctic zone, exploration expeditions reporting that scarcely any ice has been red as far north as 81 degrees 29 minutes. Soundings to a depth of 3,100 meters showed the Gulf stream

placed by moraines of earth and while at many points wellglaciers have disappeared Very few seals and no white fish are being found in the eastern Arctic, while vast sheals of herring and smelts, which never before have ventured so far north, are being encoun tered in the old seal-fishing grounds.

Ingenious, but Futile Plea. When a robbery is not a robbery, was told a judge of General Sessions in New York, when a negro was charged with entering a house and taking a \$3,500 diamond ring. "Did you?" asked the judge. "Jedge," said the prisoner, "It wasn't no burglary.

spahkled. Oh, Jedge, if it on'y hadn't spabkled! An' I said: 'Lady, what you got thaih on yoh hand?' An' she go ra't out im-mee-dee-ate. An' I burglary." It seemed that the prisoner had undergone a similar painful experience at another apartment not convictions. He will sparkle in Sing Sing for fourteen pears.

Ancestors Worth Boasting About, For about an hour a man from Den ver had been boasting to an Irishman about the magnificence of the Rocky

mountains," the Irishman observed. "You bet I am," replied the man from Denver. "And I ought to be, since my ancestors built them."

The Irishman thought this over for a few moments and then asked, "Did you ever happen to hear ov the Dead sen in -in one ov the old countries?" "Yes, indeed," replied the man from Denver, "I know all about the Dead

"Well, did you happen to know that great-grandfather killed the thing?"-London Tit-Bits.

Felt His Job Was Safe. A newspaper that was not making expenses decided to economize, and accordingly two reporters and a special writer were dismissed. The other employees became nervous with the exception of one man who showed no symptoms of uneasiness. He worked in what was known as the art department, for the journal published a great many pictures. Asked if he had had no qualms as to the stability of his job, he said: "Oh, no. They can't fire me." "Why not? They are cutting all along the line." "Waal, I figure that the paper can't afford to make a cut in its art department. You see we have so many subscribers who do not read."

Working in Reverse. "Gosh, old man, you actually are getting fat! What have you been do hig to get all that flesh on your exclaimed the friend. "Oh," said the former thin man, " hegan taking the reduction lope, diet and exercises they prescribed for my wife and I began to pick up right tonics and diets I had been falling for to make me fat and she already has

The first British writer to make arge fortune was Str Walter Scott, who earned about a million. Dickens received \$12,500 for "Pickwick," and George Ellot \$35,000 for "Romolu." Lew Wallace received \$400,000 for

Ye Editor's Luck, Western Paper-Ye hard-up editor, going through the pockets of his last year's sult as a final resort, has received nic from an unexpected quarter.-Boston Transcript.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Worcester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder biles is not a craze. It is too endur. at public auction in front of Trader's store at Stockton, Maryland, on Seturday, January 13th, 1923.

at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, and interest of the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of land situated on the left hand side of the county road for a space devoted exclusively to leading from Stockton to Welbourne in the eighth election district of Worcester County, Maryland, and described as follows: beginning at a pine tree standing on the left hand side of the county road above named and on thecline Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land o line about east course to run of branch at marked black gum tree, then be running by and with the run of said branch and line of Charlotte Ward land about south course to marked black gum tree, thence running about west course to marked red oak tree standing on left hand side of county road above named, thence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and place of beginning, containing 51 acres | of land, more or less. It being the same eal estate conveyed to Edward Manuel by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed ers and explorers all point to a radical dated the 26th day of October, 1921, and recorded among the land records of Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to January 1st, 1923. Title papers at purch-

TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balof purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to th

William G. Kerbin, Trustee

#### AIRPLANES TO LOCATE LAKES

Plan to Use Flying Machines in the Finding and Photographing of Alaskan Inland Waters.

Locating and photographing undisovered lakes in the national forests the airplane has been put, says American. Forestry, quoting the United States forest service. We read:

ing the New York-Nome flight made by army aviators, lakes were frequently out immediate.' Jedge, the indy re- sighted which could not be found on quested me to take that spahkler an' the latest and most authentic maps of the territory. Tales of unknown water took it and went. Jedge, it wasn't no bodies are constantly being brought by trappers and prospectors. Less than a year ago a lake four and onebalf miles long and one-half mile wide to speak of a record of four previous | was discovered at the head of Short bay. This lake has over 1,000 acres of one-quarter miles from tidewater, yet because of the surrounding territory's rough topography has remained unknown and unnamed. Recognizing that many others of these 'lost lakes' may be sources of valuable water power, the forest service has laid lans to map this no man's land of the North by means of aerial photographs. A few day's flight, it is said will be ifficient to cover the area with a degree of accuracy that would require many years and great expense to accomplish by ordinary methods. The work, which has been approved by the federal power commission, will be done by seaplane, flying from Ketchikan as a base"

Big Game Hunters. The Woman has receptly received a letter from the staff artist of the teche tropical research expedition. more or less to themselves and have

and most excellent chances to study and explore. But now it is not so. Since the re cent diamond mine boom the rush of prospectors to the diamond fields has tremendous, and those who thought the jungle would belong exclusively to them and to the wild creaures who made their homes there will low come home sooner than planned. It seems that no place can remain a wilderness or a jungle if the thought of wealth can be connected with it-

The Indian of the Brazilian wilds appeases his hunger with rats, snakes, alligators and parrots.

Woman at Her Best. A woman's best age has been fixed at between thirty and thirty-five years.

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The grassy crossroad in the fail Is lined with purple asters tall, Sunflowers gay and plumes that nod Of spired, brilliant, golden rod, Walter P. Eaton.

A FEW SALADS AND DESSERTS

The eating of vegetables in every form is a habit to be cultivated and with a nicely-seasoned salad dressing, the habit is a good one, easily ac-

quired. Cucumber Jelly Salad. -Dissolve one table-spoonful of gelatin in ne and one-fourth cupfuls of water, add onefourth of a cupful of vinegar, one-forrth of a cupful of sugar, one ten-

spoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. Let the mixture stand until it begins to thicken, add one cupful of diced cucumber, one-fourth of a cupful of green pepper and one teaspoonful of onion juice. Turn the mixture into molds, chill and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Beet Celery and Pea Salad .- Take two cupfuls of diced, cooked beets, one cupful of finely cut celery, one cupful of cooked pens drained, one tablespoonful of minced onion, one tablespoonful of horseradish sauce. salt and paprika. Mariante the vegetables with French dressing and let them stand for two hours. Serve on lettuce with a boiled dressing or with

Rice and Pea Salad,-Fill small greased molds half full of seasoned cooked green pens, Cover with cold holled rice which has been seasoned with finely minced pimento, parsley and onion juice. Press the rice lightly to fill the mold. Loosen with a spatula and turn out on a salad plate garnished with lettuce or endive. Serve

with French or mayonnaise dressing. Cherry Fluff,-Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of water, place over hot water unill the gelatin is dissolved. Now add two cupfuls of cherry juice, one-third of a cupful of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside until the mixture begins to thicken, then best well and add two-thirds of a cupful of cherries; other fruit may be used. Add three tablespoonfuls of sugar to two-thirds of a cupful of whipped cream and fold lightly into the fruit mixture. Turn into a mold and chill. Serve with soft custard, a fruit sauce, or cream. Garnish with whipped

#### Nellie Maxwell

Ancients Knew Use of Lamps, Wax candles were made in very anclent times, but at the beginning of the Christian era an oll-burning lamp was used in many parts of the Roman empire, for instance, in Italy, the seat of power, and in Palestine, a con-quered country. Of course, this lamp was most common in countrie, produc-ing olive oil. Many of these ancient Jamps have been found in the rules of Roman cities, in the rulns of Pom-

A newspaper advises the young man to escape from labor troubles and other complexities of civilization by taking refuge on a tropic isle. But when he got there he would probably find the coconuts cornered on the consolidated coconut exchange, and the amalgamated union of banana pickers engineering an island-wide strike.-Boston Transcript.

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Charcoal for 3wine

To prevent worms, keep the following charcoal mixture before the pigs all the time: Charcoal, 1 bushel. Hardwood ashes, 1 bushel. Salt, & pounds. Alr-slaked lime, 8 pounds,

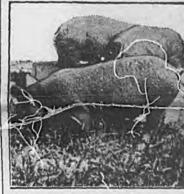
Sulphur, 4 pounds.
Pulverized copperats, 2 pounds.
First mix the line, sait, and sulphur thoroughly, and then mix in the charcoal and ashes. Dissolve the copperas in two quarts of hot water and sprinkle it over the whole mass, mixing thoroughly. Store this in a barrel under shelter, and keep some of it in an open shallow box where the hogs can get it as they wish .-Bureau Animal Industry, United States Department Agriculture.

**GUARD AGAINST HOG CHOLERA** 

If Herd is Treated Immediately of First Sign of Disease Loss Will Be Small.

Watch for the first hog to show signs of cholera, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. If the herd is treated immediately it is generally pessible to save the herd with but few losses. If the disease, however, is allowed to reach all the animals before the serum preventive treatment is applied heavy losses may be expected. Hog-cholera serum is a preventive and not a cure for hog

cholera, the department points out. Whenever a hog dies of an unknown cause the owner should watch his herd closely for at least a week, and if any more bogs in the herd begin to show signs of sickness a veterinarian should be called immediately, for the chances are that hog cholern has reached the herd and prompt action in applying the serum treatment is the only thing that will save the well animals. A high temperature, ranging from 105 degrees F., to 108 degrees F, in a hog that staggers when it walks, is a pretty good indication of hog cholera. Such hogs should be segregated and not allowed to mingle with other hogs or to wander about, for they will spread the disease wherever they go, sometimes in places where it is impossible to disinfect. Hogs that die on the farm should be buried, or, prefer



ably, burned, in order to prevent birds, insects and animals that visit the carcass from spreading the disease. Usually the disease is most prevalent during the fall months and losses are invariably heavy in herds where owners neglect to immunize their hogs before the disease reaches them, or fall to call a veterinarian immediately on its first appearance.

MEDIUM STEERS PROFITABLE

De Kalb County (III.) Farmer Is of Opinion That Grade Stuff Is Superior.

The prime feeder steer, so often ited as the best beef-making machine, is sometimes a less profitable animal. according to a De Kalb county (III.) cattle feeder, than the steer of poorer quality. This man has had experience with both kinds and regularly feeds eight to ten carloads a year.

The prime steer undoubtedly will produce a somewhat better killer than the poorer quality animal, but it is his bellef that the difference in price is ess on the finished animals than it is on the feeders. The kind of steers he now buys it has been possible to purchase as feeders at about 1 cent less than the price of the best ones. When finished and put on the market these steers ordinarily have sold about half a cent lower than steers of the other quality. He figures that his cost of gain is about the same as that of the others. Thus there is an advantage of one-half cent a pound in feeding this second-grade stuff instead of the very best.

Time to Wean Pigs. Pigs should not be wenned until they are at least eight weeks old, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to

twelve weeks old. Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs must be kept growing, and the breeding stock must be thrifty. Ewes in poor condition in the breeding season will usually bring single lambs and have a small milk flow.

Russian Wolfhound Fast. The swiftest dog in the world, the borzol, or Russian wolfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

Real Governing Power. The thing that governs us is public opinion-not the nominal public opinlon of creed and statute-book, but the real public opinion of living men and women.-Dr. A. T. Hadley.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Teacher of English Bible in the Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 24 A LESSON IN TRUST AND PRE-

LESSON TEXT-Luke 12:13-40.
GOLDEN TEXT-The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raineat. -Luke 12:23. PRIMARY TOPIC-The Story of a

PAREDNESS

JUNIOR TOPIC-A Foolish Rich Man. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Rich Toward God.
YOUNG PROPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
-True Riches.

Since on October 8 we had a resson on the birth and childhood of Jesus, many will doubtless prefer to have this new lesson instead of the Christ-I. A Warning Against Covetourness

1. The Occasion (vv. 13-15). One of the company requested Jesus to be umpire in a disputed estate. Two brothers were in trouble over an inheritance. Christ refused to enter the sphere of the civil law and warned

against the spirit of avarice. Christ's

mission was preeminently spiritual.

2. Enforcement of the Warning (v.v. 16-21). The parable of the rich man shows clearly that to be concerned with earthly riches while neglecting God is the beight of folly. The Lord's warning is of great importance today; for many are seeking gold and forget-ting God. Note (1) his increase in goods (v. 16). His riches were rightly obtained, for the ground brought forth plentifully. This shows that a man may be rich because of the Lord's blessing upon him. (2) His perplexity (v. 17). His land was producing more than his barns would hold. He did not want it to go to waste. If he had possessed the right views of life and a sense of stewardship before God, he would have seen that his barns at least had enough for his personal needs and that he could have distributed his surplus to the needy and for benevolent purposes. (3) The fatal choice (vv. 18, 19). He chose to enlarge his barns and give up his life to easy and luxury. It ought to be a delightful task for men whom God has made rich to devote their time and energy to the distribution of their possessions to benevolent purposes. (4) The aw-

Having shown the folly of the zich now urged the disciples to trust God and dismiss all anxious care. He assured them the, they need not be anxous even for the necessities of life.

ful indictment (vv. 2), 21). God calls

Title "The life is more than food, and the body is more than raiment." The God who gave the life and made the body should be trasted to provide food and

God's care for the fowls (vv. 24-26). The ravens do not sow nor reap-they lave not storehouse or barn, yet they live, for God feeds them. If God does not forget the fowls, certainly He would do more for His children (2) God's care for the flowers of the field (vv. 27, 28). If God is so carcial of those flowers which appear but for a day, how much more will lie clothe

His children! 3. The Exhortations (vy. 29-24). (1) Make not the getting of food and clothes your chief concern. Trust God to provide them. (2) Seek the kinglom of God (v. 31). Those who make God's kingdom first shall have all their needs supplied (Phil. 4:19). (3) Be not afraid (v. 32). God's good pleasure is upon His own, and all good things will He give them. (4) Practice self-denial in order to be able to give gifts to those in need (vv. 33, 34). The doing of such deeds will tend to lift the thoughts upward to God-to trust Hlm.

III. Be Ready for the Coming of the Lord (vv. 35-40)

Having warned the disciples against the acquisition of worldly goods while forgetting God, and shown them the eedlessness of anxiety for feed and clothes, He shows them the blessedness of being in a state of readiness when the Lord shall come. Conviction as to the certainty of the Lord's coming is the sure cure for worldliness and anxious care. This attitude of heart He made clear by two parables -that of the returning of the Lord and that of the thief. The Lord will be so pleased with those who are waiting for Him that He will take delight in sitting at the banquet with them, and even serve them. The parable of the thief shows that the time of the Lord's coming is not known.

I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord; if by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of

So Many Ravens. The Lord never had so many ravens as he has this morning.-T. De- mission. Witt Talmage.

the dead .- Philippians 3:8-11.

God Is Known Everywhere, In Judah is God known; His prime 's great in Israel.-Paalm 76:1. When He's Telling It.

We sometimes wish the fellow who knows it all would forget a little of "-Boston Transcript Idea of Quarantine Is Old.

against infectious diseases in the Tenth century, World's Death Rate, The world's death rate is estimated at 68 a minute, 97,920 a day, or 35,-740,800 a genr.

Quarantine was first established

The Call to a Life of Faith

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER. Director of Evening Classes, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago,

TEXT-By faith Abraham, when

The art gallery of God's Worl hung with the most wonderful masterpieces of history and biography, o poeary and propi ery. One of the most interesting rooms contains the portraits faith's heroes. It is quite difficult a study of these to determin

which is the

to illustrate c dif ferent virtue of godly living. The pen pictures of Abraham furrish most interesting and profitable study for us today. Many chapters are nec essary to set forth the life of faith exemplified in the one who earned the divine designation, "The Father of the Faithful." We shall endeavor to em phasize several phases of the life of faith in succeeding sermons. We begin

with "The Call to a Life of Faith." There are only two positions for the soul in its relationship to God-faith or sight. "We walk by faith not by sight" is an inescapable differentiation of God's Word. One or the other-

"by faith" or a "by sight" life. The sight position is the sense position. It is the pursuit of the material -satisfied with things that perish; ?, life guided by natural reason. Faith is the opposite. It is "the evidvace things not seen, the substance of by His Word, and guided by His

It was to a life of faith that Abraham, a Chaldenn prince, was called. The glory of God appeared to him, living in the blaze of material splender. He obeyed and went out into an unknown land, simply trusting in the God who had promised. Many times since Abrabam's far away day has the vision appeared and the call sounded. To ses, keeping sheep in Midian; to Elisha, plowing in the field; to Isalah, ministering in the temple; to Amos, gathering fruit at Tekon; to Peter, washing fishing nets; to Matthew, colecting taxes; to Saul of Tarsus, bent on persecution. To Cromwell, from his farm; to Luther, from his monas tery cell; to Carey, from the cobbler's bench; to Moody, from the shoe store, II. The Certain Cure for Anxiety | And, to every man and woman who has heard the Gospel, the vision of God and the voice of God have come, callnun who gained gold but lost God, He ing away from sight to fatte. This call involves three this es:

Separation. We have the very words of the call you a lesson."

the achievements of our faith. Sacrifice. was a tremendous tearing loose from never carries one very far, even all the human heart holds dear. He did not become detached by one act of when it gives him a fair start on cutting off. His kindred went with the right road. him and kept him in Haran, the halfway place, until Terah, his father, died. Still Lot clung to him and caused him sorrow and loss until he moved out. One by one the things of

the old life must go if faith is to be triumphant. It cost his all. But this is the very thing that makes faith precious. Values are always determined by cost. The things we get for nothing are worth little more. Diamonds are more precious than dirt, therefore cost more. Man only be redeemed at infinite cost. Sal-Every real advance in the life of falth involves an altar on which some dear fragment of the self-life must die, or some bit of world possession must be

to pay the price, Submission. Obedience is not only un act, it is attitude. Abraham went out. He matriculated in the school of fait's. Many lessons must be learned. Step by step he must walk, advancing from one plane of experience to another. Tested, reproved, encouraged, blessed until he becomes the Friend of God, taken into the divine confidence. It is worth the cost, the separation and sacrifice to have God ask, "Shall I hide If ye do whatsoever I command you. Are you longing for real true friendship? There is One who stands at the door of your heart and knocks for ad-Will you let Him in? Draw back the bolt; fling open wide the door, and let Him come in. Then will the life of faith begin and become as a shining light that shinet's brighter and brighter unto the perfect day.

Keeping Bordeaux Mixture. If Bordeaux mixtures cannot be it remain good much longer than it would do otherwise,

Coddling Math. Apple and pear growers will find to necessary to spray for the coddling moth during the summer months. The number of applications will depend upon the seriousner; of the lufestation.

Drifting Both Ways.

School had been out ten minutes and there were a dozen boys on the street corner. Who started to laugh I cannot say, but one boy in a dozen is apt to be thoughtless enough are more han likely to join in the laugh. Henry heard the laugh and knew what it was all about. The shaky old gentleman was sale on the pavement by this time, but Henry did not wait to hear the grateful words which were intended

for his ear. "The old man looked so confused that-that I thought I'a pilot him across. It just came to me on the greatest. The fact spur of the moment." Hency grinned a little foolishly, and his face flushed, as though he had been caught in mischief. "I think he cannot see or hear much, and the automobiles were spinning around thick as spatter."

Henry yielded to a generous impulse in piloting the shaky old gentleman across the crowded street. It was an act of simple courtesy of which any healthy-minded, cleareyed boy might have been proud. Perhaps Henry would have been glad he did it, if only that thoughtless boy hadn't laughed, and the others badn't joined in. As it was, some of the senseless things they said-just to tease him and not because they were unkindly themthings hoped for"-a life which can selves-made him half resolve not only find its pleasure in God, taught to be "caught in such a scrape again," That wouldn't have happened if Henry's mind had been thoroughly made up beforehand to be courteous and obliging to everybody, let others say what they liked.

> "I just went into it on the spur of the moment." Henry hung his head and flushed red, this time with more reason. "I guess I didn't stop to think that-why, that there'd be any harm in it."

"That is a way of doing things which often gets people into serious trouble, Henry," his father observed. 'Impulse is a good thing in its place, but it's a poor rudder to steer by, especially over a rough sea. This escapade isn't so tad as it might be, but I hope it will teach

thy country, not tree the war of the bright aced, pleasant manto sever connections with every phase of the old life. its habits, its assaid- nered boys whom it is always a detions, its environments. This was to that to meet. The night fact is, be the magic word opening the dier of faith's treasure house. God could he is just drifting—first, one way. not perfect His plan or perform His then the other, without any firm promises until Abraham was loose from every vestige of the sense life. This is the key to the Christian life. It alone opens the treasure house. The things, good or bad, "on the spur measure of our separation determines of the moment," just as the mood takes him, and, in the long run, Abraham was deeply attached to his that always proves perilous busikind ed, his home, his native land, It nees. Besides, a mere impulse

> "For he who lets his feelings run In soft, luxurious flow, Faints when hard service must be done And shrinks at every blow."

> -Charles T. White, in The Comrade.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe s greater than a sheep-hence he could colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, vation is God's free gift but the ac- and a knowledge of this fact leads othceptance of it crucifies us unto the era to take their chances instead of world and the world unto us. Sacri- giving their colds the needed attention. cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vioffered up. Oh, how few are willing paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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Surro Too Eager to "Park."

Last summer Billy had his first ride pest in a profitable way. on a burro. After jogging along for a few minutes and irritated by frequent stops, he called out: "Mamma. what makes this donkey want to park all the time?"

Constantinople Ignores Mall. In Constantinople it is impossible to communicate with anyone by mail. Instead, it is necessary to send a servant with the message or go one's self to make the communication in person.

Cliff Dwellers Had Stone Idols. Stone idols were used in the religlous ceremonials of the prehistoric cliff-dwellers of Colorado, it has re-

Queer Belief Concerning Spal. The ancients believed that the opal shared the charm of every stone of which it reflected the color, but when It was stolen the thief became invisthle and was never caught.

Ancient "Apartment Houses," Apartment house life was enjoyed by the primitive Indian of New Mexico, one ruin in Chaco canyon having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people.

Rabbit Cannery May Solve Problem. In Argentina a rabbit cannery has been established in the hope of ridding some sections of the country of a

"Sugar." From Bradford he went to Richburg

and Boliver and there fortune continued to pour its golden stream into his coffee.-Pasadena Star. Lie Has Great Vitality.

A He can be turned inside out and o decked in new plumage that none will recognize its lean old careass .-

Generosity Not Strongest Point, Many men are capable of doing a wise thing, more a counting thing, but very few a generous thing,-Alexander

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ite : with wus in mother had selected for John's wife the very wealthy and very charming Clara Dennison, an orphan, whose guardian uncle approved the selection. But Clara on her part had selected for har sand Richard Watson, u clerk in a r uncle's brokerage office Now Lie and Mrs. Marcus Townsend, Emmala parents, were both of familles possessed of colonial and revolutionary traditions, but of little money. The Townsends' visiting cards had a prestige which was denied to the Townsend thirty-day notes. The fond parents saw with secret satisfaction the growing intimacy between their daughter and the son of the wealthy Sylvanus Cartwright-a misalliance, It is true, but then what could you expect in these leveling days? And Cartwright's record in Bradstreet's was so eminently satisfactory! But when the Townsends learned that John Cartwright had been ordered to marry Clara Dennison they rose in aristocratic wrath. Perish the vulgar Cartwrights and perish their base money! Besides, there were as good fish in the sea as there were in the

frying pan. Emma was ordered not to think of John Cartwright any more and to hold in readiness to marry some one to be picked out for her by her parents hereafter. Emma was a pretty young thing with not much to her, and John was a well enough young man, but it must be confessed rather commonplace and mightily afraid of his father. So in spite of their love and in spite of Clara Dennison's love for Richard Watson and his love for her, it is quite possible that the parents and a guardian uncle would have had things their own way had it not been for Clara.

'Uncle," said Clara one evening as the and her guardian sat over their af'er-dinner coffee, "I have made up my mind to marry that clerk of yours, ni hard Watson.'

. Had a bomb gone off in the middle of the dining room table Mr. Zebulon



That Clerk of Yours." Dennison would hardly have been more startled. The worthy broker was of an apoplectic build and Clara at first feared she should have broken it to him more gently. But he recovered and managed to splutter after a minute: "You are not. Has he asked you? I will discharge him tomorrow." "Oh, yes, I am. He has not asked me, but he is going to, and as to your discharging him I shall be twentythree next month, when my property s to be turned over to me, and I mess we will have enough to set up ionsekeeping with," retorted Clara. Zebulon from commanding descended to arguing. His arguments were all perfectly sound, but what is a sound argument in the pathway of young love? Richard, from the changed manner in which his employ-

er treated him next morning, sur-

mised something of what had hav-

pened and over the telephone ar-

"What have you been saying to your

ranged a meeting with Clara.

able tearoom which had been the scene of many of their conferences. Clara told him word for word what she had said to her uncle, "i was right, wasn't 17" she asked, blushing a little. "You angel!" cried Richard. "Of ourse you were right. I would have asked you long ago if I badn't been so blagney poor." "Oh, bother that," said Clara You'll probably lose your job with ncie, but you told me last week you were golig to leave soon to go into that South American scheme anyway The question is what are we soing to to for those nor tabes is the woods them Townsend and John Cartwright? John is going to lose me for sure and I do so wish he might get

uncle?" te asked when they were

seated in a corner of a highly respect-

Emms. There! I have an idea. It just struck me. You know that new company uncle is forming? He's all wrapped up in it. I'll infuse a little natrimony into the concern. See if I That evening Emma and John had a deferous and despairing interview, which, they agreed, was to be their last. Clara was all suiles and win-

some ways when she met her uncle at dinner that night. "Reconciled yet, nakey?" she laughed as she kissed him. "Of course, on are! I met Dick this afternoon and proposed to bim, and he accepted me. So that's off my mind,"

"Clara!" exclaimed the broker. "I really-such conduct-L don't know what to say to you."

"Say yes to everything I propose then, you old dear," she laughed, and then abruptly changed the subject "About that new company of yours, uncle—is any of my money in it? No? Well, next month, when I come into my fortune, I'll put some in I've studied your prospectus. It's a good Investment. There's just one condition. I want you to put Marcus Townsend on your board of directors Now stop. Don't interrupt a lady It's impolite. This is the idea, Mar cus hasn't much money, but he's away up in the old Knickerbocker set and there's lots of money lying around practically idle among those old fossils-'safe' investments at 4 per centwhen they don't keep it in a stock ing under the bed. You want these old names of downtown streets in your list, unkey. Marcus will bring them in. It's good advertising."

"My dear," said Zebrion, "there is something in your idea. How much vill you invest in the company?" "That depends upon whether I can

" e reneral manager or not." "Ah, I see; Richard Watson, I sup-

"Exactly." Dennison's work was cut out for him-by Clara. He broke to his as- Poison bran ball is prepared by mix-sociate in the formation of the new ing dry 50 pounds of bran and two company, Mr. Sylvanus Cartwright, as gently as he could the fact that Clara had, as he expressed it, "taken the bit in her teeth" and was going to marry Dick Watson. Also he expatlated upon the value of Clara's idea-putting it forward as his ownwith regard to Marcus Townsend, and urged Cartwrige, to approach Marcus on the subject. As Lebulon was the dominating factor in the whole project, Sylvanus yielded. Pompous Marcus Townsend was cold at first to save his dignity, but was secretly delighted. The position would add to his personal Toportance—and his income. They gave him a couple of shares in the new company upon the easiest terms possible. And, Clara's engage ment being formally announced, lov ing parents intimated to her that John Cartwright was a most estimable young man-and they could not think or standing in the way of their dear calld's happiness.

"Hang It," seld Sylvanus Cartwright to his wife, "I suppose we might as well let that fool hoy of ours marry the Townsend girl. He's lost-the Den niso; girl and there's a certain finan cial value in the old family stuff after all. Putting that turker cock, Marcus Townsend, on our board has brought I don't know how much money to our new concern."

POOR TIME TO SOUND ALARM

Would Seem That Cleck Might Have Had More Consideration for its Unfe tunate Owner.

The 5:30 commuter's train was about to pull out. Two young hushands dashed on board, one carrying a neatly wrapped, harmless-looking package. The late comers had to take separate seats, one in front of the other. The package was duly deposited on the hat rack. Just as the train had pulled out of the station a loud brr-rr sounded through the car. Smiling faces turned around and spied the package reposing on the rack above. All was quiet for a few minutes, then again brr-rr, only louder and longer this time. It was unmistakably the ring of an alarm clock. The smiles had changed to grins and laughs by now. The owner of the clock got hotter and hotter every minute. His commuter friend leaned forward and in a very audible tone said: "Why don't you shut your alarm clock off?" "My clock?" replied the owner, and glared at his friend. "I wouldn't own an alarm clock." 'The fellow passengers who sat near were watching to see if he would take the package with him. Defiant of their gaze, he grabbed it when his station was called and dashed off the train, the clock giving Its quivering death gasp.

How is the spirit of a free people

cheered, but out of the storehouse of its historic recollections! Are re to be eternally ringing the changes upon Marathon and Thermopylae, and going back to read in obscure texts of freek and Latin, and of the eremplars of pairiotic virtue? I thank Coc that we can find them nearer home, in our own country, on our own soilthat strains of the noblest sentiment that ever swelled in the breast of page of our country's history, in the native eloquence of our mother tongue man are breathing to us out of every -that the Colonial and provincial councils of America exhibit to us models of the spirit and character that gave Greece and Rome their name and their proise among nations. Here we ought to go for instructionthe lesson is plain, it is clear, it is applicable.—Edward Everett.



Foliage Is Often Completely Devoured and Serious Harm Results-Use Poison Bait.

Buring seasons of heavy grasshopper infestation, orchard and nursery trees are sure to suffer where the grasshoppers are permitted to migrate from adjoining pastures, meadows or other crops. There are three common species of grasscoppers which do this damage, the red-legged, differential and two-lived. Where injury occurs



It is usually soon after hay harvest. The foliage is often completely devoured and serious injury may result where the hungry grasshoppers attempt to appeace their appetites fur ther by gnawing the bark from the twigs and even the trunks of small

Where grasshoppers are abundant on crops hear the erchard or aursery

trouble. Polson bran balt sown broadcast in infested meadows and other crops when the hoppers are yet small will rid the community of the pest. pounds of white arsenic or paris green and moistening this with about eight gallons of water with which are mixed four quarts of cheap sorghum and the juice and chopped-up rinds of six lemons. Seev this at daybreak so the hop pers will get it for breakfast while yet moist and attractive. Where this precaution is not taken and the hoppers are feeding on the foliage spray the trees heavily with an arsenate of

#### PRUNE NEWLY PLANTED TREE

As Many of Feeding Roots Have Bean Left in Ground, Tops Must Be Cut to Balance.

The pruning of trees should begin vien they are planted. When the trees are dug from the nursery row many of the feeding roots are left in the ground and it is necessary to remove some of the top of the trees in order to establish more nearly a bal ance between the tops and the roots. This pruning should be given immediately after the tree has been set.

The following points should be kept in mind when performing this operaion: Three or four branches should be left in addition to the central leader. The lowest of these branches should be on the southwest side to prevent sun scald; the branches should be four or five inches apart and on different sides of the trunk in order to avoid crotches; the branches that are left should be cut off eight or ten inches from the trunk and the leader shortened back two-thirds. All other branches should be removed close up to the trunk.

TAKE CARE OF PEACH TREE As Soon as Fruit Has Been Gathered Remove All Dead Twigs and

Diseased Branches.

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with his parents.

of our physicians Mrs. Edward Fisher and son,

James Robert Birch, went to Chincoteague Monday.

home on South Main St.

Mrs. Layfield, of Wilmington, a don C Grunsten sister of Mrs. R. C. Peters, was crit-

icelly ill at last report Candles-Fresh home made can-

dies on hand at all times at Mrs. Gunby's, on Mill Street

near St. Martin's on State road. Mrs. Henry G. Fassett, Apply to H. B. Sockriter. Bring your eggs to us; we pay

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Money Club a 1 on this page. Wanted-10 women operators

Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, steady work. Berlin Vencer Works. Mrs. T. S. Armer trout, from near

Wilmington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Warren. Walter Cox attended the funeral

of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G. Strickland, in Wilmington, Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Godfrey and daughter, Mrs. A. H. Abbott, are spend- of money on hand for flavoring

Miss Nancy Gibbs, Miss Ida Hollins, and Joe Boston are among the

College students home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanlin returned to Philadelphia, Tuesday, after a short visit with Berlin friends.

Mrs. Clarence Hanley returned and recommended, and a commit-Thursday of last week, from Wil- tee was appointed. mington, much improved, after her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Workman and daughter, Irene, went to Washington, Saturday, to visit Mrs. Workman's aunts.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an vited the next meeting. absent friend, why not give a year's subscription to this newspaper?

T. R. Bryde has sold bis pretty Bungalow Farm to Mr. Satter. Mr. "I have frequently used Chamber-Bryde intends to spend Christmas lain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid with his wife and child in Balti- for headache and bilious attacks. I am

Don't fail to see our beautiful display of cutlery. C. & P. Hdw.

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The members of the Ladies' Aid on Baker St., will entertain the soc'ety at the home of Mrs. H. B. Powell next Thursday evening.

Paul Downing-and Lester Parker going to Wilmington. spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadel-

Mrs. P. C. Squires and daughter, Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Parsons- Co W. C. T U. for a long time. burg, expect to leave in the next ew days to join Mr. Fquires, at Swansboro, N. C.

The ladies of Ironshire M. E. Church will hold a measuring and pie social Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. C. W Kelly. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. McVeigh Harrison, of the Order of the Holy Cross, will hold an eight-day Mission in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Berlin, beginning on Sunday, Jan. 21st.

The Episcopal Church School will hold their Christmas festival in the Come in and see the wonderful Parish House, Wednesday, Dec. Sealy mattress. C. & P. Hdw. Co. 27th, the Primary Department at For Sale-Wall showcase, four 2.30, the Junior and Senior De

Mrs. Edward Coffin and two ei-Wanted to Rent or Buy-A der daughters spent Tuesday and good farm for 1923. W. D. Rayne, Wednesday in Philadelphia, al opping. They spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Coffin's cousin, Miss Maude Hambleton, in Camden, N.

A misunderstanding caused us to report last week that Mrs Fletcher Porter was up. She has been quite ill with bronchial trouble since get-For Rent-One spartment and ting better of grippe, but is sitting roon s with board, opposite school. up some now. Miss Evelyn Selby, of Wesley, came Monday evening to Stevenson M. E. Church nurse her.

#### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and effect-Howard Wilkins leaves today for ual cures have made it a favorite with Baltimore, to spend the holidays people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of young children for colds, group and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief and is free Eight new cases of measles were reported one day this week by one from opicm and other harmful drags.

#### Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten desire to express their sincere thanks E. B. Burbage and sister, Miss to their neighbors and friends for Carolyn, have moved to their new their kindness during the illness, death and burial of their son, Shel-

#### W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union For Rent-3 room house and lot was held Wednesday evening with

The president, Mrs. Norris, being absent on account of illness, the Stockholders' Meeting meeting was presided over by Mrs.

Joycie Bunting. The Scripture lesson was read by all joined in the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The members answered to the roll-call

by repeating a Bible verse, as usual. It was decided in future, if the weather was too bad for a meeting on the appointed evening, to hold it the following evening.

A card was read from Mrs. J. T. Taylor, the Tri-County Secretary. Mrs. Tucker reported the amount ing part of the week in Atlantic City. Dues were paid for two members. Some encouraging facts were read from the American Issue. The olfering of a prize to the higher grades of school children for the best essay on the evil effects of school or some other phase of the Christmas Money Club temperance question was discussed

> The hostess served refreshments, consisting of delicious cakes and 25 cents each week, cocoa, and fine apples.

> At ten o'clock the guests return- 50 cents each week, ed to their various homes, after expressing their appreciation to their hostess for a very pleasant occasion. Mrs. Charles A. Holland has in-

#### Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends Five dollars each week.

Chamberlain's Tablets. more, and has considered going only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. West later.

Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

#### Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Many friends in this county will sympathize with his loved ones, because of the going from earth to Heaven, on Sunday, Dec. 17th, from his residence in Wilmington, of Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Mr. Strickland was 84 years old, English by birth, as is also his good wife, but residents of Worcester Noble Morgan, Ernest Downing, County, Md., for many years before

Mr. Strickland was a Methodist minister until poor health compelled im to retire, while his wife was the much-loved president of Worcester

Old age and a complication of diseases was the cause of death. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 30, and his remains were laid to rest in a Wilmington Cemetery. "God giveth

His beloved ones sleep." Mr. Strickland is survived by his widow, a son, Rev. Clarence W. Strickland, of Pittsville, and four daughters, Mrs. William Birch, Mrs. Hugh B. Kelso, of Perryville; and the Misses Florence and Katie Strickland, at home.

## Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

9.20 a m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent. 10 45 a, m. Divine Worship.

Christmas Service. 2.30 p. m. Service at Libertytown, 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topin, "How to Have Christ-

All the Year." 30 p m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Memorials." Tuesday, 7 30 p. m., Prayer service. You are cordially invited to these

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. Furbush, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m., Preaching by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service. 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week

Prayer-meeting. A cordial invitation extended to all. S. N PILCHARD, Pastor

(the date to which you are paid.) and if you are not paid at least up to date, please settle at once.

#### -FOR SALE BLACKSMITH SHOP AND CONTENTS.

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Notice is hereby given that the annu al meeting of the stockholders of the Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs. Bunting Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, offered prayer, at the close of which Maryland, will be held in the bank buildng, on Monday, the 1st day January 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

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And it rained all day that night. And in the summer snow storm The rain just fell like glass, And the barefooted boy with shoes on Stood sitting in the grass.

While the organ peeled potatoes Lard was rendered by the choir, While the sexton rang the dishrag Some one set the church on fire. 'Holy smokes," the preacher cried, And in the rush he lost his hair; And now his head's like heaven,

For there is no parting there.

Thomas R. Bryde.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of Dear Aunt Link Herry, who died De-

cember 21, 1914 More and more each day we miss her; Some may think the wound is healed; But they little know the sorrow

That is within our hearts concealed. We think of her in silence, Few eyes that see us weep; But many a silent tear we shed, For none knew her but to love her.

Her friends, Mrs. Julia and Minnie Fassett

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"NAN OF THE NORTH"

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### The Lovers' Knot Ring

By ROSE MEREDITH

(@, 1922, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

"The house is finished at last," said Leonard proudly, as he unlocked the front door and ushered the brown-eyed girl into the home that was to be theirs. He bent to kiss her before they passed into the living room. "Isn't it cozy?" he asked, just as if he hadn't had her opinion about everything from the topmost brick of the chimney to the cement on the cellar floor.

"It is perfect," she breathed softly, as they went from room to room, hand in hand. Still, there was a shadow in the brown eyes that did not depart when they locked the door upon the home-that-was-to-be-theirs in the au-

"What is it, Mildred?" he asked, suddenly. "I thought you would be so happy about it-now, we can go ahead and buy the furniture-the money is ready, unless-" he hesitated and saw that her cheeks were pink and her eves distressed "unless you would rather walt a few months for the furniture and I will buy the ring you

She put out her hand-her left hand, where the third finger wore a curious ring of twisted gold and silver, "I feel so conspicuous with this, Leonard -all the girls wear solitaires-and they seemed so amused when I explained that I preferred to wear this because it meant just as much to us



Overheard Two of Her Office Asset clates.

as a more costly one-but I don't explain any more." Her lips drooped. "You would rather have the dlamond?" he asked with assumed carelessness. "It is only a matter of a few months more-I am sorry you are marrying such a poor fellow-but a home to go into is something to start

"I know it, Leonard-I am very foolish," she faltered.

"Never mind, dear-I know how you feel," he said; "suppose we go around to Burtls' now and choose the ring."

The next day the little gold and allver lovers' knot was gone from Mildred's finger and in its place was a glistening diamond that called forth all the admiration she had craved from her friends at the office and else

"You are a lucky girl," sighed Jennle Jones, one of the bookkeepers. "You are going to marry a man who has bullt a house, furnished it completely, and given you a beautiful ring, Think of poor me-when I married Will be gave me a gorgeous ring and we bought a thousand dollars' worth of furniture on the installment plan and leased an apartment. That was two years ago-we lost all the furniture, the ring was pawned to pay the doctor's bill when I was so sick last winter, and we are doing light housekeeping in two tiny rooms! I am back at my job and we are both saving every cent we can for a home so we can start right the next time.'

"You are a lucky girl," the words rang in Mildred's cars for many a day after that, as she wore the beautiful ring, that sealed her engagement to Leonard. She did not earn a large salary, and it was only by scrimping that she could save a little each week after all her expenses were paid. She was all alone in the world and there was no near relative to advise her about the management of her affairs. But experience was teaching her something and all that long, hot summer, when she met Leonard, she could see that he was practicing small econo-

"Perhaps he is saving for the furniture," she thought with a blush, and she would turn the diamond around so that she could not see its mocking glitter. One day she overheard two of her office associates talking together.

"Married?" sniffed one man. "Can't afford it, my boy. Girls expect too much nowadays-first one has to bust loose with a diamond that's worth twice as much as the other fellows are buying-lease an expensive apart-

Mildred hastened away with burning checks. It was all true. She had been most unhappy ever since she had worn the diamend ring. She wanted that money to furnish their homeand as the time went by she realized that the home meant more to her than

all the diamond rings in the world. She thought of the little brown shingled house, empty and waiting because there was nothing to furnish it with. One evening she walked over there alone and found a light burning behind drawn window shades, Footsteps were echoing in the bare rooms. Perhaps it was Leonard—she pulled

out her key and softly entered the

The light from the dining room chandelier shone into the living room and showed the walls had been papered in soft brown-even the celling had been done in ivory. In the dining room was a slap-slap as Leon-ard applied the paste to lengths of paper spread on a roughly constructed

Leonard was papering the rooms himself. Leonard who worked so hard all day long that he was weary at night-who had gone without a vacation so that he might work in the house he was making ready for herfor the most selfish girl in the world, she told herself angrily.

"Leonard," she said softly. "Dearest," he answered, coming to embrace her, while a paste brush waved uncertainly over her head, "what are you doing here? I was going to surprise you by finishing it before Sunday."

"I came to ask you for something," she whispered, her face against his old coat where a dab of wet paste clung; "I want the little lovers' knot

ring back again-please." "But the diamond-have you lost

it?" he asked. "No-but I want you to sell it and let us buy the furniture and be happy, and I feel more engaged with the little ring you gave me at first." He laughed and kissed her, holding her tight to his heart. Then he allowed her to pull the litle ring out of his pocket and slip it on her third finger, while the diamond found its way into his pocket to be converted into furniture.

"Now I am happy," sighed Mildred, and the paste brush wobbled drippingly over their blissful heads.

### MANY CAUSES FOR BALDNESS

French Psysician Gives Three Reasons for Man's Head Resembling the Fruit of the Hen.

Some interesting views on the causes of baldness have been put forward by Doctor Guelpha of Paris. He concludes that there are three reasons for its effect on men.

In the first place, their hats are too hard and heavy; in the second, they cut their hair too short, and thirdly, they eat more than is good for them. Wearing a heavy or hard hat obviously exerts too much pressure and is decidedly harmful. Cutting the hair short leaves the roots at the mercy of any variations of tempera-

ture and atmospheric conditions. Too much meat, says Doctor Guelpha, according to London Tit-Bits, increases the acids in the blood and consequently in the perspiration. This is still more harmful to the hair, for it quickens the supply of sebum, which thickens around the roots and clogs them. This is the reason why fat mer are more addicted to baldness than those who are thin,

Doctor Guelpha declares that if men would only wear light felt bats in stead of bowlers there would be less

There is one form of painting, the painting with small cubes of glass upon walls and other surfaces, called mosale, which belongs in the main to the Middle ages, and was at its greatest In the earlier centuries, though it lasted at Venice and elsewhere into the great modern period. Rising to perfection in the great Byzantine churches of the Fifth and Sixth centuries, it was not less fine in the Greece of the Eleventh, in the Sicily, Venice, and Rome of the Eleventh. Twelfth, and Thirteenth, and in Constantinople where in the Fourteenth century there was an independent rennissance of painting-a movement of great promise, cut short by the Turkish canquest. Mosaic is a noble form of the pictorial art which is beyond us today, with its glittering lights, its soft, dusky shadows, its depth of color, its majesty of vision and vastness of design. The painting of the Thirteenth century sprang out of It .- Percy Dearmer, D.D.

Moving Plant Native to East India. The moving plant is a native of East India and is remarkable by reason of the motion of its leaves. These are arranged in groups of three, the lateral leasets much smaller than the terminal one. These lateral leaflets are in constant motion, being elevated by a succession of jerks and then moving downward by similar rapid lerks. The motion is not rapid. a complete up and down movement taking from two to four minutes.

The terminal leaf does not remain quiet, but its movements are not like those of the others,

Seek the Color Scheme.

Color schemes may be derived from studying a beautiful plece of tapestry, of chintz or of other figured material Such combinations as rose and gray, as purple and lavender and pink are successfully worked out in such materials. Not only the colors that are used in harmony, but the proportion of each to the other, are necessary details of a successful color scheme.

Cook Was First. Hubby-"Don' worry so about the

cook's impudence, Jane. Don't take any notice of her," Wifey-"I have to; she's just given it."-London Week-Great Waste of Fertilizer.

By burning raw bituminous coal instend of coking it we are annually wasting fertilizers of a crop-producing value of 800,000,000 bushels of wbool.

Fatal Lapse of Brain Action. Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of railroad coll'sions in this country.

Both Would Be Welcomed. Pressing need of the time is an un hittable telegrapii pole. Also a hillalde that a car won't roll down .-Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

Salt Water Softened Cast Iron Cast fron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with a knife.

ENROLL MORE BETTER SIRES

List of Persons Engaged in Campaign Has Passed 8,000 Mark and Still Growing.

With the growing understanding of the utility value of purebred live stock and especially purebred sires, the list of persons enrolled in the "Better Sires Better Stock" campaign is rapidly increasing. The middle of August it passed the 8,000 mark, signifying that many persons have filed statements with the United States Department of Agriculture that their live stock breed-



Bull Associations Should Get the Best Bull Obtainable.

ing operations will be conducted hence forth on a purebred-sire basis. This late instead of too early. includes all classes of domestic live stock, including poultry.

In some counties of limited area the number of farms is relatively small. Gordon B. Nance, county agent of Oldham county, Ky., points out, how ever, that although his county has only 1,086 farms, 10 per cent of the farmers have signed enrollment blanks, which signifies active participation in syste matic live stock improvement work. Other counties in which 10 per cent or more of the farmers are using pure bred sires exclusively are: Pulaski county, Va., 52 per cent; Kittitas county, Wash., 18 per cent; Greene county, Ohio, 13 per cent, and Orange county, Va., 10 per cent. In this connection the bureau of animal industry points out that the proportions are for all farms and that the percentages for farms in which live stock is the principal market product probably, would be much higher.

# GETS EA'ES THROUGH WINTER

Something More Than Simple Ration Necessary to Secure Strong Lambs in Spring.

It is possible to carry breeding ewes through the winter on a ringle ration of corn sliage, clover or aifalfa hay, but to produce strong lambs of good condition and have the ewes give spfficient milk, something more than a simple ration must be fed.

If corn sliage of good quality, with heavy yield of grain, is fed along be secured, advises the animal husstation, if only a limited amount of grain is fed four to six weeks before lambing. However, if the amount of grain in the slinge is small, it will be advisable to feed one-half to one pound a day of grain mixture of corn and oats in addition to what silage and hay the eves will eat for a somewhat longer period.

# BIG IMPORTANCE OF FEMALES

Many Live Stock Farmers Awakening to Fact That Sire Is Only Half of the Herd.

Many farmers who make live stock part of their operations are awakening to the fact that good females are just as essential as good sires. Often the remark is heard that the sire is half the herd, and with many this is a deliberate attempt to overcome the shortcomings of the females in the herd. The sire may have the same defects as the female and the mating of the two only tends to intensify the defects. There is no question that a good sire will improve any herd, but the better the females the greater the

Get Pigs to Eat Grain. Get pigs to eat grain just as soon as possible so that they can be weaned without loss in weight or a check in growth. Fall pigs are best raised with

For Fattening Hogs. For fattening hogs r self feeder is more successful than the best method of hand feeding.

Make Manager Rich. Purebred live stock on every farm, and that kept healthy, will make the good farm manager rich in due time.

Shed for the Colts. Provide a darkened shed for the colts running in pasture. It protects them from flies and heat and permits greater gains in weight.

Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known.-Ruskin.

A Frenchman has invented a halterlike arrangement which he puts on the head of young cattle, so that they may be weared without having to separate them from the rest of the herd, and with little trouble to the farmer. A bit in the mouth allows them to eat and drink while it prevents them from sucking, thus forcing them to feed themselves.

# Horticultural Facts

SPRAYING QUITE IMPORTANT

Not the Only Essential, However, for Good Fruit-Prune, Cultivate and Fertilize.

"Spraying is the most important single operation in orchard management," says W. S. Perrine, a big Illi-"Because it is so important, some or-chardists have thought it the only thing essential to produce good fruit. and they have sprayed their trees well, bur neglected pruning, cultivating and fertilizing. This practice has generally resulted he falluce or in only partial success.

"Spraying is the most expensive orsprny mixtures are expensive, and the cost of equipment and labor is great,

"The cost of materials can be tessesed somewhat by spraying each variety according to its individual need. For instance, Yellow Transparent trees need much less spraying than Dachess Grings Golden and Jonati an need fewer sprays and cheaper mixtures than Ben Davis,

"The expense for labor can be cht Just about to half by the use of proper equipment and management. For example, two spray rigs and the right kind of a supply-tank wagon will spray just about twice as much orchard as two rigs atone. Or to put It. another way, two spray rigs, with a good supply-tank rig will spray about | or quite as much as four rigs withou the supply tank.

"Proper equipment enables the graw er to get his spraying done on time, or more nearly so. It is necessary to have the spraying on the trees when the eggs of insects batch and the small insects begin to eat, and also when the fungous spores are being produced. A common mistake is to spray too

"Spraying should be done thorough ly. However, the trees do not need to be drenched. Summer applications should cease just before the drenching point. Expert aprayers using angle nozz'es, smale-bote caps and high pressure can do a thorough Job and stop spraying long before the drenching point is reached. This is the deal which the average grower has not been able to attain, because be has not the expert help.

"For several years we have been doing as much of our scale spraying as



we are able to do in the fall. What remains can easily be done in the spring. When after the growth starts, but not so late as to cause injury to with clover hay, good results should the foliage, we spray again some of the varieties and sections of the orbandry section of the Iowa experiment | chard that are most susceptible to

scab and blotch. "If our fruit is more or less infected with scab or blotch one season we are not discouraged, but simply go after the spraying stronger the next season, with a determination to get the sprays on earlier and more thoroughly. Comparatively clean fruit can be produced even on old, badly-infected orchards,"

# CUT OUT BLACKBERRY CANES

After Fruiting Grason Prune Back Old Wood and Burn It-Muich to Keep Moisture.

After blackberries are picked the old bearing canes should be cut back, the old wood burned and the berry rows entivated. The as much will as soon as convenient as much will be seen and keeping a pend upon making and keeping a mulch to retain moisture for plants mulch to retain moisture for plants and the summer and early fall. Cut cultivated. This work should be done back the cane about 18 inches above the ground.

A solid sweep is a good implement to cultivate with, at least for the first cultivation in the event the ground is hard and there are weeds. The second cultivation may be done nicely with a one-horse or junior cultivator.

Too Much Water Harmful. Although too little water causes strawberries to be few and small, too much water often renders the fruit soft and unfit for shipment.

Pinch Blackberry Canes. The tops should be pinched out of the new blackbarry canes when they reach the height of two and a half or three feet. This will increase the stockiness of the plants as well as the fruiting area of the wood for next

Trim Bush Fruita.

The best way to trim gooseberry and current vines is to cut each year one or two of the older fruit cames and to allow as many of the newer sprouts to remain to take their place,

Taker of First Whale Honored. Among the Eskimo communities great honor is paid to the boat which catches the first whale of the season.

Cheerfulness Goes Far. Won-from is the strength of cheerfulness, altogether past calculation is power of endurance.-Thomas Ciriyle.

Marvelous Work of Nature. The fly's wing is one of the most perfect and delicate pieces of mechanism Nature has ever produced.

Nothing More Important to Well-Being of Trees Than Deep, Friable Soil, Well Drained.

It is only within recent years that the selection of the site for an orchard on the farm has been given any serious thought. Nothing is more important to the well-being of the trees than the choice of a site on deep, friable soil, naturally well drained if possible, and sheltered from the prevalling winds.

A moderately level area is generally hard operation. The materials for desirable in order to facilitate irrigation and cultural operations. A cer-



amount of dielter from beavy winds and the avoldance of low-lying ground subject to severe frosts in spring which would ruin the blossoms are the chief points to be borne in

Having selected the site, "observation plts" should be dug in order to obtain some idea of the relationship of the top soll to the subsoil and the nature of the latter. Where any doubt exists as to the porosity of the subsoil pits should be dug to a depth of two and a half feet and fill them with water; in a sufficiently porous soil this should drain overnight-if not, the natural drainage is ac fault and should be corrected.

Everything proving satisfactory, the and should be ploughed as deeply as possible, then barrowed or disked to break down and assist in leveling. The next item is to cross-plough the site and harrow again. By this time the orchard land will be shaping up and the soil will be capable of retaining moisture and absorbing warmth.

A little grading may be necessary in several places, especially if it is the intention to irrigate the trees. Having thoroughly prepared the laud in which the trees are to grow, develop and produce fruit, it is always gratifying to know that if the trees do not thrive as well as expected, the trouble is not due to lack of preparation.

SPRAY FOR FUNGOUS DISEASE

Low Forms of Plant Life Reproduce From Spores, Similar to Seeds in Higher Plants.

Fungous diseases are low forms of plant life which live on the higher forms of plants, such as we grow in our gardens and fields and orchards. These fungi reproduce from spores which are quite similar to seeds in higher plants, Fungous diseases are usually carried over from one year till another in diseased fruits, dis-eased leaves, twigs, etc.

Spraying for lungous diseases is not

cure, but a preventive, if effective. A fungicide must consist of the proper material applied at the proper strength at the right time. The solution, or the dust, as the consistency may be, nust be applied thoroughly.

Examples of fungous diseases are brown rot of the peach, black rot of the grape, apple scab, peach-tree leaf curi, etc. The remedy is bordeaux i mixture, a mixture of copper sulphate (bluestone) and lime in water, or ime-sulphur, summer strength, must be used while foliage is green.

MAKING CUTTINGS OF GRAPE

Most Propagators Prefer to Get Just Below a Bud on Lower End-Tie in Bundles.

Grape cuttings are made from wellripened wood of the past season, usu-Most propagators prefer to cut the lower end just below a bud and the upper end one or two inches above a bud. They may be tied in burgles of 50 or 100 by means of twisted willow twigs and stored and well callused. Ptace them in a pit with the

butt end up and three inches of soil

Remove the Labels.

The labels should be removed from frult trees as soon as they are planted, or they should be so fixed that they cannot tighten and cut through the

Keep the Runners Off. Keep the runners off the everbearing strawberry plants if you want more

Water for Berry Plant: Sterry plants require tess water in

their first year than afterward. RAIL YARD TO COST MILL'C

Freight Terminals to Be Built at O at Los Angeles Will Cover 700 Acres.

Actual construction will be starte shortly on a 700-acre freight tectail. covering a two-mile strip along the . Fernando road, beginning at the N. Brondway yards, by the Southern eific Railway company at a cost of eral millions of dollars. This amment was made recently by T. II \. liams, assistant general mana the company, according to the

Angeles Examiner. The completed yard will be one the most extensive and comprehefreight terminals in the country will include sections for class a and receiving, car storage, delivery pair tracks, stock resting corrals, of tric power house and illumination tem for the yard, two fa-stall ron houses, cahoose tracks, delli tra-

water tanks and mammath repair s "The construction of this h freight terminal at Los Angeles is practical recognition of the tremends growth of the city and surround owns and of the greater growth

prospect," said Mr. Williams. In 1920, a normal year, one rallrecompany spent more than \$8,000" for materials and supplies in t. Angeles. Its normal pay roll is approx imntely \$1,000,000.

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Next year will be the last in which the office of the Automobile Commis sloner will serve as the biggest single revenue-producing department of the In 1922 this department proluced about \$2,700,000 from the registration fees of automobiles. On the basis of these figures it should collect about \$3,000,000 in 1923, most of which will be received prior to January 15. After that the receipts of the office will be nominal in comparison with what they have been. It is not expected that the receipts ever will exeed \$1 000,000 again.

The reason for this is the tax or gasoline. Beginning January 1, 1924, this tax will constitute the bulk of the charge on automobilists for the use of he State rossis. The tax has been in effect since June 1 last, but it has been only at the rate of 1 cent a gallon and has been for the purpose of providing for the deficit in the construction funds of the State Roads

John N. Macks?', chairman of the State Roads Commission, who worked out the gas tax and was instrumental in securing its passage through the worked out almost exactly as anticipated. It has averaged \$60,000 p month for the six months the tax has been in operation and is expected to average \$65,000 a month for the 13 months to January 1, 1924. If it does, the maintenance deficit will be wiped

On January I, when the two-cent tax on gasoline goes into effect, it is expected to produce a revenue of at least \$1,500,000 a year. Then the registration fees of automobilists will be re duced. The new charge is expected to be about one-third of the old registration fees, or 20 cents per horsepower. Adoption of the gas tax by Maryland and the District of Columbia automat cally will solve all reciprocity troubles that have been agitating motor sts for years.

A bill already is before Congress providing for the adoption of the gas ax in the District beginning with 1924. When this is passed no Washington license tag will be required for Maryland machines and no Maryland tags for Washington machines.

Favors Physician For Welfare Body Emory L. Coblentz, State Directo of Welfare, believes that one co the should be a physician of standing. To this end it is probable that Mr. Coblentz will recommend that Governor Ritchie appoint Dr. Lewellys F. Bark-

Dr. Barker is chairman of the request of the present State Board f Prison Control, has reported reently on conditions at the House of Correction and the Penitentiary.

warden of the "Cut". There has been some speculation as o whether Robert D. Case, secre-

tary of present Prison Board, will be nade secretary to the new Board of It seems that action to upersede Mr. Case may be deferred year, as he has an extensive knowledge of the Prison Board's work. The Director of Welfare takes the view that he should devote all the ime necessary to discharge the duties of his new office, even if those duties take six days out of the seven.

# Sweezey Talks On Code. \*

Maryland's penal system and needed reforms in the classification of soners furnished the theme of an by Warden Claude B. sweezey at the meeting of the Men's Club of Grace and St. Peter's Church. No study is made of convicts at the present time, according to Warden weezey, who also said that the House of Correction, intended for "first offenders," is filled with vagrants and tramps, who have a bad influence on youthful prisoners sent there,

"What is needed," he declared, "is a system of classification whereby corvicts might be placed in tratitutions and pursuits in keeping with their characters and tendencies. Such classification should be carried out by medical officers and psychiatrists."

### Fifth Regiment Adds 150 To Its Personnel.

The Fifth Maryland Infantry has he recruiting began in October. This orings the personnel of the regiment up to 1.250, which is only 150 men

short of the peace-time quota. Company L from the young men of ion will be known as the Walbrook Company. The Headquarters Company, recently organized, is still short

# State Snow Plows Ready,

The State Roads Commission's 65 mow plows are all ready for any blizard that may develop. The plows are ept at strategic points along the itcte's highway system.

Come to All Men. Man, be he who he may, experiences a last plece of good fortune and a

Happenings In Various Sections o Old Maryland

Elkton-Given a hearing before Magistrate Andrew J. Jones, of Rising Sun, on the charge of killing a pheasant contrary to the State game laws, Joseph Hall, of Rowlandville, was fined \$25 and costs, amounting to

Elkton.-The School Commissioners for Cecil county have engaged Clarence R. Hope, of Baltimore, to prepare plans and specifications for the new school buildings to be erected from the \$150,000 bond issue, which was approved and authorized by the voters at the November general election.

Princess Anne.-The following offi cers of the Frincess Anne Volunteer Fire Company were elected to serve for one year from January 1: Presi dent, C. Edwin Hayman; vice-president, Paul A. Walker; treasurer, Oscar Legislature, said the one-cent tax had F. Jones; secretary, Burton H. Dryden; chief, George W. Colborn, Jr.

> Cumberland,-Mrs. Margaret Ann Cox, 80 years old, widow of Samuel Cox, died at her residence here. She is survived by one daughter. Sarah Connors; three brothers Thomas, Charles and Wesley Cox, and two sisters, Mrs. Seliah Wheeler and Mrs. Louise Boyd.

> Cambridge,-Mrs. Margaret Jane Gillis, widow of William Gillis, 89 years old, died Thursday morning. Mrs. Gillis leaves three sons and three daughters, George B., Henry L., Ernest A., and Miss Lottie Gillis, Mrs. Isaac Pattison and Mrs. John Pattison, all of this county. She was a native of Wicomico county, but had lived in Dor chester for the last 50 years.

> Prince Frederick.-The members o the Calvert County Medical Society met in Prince Frederick Thursday and elected officers, Dr. William H. Marsh was elected president, Dr. I. N. King, vice-president, and Dr. J. W. Leitch, secretary. Dr. Philip Briscos was elected delegate to the State Medical Association. It was decided that

members of the Board of Wevere Guard officers will be received New Year's Eve at the Executive Mansier at Annapolis by Governor Ritcale, It was announced by the local headquarters. This reception has become an an anal custom. It was said that 150 officers were present last year. The physicians' committee, which, at the Fifth Regiment has added 150 men to its personnel during the recruiting drive which began in October.

Elkton.-In the Circuit Court for Cecil county when the cases of Harry It appears that Mr. Coblentz is will- Hall, Harry Harvey and Charles Bidng to allow the Governor to find a die, of North East, and Robert Vansuccessor to William H. Lankford as diver and Thomas C. Hopkins, of Havre de Grace, indicted by the grand jury on the charge of violating the gunning laws governing the Susque hanna Flats, were called their counsel entered demurrers to the indict ments, which were upheld by the court, thus wiping the case off the docket. The State Game Department which is pushing the cases, will it is understood, undertake to have these men indicted in the Federal Court at Baltimore.

Baltimore.-Mrs. David M. Robinson was elected regent of the Thomas Johnson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a meeting held at the College Club, 821 North Charles street. Mrs. Howard O. Price was chosen vice-regent; Miss Kath erine D. Hull, recording secretary Mrs. George R. Ellsler, corresponding secretary: Mrs. William H. Hayward treasurer; Mrs. George M. Scott, his torian, and Mrs. Edward Passano registrar. Additions to the board of management were as follows: Mrs. William M. Powell, Mrs. Erederic Tyson, Mrs. Wallace L. Ball and Mrs. Augustus S. Duffey. Following the elections the educational work and activities of the State Board of Forestry were explained in an illustrated lecture by F. W. Besley, State Forester.

Baltimore. - Nomination of Alan Johnstone, Jr., as director of the Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission was confirmed by the board of directors. Immediately afterward Mr. Johnstone announced that he would sum mon the executive committee and the added 150 men to its personnel since consulting committee, which is composed of the president and vice-presidents, toward the end of framing "a work program." This program, which will deal exclusively with police A movement to recruit and organize administration, criminal jurisprudence, institutions, probations and Walbrook is now on. This organiza- paroles, juvenile court systems and all other matters related to the undertaking of the commission, may be outlined. Its application will begin at about the first of the year. The director has already proposed to the board of directors the name of an associate director. Officers have not yet no funds, but, according to Mr. Johnstone, contemplates a campaign to raise \$35,000 or so through public subscription. "For myself," he said, "I am ready to start without funds."

> Wedding Ring Never Pletford. The ancient Greeks and Romans used betrothal rings as piedges, but not wellding rings.

"In heating houses we really use ten times as much coal as is necessary," Charles P. Stein metz, research expert for the General Electric company, said recently in a contribution to the coal number issue of the Survey

"We could save nine-tenths of it, but we probably will not do so until forced to it by a falling coal supply, for to seve would require a radical change in building construction

"Usually over 90 to cent of all the heat from our furnaces is lost. Although we m place the foul air with fresh air, there is no reason why should throw away wit a the foul air all the good and valuable heat which it contains and not supply new heat to the fresh air. If it were properly are nged we would take the heat out of the foul air before we exhaust it, turn it into the incoming fresh air, and so lient the incoming air by the heat of the outgoing warm oly.

"This recovery of the heat is called the regenerative stem of heating. We could do this by passing the outgoing warm air around the outside of the pipes which bring in the frest air and

so warm the latter by the former. "By proper building tion the loss could be minde slight, so that a very small amount of heat would warm the house; so small, indeed, that it would be economical to heat ouses electrically; econo to own a house with ney, even though the price of electric energy must always remain many times greater than the price of coal, considering the same amount of energy."

# MAKES A PERMANENT CHANGE

Why Egg. Once Boiled to Hardness, Will Not Soften With a Drop in Temperature.

An egg contains a large proportion of albumer, intended by nature for the nourishment of the growing chick. This albumen belongs to a class of substances which have the peculiarity of "congulating" or turning solid when sed to a certain degree of heat.

water boils at a lower temperature, and this temperature being under the "congulation point" makes it impossible to "cook" an egg.

How Lime Increases Fertility. the fertility of animals has been strikingly shown by the German physiolo gists Emmerich and Loew, in a lecent investigation reported in Umschar (Berlin). They used three groups of mice in their experiments. The first group was given ordinary food; the second received the same with the addition of measured quantities of table salt (sodium chloride), which has also the reputation of increasing fecundly; the third group received corresponding amounts of calcium chloride instead of the sodium chloride. Within a given length of time the three groups bore offspring 23 times, 33 times and 43 times respectively. In splte of the great increase of the number of litters in the third case, the total number of individuals was also greater. At the end of seven months covered by the investigation, the three groups had produced respectively 115,

179 and 262 young. Some highly interesting observaby Dr. E. H. Hankin, in the Arabian sea. In atill weather the length of a glide was about a meter, with con siderable lateral instability; in a light wind this was increased to from 200 to 400 meters. A resemblance be tween the wing action of soaring vultures and the fin action of the fishes was marked. In both, the wing or fin is inclined upward, the outer part at a higher level than the base, in slow-speed flights, while both show a downward inclination in flight at high speed.

Youth's Lucky Day. A corset that was used as evidence in four trials in Philadelphia was given o a boy to be burned up after a verdict had been finally reached. It had passed through the hands of numero lawyers and police officials in their investigations, but it remained for the boy to find \$128 concealed in it.

Why Storm Sours Milk. There is something about the condition of the air when charged with electricity during a thunder storm which affects the milk; while the molsture and warmth of the air at such a time also has some effect upon milk and cream, causing it to turn sour. Cat's Eyes of Odd Color. A girl in Vermont is said to have a

blue-eyed cat. The cat had two kit-

tens, one of which has odd eyes. One

of its eyes is blue, like its mother's,

while the other is like the ordinary

Joy descends quietly upon as like the evening dow and does not patter down like a hallstorm -- Jean Paul

**EXECUTIVES' CONFERENCE** 

The second biennial conference of scout executives held at Blue Ridge N. C., in September, proved to be the ers of boys ever held in the world. Over 400 executives from all parts of the country, devoting their full time to the work of scouting, and a group of experts in executive management leadership, education, vecreation, out of-doors activities, camp and woodcraft, Indian lore god boy psychology met for the protess of training and discussion. There executives are regarded as the key-plus, so to speak, of this great movement numbering 550,000 boy, and men. On them rests the responsibility of maintaining standards and keeping the work efficient and progressive, and of bringing within the reach of every boy in this cou try, regardless of birth, creed or na tionality the advantages of the scout movement-namely, character building and citizenship training through a prograin of work and play in the out-of-

The earliest morning hour each day of the conference was devoted to e training course for new executives. This was under the leadership of Lorne W. Barclay, mational director of education, B. S. of A. Amosa the speakers were James E. West, chief scout executive; A. A. Shuck, executive of Reading, Pa.; George E. Ehler, national director of records; E. B. De Groot, executive of Los Angeles; James M. Brockway, executive of Portand, Ore., and Dr. George J. Fisher, deputy chief scont executive, and E. St. Elmo Lewis of New York, Detroit and Chicago, who delivered a powerful series on salesmanship, finances and budgets, advertising and publicity, records and accounting, the executive and the community.

Then came a good morning sing, followed by inspirational talks on "Service," given by Franklin K. Mathlews, chief scout librarian; Prof. H. H. Horne, professor of history of education and philosophy at New York university; Rev. John F. White, educational director of boy scout ex-tension, national Catholic Welfare uncil, and others.

mond hitch, light cmap fires without matches-even when damoness pre valls-that would fill an uninitiated with total dismay; they learned how to blaze new trails, and more than one method of finding their way when

National Scout Commissioner Dan Beard, actual ploneer of many years' experience, dally gave demonstration of camperaft and woodcraft. Commodore W. E. Longfellow, noted swimmer and official of the American Red Cross, gave instruction in lifesaving by land and by water.

New games-red-blooded boy games that call for sportsmanlike attitude, that develop strength and clear thinking and are filled with the joy of adventure, were demonstrated by Charles F. Smith in charge of the Scoutmasters' Training school at Columbia university, and Ly Dr. E. K. Fretwell, also of Columbia, both of whom are authorities on the subject of recreation. Ralph Hubbard, expert plainsman, student for many years in Indian ceremonials, interpreted Indian lore and exhibited his collection of Indian regalia. Mr. James A. Wilder, artist. author, boy expert and chief sea scout, Boy Scouts of America, came to conference from Mawall. L. L. Mc-Donald, national director of camping, shared with his colleagues the knowledge and experience he had gained from study and Inspection of scout camps throughout the country; safety measures, programs for camps, camp sanitation and real cooking were features Mr. McDonald emphasizes. Prof. J. C. Elsom, director of scout courses of the University of Wisconsin, and Prof. E. Laurence l'almer, assistant professor of rural education of Corneli university, contributed special ideas on outof-door work and play. Also one of the national council officers, George D. Pratt, treasurer, who for many years has been a member of the Camp Fire Club of America, took part in the outof-door instruction.

# THE PIONEER SCOUT

A ploneer scout is a scout who, because of distance or other reasons, cannot associate himself with a troop, and hence carries on his scouting alone, after the manner of the great early ploneers.

SCOUTS TO LAY TRAIL Boy scouts of the Bronx, New York, are laying a trail which will completely encircle the Kanawauke Lake campa and will measure 40 level miles, which will be extended from 25 to 50 per cent when all the hills and valleys are included. Portions of this trail have already been marked, but many of the markers have disappeared. The trail follows a path of remarkable scenic beauty and the scouts' work as trail layers will be a real good turn to all who enjoy liking.

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GREAT ESTAYES BROKEN UP Among British Lands Recently Places on the Market Are Those of the Camerons.

If one is not too deeply steeped in nce he may fall to feel remored at the rale of many of the large English estates, for the greater part of their broad lands are of agricultura value. With Scotland it is rather different, for there is much that is no more than beath and rock, where there is no more than beauty and sentiment and romance, and that in every

stone and sprig. The real Highlands: feels and when e reads that the wide Cameron es tates of 117,000 acres, including the domains of historic Lechaber and Lochiel are in the market. They include a big sheep range and some valuable timber, but that is about all mercially, for deer, black-game and wild duck are not articles of

In the old days the great lairds maintained these wild lands and their wild retainers out of their own pock ets; now they cannot afford it and lands and retainers have to go. In all the Highlands, probably there is no clan better known by name and story to the world than the mighty Camer ons. The Cameron Highlanders, "The March of the Cameron Men." Lochiel's stogan and the Lochaber ax, are spoken of everywhere. There was not a Cameron among

the "Seven Men of GlenmorIston" (who were Grants, MacDonells, Macgregors and Chisholms), but they were connected with almost every other episode of the gallant young Prince Charlie's sad and brief career. The beautiful estates now in the market were forfeited on that account, to be restored half a century later, this be ing the only break in the Cameron Desspesion

Cosmopolitan New York. New York each year becomes more With considerably of a foreign city. more than half of its population foreign-born or of foreign parent-age, and with fully a third of its residents Jewish, it is fast acquiring many habits and customs that are distinctly not American, although in all the various groups of nationalties in the metropolio systematic efforts toward Americanization are being made The principal society at work to this end is called "America's Making." It is headed by Dr. John Houston

ning there were groups of 36 differ ent nationalities, all in native dressand all of them were New Yorkers. His Own "Double!" Few modern statesmen are the sol ject of so many good styries us M. Chanceceau, who is eighty-one. Here is one of the latest:

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'I will give you fifty." The woman looked at him a minute, perhaps to see if it was worth while haggling, and then said: Very well, you shall have them for fifty, because, my little old man, you resemble our good M. Clemenceau."

Keep Tight Rein on Emotlons, The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulsiveness. The storms of emotion which continually sweep through them cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their judgment, and thus deceiving them into conclusions which may be the reverse of sound. "An angry man," as the provert

tersely puts it, "cannot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the sensibly efficient, the success-winners, -H. Addit gton Bruce in the Chicago Daily New

A prophet is not without honor but in his own country and in his own house and among his own kindred,-

Things don't turn up in this world till somebody turns them up. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck-

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

# From the Tax Revision Commission.

1922. The members of the Com- tion."

Francis King Carey, William H. Maltbie, J. Augustine Mason, Frank Novak, and George C. Smith.

Mr. Carey and Mr Maltbie are members of the Baltimore Bar; Mr. Mason is a prominent lawyer of that often accompanies constipation. Hagerstown: Mr. Novak is a wel known Baltimore builder, and Mr Smith is the Director of the Indutrial Bureau of the Board of Trade of Baltimore

All of the members of the Commission are requested by the Act to serve without pay.

Vice-Chairman.

By the terms of the Act under which it was appointed the Commission is requested to investigate the systems of State, County and Municipal taxation in force in Marland and to inquire into their practical operation and eff-ct in the rais mission is instructed to it quire into the systems of State, County and Municipal taxation in force in other States and to ascertain their page tical operation and off ct, and is in structed to make a printed report to the Governor by December 1, 1923, for his use and for transm's ion by him to the General Assembly of 1924; which report is to contain a "draft of a general system of law Ernest Greenfield Holland, Minnie providing for the imposition and col- E Joseph, Raymond Joseph, Charlection of revenue, taxes and charges lie Joseph, Daniel Joseph. in the State of Maryland."

At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Carey made the following state

"Governor Ritchie has asked to Tax Revision Commission to perform a very difficult and responsible piece of work; and although all of us have been selected by the Governor without any consultation with us, we have all thought it our duty to accept the appointments and have entered aggressively upon our investigations

"The Act requires all public offi cers of the State to supply us, on request, with all needed information; but our Commission feels that as it has a State-wide responsibility, which it must, of course, exercise in an absolutely impartial fashion, it must have the warmest co operation and support from all the officials of the State who have to do with the questions of taxation in the cities and counties of the State, and we will seize upon the earliest opportunity to confer with these offi cials and invite their advice and suggestions. In the meantime, we will set in motion machinery for collect ing, recording and digesting all possible information which we can obtain from other States, many of our yard two cars of the best soft which, we understand, have recently completed and reported upon investigations of this character, and size. We do this so we will be in in some of which modernized ma chinery for assessing and collecting taxes has been in operation long dition to our monthly allotment of enough to give reasonable evidence Anthracite. of its practical operation.

"Whether our Commission recommends to Governor Ritchie, as the result of our study, any radical changes in the present tax laws cr not, I think the entire Bar of the State and all of the taxing authorities will agree with us in thinking that the existing laws can at least be put in a more orderly and intelligible form without the exercise of any high ability in Statute writing; and ever if we find it unnecessary or undesirable to recommend any radical changes in the taxing system of Maryland, I think we may DAVIS ICE & COAL CO., be able to render a real service to

the public by recodifying the existing law so that it will be found under one article and can be read and understood by a man of ordinary intelligence.

"It is perhaps unnecessary to say that the members of our Commis sion will take the greatest pleasure in receiving and carefully considering any suggestions which anybody is good enough to make to us. Durng the coming spring and summer t is the purpose of the members of the Commission to visit each one of the counties of the State for the purpose of having personal conferences with the local taxing authorities; and if the Mayor and City Council provides for a Commission to study the local taxing system of Baltimore, we will, of course, gladly welcome

any suggestions they make to us. "Before completing our report or The first meeting of the Tax Re- making a final draft of a State-wide vision Commission appointed by revenue law, which the Act requires Governor Ritchie, under the provi- us to make, we expect to have our sions of Chapter 427 of the Acts of work checked by high class expert the General Assembly of 1922, was advice-especially from the statistiheld on Thursday, December 14th, cal standpoint of revenue produc-

When You Are Constipated.

To insure a healthy action of the powels and correct disorders of the liv er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They will not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, without unpleasant effects, but banish that dull, stupid feeling,

# Notice to Santa Claus.

So many children have written letters to "Santa Claus" this season, expecting the Advance to publish them, that we find it impossible to Mr. Carey was chosen Chairman do so. We are sorry to disappoint of the Commission and Mr. Maldie the little ones, and would advise ach child to tell their parents what things they especially want and perhaps they can get word to him. We hope that each one will receive the gifts best suited to make happy hours, and that each child will try to appreciate the presents received and be happy with them, even if ing of adequate revenue. The Com- they fail to get other things that they very much want.

The following children wish a vis it from Santa Clar-

Berlin, Maryland:

Elsie M Esbam, James Truitt, Macon Truit, Hilda L. Davis, E. dith L Davis R Crawford Holland, Elizabeth Christopher, Grace Thomss, D nald P. Marshill, Catherine Po'k, Eléanor Polk, Norris Polk

Louise Jarmon, Georgia Jarmon Whaleyville.

Charles Holloway Truitt, Dorls Ru h Truitt, Lettie Carav, Carroll drien Holloway

Newark:

Relecca E Spence, Arman H

Showell:

Madeline Ellis, Corrie Ellis, Jr. Helen Snack, Calvin Smack, Clara prifficial heat in homes is almost un-Smack, Eester Smack, John Farson,

Bishopville: Charlotte M Gallion.

Ocean City: John Quillin, Camilla Dennie, Mildred Dennis, and the three-yearo'd son of Mr. and Mr. Eugene

Philadelphia:

Charlotte Nowton.

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Berlin, Md.

OF COURSE DORIS WON OUT

What Was There for Mother to Say in the Face of Such an Argument?

They had been chatting since enter ing the bus, but the Woman, who sat opposite them on top, heard nothing really good until Grant's monument

was reached, Without taxing her hearing in the least the Woman learned that they were former schoolmates at the university (for university days were mentioned again and again) who were revisiting the city after a number of

"I don't think the girls of this cen tury will ever stand for long skirts again," remarked the one in the green dress. "Reminds me of what Evelyn was telling me just before I came away. She was making a skirt for her daughter, Dorls. Everything except the correct length had been decided upon. Evelyn wanted to make this a little longer than Doris' other skirts. She told her that the fashlon was for increasing the length. But Doris was

"Evelyn, you know, generally lets her have her way in matters of dress, but this time she argued and Doris burst into tears, 'Be fair, mums,' she pleaded. 'Honest Injun, now which de you think I should take—the advice of one mother or of twenty girls?"

"And what happened?" "Oh, mother shortened the skirt, of course." -- Exchange,

# HISTORIC HOME FOR AMERICA?

Possibility That Dwelling in Which Miles Standish Was Born May Be Brought Here.

The hero of Longfellow's poem 'The Courtship of Miles Standish,' was a real historical character, who was born in Lancashire, England somewhere about 1584. It is now suggested that the house where he was born should be transported to New England. It is even said that within six months the four rooms of the Standish home now located in the parisl: of Standish, pear Wigan, Laner shire, England, will be fitted into the house for some United States citizen whose family history goes back to Mayflower days. The Standish house has been occupied by the Standish family since the Norman conquest. One of the ancestral stately homes of England is just now being taken down and carried across the Atlentic to be set up stone by stone somewhere in the States. Now if history belonging to these ancient buildings could also be transferred to the United States, what a heap of renown that enterprising nation could collect and own?-Montreal Family Herald.

Rodent Was the Burglar, A New York Chinaman sent an urgent call to detective headquarters complaining that \$900 had been stolen from him. The Chink, who conducts a restaurant, told the detectives be suspected a colored employee, stating

ested a search of the cellar. The letectives made a careful survey, without results. As they turned to abandon their search, one of them noticed a small bundle of paper move across the cellar floor. Springing upon the object, he placed his foot full upon it. The bundle ceased to move, but its moving force-n husky ratvanished into a nearby hole. Nine bundle, thus accidentally clearing up what might have been a baffling mys-

Diplomatic Corps Cared For.

Other Washingtonians may shiver with the cold this winter, owing to the coal shortage, but the administration has seen to it that the 400 persons in the diplomatic corps will not suffer, owing to a lack of fuel. Many of the diplomats come from countries where known and, indeed, unnecessary, and worried about their empty coal bins The State department has given them precedence over others, thus emphasizing the entente cordiale. It is only in recent years that the English and the Scotch have known the comfort of steam heat, the sea coal fire, as they call it, burned in open grates, being the only method of heating their homes.-Washington Star.

Something He Can Teach Her. "I simply couldn't teach my wife to drive the car. Gave it up and let somebody else do It."

"Same with bridge. She wouldn't list n to me at all. Hired a tutor for

learned separately. Always wrangled when we tried the new steps together. but, at that, there's one thing she's

"What is that?" "She insists that I must teach her how to blow cigarette smoke through

Martens Raised in Captivity.

The raising of martens in captivity is now commercially possible as a re

sult of the discovery of their breeding season by naturalists of the blological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. These valuable fur bearers mate late in July and in August, and appear to have a gestation period of eight months, much longer than most animals of the same group. It was formerly thought that their breeding season was in the fall or winter, the young being born in the

In some parts of Europe, when there are several bables to be christened at the same time, the mothers insist on the minister baptizing the girl babies first, as otherwise when

they grow up they will develop beards.

The Tortworth chestnut, in Eng land, figures upon a charter dated 1135, and so is probably well on toward its tenth century, and there which was there in the year 1250.

AUTOMOBILE HERE TO STAY

Foolish to Compare I. to Popular "Crazes" That Merely Bloomed for a Time.

"If the automobile craze continues," queried a Man Who Loves to Talk, what will we do for roads for the cars to run on? Just now all the main rous around the city are used to capacity on pice Sundays, and it is common knowledge that down-town streets are so jammed at times that a day of December, 1922, in a cause pendman can walk on the sidewalk faster than a car can travel in the street. et al are complainants and Martin Man-Shall we have to double-deck our

"Possibly," replied the Man Who Re-"But the use of automobiles is not a craze. It is too enduring for a craze. The roller-skating epidemic that swept the country in the middle eightles was a cruze. Remam ber how rinks sprang up in every town? Bicycle riding ten years later was a craze. The Williamsburga bridge was built while it was at its height, and plans for the bridge called for a space devoted exclusively to olkes, but the craze passed before the

bridge was completed. "Ping-pong was a craze that bloomed in the merning and died at night, though while it lasted there were ping-pong clubs, tournaments and contests. But baseball, politics and the stitutions."-New York Sun

CHANGES IN ARCTIC OCEAN Seals Said to Be Finding Temperature a Little Too High, and Ice Is Less Pientiful.

The Arctic ocean is warming up, iceergs are growing scarce and in some places the senis are finding the water no hot, according to a report to the Commerce department from Consul

Lift at Bergen. Reports from fishermen, seal hunt ers and explorers all point to a radical change in elimatic conditions and hitherto unheard or temperatures in the Arctic zone, exploration expeditions reporting that scarcely any ice has been encountered as far north as 81 degrees 29 minutes. Soundings to a depth of 3,100 meters showed the Gulf stream

Great masses of ice have been re laced by moraines of earth and stones, while at many points wellknowr glaciers have disappeared. Very few seals and no white fish are being found in the eastern Arctic, while vast sheals of herring and smelts, which never before have ventured so far north, are being encoun tered in the old seal-fishing grounds.

Ingenious, but Futile Plea. When a robber, is not a robbery, vas tord a judge of General Sessions in New York, when a negro was charged with entering a house and taking a \$3,500, dlamond ring. "Did you?" asked the judge. "Jedge," said the prisoner, "It wasn't no burglary. It was summer time and the windows

spahkled. Oit, Jedge, if it on'y hadn't spahkled! An' I said: 'Lady, whut you got thalh on yoh hand?' An' she said: 'Take it, an' please do go ra't out immediate.' Jedge, the lady requested me to take that spahkler an' go ra't out lm-mee-dee-ate. An' I took it and went. Jedge, it wasn't no burglary." It seemed that the prison-er had undergone a similar painful experience at another apartment not to speak of a record of four previous convictions. He will sparkle in Sing Sing for fourteen pears.

Ancestors Worth Boasting About, For about an hour a man from Denver had been boasting to an Irishman about the magnificence of the Rocky mountairs.

"You seem mighty proud ov thim mountains," the Irishman observed. "You bet I am," replied the man from Denver. "And I ought to be,

since my ancestors built them." The Irishman thought this over for a few moments and then asked, "Did you ever happen to hear ov the Dead sen in-in one ov the old countries?" "Yes, indeed," replied the man from Denver. "I know all about the Dead

"Well, did you happen to know that great-grandfather killed the thing?'-London Tit-Bits,

Felt His Job Was Scfe.

A newspaper that was not making expenses decided to economize, and accordingly two reporters and a speclal writer were dismissed. The other employees became nervous with the exception of one man who showed no symptoms of uneasiness. He worked in what was known as the art department, for the journal published a great many pictures. Asked if he had had no qualms as to the stability of his job, he said: "Oh, no. They can't fire me," "Why not? They are cutting all along the line." "Waal, I figure that the paper can't afford to make a cut in its art department. You see we have so many subscribers who do not read."

Working in Reverse. getting fat! What have you been do ing to get all that flesh on your ones?" exclaimed the friend.

"Oh," said the former thin man, "I began taking the reduction dope, diet and exercises they prescribed for my wife and I began to pick up right away. And she started in on the tonics and diets I had been falling for to make me fat and she already has lost 20 pounds."

Authors Who Got Rich. The first British writer to make large fortune was Sir Walter Scott, who carned about a million. Dickens received \$12,500 for "Pickwick," and George Ellot \$35,000 for "Romola. Lew Wallace received \$400,000 for

two novels. Ye Editor's Luck. Western Paper-Ye hard-up editor, going through the pockets of his last year's suit as a final resort, has re is an oak at Tilford, near Faraham, ceived ald from an unexpected quarter.-Boston Transcript,

WILLIAM G. KERBIN, Solicitor.

# Trustee's Sale Of Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Worcester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th ing in said court, wherein John S. Gordy uel et al are defendants, being No. 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction in front of Trader's ore at Stockton, Maryland, on

Saturday, January 13th, 1923, at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, and interest of al the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of land situated on the left hand side of the county road leading from Stockton to Welbourne in the eighth election district of Worcester County, Maryland, and described as follows: beginning at a pine tree stand-log on the left hand side of the county road above named and on the line of Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land or line about east course to run of branch at marked black gum tree, thence running by and with the run of said branch and line of Charlotte Ward land about south course to marked black gum tree, thence running about west course to marked red oak tree standing on left hand side of county road above named, thence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and place of beginning, containing 51 acres of land, more or less. It being the same real estate conveyed to Edward Manuel by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed dated the 26th day of October, 1921, and recorded among the land records of worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to January 1st, 1923. Title papers at purch-

TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balof purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to th satisfaction of the trustee.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

# AIRPLANES TO LOCATE LAKES

Plan to Use Flying Machines in the Finding and Photographing of Alaskan Inland Waters.

Locating and photographing undis-covered lakes in the national forests of Alaska are the latest uses to which the sirplane has been put, says American Forestry, quoting the United States forest service. We read: "It has long been known that there

sage between Scattle and Skagway

that do not appear on any map, During the New York-Nome flight made by army aviators, lakes were frequently sighted which could not be found on the latest and most authentic maps of the territory. Tales of unknown water bodies are constantly being brought in by trappers and prospectors. Less than a year ago a lake four and one half miles long and one-half mile wide bay. This lake has over 1,000 acres of surface area and is less than one and one-quarter miles from tidewater, yet because of the surrounding territory's rough topography has remained unknown and unnamed. Recognizing that many others of these 'lost lakes' may be sources of valuable water power, the forest service has laid plans to map this no man's land of the North by means of aerial photographs. A few day's flight, it is said will be sufficient to cover the area with a degree of accuracy that would require many years and great expense to accomplish by ordinary methods. The work, which has been approved by the federal power commission, will be done by scaplane, flying from Ketchi-

Big-Game Hunters.

The Woman has recently received a letter from the staff artist of the Beebe tropical research expedition. Hitherto they have had the jungle more or less to themselves and have had most excellent chances to study and explore.

But now it is not so. Since the recent diamond mine boom the rush of prospectors to the diamond fields has been tremendous, and those who thought the jungle would belong exclusively to them and to the wild creatures who made their homes there will now come home sooner than planned. It seems that no place can remain a wilderness or a jungle if the thought of wealth can be connected with it -Exchange.

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A FEW SALADS AND DESSERTS

The eating of vegetables in every form is a habit to be cultivated and with a nicely-seasoned salad dressing, the habit is a good one, easily ac-

Cucumber Jelly Salad. -Dissolve one tablespoonful of gelatin in one and one-fourth cupfuls of water, add onefourth of a cupful of vinegar, one-fourth of a

cupful of sugar, one tea spoonful of salt and a dash of parrika. Let the mixture stand until it begins to thicken, add one cupful of diced cucumber, one-fourth of a cupful of green pepper and one tenspoonful of onion juice. Turn the mixture into molds, chill and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Beet Celery and Pea Salad,-Take two cupfuls of diced, cooked beets, one cupful of finely cut celery, one cupful of cooken peas drained, one tablespoonful of minced onlon, one tablespoonful of horseradish sauce, salt and paprika. Marinate the vegetables with French dressing and let them stand for two hours. Serve on lettuce with a boiled dressing or with

Rice and Pen Salad,-Fill small greased molds half full of seasoned cooked green pens. Cover with cold boiled rice which has been seasoned with anely minced pimento, parsley and onlon inice. Press the rice lightly to fill the mold. Loosen with a spatula and turn out on a salad plate garnished with lettuce or endive. Serve with French or mayonnaise dressing.

Cherry Fluff .- Soak two tablespoon fuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of water, place over hot water until the gelatin is dissolved. Now add two cupfuls of cherry juice, one-third of a cupful of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside until the wixture begins to thicken, then bent well and add two-thirds of a cupful of cherries; other fruit may be used. Add three tablespoonfuls of swear to cream and fold lightly into the fruit mixture. Turn into a mold and chill, Serve with soft custard, a fruit sauce, or cream. Garnish with whipped cream and cherries.

Mellie Maxwell

Ancients Knew Use of Lamps, Wax candles were made in very an-cient times, but at the beginning of the Christian ora an oil-burning samp was used in many parts of the Roman empire, for instance, in Italy, the seat of power, and in Palestine, a con-quered country. Of course, this lamp was most common in countries produc ing olive oil. Many of these ancient lamps have been found in the ruins of Roman cities, in the ruins of Pom-

Inevitable.

A newspaper advises the young man to escape from labor troubles and other complexities of civilization by taking refuge on a tropic isle. But when he got there he would probably find the coconuts cornered on the consolidated coconut exchange, and the amalgamated union of banana pickers engineering an Island-wide strike.-Boston Transcript.

"Due Process of Law."

The constitutions of the various states and the federal constitution contain no description of those processes which it was intended to allow or forbid by the various uses of the expression "due process of law." It is generally held to mean, however, law in its regular course of administration through courts of justice.

Paper for Car Wheels.

The bureau of standards says the only case it knows of where wheels are sinde out of papier-mache is in Pullman cars. Pullman car wheels have been made very successfully by gluing together a large number of plates of cardboard with two outside plates of thin metal and surrounded by steel tire.

Easy Deduction.

"Now, Archibald, tell me what on engineer is," said the teacher. "He is a man who works an engine," replied Archibald. "Correct," said the teacher. "Now, William, can you tell me what a pioneer is?" "Yes, sir," answered William, "he's a man who works a plane."

Different Types of Sea Buoys. There are 40 different types of buoys used at sea, each of which has a meaning of its own. That of a green color, for instance, marks a wreck, while others similarly distinctive show where rocks, shoals, sandbanks and deep-water channel occur.

Some Queer Foods.

Chickens' tongues and unhatched chickens are Chinese delicacies; sloth is eaten on the Island of Demerara; a pale blue mole and two mice were the tasty supper that Livingstone's guides gave him after crossing the Kasai.

Originally From Holy Land. Hollyhock is the garden mallow (Anglo-Saxon hoc, mallow). It is called hollyhock, or holyhock, from the Holy land, where it is indigenous.

Best of All Endeavors. To secure and promote the feeling of cheerfulness should be the supreme alm of all our endeavors after happi-

pess.—Schopenhauer. Deserves to Get the Worm. The earliest riser in the bird family is the greenfinch, which sometimes begins to sing at one o'clock on a summer morning.

# FARM LIVE STOCK

Charcoal for Swine

To prevent worms, keep the following charcoal mixture be fore the pigs all the time: Charcoal, 1 bushel. Hardwood ashes, 1 bushel. Salt, \$ pounds. Air-slaked lime, \$ pounds.

Sulphur, 4 pounds.
Pulverized copperas, 2 nounds.
First mix the lime, salt, and sulphar thoroughly, and then mix in the charcoal and ashes. Dis-

solve the coppergs in two quarts of hot water and sprinkle it over the whole mass, mixing thoroughly. Store this in a barrel under shelter, and keep some of it in an open shallow box where the hogs can get it as they wish .-Bureau Animal Industry, United States Department Agriculture.

**GUARD AGAINST HOG CHOLERA** 

If Herd is Treated Immediately on First Sign of Disease Loss Will Be Small,

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Watch for the first hog to show signs of cholera, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. If the herd is (reated immediately it is generally possible to save the herd with but few losses. If the disease, however, is allowed to reach all the animals before the serum preventive treatment is applied heavy losses may be expected. Hog-cholera serum is a preventive and not a cure for hog

cholera, the department points out. Whenever a hog d'es of an unknown cause the owner should watch his herd closely for at least a week, and if any more hogs in the herd begin to show signs of sickness a veterinarian should be called immediately, for the chances are that hog cholera has reached the herd and prompt action in applying the serum treatment is the only thing that will save the well animals. A high temperature, ranging from 105 degrees F., to 108 degrees F., in a hog that staggers when It walks, is a pretty good indication of hog cholers. not allowed to mingle with other hogs or to wander about, for they will spread the disease wherever they go, sible to disinfect. Hogs that die on the farm should be buried, or, prefer



More Able to Withstand Discase.

ably, burned, in order to prevent birds, nsects and animals that visit the car cass from spreading the disease. Usually the disease is most preve lent during the fall months and losses are invariably heavy in herds where owners neglect to immunize their hogs

before the disease reaches them, or fall to call a veterinarian immediately on its first appearance.

MEDIUM STEERS PROFITABLE Ds Kalb County (III.) Farmer is of Opinion That Grade Stuff

Is Superior.

The prime feeder steer, so often cited as the best beef-making machine, is sometimes a less profitable animal, according to a De Kalb county (III.) cattle feeder, than the steer of poorer quality. This man has had experience with both kinds and regularly feeds eight to ten carloads a year.

The prime steer undoubtedly will produce a somewhat better killer than the poorer quality animal, but it is his belief that the difference in price is less on the finished animals then it is on the feeders. The kind of steers he now buys it has been possible to purchase as feeders at about 1 cent less than the price of the best ones. When finished and put on the market these steers ordinarily have sold about half a cent lower than steers of the other quality. He figures that his cost of gain is about the same as that of the others. Thus there is an advantage of one-half cent a pound in feeding this second-grade stuff instead of the

Time to Wean Pigs,

Pigs should not be weaned until they are at least eight weeks oid, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to twelve weeks old.

Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs must be kept growing, and the breeding stock must be thrifty. Ewes in poor condition in the breeding season will usually bring single lambs and have a small milk flow.

Russian Wolfhound Fast, The swiftest dog in the world, the borzel, or Russian welfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

Real Governing Power. The thing that governs us is public opinion-not the nominal public opinion of creed and statute-book, but the real public opinion of living men and women.-Dr. A. T. Hadley.

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**LESSON FOR DECEMBER 24** 

A LESSON IN TRUST AND PRE-

LESSON TEXT—Luke 12:13-49.
GOLDEN TEXT—The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment. -Luke 12:23. PRIMARY TOPIC-The Story of a

foolish Rich Man. JUNIOR TOPIC—A Foolish Rich Man. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC -Rich Toward Jod. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC -True Riches.

Since on October 8 we had a lesson on the birth and childhood of Jesus, many will doubtless prefer to have this new lesson instead of the Christ-

I. A Warning Against Covetousness

1. The Occasion (vv. 13-15). One of the company requested Jesus to be umpire in a disputed estate. Two brothers were in trouble over an inheritance. Christ refused to enter the sphere of the civil law and warned against the spirit of avarice. Christ's mission was preeminently spiritual. 2. Enforcement of the Warning (vv.

16-21). The parable of the rich man shows clearly that to be concerned with earthly riches while neglecting God is the height of folly. The Lord's warning is of great importance today; for many are seeking gold and forgetting God. Note (1) his increase in goods (v. 16). His righes were rightly obtained, for the ground brought forth plentifully. This shows that a man may be rich because of the Lord's blessing upon him. (2) His perplexity (v. 17). His land was producing more than his barns would hold. He did not want it to go to waste. If he had possessed the right views of life and a sense of stewardship before God, he would have seen that his barns at least had enough for his personal needs and that he could have distributed his surplus to the needy and for benevolent purposes. (3) The fatal choice (vv. 18, 19). He chose to enlarge his Such hogs should be segregated and barns and give up his life to ease and luxury. It ought to be a delightful task for me whom God has made rich to de ote their thate and energy sometimes in places where it is impos- to the distribution of their possessions to benevolent purposes. (4) The awful indictment (ve. 25, 21). God cells nim a fool.

II. The Certain Cure for Arixiety vv. 32-34). Having shown the folly of the rich man who gained gold but lort God, He now urged the disciples to trust God and dismiss all auxious care. He assured them that they need not be auxious even for the necessities of life.

God's care for the fowls (vv. 24-26). The ravens do not sow nor reap-they not forget the fowls, certainly He would do more for His children, (2) God's care for the flowers of the field (vv. 27, 28). If God by so careful of those flowers widch appear but for a day, how much more will He clothe His children!

3. The Exhortations (vv. 29-34). (1) Make not the getting of food and to provide them. (2) Seek the kingdom of God (v. 31). Those who make God's kingdom first shall have all their needs supplied (Ptal, 4:19). (3) Be not afraid (v. 32). God's good pleasure is upon His own, and all good things will He give them. (4) Practice self-denial in order to be able to give gifts to those in need (vv. 03, 34). The doing of such deeds will tend to lift the thoughts upward to God-to

III. Be Ready for the Coming of the Lord (vv. 35-40). Having warned the disciples against the acquisition of worldly goods while forgetting God, and shown them the needlessness of anxiety for food and clothes, He shows them the blessedness of being in a state of readiness when the Lord shall come. Conviction as to the certainty of the Lord's coming is the sure cure for worldliness and anxious care. This attitude of heart He made clear by two parablesthat of the returning of the Lord and that of the thief. The Lord will be so pleased with those who are waiting for Him that He will take delight in sitting at the banquet with them, and even serve them. The parable of the thief shows that the time of the Lord's

coming is not known. Paul's Wish.

I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord; if by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead .- Philippians 3:8-11.

The Lord never had so many ravens as he has this morning.-T. De-

God Is Known Everywhere. In Judah is God known; His name 's great in Israel.-Psalm 76:1.

When He's Telling It. We sometimes wish the fellow who knows it all would forget a little of tr -Boston Transcript.

Idea of Quarantine is Old. Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the Tenth century.

World's Death Rate. The world's death rate is estimated moth during the summer months. The at 68 a minute, 97,920 a day, or \$5,- number of applications will depend

The Call to a Life of Faith

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER Director of Evening Classes, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT-By faith Abraham, when the called-obeyed.-Heb. 11:8,



and blography, of poetry and propl One of the most interesting rooms contain the portraits foith's heroes. is quite difficult these to determin which is the is each one wer

ferent virtue of godly living. The pen pictures of Abraham furnish for us today. Many chapters are nec essary to set forth the life of faith exemplified in the one who earned the divine designation, "The Father of the Faithful." We shall endeavor to emphasize several phases of the life faith in succeeding sermons. We begin with "The Call to a Life of Faith."

There are only two positions for the soul in its relationship to God-faith or sight. "We walk by faith not by sight" is an inescapable differentiation "by faith" or a "by sight" life.

The sight position is the sense position. It is the pursuit of the material -satisfied with things that perish; a life gulded by natural reason. Faith is the opposite. It is "the evidence of things not seen the substance of only find its pleasure in God, taught by His Word, and guided by His Spirit.

It was to a life of faith that Abraglory of God appeared to him, living in the biaze of material splendor. He obeyed and went out into an unknown land, simply trusting in the God who hnd promised. Many times since Abraham's far away day has the vision appeared and the call sounded. To Moses, keeping sheep in Midian; to Elisha, plowing in the field; to Isalah, ministering in the temple; to Amos, gathering fruit at Tekon; to Peter, washing fishing nets; to Matthew, collecting taxes; to Saul of Tarsus, bent on persecution. To Cromwell, from his farm; to Luther, from his monastery cell; to Carey, from the cobbler's bench; to Moody, from the shoe store, And, to every man and woman who has heard the Gospel, the vision of God and the voice of God have come, callcall involves three things:

some standard that they need not be anxious even for the necessities of life.

Note:

A THE Argumet (vv. 22, 23). This is summed up in one brief sentence:

The life is more than food, and the brief sentence:

Separation.

We have the very words of the call in Concests 12:13. "Got thee out of the kindred.

And that I will show thee." He was one than food, and the life is more than raiment." The Got who gave the life and made the kelly of the old life, its habits, its associations, its auditons who gave the life and made the kelly of the old life, its habits, its associations, its auditons. Its uniformments. This was to should be trusted to provide food into the mate's word opening the door. the achievements of our faith.

Sacrifice. was a tremendous tearing loose from all the human heart holds dear, He did not become detached by one act of when it gives him a fair start on cutting off, His kindred went with clothes your chief concern. Trust God him and kept him in Haran, the halfway place, until Terah, his father, Still Lot clung to him and dled. caused him sorrow and loss until he moved out. One by one the things of the old life must go if faith is to be triumphant. It cost his all.

But this is the very thing that makes faith precious. Values are always determined by cost. The things we get for nothing are worth little more. Diamonds are more precious than dirt, therefore cost more. Man vation is God's free gift but the acworld and the world unto us. Sacri-Every real advance in the life of faith involves an altar on which some dear fragment of the self-life must die, or some bit of world possession must be to pay the price.

Submission.

Obedience is not only an act, it is attitude. Abraham went out. He ma- bad colds may be had for a trifle? triculated in the school of faith. Many lessons must be learned. Step by step he must walk, advancing from one plane of experience to another. Tested, reproved, encouraged, blessed until he becomes the Friend of God, taken into the divine confidence. It is worth the cost, the separation and sacrifice to have God ask, "Shall I hide a full line of Caskets and Robes, from Abraham, my friend, this thing We are also dealers in Flowers and if ye do whatsoever I command you. Are you longing for real true friendship? There is One who stands at the door of your heart and knocks for ad- BUSINESS LOCATED AT FLOWER SI thoroughly dried. mission. Will you let Him in? Draw back the bolt; fling open wide the door, and let Him come in. Then will the life of faith begin and become as a shining light that shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day.

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Drifting Both Ways.

School had been out ten minutes and there were a dozen boys on the street corner. Who started to laugh en is apt to be thoughtless enough are more than likely to join in the laugh. Henry heard the laugh and W. L. Holloway, agt., Berlin, Md. knew what it was all about. The shaky old gentleman was safe on the pavement by this time, but Henry did not wait to hear the grateful words which were intended for his ear.

"The old man looked so confused a study of that-that I thought I'd pilot him across. It just came to me on the greatest. The fact spur of the moment." Henry grinned a little foolishly, and his face flushed, as though he had been caught in mischief. "I think he most interesting and profitable study cannot see or hear much, and the automobiles were spinning around thick as spatter."

Henry yielded to a generous impulse in piloting the shaky old gentieman across the crowded street. It was an act of simple courtesy of which any healthy-minded, cleareyed boy roight have been proud. Perhaps Henry would have been of God's Word. On or the other-a glad be did it, if only that thoughtless boy hadn't laughed, and the others hadn't joined in. As it was, some of the senseless things they said-just to tease him and not because they were unkindly themthings hoped for"-a life which can selves-made him half resolve not to be "caught in such a scrape again." That wouldn't have happened if Henry's mind had been ham, a Chaldean prince, was called. The thoroughly made up beforehand to be courteous and obliging to everybody, let others say what they liked.

> "I just went into it on the spur of the moment." Henry hung his head and flushed red, this time with more reason. "I guess I didn't stop to think that-why, that there'd be any harm in it."

"That is a way of doing things which often gets people into serious trouble, Henry," his father observed. "Impulse is a good thing in its place, but it's a poor rudder ing away from sight to faith. This to steer by, especially over a rough sea. This escapade isn't so bad as it might be, but I hope it will teach

be the mag'c word opening the doot he is just drifting—first, one way, not perfect His pian or perform His then the other, without any firm promises until Abraham was loose from every vestige of the sense life. his own favorite phrase, he is doing have not storehouse or barn, yet they This is the key to the Christian life. bis own favorite phrase, he is doing live, for God feeds them. If God does It alone opens the treasure house. The things, good or bad, "on the spur paration determines of the moment," just as the mod takes him, and, in the long run, Abraham was deeply attached to his that always proves perilous busikindred, his home, his native land. It nees. Besides, a mere impulse never carries one very far, even

the right road. 'For he who lets his feelings run In soft, luxurious flow, Faints when hard service must be done And shrinks at every blow."

-Charles T. White, in The Com-

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe is greater than a sheep—hence he could colds and recover from them without only be redeemed at infinite cost. Saland a knowledge of this fact leads othceptance of it crucifies us unto the ers to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. fice is the touchstone of a living faith. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and offered up. Oh, how few are willing paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of

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Burro Too Eager to "Park." Last summer Billy had his first ride on a burro. After jogging along for a few minutes and irritated by frequent stops, he called out: "Mamma, what makes this donkey want to park all the time?"

Constantinople Ignores Mall. In Constantinople it is Impossible to communicate with anyone by mail. Instead, it is necessary to send a servant with the message or go one's self to make the communication in person. | Ibsen.

Cliff Dwellers Had Stone Idols.

Queer Belief Concerning Opal. shared the charm of every stone of which it reflected the color, but when It was stolen the thief became invisthle and was never caught.

Ancient "Apartment Houses." Apartment-house life was enjoyed by the primitive-Indian of New Mex-Ice, one ruin in Chaco canyon having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people.

Rabbit Cannery May Soive Problem. In Argentina a rabbit cannery has been established in the hope of ridding some sections of the country of a pest in a profitable way.

From Bradford he went to Richburg and Boliver and there fortune contin-ued to pour its golden stream into his coffee.-Pasadena Star.

Lie Has Great Vitality. A He can be turned inside out and so decked in new plumage that none will recognize its lean old carcass,-

Generosity Not Strongest Point. Stone idols were used in the relig. - Many men are capable of doing a lous ceremonials of the prehisteric wise thing, more a counting thing, four Many men are capable of doing a cliff-dwellers or Colorado, it has re- very few a generous thing .- Alexander



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ite ( John v ser and mother had selected for John's wife

the very wealthy and very charming Clara Dendsen, an orphan, whose guardian uncle approved the selection. But Clean on her part had selected -and Richard Watson, a clerk in an ancle's brokerage office, Now Mr and Mrs. Marcus Townsend, Emma's parents, were both of famllies possessed of colonial and revolutionary traditions, but of little money The Townsends' visiting cards had a prestige which was depicd to the Townsend thirty-day notes. The fond parents saw with secret satisfaction the growing intimacy between their daughter and the son of the wealthy Sylvanus Cartwright-a misalliance, it is true, but then what could you expect in these leveling days? Cartwright's record in Bradstreet's was so eminently satisfactory! But when the Townsends learned that John Cartwright had been ordered to marry Clara Dennison they rose in aristocratic wrath. Perish the vulgar Cartwrights and perish their base money! Besides, there were as good fish in the sea as there were in the

frying pan. Emma was ordered not to think of John Cartwright any more and to hold in readiness to marry some one to be picked out for her by her parents hereafter. Emma was a pretty young thing with not much to her, and John was a well enough young man, but it must be confessed rather commonplace and mightily afraid of his father. So in spite of their love and in spite of Clara Dennison's love for Richard Watson and his love for her, it is quite possible that the parents and a guardian uncle would have hal things their own way had it not bon for Clara.

"Uncie," said Clara one evening as she and her guardian sat over their af er-dinner coffee, "I have made up mind to marry that clerk of yours, Ri hard Watson."

Had a bomb gone off in the middle of the dining room table Mr. Zebulen





"I Have Made Up My Mind to Marry That Clerk of Yours."

Dennison would bardly have been more startled. The worthy broker was of an apoplect's balld and Clara at first feared she should have broken it to him more gently. But he recovered and managed to splutter after a min-"You are not. Has he asked ute: you? I will discharge him tomorrow."

"Oh, yes, I am. He has not asked me, but he is going to, and as to your discharging him I shall be twentythree next month, when my property is to be turned over to me, and I guesa we will have enough to set ap housekeeping with," retorted Clara.

Zebulon from commanding descended to arguing. His arguments were all perfectly sound, but what is a sound argument in the pathway of young love? Richard, from the changed manner in which his employer treated him next morning, surmised something of what had happened and over the telephone ar-

ranged a meeting with Clara, "What have you been saying to your

uncle)" he asked when they were conted in a corner of a highly respectable tenroom which had been the scene of many of their conferences. Clara told him word for word what she had said to her uncle, "I was right, wasn't 12" she asked, blushing a little.

"You angel!" cried Richard. "Of ourse you were right. I would have isked you long ago if I hadn't been so plaguey poor."

"Oh, bother that," sald Clara You'll probably lose your job with mele, but you fold me last week you vere golig to feave soon to go into that South American scheme anyway. The question is what are we soing to to for those poor rubes in the woods, Copen Townsend and John Cart-wright? John is going to lose me for ure and I do so wish he might get Emma. There! I have an idea. It just struck me. You know that new company uncle is forming? He's all wrapped up in it. I'll infuse a little matrimony into the concern. See if I don't."

That evenling Emma and John had a olorous and despairing interview. which, they agreed, was to be theli last. Clara was all amiles and winsome ways when she met her uncle at dinner that night.

"Reconciled yet, laughed as she kissed him, "Of course you are!" I met Dick this afternoon and proposed to him, and he accepted So that's off my mind."

"Clara!" exclaimed the broker. " really-such conduct-I con't know what to say to you."

"Say yes to everything I propose then, you old dear," she laughed, and abruptly changed the subject with, "About that new company of yours, uncle-is any of my money in it? No? Well, next month, when I come into my fortune, I'll put some in. I've studied your prospectus. It's a good investment. There's just one condition. I want you to put Marcus Townsend on your board of directors Now stop. Don't Interrus a lady It's impolite. This is the idea. Mar cus hasn't much money, but he's away up in the old Knickerbocker set and there's lots of money lying around practically idle among those old fossils-'safe' investments at 4 per centwhen they don't keep it in a stock-ing under the '... You want those old names of downtown streets in your list, unkey. Marcus dil bring them in. It's good advertising."

"My dear," said Zebulon, "there in omething in your idea. How much will you invest in the company?" "That depends upon whether I can

" reneral manager or not." "Ab, I see; Richard Watson, I sup-

"Exactly." Dennison's work was cut out for him-by Clara. He broke to his ascoclate in the formation of the new company, Mr. Sylvanus Cartwright, as gently as he could the fact that Clara had, as he expressed it, "taken the bit in her teeth" and was going to marry Dick Watson. Also he expatiated upon the value of Clara's iden-putting it forward as his ownwith regard to Marcus Townsend, and urged Cartwright to approach Marcus on the subject. As Lebulon was the dominating factor in the whole projec., Sylvanus yielded. Pompous Marcus Townsend was cold at first to save his dignity, but was secretly delighted The position would add to his personal importance—and his income. They gave him a couple of shares in the new company upon the easlest terms possible. And, Clara's engage ment being formally announced, lov ing parents intimated to her that John Cartwright was a most estimable young man-and they could not think of standing in the way of their dear child's bappiness.

"Heig It," sald Sylvanus Cartwright to his wife, "I suppose we might as will let that fool boy of ours marry the Townsend girl. He's lost the Dentilson girl and there's a certain finan-cial value in the old family stuff after a.l. Putting that turkey cock, Marcus lownsend, on our board has brought I don't know how much woney to our new concern."

POOR TIME TO SOUND ALARM

Would Seem That Clock Might Have Had More Consideration for Its Unfortunate Owner.

The 5:30 commuter's train was about to pull out. Two young husbands dashed on board, one carrying a neatly wrapped, harmless-looking package. The late comers had to take separate seats, one in front of the other. The package was duly deposited on the hat rack. Just as the train had pulled out of the station a loud ber-rr sounded through the car. ing faces turned around and spled the package reposing on the rack above. All was quiet for a few minutes, then again brr-rr, only louder and longer this time. It was unmistakably the ring of an alarm clock. The smiles had changed to grins and laughs by now. The owner of the clock got hotter and hotter every minute. His commuter friend leaned forwar1 and in a very audible tone said; "Why don't you shut your nlarm clock off?" "My clock?" replied the owner, and glared at als friend. "I wouldn't own an alarm clock." The fellow passettgers who sat near were watching to see if he would take the package with him. Defiant of their gaze, he grabbed It when his station was called and dashed off the train, the clock giving its quivering death gasp.

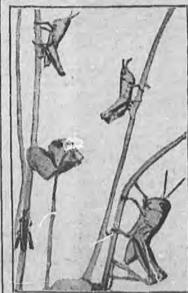
its historic recollections! Are we to he eternally ringing the changes upon Marathon and Thermopylae, and going back to rend in obscure texts of Greek and Latin, and of the exem-plars of patriotic virtue? I thank God that we can find them pearer home, in our own country, on our own soil-that strains of the noblest sentiment that ever swelled in the breast of man are breathing to us out of every page of our country's history, in the native eloquence of our mother tongue -that the Colonial and provincial councils of America exhibit to us models of the spirit and character that gave Greece and Rome their name and their praise among nations. Here we ought to go for instructionthe lesson is plain, it is clear, it is

# applicable.-Edward Everett.

GRASSHOPPERS INJURE TREES

Foliage Is Often Completely Devoured and Serious Harm Results-Use Poison Balt.

During seasons of heavy grasshopper infestation, orchard and nursery trees are sure to suffer where the grasshoppers are permitted to migrate from adjoining pastures, meadows or other crops. There are three common species of grasshoppers which do this damage, the red-legged, differential and two-lived. Where injury occurs



t is usually soon after hay harvest. The foliage is often completely de-voured and serious injury may result where the hungry grasshoppers at tempt to appease their appoiles fur ther by gnawing the bark from the twigs and even the trunks of small

Where grasshoppers are abundant on crops near the crebard or nursery

one should take precautions to prevent trouble. Poison bran balt sown broadeast in infested meadows and other crops when the hoppers are yet small will rid the community of the pest. Poison bran bait is prepared by mixing dry 50 pounds of bran and two pounds of white arsenic or paris green and moistening this with about eight gallons of water with which are mixed four quarts of cheap sorghum and the juice and chopped-up rinds of six lemens. Sow this at daybreak so the hoppers will get it for breakfast while yet moist and attractive. Where thisprecaution is not taken and the hoppers are feeding on the foliage spray the trees heavily with an arsenate of lead solution.

# PRUNE NEWLY PLANTED TREE

As Many of Frieding Roots Have Been Left in Ground, Tops Must Be Cut to Balance.

The pruning of trees should begin when they are planted. Wisen the trees are dug from the nursery row many of the feeding roots are left in the ground, and it is necessary to remove some of the top of the trees in order to establish more nearly a balance between the tops and the roots. This pruning should be given immedi-

ately after the tree has been set.

The following points should be kept n mind when performing this operation: Three or four branches should be left in addition to the central leader. The lowest of these branches should be on the southwest side to revent sun scald; the branches should be four or five inches apart and on different sides of the trunk in order to avoid crotches; the branches that are left should be cut off eight or ten inches from the trunk and the leader shortened back two-thleis. All other branches should be removed close up to the trunk.

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As soon as the fruit has been harvested, all diseased fruit and dead twigs should be removed from peach trees immediately. All weak limbs on the tree that show any sign of bark beetle injury should also be removed. If these dead twigs and limbs are allowed to remain on the tree through out the summer, the bark beetle will

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gradually spread over the entire tree and destroy it, Since the fruit buds for next year's

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ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md. For Sale-8 room house with cel-

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dennis are the proud possessors of a baby girl, born Wednesday.

Baltimore, to spend the holidays with his parents.

of our physicians Mrs. Edward Fisher and son,

James Robert Birch, went to Chincoteague Monday.

E. B. Burbage and sister, Miss Carolyn, have moved to their new home on South Main St.

Mrs. Layfield, of Wilmington, sister of Mrs. R. C. Peters, was critically ill at last report.

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can Stores Co., Berlin, Md. Attention is called to the Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co. Christmas

Money Club ad on this page. Wanted-10 women operators Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, steady

work. Berlin Vencer Works. Mrs. T. S. Armentrout, from near Wilmington, is visiting her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Warren. Walter Cox attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G.

Strickland, in Wilmington, Tuesday. ter, Mrs. A. H. Abbott, are spend- of money on hand for flavoring.

ing part of the week in Atlantic City. Dues were paid for two members. Miss Nancy Gibbs, Miss Ida Hollins, and Joe Boston are among the

College students home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanlin re-

Mrs. Clarence Hanley returned and recommended, and a commit-Thursday of last week, from Wil- tee was appointed. mington, much improved, after her recant operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Workman cocoa, and fine apples. and daughter, Irene, went to Washington, Saturday, to visit Mrs. ed to their various homes, after ex-Workman's aunts.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an vited the next meeting. absent friend, why not give a year's subscription to this newspaper?

T. R. Bryde has sold his pretty Bungalow Farm to Mr. Satter. Mr. Bryde intends to spend Christmas lain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid for headache and billous attacks. I am more, and has considered going only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

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The members of the Ladies' Aid on Baker St., will entertain the so-All verses of poetry in connection c'ety at the home of Mrs. H. B. Powell next Thursday evening.

> Paul Downing and Lester Parker going to Wilmington. spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadel-

Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Parsonsburg, expect to leave in the next few days to join Mr. Fquires, at Swansboro, N. C.

The ladies of Ironshire M. E. Church will hold a measuring and pie social Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Kelly. Everybody welcome.

the Order of the Holy Cross, will daughters, Mrs. William Birch, While the organ peeled potatoes hold an eight-day Mission in St. Mrs. Hugh B. Kelso, of Perryville; beginning on Sunday, Jan. 21st.

The Episcopal Church School will hold their Christmas festival in the Come in and see the wonderful Parish House, Wednesday, Dec. Sealy mattress, C. & P. Hdw. Co. 27th, the Primary Department at 2.30, the Junior and Senior De-

> Mrs. Edward Coffin and two elder daughters spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Philadelphia, slopping. They spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Coffin's cousin, Miss Maude Hambleton, in Camden, N.

A misunderstanding caused us to report last week that Mrs Fletcher Tuesday, 7 30 p. m., Prayer service. Porter was up. She has been quite ill with bronchial trouble since get-For Rent-One spartment and ting better of grippe, but is sitting up some now. Miss Evelyn Selby, of Weeley, came Monday evening to

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

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# Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten desire to express their sincere thanks to their neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness, death and burial of their son, Sheldon C Grunstan

# W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held Wednesday evening with MIB. Henry G. Fassett.

The president, Mrs. Norris, being absent on account of illness, the Stockholders' Meeting. meeting was presided over by Mrs. Joycie Bunting.

The Scripture lesson was read by offered prayer, at the close of which all joined in the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The members answered to the roll-call by repeating a Bible verse, as usual. It was decided in future, if the weather was too bad for a meeting on the appointed evening, to hold

it the following evening. A card was read from Mrs. J. T. Taylor, the Tri-County Secretary. Mrs. Henry Godfrey and daugh- Mrs. Tucker reported the amount Some encouraging facts were read from the American Issue. The offering of a prize to the higher grades of school children for the turned to Philadelphia, Tuesday, school or some other phase of the Christmas Money Club best essay on the evil effects of after a short visit with Berlin friends. temperance question was discussed

> The hostess served refreshments, consisting of delicious cakes and 25 cents each week,

> At ten o'clock the greats return- 50 cents each week, pressing their appreciation to their hostess for a very pleasant occasion. Mrs. Charles A. Holland has in-

"I have frequently used Chamber

# Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Many friends in this county will sympathize with his loved ones, because of the going from earth to Heaven, on Sunday, Dec. 17th, from his residence in Wilmington, of Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Mr. Strickland was 84 years old. English by birth, as is also his good wife, but residents of Worcester Noble Morgan, Ernest Downing, County, Md., for many years before

Mr. Strickland was a Methodist minister until poor health compelled him to retire, while his wife was the Mrs. P. C. Squires and daughter, much-loved president of Worcester Co W. C. T. U. for a long time. Old age and a complication of

diseasea was the cause of death. Funeral services were held Tues day afternoon at 2 30, and his remains were laid to rest in a Wil-

His beloved ones sleep." Mr. Strickland is survived by his widow, a son, Rev. Clarence W. The Rev. McVeigh 'Harrison, of Strickland, of Pittaville, and four Paul's Episcopal Church, Berlin, and the Misses Florence and Katle Strickland, at home.

# Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

9.30 a m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent. 10 45 a, m. Divine Worship.

Christmas Service. 2.30 p. m. Service at Libertytown 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topic, "How to Have Christ-

All the Year." 30 p. m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Memorials." You are cordially invited to these

# Stevenson M. E. Church

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. Furbush, Superintendent, 10.45 a. m., Preaching by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service.

7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week Prayer-meeting. A cordis! invitation extended to all.

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Notice is hereby given that the annumeeting of the stockholders of the Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs Bunting Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, Maryland, will be held in the bank building, on Monday, the 1st day January, 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

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### Was She Pushed Or Did She Fall?

It was midnight on the ocean, Not a street car was in sight; The sun and moon shone brightly mington Cemetery, "God giveth And it rained all day that night. And in the summer snow storm The rain just fell like glass,

And the barefooted boy with shoes Stood sitting in the grass. Lard was rendered by the choir, While the sexton rang the dishrag Some one set the church on fire.

'Holy smokes," the preacher cried, And in the rush he lost his hair; And now his head's like heaven, For there is no parting there. Thomas R. Bryde.

### In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of Dear Aunt Link Herry, who died Deember 21, 1914

More and more each day we miss her: Some may think the wound is healed; But they little know the sorrow

That is within our hearts concealed. We think of her in silence, Few eyes that see us weep; But many a silent tear we shed, For none knew her but to love her,

Her friends, Mrs. Julia and Minnie Farsett.

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# The Lovers' Knot Ring

By ROSE MEREDITH

(D. 1922, by McClure Mewspaper Syndicate.)

"The house is finished at last," said Leonard proudly, as he unlocked the front door and ushered the brown-eyed girl into the home that was to be theirs. He bent to kiss her before they passed into the living room, "Isn't it cozy?" be asked, just as if he hadn't had her opinion about everything from the topmost brick of the chimney to the cement on the cellar floor.

"It is perfect," she breathed softly, as they went from room to room, hand in hand. Still, there was a shadow in the brown eyes that dld not depart when they locked the door upon the home-that-was-to-be-theirs in the au-

"What is it, Mildred?" he asked, suddenly. "I thought you would be so happy about it-now, we can go ahead and buy the furniture-the money is ready, unless-" he hesitated and saw that her cheeks were plnk and her eyes distressed, "unless you would rather walt a few months for the furniture and I will buy the ring you

She put out her hand-her left hand, where the third finger wore a curious ring of twisted gold and sliver. "I feel so conspicuous with this, Leonard -all the girls wear solitaires-and they seemed so amused when I explained that I preferred to wear this because it meant just as much to us



Overheard Two of Her Office Asso clates.

as a more costly one-but I don't explain any more." Her lips drooped. "You would rather have the dinmond?" he asked with assumed carelessness. "It is only a matter of a few months more-I am sorry you are marrying such a poor fellow-but a home to go into is something to start

"I know it, Leonard-1 am very

"Never mind, dear-I know how you feel," he said; "suppose we go around to Burtis' now and choose the ring,"

The next day the little gold and silver lovers' knot was gone from Mildred's finger and in its place was a glistening diamond that called forth all the admiration she had craved from her friends at the office and else-

"You are a lucky girl," sighed Jennie Jones, one of the bookkeepers. "You are going to marry a man who has built a house, furnished it completely, and given you a beautiful ring, too! Think of poor me-when I mar-ried Will he gave me a gorgeous ring and we bought a thousand dollars' worth of furniture on the installment plan and leased an apartment. That was two years ago-we lost all the furniture, the ring was pawned to pay the doctor's bill when I was so sick last winter, and we are doing light housekeeping in two tiny rooms! I nm back at my job and we are both saving every cent we can for a home so we can start right the next time."

"You are a lucky girl," the words rang in Mildred's ears for many a day after that, as she wore the beautiful ring, that sealed her engagement to Leonard. She did not earn a large salary, and it was only by scrimping that she could save a little each week after all her expenses were paid. She was all alone in the world and there was no near relative to advise her about the management of her affairs. But experience was teaching her something and all that long, hot summer, when she met Leonard, she could see that he was practicing small econo-

"Perhaps he is saving for the furniture," she thought with a blush, and she would turn the diamond around so that she could not see its mocking glitter. One day she overheard two of her office associates talking together.

"Married?" sniffed one man. "Can't afford it, my boy. Girls expect too much nowadays-first one has to bust loose with a diamond that's worth twice as much as the other fellows are buying-lease an expensive apart-

Mildred hastened away with burning checks. It was all true. She had been most unhappy ever since she had worn the diamond ring. She wanted that money to furnish their homeand as the time went by she realized that the home meant more to her than

all the diamond rings in the world. She thought of the little brown shingled house, empty and waiting because there was nothing to furnish it with. One evening she walked over there alone and found a light burning behind drawn window shades. Footsteps were echolng in the bare rooms. Perhaps it was Leonard she pulled

out her key and softly entered the

The light from the dining room chandeller shone into the living room and showed the walls had been papered in soft brown-even the celling had been done in ivory. In the dining room was a stap-stap as Leonard applied the paste to lengths of paper spread on a roughly constructed

Leonard was papering the rooms himself. Leonard who worked so hard all day long that he was weary at night--who had gone without a vacation so that he might work in the house he was making ready for herfor the most selfish girl in the world, she told herself angrily.

"Leonard," the said softly. "Dearest," he answered, coming to subrace her, while a paste brush waved uncertainly over her head, "what are you doing here? I was going to surprise you by finishing it before Sunday."

"I came to ask you for something," sne whispered, her face against his old coat where a dab of wet paste clung; "I want the little lovers' knot

ring back again-please." "But the diamond-have you lost

t?" he asked. "No-but I want you to sell it and let us buy the furniture and be happy, and I feel more engaged with the little ring you gave me at first." He laughed and kissed her, holding her tight to his peart. Then he allowed her to pull the litle ring out of his pocket and slip it on her third finger, while the diamond found its way into his pocket to be converted into furniture.

"Now I am happy," sighed Mildred, and the paste brush wobbled drippingly over their blissful heads.

# MANY CAUSES FOR BALDNESS

French Psysician Gives Three Reasons for Man's Head Resembling the Fruit of the Hen.

Some interesting views on the causes of baldness have been put forward by Doctor Guelpha of Paris. He concludes that there are three reasons for its effect on men.

In the first place, their hats are too hard and heavy; in the second, they cut their hair too short, and thirdly, they eat more than is good for them. Wearing a heavy or hard hat obviously exerts too much pressure and is decidedly harmful. Cutting the halr short leaves the roots at the

mercy of any variations of temperaure and atmospheric conditions. Too much meat, says Ductor Guelpha, according to London Tit-Bits, increases the acids in the blood and consequently in the perspiration. This is still more harmful to the hair, for it quickens the supply of sebum, which thickens around the roots and clogs them. This is the reason why fat men are more addicted to baldness than those who are thin.

Doctor Guelpha declares that if men would only wear light felt hats instead of bowlers there would be less

There is one form of painting, the painting with small cubes of glass up on walls and other surfaces, catler mesale, which belongs in the main to the Middle ages, and was at its greatest In the earlier centuries, though it lasted at Venice and elsewhere into the great modern period, Rising to perfection in the great Byzantine churches of the Fifth and Sixth centuries, it was not less fine in the Greece of the Eleventh, in the Sicily, Venice, and Rome of the Eleventh Twelfth, and Thirteenth, and in Constantinople where in the Fourteenth century there was an independent rennissance of painting-a movement of great promise, cut short by the Turkish canquest. Mosale is a noble form of the pictorial art which is beyond us today, with its glittering lights, its soft, dusky shadows, its depth of color, its malesty of vision and vastness of design. The painting of the Thirteenth century sprang out of lt.-Percy Dearmer, D.D.

Moving Plant Native to East India. The moving plant is a native of East India and is remarkable by reason of the motion of its leaves. These are arranged in groups of three, the lateral leaflets much smaller than the terminal one. These lateral leaflets are in constant motion, being elevated by a succession of jerks and then moving downward by similar rapid jerks. The motion is not rapid, a complete up-and-down movement taking from two to four minutes. The terminal leaf does not remain

quiet, but its movements are not like those of the others. Seek the Color Scheme. Color schemes may be derived from studying a beautiful piece of tapestry,

of chintz or of other figured material. Such combinations as rose and gray, as purple and lavender and pink are suc cessfully worked out in such materials, Not only the colors that are used in harmony, but the proportion of each to the other, are necessary details of a successful color scheme.

Cook Was First.

Hubby-"Don't worry so about the cook's impudence, Jane. Don't take any notice of her." Wifey-"I have to; she's just given it."-London Week-

Great Waste of Fertilizer. By burning raw bituminous coal in stead of coking it we are annually wasting fertilizers of a crop-producing value of 800,000,000 bushels of wheat,

Fatal Lapse of Brain Action, Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of railroad collisions in this country.

Both Would Be Welcomed. Pressing need of the time is an un hittable telegraph pole. Also a hillside that a car won't roll down .-Putsburgh Gazette-Times.

Salt Water Softened Cast Iron. Cast Iron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with

ENROLL MORE BETTER SIRES

Still Growing.

List of Persons Engaged in Campaign Has Passed 8,000 Mark and

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) With the growing understanding of the utility value of purebred live stock and especially purebred sires, the list of persons enrolled in the "Better Sires -Better Stock" campaign is rapidly increasing. The middle of August it passed the 8,000 mark, signifying that many persons have filed statements with the United States Department of Agriculture that their live stock breed



Bull Associations Should Get the Best Bull Obtainable.

ing operations will be conducted henceforth on a purebred-sire basis. This includes all classes of domestic live stock, including poultry.

In some countles of limited area the number of farms is relatively small. Gordon B. Nance, county agent of Oldham county, Ky., points out, however, that although his county has only 1,086 farms, 10 per cent of the farmers have signed enrollment blanks, which signifies active participation in systematic live stock improvement work Other counties in which 10 per cent more of the farmers are using pure bred sires exclusively are: Pulaski county, Va., 52 per cent; Kittitas county, Wash., 18 per cent; Greene county, Oblo, 13 per cent, and Orange county, Va., 10 per cent. In this connection the bureau of animal industry points out that the proportions are for all farms and that the percentages for farms in which live stock is the principal market product probably would be much higher.

# GETS EWES THROUGH WINTER

Necessary to Secure Strong Lawbs in Spring.

It is possible to carry breeding ewes through the winter on a single ration of corn silage, ctover or alfalfa hay, but to produce strong lambs of good condition and have the ewes give sufficient milk, something more than a simple ration must be fed.

be secured, advises the animal husbandry section of the Iowa experiment station, if only a limited amount of grain is fed four to six weeks before lambling. However, if the amount of grain in the slinge is small, it will be advisable to feed one-half to one pound a day of grain mixture of corn and oats in addition to what silage and hay the ewes will eat for a somewhat longer period.

# BIG IMPORTANCE OF FEMALES

Many Live Stock Farmers Awakening to Fact That Sire Is Only Half of the Herd.

Many farmers who make live stock part of their operations are awakening to the fact the good females are just as essential as good sires. O'ten the remark is heard that the sire 's half the herd, and with many this is a deliberate attempt to overcome the shortcomings of the females in the herd. The sire may have the same defects as the female and the mating of the two only tends to intensify the defects. There is no question that a good sire will improve any herd, but the better the females the greater the Improvement.

Get Pigs to Eat Grain.

Get pigs to eat grain just as soon as possible so that they can be weaned without loss in weight or a check in growth. Fall pigs are best raised with self-feeders.

For Fattening Hogs. For fattening hogs a self feeder is more successful than the best method of hand feeding.

Make Manage: Rich. Purebred live stock on every farm, and that kept healthy, will make the good farm manager rich in due time.

Shed for the Colts. Provide a darkened shed for the colts running in pasture. It protects them from files and heat and permits greater gains in weight.

Nature's Penalty, Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known.-Ruskin.

Cattle Wearing Halter. A Frenchman has invented a halt-erlike arrangement which he puts on the head of young cattle, so that they may be weened without having to separate them from the rest of the herd, and with little trouble to the farmer. A bit in the mouth allows them to eat and drink while it prevents them from sucking, thus foreing them to feed themselves.

# Horticultural Facts

SPRAYING QUITE IMPORTANT

Good Fruit-Prune, Cultivate and Fertilize.

"Spraying is the most important single operaton the orchard management," says W. S. Perrine, a big Illiois orchardist, in the Prairie Farmer. "Because It Is so important, some or chardists have thought it the only thing essential to produce good fruit. and they have sprayed their trees well. but needected pruning, cultivating and fertilizing. This practice has generaly resulted in failure or in only par-

cost of equipment and labor is great. "The cost of materials can be lesse ened somewhat by spraying each va-

riety according to its individual need. For Instance, Yellow Transparent trees need much less spraying than Duchess trees. Grimes Golden and Jonathan aced fewer sprays and cheaper mixtures than Ben Devis, "The expense for labor can be cut

just about in half by the use of proper equipment and management. For example, two spray ries and the ries kind of a supply-tank wagon will spray just about twice as much or chard as two rigs mone. Or, to put it another way, two spray rigs with a good supply-tank rig will spray about or quite as much as four rigs without the supp', fank,

"Proper equipment enables the grower to get his spraying done on time, or more nearly so. It is necessary to have the spraying on the trees when the eggs of insects batch and the small insects begin to eat, and also when the fungous spores are being produced. A common mistake is to spray too late Instead of too early.

"Spraying should be done thoroughly. However, the trees do not need tion pits" should be dug in order to to be drenched. Sommer applications obtain some idea of the relationship should cense just before the drenching point. Expert sprayers using angle nozzles, small-hole caps and high pressure can do a thorough job and stop spraying long before the drenching point is reached. This is the deal which the average grower has not been able to attain, because he has not the expect help. "For several years we have been do-

ing as much of our scale spraying as



A Demonstration in Proper Spraying

remains can easily be done in the If corn silage of good quality, with spring. When after the growth starts, a heavy yield of grain, is fed along | but not so late as to cause injury to with clover hay, good-results should the foliage, we spray again some of the varieties and sections of the orchard that are most susceptible to:

seab and blotch. "If our fruit is more or less infected with scab or blotch one season we are not discouraged, but simply go after the spraying stronger the next season, with a determination to get the sprays on earlier and more thoroughly. Comparatively clean fruit can be produced even on old, badly-infected orchards."

# CUT OUT BLACKBERRY CANES

fter Fruiting Gasson Prune Back Old Wood and Burn It-Mulch to Keen Moisture.

After blackberries are picked the old bearing canes should be cut back, the old wood burned and the berry rows cultivated. This work should be done as soon as convenient as much will depend upon making and keeping a mulch to retain moisture for plants during the summer and early fall, Cut back the cane about 18 inches above

the ground. A solld sweep is a good implement to cultivate with, at least for the first cultivation in the event the ground is hard and there are weeds. The secone cultivation may be done picely with a one-horse or justor cultivator.

Too Much Water Harmful. Although too little water causes strawbteries to be few and small, too much water often renders the fruit soft and unfit for calpment.

Pinch Blackberry Canes. The tops should be pinched out of the new blackberry canes when they reach the height of two and a half or three feet. This will increase the stockiness of the plants as well as the fruiting area of the wood for next

Trim Bush Fruita. The best way to trim gooseberry and

current vines is to cut each year one or two of the older fruit canes and to allow as many of the newer sprouts to remain to take their place.

Taker of First Whale Honored. Among the Eskimo communities great honor is paid to the boat which entches the first whale of the season.

Cheerfulness Goes Far. Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness, altogether past calculation in power of endurance.—Thomas Carlyle.

Marvelous Work of Nature. The fly's wing is one of the most perfect and delicate pieces of mecha nism Nature has ever produced.

SELECT BEST ORCHARD SITE Nothing More Important to Well-Being of Trees Than Deep, Friable

Soil, Well Drained.

It is only within recent years that the selection of the site for an orchard on the farm has been given any serious thought. Nothing is more important to the well-being of the trees than the choice of a site on deep, friable soil, naturally well drained if possible, and sheltered from the pre-

"Spraying is the most expensive or A moderately level area is generally chard operation. The materials for desirable in order to facilitate irrigaspray mixtures are expensive, and the tion and cultural operations. A cer-



A Well Cared for Planting tain amount of shelter from heavy winds and the avoidance of low-lying ground subject to severe frosts in spring which would ruin the blossom are the chief points to be borne in

Having selected the site, "observaobtain some idea of the relationship of the top soil to the subsoil and the nature of the latter. Where any doubt exists as to the porosity of the subsoil pits should be dug to a depth of two and a half feet and fill them with water; in a sufficiently porous soll this thould drain overnight-if not, the natural drainage is at fault and should be corrected.

Everything proving satisfactory, the and should be ploughed as deeply as possible, then harrowed or disked to break down and assist in leveling. The next Item is to cross-plough the site and harrow again. By tals time the orclard land will be shaping up and the soil will be capable of retaining moisture and absorbing warmth.

A little grading may be necessary in everal places, especially if it is the intention to irrigate the trees. Having thoroughly prepared the land in which the trees are to gro , develop and produce fruit, it is always gratifying to know that if the trees do not thrive as well as expected, the trouble is not due to lack of preparation.

# SPRAY FOR FUNGOUS DISEASE

Low Forms of Plant Life Reproduce From Spores, Similar to Seeds in Higher Plants.

Fungous diserses are low forms of dant life which live on the higher forms of plants, such as we grow in our gardens and fields and orchards, These fungl reproduce from spores wilch are quite similar to seeds in higher plants. Fungous diseases are usually carried over from one year till another in diseased fruits, diseased leaves, twigs, etc.

Spraying for fungous diseases is not cure, but a preventive, if effective. A fungicide must consist of the proper material applied at the proper strength at the right time. The solution, or the dust, as the consistency may be, must be applied thoroughly,

Examples of fungous diseases are brown rot of the peach, black rot of the grape, apple scab, peach-tree leaf curl, etc. The remedy is bordeaux mixture, a mixture of copper sulphate | (bluestone) and lime in water, or lime-sulphur, summer strength, must be used while follage is green.

MAKING CUTTINGS OF GRAPE Most Propagators Prefer to Get Just Below a Bud on Lower End-

Tie in Bundles. Grape cuttings are made from wellripened wood of the past season, usually about eight inches in length. Most propagators prefer to cut the lower end just below a bud and the upper end one or two inches above a bud. They may be tied in bungles of 50 or 100 by means of twisted wil-

low twigs and stored and well cal-

used. Place them in a pit with the

butt end up and three inches of soil

Remove the Labels.

The labels should be removed from fruit trees as soon as they are planted, or they should be so fixed that they cannot tighten and cut through the

Keep the Runners Off. Keep the runners off the everbearing strawberry plants if you want more

Water for Berry Plants. Berry plants require less water it their first year than afterward.

RAIL YARD TO COST MIL' C

Freight Terminals to Be Built at U at Los Angeles Will Cover

Actual construction will be stortshortly on a 700-acre freight to tall covering a two-mile strip along the Fernando road, beginning at the No. Broadway yards, by the Southern ) elfie Railway company at a cost of eral millions of dollars. This aurocut ' ment was made recently by T. II 3: llams, assistant general mana the company, according to the

Angeles Examiner. The completed yard will be one the most extensive and compared freight terminals in the count. all include sections for class b and receiving, car storage, deliver pair tracks, stock resting corrals, co tric power house and illumination se tem for the yard, two 50 stall rou houses, caboose tracks drill to

water tanks and mammoth repair s' "The construction of this h freight terminal at Los Angeles is practical recognition of the trem and growth of the city and surround towns and of the greater growth

prospect," said Mr. Williams. In 1920, a normal year, one railre company spent more than \$5,000 for materials and supplies in L. Angeles. Its normal pay roll is approx imately \$1,000,000.

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Next year will be the last in which the office of the Automobile Commissioner will serve as the biggest single revenue-producing department of the State. In 1922 this department produced about \$2,700,000 from the registration fees of automobiles. On the basis of these figures 't should collect about \$3,000,000 in 1923, most of which will be received prior to January 15. After that the receipts of the office will be nominal in comparison with what they have been. It is not expected that the receipts ever will exceed \$1,000,000 again.

The reason for this is the tax on gasoline. Beginning January 1, 1924, this tax will constitute the bulk of the charge on automobilists for the use of the State roads. The tax has been in effect since June 1 last, but it has been only at the rate of 1 cent a gallon and has been for the purpose of providing for the deficit in the construction funds of the State Roads

John N. Mackall, chairman of the State Roads Commission, who worked out the gas tax and was instrumental in securing its passage through the Legislature, said the one-cent tax had worked out almost exactly as anticipated. It has averaged \$60,000 a month for the six months the tax has been in operation and is expected to average \$65,000 a month for the 13 months to J muary 1, 1924. If it does, the maintenance deficit will be wiped

On January 1, when the two-cent tax on gasoline goes into effect, it is expected to produce a revenue of at least \$1,500,000 a year. Then the registration fees of automobilists will be reduced. The new charge is expected to be about one-third of the old registration fees, or 20 cents per horsepower.

Adoption of the gas tax by Maryland and the District of Columbia automatically will solve all reciprocity troubles that have been agitating motorists for years.

A bill already is before Congress providing for the adoption of the gas tax in the District beginning with 1924. When this is passed no Washington license tag will be required for Maryland machines and no Maryland tags for Washington machines.

Favors Physician For Welfare Body. Emory L. Coblenis, Sists pirector of Welfare, believes that one of the members of the Board of Welfare should be a physician of standing. To this end it is probable that Mr. Co-

blentz will recommend that Governor Ritchie appoint Dr. Lewelrys F. Barker to the Board. Dr. Barker is chairman of the physicians' committee, which, at the request of the present State Board Prison Control, has reported recently on conditions at the House of

Correction and the Penitentiary. It appears that Mr. Coblentz is willsuccessor to William H. Lankford as warden of the "Cut".

There has been some speculation as to whether Robert D. Case, secretary of present Prison Board, will be nade secretary to the new Board of Welfare. It seems that action to supersede Mr. Case may be deferred year, as he has an extensive knowledge of the Prison Board's work.

The Director of Welfare takes the view that he should devote all the time necessary to discharge the duties of his new office, even if those duties take six days out of the seven

# Sweezey Talks On Code.

Maryland's penal system and needd reforms in the classification of orisoners furnished the theme of an address by Warden Chude B. Sweezey at the meeting of the Men's Club of Grace and St. Peter's Church, No study is made of convicts at the resent time, according to Warden Sweezey, who also said that the House of Correction, intended for "first of tramps, who have a bad influence or youthful prisoners sent there.

"What is needed," he declared, "is a system of classification whereby convicts might be placed in institu tions and pursuits in keeping with their characters and tendencies. Such classification should be carried out by medical officers and psychiatrists."

### Fifth Regiment Adds 150 To Its Personnel.

The Fifth Maryland Infantry has the recruiting began in October. This

short of the peace-time quota. A movement to recruit and organize Company L from the young men of

# State Snow Plows Ready.

The State Roads Commission's 65 mow plows are all ready for any blizard that may develop. The plows are ept at strategic points along the icte's highway system.

Come to All Men. Man, he he who he may, experiences a last piece of good for une and a

Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

Magistrate Andrew J. Jones, of Rising Sun, on the charge of killing a pheasant contrary to the State game laws, Joseph Hall, of Rowlandville, was fined \$25 and coats, amounting to \$34.10.

Elkton.-The School Commissi vers for Cecil county have engaged Clarence R. Hope, of Baltimore, to prepare plans and specifications for the new school buildings to be erected from the \$150,000 bond issue, which was approved and authorized by the voters at the November general election.

Princess Anne.-The following officers of the Princess Anne Volunteer Fire Company were elected to serve for one year from January 1: President, C. Edwin Hayman; vice-president, Paul A. Walker; treasurer, Oscar F. Jones; secretary, Burton H. Layden; chief, George W. Colborn, Jr.

Cumberland,-Mrs. Margaret Ann Cox, 80 years old, widow of Samuel Cox, died at her residence here. She is survived by one daughter. Mrs. Connors; three brothers, Thomas, Charles and Wesley Cox, and two sisters, Mrs. Sellah Wheeler and Mrs. Louise Boyd.

Cambridge.—Mrs. Margaret Jane Gillis, widow of William Gillis, 89 years old, died Thursday morning. Mrs. Gillis leaves three sons and three daughters, George B., Heary L., Ernest A., and Miss Lottle Gillis, Mrs. Isaac Pattison and Mrs. John Cattison, all of this county. She was a native of Wicomico county, but had lived in Dorchester for the last 50 years.

Prince Frederick.-The members of the Calvert County Medical Society met in Prince Frederick Thursday and elected officers, Dr. William H Marsh was elected president, Dr. I. N King, vice-president, and Dr. J. W. Leitch, secretary. Dr. Philip Briscoe was elected delegate to the State Medical Association. It was decided that

Baltimore, - Maryland Natio Guard officers will be received New Year's Eye at the Executive Manaion at Annapolis by Governor Ritchie, it was announced by the local headquar ters. This reception has become 24 annual custom. It was said that 150 officers were present last year. The Fifth Regiment has added 150 men to its personnel during the recruiting drive which began in October,

Eikton.-In the Circuit Court for Cecil county when the cases of Harry Hall, Harry Harvey and Charles Bidng to allow the Governor to find a dle, of North East, and Robert Vandiver and Thomas C. Hopkins, of Havre de Grace, indicted by the grand jury on the charge of violating the gunning laws governing the Susquehanna Flats, were called their coungel entered demurrers to the indictments, which were upheld by the court, thus wiping the case off the docket. The State Game Department, which is pushing the cases, will, it is understood, undertake to have these men indicted in the Federal Court at

Baltimore.-Mrs. David M. Rovinson was elected regent of the Thomas Johnson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a meeting held at the College Club, 821 North Charles street. Mrs. Howard O. Price was chosen vice-regent; Miss Katherine D. Hull, recording secretary Mrs. George R. Ellsler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William H. Hayward, treasurer; Mrs. George M. Scott, historian, and Mrs. Edward Passano registrar. Additions to the board of management were as follows: Mrs William M. Powell, Mrs. Frederic Tyson, Mrs. Wallace L. Ball and Mrs. Augustus S. Duffey. Following the elections the educational work and activities of the State Board of Fores try were explained in an illustrated lecture by F. W. Besley, State

Baltimore. - Nomination of Alar

Johnstone, Jr., as director of the Bal timore Criminal Justice Commission was confirmed by the board of direct ors. Immediately afterward Mr. John stone announced that he would sum mon the executive committee and the added 150 men to its personnel since consulting committee, which is composed of the president and vice-presibrings the personnel of the regiment dents, toward the end of framing "a up to 1,250, which is only 150 men work program." This program. which will deal exclusively with police administration, criminal jurispru dence, institutions, probations and Walbrook is now on. This organiza- paroles, juvenile court systems and tion will be known as the Walbrook all other matters related to the un-Company. The Headquarters Com- dertaking of the commission, may be pany, recently organized, is still short outlined. Its application will begin at about the first of the year. The director has already proposed to the board of directors the name of an associate director. Officers have not yet no funds, but, according to Mr. Johnstone, contemplates a campaign to raise \$35,000 or so through public subscription. "For myself," he said, "I am ready to start without funds."

Wedding Ring Never Pleaged. The ancient Greeks and Romans used betrothal rings as pledges, but not wedding rings.

HEAT IS WASTED THROUGH FAULTY FURNACE SYSTEM. "In heating houses we really use ten times as much coal as is necessary," Charles P. Stein-metz, research expert for the General Electric company, said recently in a contribution to the coal number issue of the Source. coal number issue of the Survey Graphic.

"We could save nine enths of it, but we probably will not do so until forced to it by a failing coal supply, for to save would require a radical change in building construct

"Usually over 90 per cent of all the heat from a r furances is lost, Although place the foul air will Iresh air, there is no rened why we should throw away vith the foul air all the good and valuable heat which it contains and not supply new heat to the tresh air. If it were properly erranged we would take the heat out of the foul air before we exhaust 's turn it into the inc, ning fresh air, and so heat the coming air by the heat of the warm air.

"This recovery of he heat is called the regenerative pratem of heating. We could do this by passing the outgoing warm air around the outside of the pipes which bring in the fresh air and so warm the latier by the former.

"By proper building construcslight, so that a very small amount of heat would warm the house; so small, indeed, that it would be economical to heat houses electrically; economical to own a house without a chimney, even though the price of electric energy must always re-main many times greater than the price of coal, comidering me amount of exerci."

# MAKES A PERMANENT CHANGE

Why Egg, Once Bolled to Hardness, Will Not Soften With a Drop In Temperature.

An egg contains a large proportion of albumen, intended by nature for the nourishment of the growing chick. This nibumen belongs to a class of substances which have the peculiarity of "congulating" or turning solld when respond to a certain degree of hear the action is a permanent confer. change and these serance will assess the plant, the boiled harden

proton the boiled harden.

It is, too, for this won that is impossible to cook in ear to the toy of a high mountain, for there, owing water bolls at a lower temperature and this temperature being under the "congulation point" makes it impo-sible to "cook" an egg.

How Lime Increases Fertility That lime or calcium salts increase the fertility of animals has been strikingly shown by the German physicio gists Emmerich and Loew, in a tecent investigation reported in Umschau (Berlin). They used three groups of mice in their experiments. The first group was given ordinary food; the second received the same with the addition of measured quantities of table salt (sodium chloride), which has also the reputation of increasing fecundity; the third group received corre sponding amounts of calcium chloride instead of the sodium chloride. Within a given length of time the three groups bore offspring 23 times, 33 times and 43 times respectively. In spite of the great increase of the number of litters in the third case, the total number of individuals was also greater. At the end of seven months covered by the investigation, the three groups had produced respectively 115, 179 and 262 young.

Some highly interesting observaby Dr. E. H. Hankin, in the Arabian sea. In still weather the length of a glide was about a meter, with considerable lateral instability; in a light wind this was increased to from 200 to 400 meters. A resemblance be tween the wing action of soaring vultures and the fin action of the fishes was marked. In both, the wing or fin is inclined upward, the outer part at a higher level than the base, in slow-speed flights, while both show a downward inclination in flight at high speed.

Youth's Lucky Day. A corset that was used as evidence in four trials in Philadelphia was given to a boy to be burned up after a ver dict had been finally reached. It had passed through the hands of numerou lawyers and police officials in their investigations, but it remained for the boy to find \$128 concealed in it.

Way Storm Sours Milk. There is something about the condition of the air when charged with electricity during a thunder storm which affects the milk; while the moisture and warmth of the air at such a time also has some effect upon milk and cream, causing it to turn sour.

Cat's Eyes of Odd Color. A girl in Vermont is said to have a blue-eyed cat. The cat had two kittens, one of which has odd eyes. One of its eyes is blue, like its mother's, while the other is like the ordinary cat's eye.

Joy descends quietly upon us like the evening dew and does not patter down like a hallstorm. Jean Paul.

EXECUTIVES' CONFERENCE

scout executives held at Blue Ridge, N. C., in September, proved to be the largest meeting of professional leaders of boys ever held in the world. Over 400 executives from all parts of the country, devoting their full time to the work of scorting, and a group of experts in executive management, A dyrahip, education, recreation, suc-of fors registles, camp and wood-er at, India ; are and boy psychology, net for the purpose of training and dhyu sion. These executives are re-parted at the key-lins, so to speak, of this great movement numbering 550,000 boys and men. On there rests the responsibility of maintaining standards and keeping the work efficient and progressive, and of bringing with-In the reach of every boy in this coun try, regardless, of birth, creed or nationally the advantages of the scout move fact - numely, character building and flize still training through a program of wors and play in the out-of-

The earliest morning hour each day of the conference was devoted to a training course for new executives This was under the leadership of Lorne W. Barclay, national director of education, B. S. of A. Among the speakers were James E. West, chief scout executive; A. A. Shuck, executive of Reading, Pa.; George E. Ehler, national director of records; E. B. De Groot, executive of Los Angeles; James M. Brockway, executive of Port-land, Ore., and Dr. George J. Fisher, deputy chief scout executive, and E. St. Elmo Lewis of New York, Detroit and Chicago, who delivered a powerful series on salesmanship, finances and budgets, advertising and publicity, records and accounting, the executive and the community.

Then came a good morning sing, followed by inspirational talks on "Service," given by Franklin K. Mathlews, chief scout librarian; Prof. H. H. Horne, professor of history of education and philosophy at New York university; Rev. John F. White, educational director of how souther. educational director of boy scout ex-tension, national Catholic Welfare

tension, national Catholic Welfare course, and others.

Tach ofternoon the conference biked in the port fashion to the woods of the country a greatest represent the activities in the open that do a law. The mest built leanmond bitch, light camp free without matches—even when dampness prematches—even when dampness pre-vails—that would fill an uninitiated with total diamay; they learned how to blaze new trails, and more than one method of finding their way when

Nuttocal Scout Commissioner Dan Beard, actual ploneer of many years' perience, daily gave demonstration of camperaft and woodcraft. Commodore W. E. Longfellow, noted swimmer and official of the American Red Cross, gave Justruction in lifesaving by land and by water.

New games-red-blooded boy games that call for sportsmanlike attitude, that develop strength and clear thinking and are filled with the joy of adventure, were demonstrated by Charles b'. Smith, in charge of the Scoutman ters' Training school at Columbia university, and by Dr. E. K. Fretwell, also of Columbia, both of whom are authorities on the subject of recreation. Ralph Hubbard, expert plainsman, student for many years in Indian ceremoninis, interpreted Indian love and exhibited his collection of Indian regalla. Mr. James A. Wilder, artist, author, boy expert and chief sea scout, Boy Scouts of America, came to the conference from Hawaii. L. L. Mc-Donald, national director of camping shared with his colleagues the knowledge and experience he had gained from study and Inspection of scout camps throughout the country; safety measures, programs for camps, camp sanitation and real cooking were features Mr. McDonald emphasizes. Prof. J. C. Elsom, director of scout courses of the University of Wisconsin, and Prof. E. Laurence Palmer, assistant professor of rural education of Cornell university, contributed special ideas on outof-door work and play. Also one of the national council officers, George D. Pratt, treasurer, who for many years has been a member of the Camp Fire Club of America, took part in the outof-door instruction.

# THE PIONEER SCOUT

A pioneer scout is a scout who, hecause of distance or other reasons, cannot associate himself with a troop, and hence carries on his scouting alone, after the manner of the great early

ECOUTS TO LAY TRAIL Boy scouts of the Bronx, New York, are laying a trail which will completely encircle the Kanawauke Lake camps and will measure 40 level miles, which will be extended from 25 to 50 per cent when all the hills and valleys are included. Portions of this trail have already been marked, but many of the markers have disappeared. The trail

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GREAT ESTATES BROKEN UP Among British Landa Recently Placed on the Market Are Those of the

If one is not too deeply steeped in romance he may fall to feel remorse at the sale of many of the large English estates, for the greater part of their broad lands are of agricultural value, With Scotland it is rather different, for there is much that is no more than heath and rock, where there is no more than beauty and sen-

timent and romance, and that in every stone and sprig. The real Highlender feels sad when he reads that the wide Cameron es tates of 117,000 acres, including the de mains of historic Lochaber and Lochiel, are in the market. They include a big sheep range and some valuable timber, but that is about all commercially, for deer, black-game and wild duck are not articles of

In the old days the great lairds maintained these wild lands and their wild retainers out of their own pockets; now they cannot afford it and lands and retainers have to go. In all the Highlands, probably there is no clan better known by name and story to the world than the mighty Camerons. The Cameron Highlanders, "The March of the Cameron Men," Lochiel's siogan and the Lochaber ax, are spoken of everywhere.

There was not a Cameron among "Seven Men of Glenmoriston" (who were Grants, MacDonells, Macgregors and Chisholms), but they were connected with almost every episode of the gallant young Prince Charlie's sad and brief career. The beautiful estates now in the market were forfeited on that account, to be restored half a century later, this being the only break in the Cameron possassion

Cosmopolitan New York. New York each year becomes more of a foreign city. With considerably more than half of its population for eign-born or of toreign parentits residents Jewish, it is fast ac quiring many habits and customs that

are distinctly not American, although

in all the various groups of national

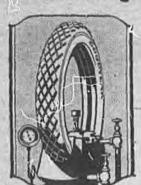
ities in the metropolis systematic ef-

forts toward Americanization are be-The principal society at work to this end is called "America's Making." is headed by Dr. John Houston Finley, formerly president of City colego and widely known in educations circles. At a carnival this society gave at the Hotel Astor the other eve ning there were groups of 36 differ ent nationalities, all in native dress-

His Own "Double!" Few modern statesmen are the subject of so many good stories as M. Gemenceau, who is eighty-one. Here is one of the latest:

and all of there were New Yorkers.

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"They are too dear," he protested. "I will give you fifty."

The woman looked at him a minute, perhaps to see if it was worth while

haggling, and then said: "Very well, you shall have them for fifty, because, my little old man, you resemble our good M. Clemenceau.'

Keep Tight Rein on Emotions. The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulsiveness. The storms of emotion which continually sweep through them cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their judgment, and thus deceiving them into conclusions which may be the reverse of sound.

"An angry man," as the proverb tersely puts it, "connot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the sensibly efficient, the success-winners. -H. Addington Bruce in the Chicago Dally News.

The Prophet. A prophet is not without honor but in his own country and in his own house and among his own kindred,-

Mark 6:4. Things don't turn up in this world till somebody turns them up. A pound of pluck is worth a top of luck,-

# PERLIN ADVANCE. W. Tucker, Proprietor, Editor and Manager.

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The Commission to visit each one of
the counties of the State for the purpose of having personal conferences INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

# From the Tax Revision Commission.

1922. The members of the Com- tion." mission are:

> Francis King Carey, William H. Maltbie J. Augustine Mason, Frank Novak, and George C. Smith.

Mr. Carey and Mr Maltbie are members of the Baltimore Bar; Mr. Mason is a prominent lawyer of that often accompanies constipation. Hagerstown; Mr. Novak is a well known Baltimore builder, and Mr Smith is the Director of the Indutrial Bureau of the Board of Trade of Baltimore

serve without pay.

Vice-Chairman.

Municipal taxation in force to Marland and to inquire into their practical operation and effect in the one mission is instructed to it quire into very much want. the systems of State, Cou. ty and Municipal taxation in force in other States and to ascertain their p. ac tied operation and off ct, and is in for his use and for transm s-ion by lection of revenue, taxes and charges lie Joseph, Daniel Joseph in the State of Maryland "

At the coclusion of the meeti Mr. Carey made the following state

"Governor Ritchie has asked the Tax Revision Commission to perform a very deficult and responsible piece of work; and although all of us have been selected by the Governor without any consultation with us, we have all thought it our duty to accept the appointments and have entered aggressively upon our inves-

"The Act requires all public officers of the State to supply us, on request, with all needed information; but our Commission feels that as it has a State-wide responsibility. in an absolutely impartial fastion, Denris. it must have the warmest co operation and support from all the officials of the State who have to do with the questions of taxation in the cities and counties of the State, and we will seize upon the earliest opportunity to confer with these offi ciats and invite their advice and suggestions. In the meantime, we will set in motion machinery for collect ing, recording and d gesting all posenough to give reasonable evidence Anthracite. of its practical operation.

"Whether our Commission recommends to Governor Ritchie, as the result of our study, any radical changes in the present tax laws or not, I think the entire Bar of the State and all of the taxing authorities will agree with us in thinkirg that the existing laws can at least be put in a more orderly and intelligible form without the exercise of any high ability in Statute writing; and even if we find it unnecessary during the cold weather. tem of Maryland, I think we may DAVIS ICE & COAL be able to render a real service to

the public by recodifying the existing law so that it will be found under one article and can be read and understood by a man of ordinary

"It is perhaps unnecessary to say that the members of our Commission will take the greatest pleasure in receiving and carefully consider- was reached. Advertising rates made known on ing any suggestions which anybody is good enough to make to us. Durt is the purpose of the members of the Commission to visit each one of pose of having personal conferences with the local taxing authorities; and if the Mayor and City Council provides for a Commission to study the local taxing system of Baltimore, we will, of course, gladly welcome any suggestions they make to at.

"Before completing our report or The first meeting of the Tex Re- making a final draft of a State-wide vision Commission appointed by revenue law, which the Actaquires Governor Ritchie, under the provi- us to make, we expect to have our sions of Chapter 427 of the Acts of work checked by high class expert the General Assembly of 1922, was advice-especially from the statistiheld on Thursday, December 14th, cal standpoint of revenue produc-

When You Are Constipated.

To insure a healthy action of the howels and correct disorders of the liv er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets mmediately after supper. They wil not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, without unpleasant effects but banish that dull, stupid feeling,

# Notice to Santa Claus.

All of the members of the Com- letters to "Santa Claus" this season, mission are requested by the Act to expecting the Advance to publish them, that we find it impossible to house for some United States citizen Mr. Carey was chosen Chairman do so. We are sorry to disappoint whose family history goes back to of the Commission and Mr. Maltbie the little ones, and would advise Mayflower days. The Standish house each child to tell their parents what family since the Norman conquest By the terms of the Act under things they especially want and per. One of the ancestral stately homes of which it was appointed the Com- haps they can get word to him. We mission is requested to investigate hope that each one will receive the the systems of State, County and gifts best suited to make happy hours, and that each child will try to appreciate the presents received what a heap of renown that enterprise and be happy with them, even if ing nation could collect and own?ing of adequate revenue The Com- they fail to get other things that they

The following children wish a vis it from Santa Cla 1:

Berlin, Maryland: Elsin M Esham, James Truitt, structed to make a printed seport to Macon Truit, Hilds L. Pavis, Ethe Covernor by December 1, 1923, dith L. Davis R. Crawford Holland, could not locate it. A detective sughim to the General Assembly of as, D hald P. Marshall, Catherine 1924; which report is to contain a Po'k, Eleanor Polk, Norris Polk "deaft of a general system of law Ernest Greenfield Holland, Michie poticed a small bundle of paper move providing for the imposition and col. E. Joseph, Raymond Joseph, Char-

Jarmon, Georgia Jarman. Whaleyville.

Charles Holloway Truits, Davis But Cmitt, Lette Caret, Carroll d in Holloway

Newark: Referen E Spence, Armen H Showell:

Modeline Ellis, Corrie Ellis, Je H-len Smack, Calvin Smack, Clara Smack Lester Smack, John Farson,

Bishopville:

Ocean City: John Quillin, Camilla Dennis, Mildred Dannis, and the three-yearwhich it must, of course, exercise o'd son of Mr. and Mr. Eugene

> Philadelphia: Charlotte Newton.

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OF COURSE DORIS WON OUT

What Was There for Mother to Say in the Face of Such an Argument?

They had been chatting since entering the bus, but the Woman, who sat opposite them on top, heard nothing really good until Grant's monument

least the Woman learned that they were former schoolmates at the unl ing the coming spring and summer, versity (for university days were

again," remarked the one in the green "Reminds me of what Evelyn was telling me just before I came the correct length had been decided upon. Evelyn wanted to make this s little lenger than Dorls' other skirts. She told her that the fashion was for increasing the length. But Dorls was

"Evelyn, you know, generally lets her have her way in matters of dress burst into tears. 'Be fair, mums,' she plended. 'Honest Injun, now which de you think I should take-the advice of ne mother or of twenty girls?"

"And what happened?" "Oh, mother shortened the skirt, o ourse."-Exchange.

HISTORIC HOME FOR AMERICA? Possibility That Dwelling in Which Miles Standish Was Born May Be Brought Here.

The hero of Longfellow's poen "The Courtship of Miles Standish," was a real historical character, who was born in Lancashire, England, somewhere about 1584. It is now sug gested that the house where he was born should be transported to New England. It is even said that within So many children have written six months the four rooms of the Standish home now located in the par enshire, England, will be fitted into the has been occupied by the Standish England is just now being taken down and carried across the Atlantic to be set up stone by stone somewhere in to these ancient buildings could also be transferred to the United States. Montreal Family Herald.

Rodent Was the Burglar. A New York Chinaman sent an ur gent call to detective headquarters complaining that \$900 had been stolen from him. The Chink, who conducts a restaurant, told the detectives he suspected a colored employee, stating letectives made a careful survey. without results. As they turned to abandon their search, one of them across the cellar floor. Springing upupon it. The bundle ceased to raove, but its moving force-a busky ratinto a nearby hole. Nine undred dollars in bills was in the madle, thus accidentally clearing up what might have been a balling mys-

Diplomatic Corps Cared For. Other Washingtonians may shiver with the cold this winter, owing to the oal shortage, but the administrat has seen to it that the 400 persons I the diplomatic corps will not suffer owing to a lack of fuel. Many of the diplomats come from countries where actificial heat in homes is almost unknown and, indeed, unnecessary, and worried about their empty coal bins The State department has given them recedence over others, thus emphasizing the entente cordiale. It is only in recent years that the English and the Scotch have known the comfort of steam heat, the sea coal fire, as they call it, burned in open grates, being the only method of heating their

homes,-Washington Star. Something He Can Teach Her. "I simply couldn't teach my wife to drive the car. Gave it up and let omebody else do It."

"Well?" "Same with bridge. She wouldn't on to me at all. Hired a tutor for

"Dancing was another art we learned separately. Always wrangled oal tride, knowing the supply of when we tried the new steps together, anthracite will not be sufficient to but, at that, there's one thing she's "What is that?"

"She insists that I must teach her how to blow cigarette smoke through

Martens Raised in Captivity. The raising of martens in captivity suit of the discovery of their breeding season by naturalists of the biological ment of Agriculture. These valuable fur bearers mate late in July and in We will be pleased to have your August, and appear to have a gestation period of eight months, much longer than most animals of the same group. It was formerly thought that their the best authorities, you will be breeding season was in the fall or winter, the young being born in the

> In some parts of Europe, when there are several bables to be christened at the same time, the mothers insist on the minister baptizing the girl bables first, as otherwise when they grow up they will develop beards.

The Tortworth chestnut, in England, figures upon a charter dated 1135, and so is probably well on toward Its tenth century, and there is an oak at Tilford, near Farcham, which was there in the year 1250.

AUTOMOBILE HERE TO STAT Foolish to Compare It to Popula "Crazes" That Merely Bloomed

"If the automobile craze continues," queried a Man Who Loves to Talk "what will we do for roads for the cars to run on? Just now all the main roads around the city are used to capacity on nice Sundays, and it is on knowledge that down-town streets are so jammed at times that a man can walk on the sidewalk faster Shall we have to double-deck our streets?

"Possibly," replied the Man Who Re-"But the use of automobiles is not a craze. To is too enduring for a craze. The roller-skating mic that swept the country in the middle eighties was a craze. Remat ber how rinks sprang up in every was a craze. The Williamsburgh bridge was built while it was at its height, and plans for the bridge called for a space devoted exclusively to bikes, but the craze passed before the

"Ping-pong was a craze that bloome In the morning and died at night, though while it lasted there were ping-pong clubs, tournaments and contests. But baseball, politics and the motorcar are not crazes. They are institutions."-New York Sun.

CHANGES IN ARCTIC OCEAN Seals Said to Be Finding Temperature a Little Too High, and Ice Is Less Plentiful.

The Arctic ocean is warming up, icebergs are growing scarce and in some places the seals are finding the water too hot, according to a report to the erce department from Consul

change in climatic conditions and hith-Arctic zone, exploration expeditions re- 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to Janporting that scarcely any Ice has been encountered as far north as \$1 degrees 29 minutes. Soundings to a depth of 3.100 meters showed the Gulf stream

Great masses of ice have been re laced by mornings of earth and stones, while at many points wellknown glaciers have disappeare Very few seals and no white fish arbeing found in the eastern Arctic while vast sheals of herring and smelts, which never before have ven tured so far north, are being encoun tered in the old seal-fishing grounds. Ingenious, but Futile Plea.

When a robbery is not a robbery

was told a judge of General Session in New York, when a negro wa charged with entering a house and taking a \$3,500 diamond ring. "Did you?" asked the junge. "Jedge," said the prisoner, "It wasn't no burglary, It was summer time and the windows was open. The windows was open an' I went in and this yere lady woke up spahkled! An' I said: 'Lady, what you got thaih on yoh hand?' An' she said: "Teke it, an please do go ro't out immediate.' Jedge, the lady requested me to take that spahkler an' took it and went. Jedge, it wasn't no er had undergone a similar painful experience at another apartment not to speak of a record of four previous

Sing for fourteen pears. Ancestors Worth Beasting About. For about an hour a man from Denver had been boasting to an Irishman bout the magnificence of the Rocky

"You seem mighty proud ov thim nountains," the Irishman observed. "You bet I am," replied the man from Denver. "And I ought to be, dince my ancestors built there." The Irishman thought this over for

convictions. He will sparkle in Sing

few moments and then asked, "Did you ever happen to hear ov the Dead sea in-in one ov the old countries?" "Yes, indeed," replied the man from Denver, "I know all about the Dead "Well, did you happen to know that

thing?"-London Tit-Bits.

not read."

great-grandfather killed the

Felt His Job Was Safe. A newspaper that was not making expenses decided to economize and accordingly two reporters and a special writer were dismissed. The other employees became nervous with the exception of one man who showed no symptoms of uneasiness. He worked in what was known as the art department, for the journal published a great many pictures. Asked if he had had no qualms as to the stability of his ob, he said: "Oh, no. They can't fire me." "Why not? They are cutting all along the line." "Want, I figure that the paper can't afford to make a cut in its art department. You see we have so many subscribers who do

Working in Reverse. getting fat! What have you been dong to get all that flesh on your cones?" exclaimed the friend. "Oh," said the former thin man, "I began taking the reduction dope, diet and exercises they prescribed for my wife and I began to pick up right

to make me fat and she already has Authora Who Got Rich. The first British writer to make arge fortune was Sir Walter Scott, who earned about a million. Dickens received \$12,500 for "Pickwick," and George Ellot \$35,000 for "Romola." Lew Wallace received \$400,000 for two novels.

tenics and diets I had been falling for

Ye Editor's Luck, Western Paper-Ye hard-up editor, going through the pockets of his last year's suit as a final resort, has received aid from an unexpected quarter.-Beston Transcript.

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# Trustee's Sale Of Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Worcester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th than a car can travel in the street, et al are complainants and Martin Man-3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction in front of Trader's store at Stockten, Maryland, on Saturday, January 13th, 1923.

at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, and interest of a the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of land situated on the left hand side of the county road leading from Stockton to Welbourne i the eighth election district of Worcester County, Maryland, and described as follows: beginning at a pine tree standing on the left hand side of the county road above named and on the line Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land or line about east course to run of branch at marked black gum tree, thence running by and with the run of said branch and line of Charlotte Ward land about south course to marked black gum tree, thence running about west course to! marked red oak tree standing on left hand side of county road above named. thence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and place of beginning, containing 5} acres of land, more or less. It being the same real estate conveyed to Edward Manne by Crover N. Ward and wife by deer ers and explorers all point to a radical dated the 26th day of October, 1921, and recorded among the land records of Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. uary 1st, 1923. Title papers at purch-

> TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balnce in six months, or all cash at option of purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

AIRPLANES TO LOCATE LAKES

Plan to Use Flying Machines in the Finding and Photographing of Alaskan Inland Waters,

Locating and photographing undisevered lakes in the national forests of Alaska are the latest uses to which he airplane has been put, says Amerian Forestry, quoting the Uniteds States forest service. We read: "It has long been known that there are many lakes on the headlands and hat do not appear on any map. During the New York-Nome flight made by army aviators, lakes were frequently sighted which could not be found on the latest and most authentic maps of

go |ra't out im-mee-dee-ate. An' I the territory. Tales of unknown water bodies are constantly being brought than a year ago a lake four and one half-miles long and one-half mile wide vas discovered at the head of Short bay. This lake has over 1,000 acres of surface area and is less than one and me-quarter miles from tidewater, vet ecause of the surrounding territory's ough topography has remained unknown and unnamed. Recognizing that many others of these Tour lakes' may be sources of valuable water power, the forest service has laid clars to map this no man's land of the No. to by means of aerial photographs. few day's flight, it is said will be ufficient to cover the area with a legree of accuracy that would require usuy years and great expense to acmplish by ordinary methods. The work, which has been approved by the federal power commission, will be done by scaplane, flying from Ketchikan as a base."

Big-Game Hunters. The Woman has recently received a etter from the staff artist of the be tropical research expedition.

Hitherto they have had the jungle more or less to themselves and have had most excellent chances to study But now it is not so. Since the re-

cent diamond mine boom the rush of prospectors to the diamond fields has been tremendous, and those who thought the lungle would belong exclusively to them and to the wild o enures who made their homes there will low come home sooner than planned. It seems that no place can remain a wilderness or a jungle if the thought of wealth can be connected with it.-Exchange.

Food Is Food to Him. The Indian of the Brazilian wilds

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cream and fold ligh mixture. Turn later a t Serve with soft custard, a or cream. Garnish with cream and cherries.

the Christian era an oil-burn was used in many parts of the empire, for instance, in Italy of power, and in Palestin quered country. Of course was most common in countri ing olive oil. Many of these lamps have been found in of Roman cities, in the ruins

A newspaper advises the other complexities of civil telling refuge on a tropic isle when he got there he would pe find the coconuts cornered the amalgamated union of pickers engineering an islan

strike.-Boston Transcript. "Due Process of Law." The constitutions of the states and the federal constitution tain no description of those prewhich it was intended to allow bid by the various uses of the e sion "due process of law." It i erally held to mean, however, I its regular course of adminis through courts of justice.

Paper for Car Wheels. The bureau of standards say only case it knows of where v are made out of papier-mache Pullman cars. Pullman car t have been made very successful gluing together a large numb plates of cardboard with two or plates of thin metal and surror by steel tire.

Easy Deduction. "Now, Archibald, tell me engineer is," said the teacher. is a man who works an engine plied Archibald. "Correct," sai teacher. "Now, William, can you me what a ploneer is?" "Yes, answered William, "he's a ma works a plano."

Different Types of Sea Buoy There are 40 different typ buoys used at sea, each of has a meaning of its own. The green color, for instance, ma wreck, while others similarly ( tive show where rocks, snoals, banks and deep-water channel o

Some Queer Foods. Chickens' tongues and unbi-chickens are Chinese delicacies; s enten on the Island of Demer ale blue mole and two mice we testy supper that Livingstone's Lave him after crossing the Kas

Hollyhock is the garden n (Angle-Saxon hoc, mallow). called hollyhock, or holyhock, the Holy land, where it is indig

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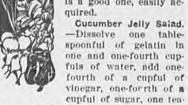
Deserves to Get the Worm. The earliest riser in the bird ily is the greenfinch, which som begins to sing at one o'clock on a



Is lined with purple asters tall, Sunflowers gay and plumes that nod Of spired, williant, golden rod. Walter P. Eaton.

A FEW SALADS AND DESSERTS

The eating of vegetables in every form is a habit to be cultivated and with a nicely-seasoned salad dressing, the hab!t is a good one, easily ac-



cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. 1.et the mixture stand until it begins to thicken, add one cupful of diced cucumber, one-fourth of a cupful of green pepper and one tenspoonful of onion juice. Turn the mixture into molds, chill and serve on lettuce with

mayonnaise dressing Beet Celery and Pea Salad,-Take two cupfuls of diced, cooked beets, one cupful of finely cut celery, one cupful of cooked pens drained, one tablespoonful of minced onion, one tablespoonful of horseradish sauce, salt and paprika. Marinete the vegetables with French dressing and let them stand for two hours. Serve on lettuce with a boiled dressing or with mayonanise.

Rice and Pen Salad,-Fill small greased molds half full of seasoned cooked green peas. Cover with cold boiled rice which has been seasoned with finely minced pimento, parsley and onlon juice. Press the rice lightly to fill the mold. Loosen with a spatula and turn out on a salad plate garnished with lettuce or endive. Serve

with French or mayonnaise dressing. Cherry Fluff .-- Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of water, place over hot water untii the gelatin is dissolved. Now add two copfuls of cherry juice, one-third of a cupful of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside until the mixture begins to thicken, then beat well and add two-thirds of a cupful of cherries; other fruit may be used. Add three tablespoonfuls of sugar to two-thirds of a cupful of whipped cream and fold lightly into the fruit mixture. Turn into a mold and chill. Serve with soft custard, a fruit sauce, or cream. Garnish with whipped

# Nellie Maxwell

Ancients Knew Use of Lamps. Wax candles were made in very an cient times, but at the beginning of the Christian era an oil burning lamp was used in many parts of the Roman empire, for instance, in Italy, the seat of power, and in Palestine, a con-quered country. Of course, this lamp was most common in countries producing olive oil. Many of these ancient lamps have been found in the ruins of Roman cities, in the ruins of Pom

A newspaper advises the young man to escape from labor troubles and other complexities of civilization by taking refuge on a tropic isle. But find the coconuts cornered on the consolidated coconut exchange, and the amalgamated union of banana pickers engineering an island-wide strike.-Boston Transcript.

# "Due Process of Law."

The constitutions of the various states and the federal constitution con tain no description of those processes which it was intended to allow or for bid by the various uses of the expression "due process of law," It is gen erally held to mean, however, law in its regular course of administration through courts of justice.

# Paper for Car Wheels.

The bureau of standards says the only case it knows of where wheels are made out of papier-mache is in Pullman cars. Pullman car wheels have been made very successfully by gluing together a large number of plates of cardboard with two outside plates of thin metal and surrounded

# Easy Deduction.

"Now, Archibald, tell me what an engineer is," said the teacher. "He is a man who works an engine," replied Archibald. "Correct," said the teacher. "Now, William, can you tell me what a ploneer is?" "Yes, sir," answered William, "he's a man who works a plano."

Different Types of Sea Buoys. There are 40 different types of buoys used at sea, each of which has a meaning of its own. That of a green color, for instance, marks a wreck, while others similarly distinctive show where rocks, shoals, sand-

# banks and deep-water channel occur.

Some Queer Foods. Chickens' tongues and unhatched chickens are Chinese delicacles; sloth is eaten on the Island of Demerara; a pale blue mole and two mice were the tasty supper that Livingstone's guides gave him after crossing the Kasat.

Originally From Holy Land. Hollyhock is the garden mallow (Anglo-Saxon hoc, mallow). It is called hollyhock, or holyhock, from the Holy land, where it is indigenous.

Best of All Endeavors. To secure and promote the feeling of cheerfulness should be the supreme alm of all our endeavors after happiness .- Schopenhauer.

Deserves to Get the Worm.

The earliest riser in the bird famlly is the greenfinch, which sometimes begins to sing at one o'clock on a sum-

# FARM LIVE STOCK

Charcoal for Swins

To prevent worms, keep the following charcoal mixture before the pigs all the time: Charcoal, 1 bushel Hardwood ashes, 1 bushel.

Salt, 8 pounds.
Air-slaked lime, 8 pounds.
Sulphur, 4 pounds.
Pulverized copperas, 2 pounds. First mix the lime, salt, and sulphur thoroughly, and then mix

in the charcoal and ashes. Dissolve the copperas in two quarts of hot water and sprinkle it over the whole mass, mixing thoroughly. Store this in a barrel under shelter, and keep some of it in an open shallow box where the hogs can get it as they wish .-Bureau Animal Industry, United States Department Agriculture.

# **GUARD AGAINST HOG CHOLERA**

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If Herd is Treated Immediately First Sign of Disease Loss Will Be Small.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Watch for the first hog to show signs of cholera, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. If the herd is treated immediately it is generally possible to save the herd with but few losses. If the disease, however, is allowed to reach all the animals before the serum preventive treatment is applied heavy losses may be expected. Hog-cholcra serum is a preventive and not a cure for Log

cholera, the department points out. Whenever a hog dies of an unknown cause the owner should watch his herd closely for at least a week, and if any more hogs in the herd begin to show signs of sickness a veterinarian should be called immediately, for the chances are that hog cholera has reached the herd and prompt action in applying the serum treatment is the only thing that will save the well animals. A high temperature, ranging from 105 degrees F., to 108 degrees F., in a hog that staggers when it walks, is a pretty good indication of hog cholera. Such hogs should be segregated and not allowed to mingle with other hogs or to wander about, for they will spread the disease wherever they go, sometimes in places where it is impossible to disinfect. Hogs that die on the farm should be buried, or, prefer



ably, burned, in order to prevent birds, cass from spreading the disease. Usually the disease is most prevaleut during the fall months and losses

are invariably heavy in herds where owners neglect to immunize their hogs before the disease reaches them, or fall to call a veterinarien immediately on its first appearance.

# MEDIUM STEERS PROFITABLE

Is Superior.

De Kalb County (III.) Farmer Is of Opinion That Grade Stuff

The prime feeder steer, so often ited as the best beef-making machine, s sometimes a less trofitable animal according to a De Kalb county (III.) cattle feeder, than the steer of poorer quality. This man has had experience with both kinds and regularly feeds eight to ten carlonds a year.

The prime steer undoubtedly will produce a somewhat better killer than the moorer quality animal but it is his bellef that the difference in price is less on the finished unimals than it is on the feeders. The kind of steers he now buys it has been possible to purchase as feeders at about 1 cent less than the price of the best ones. When finished and put on the market these steers ordinarily have sold about half quality. He figures that his cost of gain is about the same as that of the others. Thus there is an advantage of one-half cent a pound in feeding this second-grade stuff instead of the

# Time to Wean Pigs.

Pigs should not be weaned until they are at least eight weeks old, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to

### twelve weeks old. Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs must be kept growing and the breeding stock must be thrifty Ewes in poor condition in the breeding season will usually bring single

### lambs and have a small milk flow. Russian Wolfhound Fast.

The swiftest dog in the world, the borzol, or Russian wolfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

Real Governing Power. The thing that governs us is public opinion-not the nominal public opinion of creed and statute-book, but the real public opinion of living men and women,-Dr. A. T. Hadley,

TEXT-By faith Abraham, when he was called-obeyed.-Heb. 11:8.

# LESSON FOR DECEMBER 24

A LESSON IN TRUST AND PRE-PAREDNESS

LESSON TEXT-Luke 12:13-40, GOLDEN TEXT-The life is more than neat, and the body is more than raiment.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Story of a colish Rich Man.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Foolish Rich Man.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Rich Toward God. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC

Since on October 8 we had a lesson on the birth and childhood of Jesus, many will doubtless prefer to have this new lesson instead of the Christ-

I. A Warning Against Covetousness

the company requested Jesus to be umpire in a disputed estate. Two brothers were in trouble over an inheritauce. Christ refused to enter the sphere of the civil law and warned against the spirit of avarice. Christ's mission was preeminently spiritual. 2. Enforcement of the Warning (vv. 16-21). The parable of the vich man shows clearly that to be concerned with earthly riches while neglecting God is the height of folly. The Lord's warning is of great importance today; for many are seeking gold and forgetting God. Note (1) his increase in goods (v. 16). His riches were rightly obtained, for the ground brought forth plentifully. This shows that a man may be rich because of the Lord's blessing upon him. (2) His perplexity (v. 17). His land was producing more than his barns would hold. He did not want it to go to waste. If he had possessed the right views of life and a sense of stewardship before God, he would have seen that his barns at least had enough for his personal needs and that he could have distributed his surplus to the needy and for benevolent purposes. (3) The fatal choice (vv. 18, 19). He chose to enlarge his barns and give up his life to ease and luxury. It ought to be a delightful task for men whom God has made

ful indictment (vv. 20, 21). God calls him a fool. 11. The Certain Cure for Anxiety

rich to devote their time and energy

to the distribution of their possessions

to benevolent purposes. (4) The aw-

Having shown the folly of the rich man who gained gold but lost God, He now urged the disciples to trust God and dismiss all anxious care. He assured them that they need not be auxous even for the necessities of life.

1. The Argument (vy 22 23). This is summed up in one rief sentence. The life is more than food, rid the hody is more than rathern. The God. should be trusted to provide food and

2. The Illustrations (vv. 24-28). (1) The ravens do not sow nor reap-they would do more for His children. (2) God's care for the flowers of the field (vv. 27, 28). If God is so careful of those flowers which appear but for a day, how much more will He clothe

3. The Exhortations (vv. 29-34). (1) Make not the getting of food and clothes your chief concern. Trust God to provide them. (2) Seek the kingom of God (v. 31). Those who make God's kingdom first shall have all their needs supplied (Phil, 4:19). (3) Re not afraid (v, 32). God's good pleasure is upon His own, and all good things will He give them. (4) Practice self-denial in order to be able to give gifts to those in need (vv. 33, 34). The doing of such deeds will tend to lift the thoughts upward to God-to

trust Him. III. Be Ready for the Coming of the

Lord (vv. 35-40) Having warned the disciples against the acquisition of worldly goods while forgetting God, and shown them the needlessness of anxiety for food and clothes, lie shows them the blessedness of being in a state of readiness when the Lord shall come. Conviction as to the certainty of the Lord's coming is the sure cure for worldliness and anxious care. This attitude of heart He made clear by two parablesthat of the returning of the Lord and a cent lower than steers of the other | that of the thief. The Lord will be so for Him that He will take delight in sitting at the banquet with them, and coming is not known.

# Paul's Wish.

I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord; if by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead .- Philippians 3:8-11.

So Many Ravens,

The Lord never had so many ravens as he has this morning.-T. De-Witt Talmage. God Is Known Everywhere.

In Judah is God known; His name 's great in Israel .- Psalm 76:1. When He's Telling It. We sometimes wish the fellow who

knows it all would forget a little of

-Boston Transcript.

Idea of Quarantine Is Old. Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the Tenth century.

World's Death Rate. The world's death rate is estimated moth during the summer months. The at 63 a minute, 97,920 a day, or 85, number of applications will depend

# The Call to a Life of Faith

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER

The art gallery of God's Word is

hung with the most wonderful masterpleces of history and blography, of poetry and proph most interesting rooms contain the portraits o falth's heroes. It is quite difficul these to determin which is the is each one seem

to lilustrate a diff ferent virtue of godly living. The pen pictures of Abraham furnish most interesting and profitable study cannot see or hear much, and the essary to set forth the life of faith exemplised in the one who earned the divine designation, "The Father of the Faithful." We shall endeavor to epgphasize several phases of the 100 of faith in succeeding sermons. We orgin

with "The Call to a Life of L'elch." There are only two positions for the soul in its relationship to Cot -faith or sight. "We walk by faith not by sight" is an inescapable differentiation of God's Word. One or the other "by faith" or a "by sight" life.

The sight position is the sense posi-tion. It is the pursuit of the material -satisfied with things that perish; a is the opposite. It is "the evidence of things not seen, the substance of only find its pleasure in God, taught by His Word, and guided by His Spirit.

It was to a life of faith that Abraham, a Chaldean prince, was called. The glory of God appeared to him, living in the blaze of material splendor. L'e obeyed and went out into an unknown land, simply trusting in the God who had promised. Many times since Abraham's far away day has the vision appeared and the call sounded. To Moses, keeping sheep in Midian; to Elisha, plowing in the field; to Isalah, ministering in the temple; to Amos, gathering fruit at Tekon; to Peter, washing fishing nets; to Matthew, collecting taxes; to Saul of Tarsus, bent on persecution. To Cromwell, from tery cell; to Carey, from the cobbler's bench; to Moody, from the shoe store. And, to every man and woman who has heard the Gospel, the vision of God and the voice of God have come, call-

call involves three things: Separation. We have the very words of the call in Genesis 12:1-3. "Get thee out of thy country, and from the kindred, and from thy factor, house unto a tand that I will she thee." He was to sever connections with very phase of the old life, in heart, it associations when the case whom it is always a de-God's care for the fowls (yv. 24-267. promises until Abraham was loose from every vestige of the sense life.

> the achievements of our faith. Sacrifice. was a tremendous tearing loose from all the human heart holds dear. He cutting off. His kindred went with the right road. him and kept him in Haran, the halfway place, until Terah, his father, died. Still Lot clung to him and caused him sorrow and loss until he moved out. One by one the things of the old life must go if falth is to be triumphant. It cost his all.

But this is the very thing that rade. makes faith precious. Values are always determined by cost. The things we get for nothing are worth little more. Diamonds are more precious than dirt, therefore cost more. Man only be redeemed at infinite cost. Sal- taking any precaution or Meatment, world and the world unto us. Sacrifice is the touchstone of a living faith. Every real advance in the life of faith involves an altar on which some dear fragment of the self-life must die, or some bit of world possession must be to pay the price.

- Submission.

Obedience is not only an acr, it is pleased with those who are waiting attitude. Abraham went out. He matriculated in the school of faith. Many lessons must be learned. Step by step even serve them. The parable of the he must walk, advancing from one thief shows that the time of the Lord's plane of experience to another. Tested, reproved, encouraged, blessed until he becomes the Friend of God. tuken into the divine confidence. It is worth the cost, the separation and sacrifice to have God ask, "Shall I hide from Abraham, my friend, this thing that I will do?" "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I command you." Are you longing for real true friendship? There is One who stands at the door of your heart and knocks for admission. Will you let Him in? Draw back the bolt; fling open wide the door, and let Him come in. Then will the life of faith begin and become as a shining light that shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day.

> Keeping Bordeaux Mixture. Bordeaux mixtures cannot be used on the day propered, dissolve a heaping tablespoonful of sugar in a stir it in thoroughly. This will make it remain good much longer than it

Coddling Moth. Apple and pear growers will find it necessary to spray for the coddling

upon the seriousness of the infestation.

Drifting Both Ways.

School had been out ten minutes and there were a dozen boys on the street corner. Who started to laugh en is apt to be thoughtless enough are more than likely to join in the laugh. Henry heard the laugh and W. L. Holloway, agt., Berlin, Md. knew what it was all about. The shaky old gentlere . was safe on the pavement by this time, but Henry did not wait to hear the grateful words which were intended

for his ear. "The old man looked so confused a study of that—that I thought I'd pilot him across. It just came to me on the greatest. The fact spur of the moment." Henry grinned a little foolishly, and his face flushed, as though he had been caught in mischief. "I think he automobiles were spinning around thick as spatter."

Henry yielded to a generous impuise in piloting the shaky old gentleman across the crowded street It was an act of simple courtesy of which any healthy-minded, cleareyed boy might have been proud. Perhaps Henry would have been glad he did it, if only that thoughtless boy hadn't laughed, and the others badn't joined in. As it was, some of the senseless things they life guided by natural reason. Faith said-just to tease him and not because they were unkindly themthings hoped for"-a life which can selves-made him half resolve not to be "caught in such a scrape again." That wouldn't have happened if Henry's mind had been thoroughly made up beforehand to be courteous and obliging to everybody, let others say what they liked.

> "I just went into it on the spur of the moment." Henry hung his head and flushed red, this time with more reason. "I guess I didn't stop to think that-why, that there'd be any harm in it."

"That is a way of doing things which often gets people into serious trouble, Henry," his father observed. "Impulse is a good thing in its place, but it's a poor rudder ing away from sight to faith. This to steer by, especially over a rough sea. This escapade isn't so bad as it might be, but I hope it will teach

tions, its environments. This was to light to meet. The plain fact is, be the magic word opening the door of faith's treasure house. God could he is just drifting—first, one way, not perfect His plan or perform His then the other, without any firm purpose to guide him. To quote have not storchouse or barn, yet they This is the key to the Christian life. his own favorite phrase, he is doing live, for God feeds them. If God does It alone opens the treasure house. The things, good or bad, "on the spur not forget the fowls, certainly He measure of our separation determines of the moment," just as the mood takes him, and, in the long run, Abraham was deeply attached to his that always proves perilous busikindred, his home, his native land. It ness. Besides, a mere impulse never carries one very far, even dld not become detached by one act of when it gives him a fair start on

> 'For he who lets his feelings run In soft, luxurious flow, Faints when hard service must be done And shrinks at every blow.'

-Charles T. White, in The Com-

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe is greater than a sheep-bence he could colds and recover from them without vation is God's free gift but the ac- and a knowledge of this fact leads othceptance of it crucifies us unto the ers to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in Land that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and offered up. Ob, how few are willing paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

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An Accommodating Auto. Chap (hiring car for use over weekend)-"How many will she hold?" Native Owner of Car-"Well, she generally holds four, but seven can get along if they're real well acquainted." -Princeton Tiger.

Washing White Furniture. If your white furniture is not enameled, it should be washed a little at eled, a neutral soap should be used. Each spot, as it is washed, should be

Burro Too Eager to "Park." Last summer Billy had his first ride on a burro. After jogging along for a few minutes and irritated by frequent stops, he called out: "Mamma, what makes this donkey want to park all the time?"

Constantinople Ignores Mall. In Constantinople it is impossible to unicate with anyone by mail. Instead, it is necessary to send a servant with the message or go one's self to make the communication in person.

Cliff Dwellers Had Stone Idols. Stone idols were used in the religlons ceremonials of the prehistoric eliff-dwellers of Colorado, it has re-

Queer Belief Concerning Opal. The ancients believed that the opashared the charm of every stone which it reflected the color, but when it was stolen the thief became invisthle and was never caught.

Ancient "Apartment Houses." Apartment-house life was enjoyed by the primitive Indian of New Mexico, one ruin in Chaco canyon having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people.

Rabbit Cannery May Solve Problem. In Argentina a rabbit cannery has been established in the hope of ridding some sections of the country of a pest in a profitable way.

From Bradford he went to Richburg and Boliver and there fortune continned to pour its golden stream into his coffee.-Pasadena Star.

Lie Has Great Vitality, A lie can be turned inside out and so decked in new plumage that none

will recognize its lean old carcass .-

Generosity Not Strongest Point. Many men are capable of doing a wise thing, more a cunning thing, but very few a generous thing.-Alexander

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with mother had selected for John's wife the very wealthy and very charming Clara Dennison, an orphan, whose guardian to be approved the selection

But Ches, on her part had selected and Richard Watson, a uncle's brokerage office and Mrs. Marcus Townsend, Enqual's paceurs, were both of famflies possessed of colonial and revolutionary anditions, but of little money. The Townsends' visiting cards had a prestige which was denied to the Townsend thirty-day notes. The fond parents saw with secret satisfaction the growing intimacy between their daughter and the son of the wealthy Sylvanus Cartwright-a misalliance, it is true, but then what could you expect in these leveling days? And Cartwright's record in Bradstreet's was so eminently satisfactory! But when the Townsends learned that John Cartwright had been ordered to marry Clara Dennison they rose in nristocratic wrath. Perish the vulgar Cartwrights and perish their base money! Besides, there were as good fish in the sea as there were in the Emma was ordered not to think of

John Cartwright any more and to hold in readiness to marry some one to be picked out for her by her parents hereafter. Emma was a pretty young thing with not much to her, and John was a well enough young man, but it must be confessed rather commonplace and mightily afraid of his father. So in spite of their love and in spite of Clara Dennison's love for Richard Watson and his love for her, it is quite possible that the parvots and a guardian uncle would have had things their own way had it not tem for Clara.

"Uncle," said Clara one evening as the and her guardian sat over their af er-dinner coffee, "I have made up my mind to marr, that clerk of yours, Richard Watson."

And a bomb gone off in the middle of the dining room table Mr. Zebulen



That Clerk of Yours."

Dentilson would hardly have been more startled. The worthy broker was of an apoplectic build and Clara at first feared she should have broken it to him more gently. But he recovered and managed to splutter after a minnte: "You are not. Has he asked you? I will discharge him tomorrow." "Oh, yes, I am. He has not asked me, but he is going to, and as to your discharging him I shall be twentythree next month, when my proper! is to be turned over to me, and I guess we will have enough to set up onsekeeping with," retorted Clara.

Zebulon from commanding descended to arguing. His arguments were all perfectly sound, but what is a sound argument in the pathway of young love? Richard, from the changed manuer in which his employer treated him next morning, surmised something of what had happened and over the telephone arranged a meeting with Clara.

"What have you been saying to your

uncle?" he asked when they were scated in a corner of a highly respectable tearoom which had been the seen of many of their conferences. Clara told lilm word for word what she had sald to her uncle, "I was right, wasn't I?" she usked, blushing a little, \*

"You angel!" cried Richard, "Of course you were right. I would have asked you long ago if I hadn't been to plaguey poor."

"Oh, bother that," said Clara You'll probably lose your job wift incie, but you told the last week you vere golig to leave soon to go into that South American scheme anyway The question is what are we soing to to for those poor tabes in the woods. Form Townsend and John Cart-wright? John is going to tose me for ure and I do so wish he might get Imma. There! I have an idea. It just struck me. You know that new company uncle is forming? He's all vrapped up in it. I'll infuse a little atrimony into the concern. See if I

That evening Emma and John had a dolorous and despairing interview, which, they agreed, was to be their last. Clara was all smiles and winsome ways when she met her uncle at dinner that night.

"Reconciled yet, unkey?" she laughed as she kissed him, "Of course, you are! I met Dick this afternoon and proposed to him, and he accepted me. So that's off my mind."

"Clara!" exclaimed the broker. "I really-such conduct-I don't know what to say to you."

"Say yes to everything I propose, then, you old dear," she laughed, and then abruptly changed the subject with, "About that new company of yours, uncle-is any of my money in it? No? Well, next month, when I come into my fortune, I'll put some in I've studied your prospectus. It's a good investment. There's just one condition. I want you to put Marcus Townsend on your board of directors. Now stop. Don't Interrupt a lady It's impolite. This is the idea. Marcus hasn't much money, but he's away up in the old Knickerbocker set and there's lots of money lying around practically idle among those old fos-sils-'safe' investments at 4 per centwhen they don't keep it in a stock ing under the bed. You want those old names of downtown streets in your list, unkey. Marcus will bring

them in. It's good advertising." "My dear," said Zebuton, "there is something in your idea. How much will you invest in the company?" "That depends upon whether I can

general manager or not." "Ab, I see; hichard Watson, I sup-"Exactly."

Dennison's work was cut out for hlm-by Clara. He broke to his associate in the formation of the new company, Mr. Sylvanus Cartwright, as gently as he could the fact that Clara had, as he expressed it, "taken the blt in her teeth" and was going to marry Dick Watson. Also he expatlated upon the value of Clara's idea-putting it forward as his own-with regard to Marcus Townsend, and urged Cartwright to approach Marcus on the subject. As Lebulon was the dominating factor in the whole project, Sylvanus yielded. Pompous Marcus Townsend was cold at first to save his dignity, but was secretly delighted The position would add to his personal importance-and his income They gave him a couple of shares in the new company upon the easlest terms possible. And, Clara's engage ment being formally announced, loving parents intimated to her that John Cartwright was a most estimable young man-and they could not think of standing in the way of their dear child's happiness.

"Hang It," sald Sylvanus Cartwright to his wife, "I suppose we might as well let that fool boy of ours marry the Townsend gie! He's lost the Den nison girl and there's a certain financial value in the old family stuff after all. Putting that turkey cock, Marcus Townsend, on our board has brought I don't know how much money to our ew concern."

POOR TIME TO SOUND ALARM

Would Seem That Clock Might Have Had More Consideration for Its Unfortunate Owner.

The 5:30 commuter's train was about to pull out. Two young hushands dashed on board, one carrying a neatly wrapped, harmless-looking package. The late comers had to take separate seats, one in front of the other. The package was duly deposited on the hat rack. Jost as the train had pulled out of the station a loud brr-rr sounded through the car. Smiling faces turned around and spled the package reposing on the rack above. All was quiet for a few minutes, then ngain ber-rr, only louder and longer this time. It was unmistakably the ring of an niarm clock. The smiles had changed to grins and laughs by now. The owner of the clock got hotter and hotter every minute. His commuter friend leaned forward and in a very audible tone said: "Why don't you shut your alarm clock off?" "My clock?" replied the owner, and glared at his friend. "I wouldn't own an alarm clock." The fellow passengers who sat near were watching to see if he would take the package with him. Defiant of their gaze, he grabbed it when his station was called and dashed off the train, the clock giving Ite quivering death gasp.

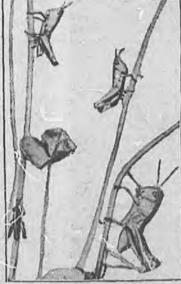
Lessons in American History. How is the spirit of a free people to be formed and animated and cheered, but out of the storehouse of be eternally ringing the changes upon Marathon and Thermopylae, and going back to read in obscure texts of Greek and Latin, and of the exemplars of patriotic virtue? I thank God that we can find them nearer home, in our own country, on our own sollthat strains of the noblest sentiment that ever swelled in the breast of man are breathing to us out of every page of our country's history, in the native eloquence of our mother tongue -that the Colonial and provincial councils of America exhibit to us models of the spirit and character that gave Greece and Rome their name and their praise among nations. Here we ought to go for instruction— the lesson is plain, it is clear, it is applicable.-Edward Everett.



**GRASSHOPPERS INJURE TREES** 

Foliage Is Often Completely Devoured and Serious Harm Results-Use Poison Bait.

During seasons of heavy grasshopper infestation, orchard and nursery trees are sure to suffer where the grasshoppers are permitted to migrate from adjoining pastures, meadows or other crops. There are three common species of grasshoppers which do this damage, the red-legged, differential and two-lived. Where injury occurs



Young Hoppers Feeding

it is usually soon after hay harvest. The foliage is often completely de-voured and serious injury may result where the hungry grasshoppers attempt to appease their appetites further by gnawing the bark from the twigs and even the trunks of small

Where grasshoppers are abundant on crops near the evoluted or nursely

trouble. Poison bran bait sown broadeast in infested meadows and other crops when the hoppers are yet small will rid the community of the pest Poison bran bait is prepared by mix-ing dry 50 pounds of bran and two pounds of white arsenic or paris green and moistening this with about eight gallons of water with which are mixed four quarts of cheap sorghum and the juice and chopped-up rinds of six lem ons. Sow this at daybreak so the hoppers will get it for breakfast while yet moist and attractive. Where this precaution is not taken and the hoppers are feeding on the foliage spray the trees heavily with an arsenate of

# PRUNE NEWLY PLANTED TREE

As Many of Feeding Roots Have Been Left in Ground, Tops Must Be Cut to Balance,

The pruning of trees should begin when they are planted. When the trees are dug from the nursery row many of the feeding roots are left in the ground, and it is necessary to remove some of the top of the trees in order to establish more nearly a balance between the tops and the roots. This pruning should be given immedi nely after the tree has been set.

The following points should be kept in mind when performing this opera tion: Three or four branches should be left in addition to the central leader. The lowest of these branches should be on the southwest side to prevent sun scald : the branches should be four or five inches apart and on different sides of the trunk in order to avoid crotches; the branches that are left should be cut off eight or ten inches from the trunk and the leader shortened back two-thirds. All other branches should be removed close up

# TAKE CARE OF FEACH TREE

As Soon as Fruit Has Been Gathered Remove All Dead Twigs and Diseased Branches.

As soon as the fruit has been harvested, all diseased fruit and dead twigs should be removed from peach trees immediately. All weak limbs on the tree that show any sign of bark beetle injury should also be removed. If these dead twigs and limbs are allowed to remain on the tree throughout the summer, the bark beetle will

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Any kind of a Ford body built.

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critically ill for the past week For Sale-Buick roadster Ap-

ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md.

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S M. Mason.

Join our Christmas money club nurse her. starting Dec. 27th. Calvin B. Tay-

lor Banking Co. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dennis are the proud possessors of a baby girl, born Wednesday.

Baltimore, to spend the holidays with his parents

Eight new cases of measles were reported one day this week by one of our physicians

Mrs. Edward Fisher and son, James Robert Birch, went to Chincotengue Monday.

E. B. Burbage and sister, Miss

Mrs. Layfield, of Wilmington, a don C Grunsten sister of Mrs. R. C. Peters, was critleally ill at last report.

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tiumby's, on Mill Street

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can Stores Co., Berlin, Md. Attention is called to the Calvin

Money Club ad on this page. Wanted-10 women operators

work Berlin Vencer Works. Mrs. T. S. Armentrout, from near Wilmington, is visiting her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Warren. Walter Cox attended the funeral

of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G. Strickland, in Wilmington, Tuesday.

ing part of the week in Atlantic City. Dues were paid for two members.

Miss Nancy Gibbs, Miss Ida Hollins, and Joe Boston are among the from the American Issue. The of-

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanlin returned to Philadelphia, Tuesday, after a short visit with Berlin friends.

Thursday of last week, from Wil- tee was appointed. mington, much improved, after her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Workman cocos, and fine apples. and daughter, Irene, went to Washington, Saturday, to visit Mrs. Workman's aunts.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an vited the next meet'ng. absent friend, why not give a year's subscription to this newspaper?

T. R. Bryde has sold his pretty Bungalow Farm to Mr. Satter. Mr. "I have frequently used Chamber-Bryde intends to spend Christmas lain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid for headache and billous attacks. I am more, and has considered going only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

Don't fail to see our beautiful display of cutlery. C. & P. Hdw.

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The members of the Ladies' Aid on Baker St., will entertain the so-All verses of poetry in connection c'ety at the home of Mrs. H. B. Powell next Thursday evening.

> Paul Downing and Lester Parker going to Wilmington. spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadel- minister until poor health compelled

Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Parsonsburg, expect to leave in the next few days to join Mr. Equires, at Swansboro, N. C.

The ladies of Ironshire M. E. Church will hold a measuring and pie sociel Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Kelly. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. McVeigh Harrison, of Paul's Episcopal Church, Be. in, beginning on Sunday, Jan. 21st.

The Episcopal Church School will hold their Christmas festival in the Come in and see the wonderful Parish House, Wednesday, Dec. For Sale-Wall showcase, four 2.30, the Junior and Senior De-

Mrs. Edward Cotlin and two el der daughters spent Tuesday and good farm for 1923. W. D. Rayne, Wednesday in Philadelphia, slopping. They spent Tuesday night 2.30 p. m. Service at Libertytown. with Mrs. Coffin's cousin, Miss 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Maude Hambleton, in Camden, N.

A misunderstanding caused us to report last week that Mrs Fletcher Porter was up. She has been quite ill with bronchial trouble since get-For Rent-One apartment and ting better of grippe, but is sitting roon a with board, opposite school. up some now. Miss Evelyn Selby, of Wesley, came Monday evening to Stevenson M. E. Church

# Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

the Mother's Favorite. The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week pleasant taste and prompt and effect-Howard Wilkins leaves today for ual cures have made it a day one with people everywhere. It is tapadally prized by mothers of young children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief and is free from opium and other harmful drugs.

# Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten desire to express their sincere thanks to their neighbors and friends for FOR SALE-Carolyn, have moved to their new their kindness during the finess, home on South Main St.

death and burial of their son, Shel-

# W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union For Rent-3 room house and lot was held Wednesday evening with near St. Martin's on State road. Mrs. Henry G. Fassett.

The president, Mrs. Norris, being absent on account of illness, the the highest market price. Ameri- meeting was presided over by Mrs. Joycie Bunting.

The Scripture lesson was read by B. Taylor Banking Co. Christmas offered prayer, at the close of which Maryland, will be held in the bank buildall joined in the Lord's l'rayer.

The minutes of the last meeting Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, steady were read and approved. The members answered to the roll-call by repeating a Bible verse, as usual. It was decided in future, if the

weather was too bad for a meeting on the appointed evening, to hold t the following evening.

A card was read from Mrs. J. T. Taylor, the Tri-County Secretary. Mrs. Henry Godfrey and daugh- Mrs. Tucker reported the amount ter, Mrs. A. H. Abbott, are spend- of money on hand for flavoring Some encouraging facts were read College students home for Christmas. fering of a prize to the higher grades of school children for the best essay on the evil effects of school or some other phase of the Christmas Money Club temperance question was discussed Mrs. Clarence Hanley returned and recommended, and a commit-

> The hostess serve i refreshments, consisting of delicious cakes and 25 cents each week,

At ten o'clock the guests returned to their various homes, after expressing their appreciation to their hostess for a very pleasant occasion. Mrs. Charles A. Holland has in

Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends Five dollars each week, Chamberlain's Tablets.

# Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Many friends in this county will Buy a phonograph for \$50 and sympathize with his loved ones, because of the going from earth to Heaven, on Sunday, Dec. 17th, from his residence in Wilmington, of Bev. W. G. Strickland.

Mr. Strickland was 84 years old, English by birth, as is also his good wife, but residents of Wordester Noble Morgan, Ernest Downing, County, Md., for many years before

Mr. Strickland was a Methodist him to retire, while his wife was the Mrs. P. C. Squires and daughter, much-loved president of Worcester Co W. C T. U. for a long time.

Old age and a complication of iseasea was the cause of death

Funeral services were held Taeslay afternoon at 2 30, and his remains were laid to rest in a Wilmington Cemetery. "God giveth His beloved ones alsep."

Mr. Strickland is survived by his widow, a son, Rev. Clarence W. Strickland, of Pittsville, and four the Order of the Holy Cross, will daughters, Mrs. William Birch, hold an eight-day Mission in St. Mrs Hugh B. Kelso, of Perryville; and the Misses Florence and Katie Strickland, at home.

# Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

9.30 a m. Bible School, Calvin B. Taylor, Superintendent, 10 45 a. m. Divine Worship.

Christmas Service. Topic, "How to Have Christ-

All the Year." 30 p m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Memorials," Tuesday, 7 30 p. m., Prayer service. You are cordially invited to these

9.80 a. w., Sanday School, E. S Furush apprintendent. 10.45 a. c., Freeding by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service.

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# AND CONTENTS.

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# Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs. Bunting Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, ing, on Monday, the 1st day January 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

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It was midnight on the ocean, Not a street car was in sight; The sun and moon shone brightly And it rained all day that night.

And in the summer snow storm The rain just fell like giass, And the barefooted boy with aboes or

Stood sitting in the grass. While the organ peeled potatoes Lard was rendered by the choir, While the sexton rang the dishrag Some one set the church on fire.

'Holy smokes,' the preacher cried, And in the rush he lost his hair; And now his head's like heaven, For there is no parting there. Thomas R. Bryde.

# In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of Dear Aunt Link Herry, who died De-

cember 21, 1914 More and more each day we miss her; Some may think the would is healed; But they little know the sorrow

That is within our bear is concealed. We think of her in silence, Few eyes that see us weep; But many a silent tear we shed, For none knew her but to love her.

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MONDAY, DEC. 25th, DOROTHY DALTON and RUDOLPH VALENTINO,

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Department Store, Berlin, Maryland,

By ROSE MEREDITH

(6, 1922, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

"The house is finished at last," said Leonard proudly, as he unlocked the front door and ushered the brown-eyed girl into the home that was to be theirs. He bent to kiss her before they passed into the living room. "Isn't it cozy?" he asked, just as if he hadn't had her opinion about everything from the topmost brick of the chimney to the cement on the cellar floor.

"It is perfect," she breathed softly, as they went from room to room, hand in hand. Still, there was a shadow in the brown eyes that dld not depart when they locked the door upon the home-that-was-to-be-theirs in the au-

"What is it, Mildred?" he asked, suddenly, "I thought you would be so happy about it-now, we can go ahead and buy the furniture-the money is ready, unless-" he hesitated and saw that her cheeks were pink and her eyes distressed, "unless you would rather walt a few months for the furniture and I will buy the ring you

She put out her hand-her left hand, where the third finger wore a curious ring of twisted gold and silver. "I feel a conspicuous with this, Leonard -all the girls wear solitaires-and they seemed so amused when I explained that I preferred to wear this



Overheard Two of Her Office Asso-

as a more costly one-but I don't explain any more." Her lips drooped. "You would rather have the diamond?" he asked with assumed carelessness. "It is only a matter of a few months more-I am sorry you are marrying such a poor fellow-but a

home to go into is something to star "I know it, Leonard-I am very foolish," she faltered.

"Never mind, dear-I know how you feel," he said; "suppose we go around to Burt's now and choose the ring." The next day the little gold and

silver lovers' knot was gone from Mildred's finger and in its place was a glistening diamond that called forth all the admiration she had craved from her friends at the office and else-

"You are a lucky girl," sighed Jennie Jones, one of the bookkeepers. "You are going to marry a man who has built a house, furnished it completely, and given you a beautiful ring, too! Think of poor me-when I married Will he gave me a gorgeous ring and we bought a thousand dollars' worth of furniture on the installment plan and leased an apartment. That was two years ago-we lost all the furniture, the ring was pawned to pay the doctor's bill when I was so sick last winter, and we are doing light housekeeping in two tiny rooms! I am back at my job and we are both saving every cent we can for a home so we can start right the next time."

"You are a lucky girl," the words rang in Mildred's ears for many a day after that, as she wore the beautiful ring, that sealed her engagement to Leonard. She did not earn a large salary, and it was only by scrimping that she could save a little cach week after all her expenses were paid. She was all alone in the world and there was no near relative to advise her about the management of her affairs. But experience was teaching her some-thing and all that long, hot summer, when she met Leonard, she could see that he was practicing small econo-

"Perhaps he is saving for the furni-ture," she thought with a blush, and she would turn the dlamond around so that she could not see its mocking glitter. One day she overheard two of

her office associates talking together.
"Married?" sniffed one man. "Can't afford it, my boy. Girls expect too much nowadays-first one has to bust loose with a diamond that's worth twice as much as the other fellows are buying-lease an expensive apart-

Mildred hastened away with burning cheeks. It was all true. She had been most unhappy ever since she had worn the dlamond ring. She wanted that money to furnish their homeand as the time went by she realized that the home meant more to her than

all the diamond rings in the world. She thought of the little brown shin gled house, empty and waiting bewith. Cae evening she walked over there alone and found a light burning behind drawn window shades. Footsteps were echoing in the bare rooms. Perhaps it was Leonard—she pulled

out her key and softly entered the

The light from the dining room chandeller shone into the living room and showed the walls had been papered in soft brown-even the celling had been done in ivory. In the dining room was a slap-slap as i.eonard applied the paste to lengths of pa-

Leonard was papering the rooms himself. Leonard who worked so hard all day long that he was weary at night-who had gone without a vacation so that he might work in the house he was making ready for herfor the most selfish girl in the works, she told herself angrily. "Leonard," she sald softly.

"Dearest," he arswered, coming to embrace her, while a paste brush waved uncertainly over her head, "what are you doing here? I was go-ing to surprise you by finishing it before Sunday."

"I came to ask you for something," she whispered, her face against his old coat where a dab of wet paste clung; "I want the little lovers' knot ring back again-please."

"But the diamond-have you lost it?" he asked.

"No-but I want you to sell it and let us buy the furniture and be happy, and I feel more engaged with the little ring you gave me at first." He laughed and kissed her, holding her tight to his heart. Then he allowed her to pull the litle ring out of his pocket and slip it on her third finger, while the diamond found its way into his pocket to be converted into furniture.

"Now I am happy," sighed Mildred, and the paste brush wobbled drippingly over their blissful heads.

# MANY CAUSES FOR BALDNESS

French Psysician Gives Three Reason for Man's Head Resembling the

Some interesting views on the causes of baldness have been put forward by Doctor Guelpha of Paris. He concludes that there are three reasons for its effect on men.

In the first place, their hats are too hard and heavy; in the second, they cut their bair too short, and thirdly, they eat more than is good for them Wearing a heavy or hard hat obviously exerts too much pressure and s decidedly harmful. Cutting the nair short leaves the roots at the

nercy of any variations of temperaure and atmospheric conditions. Too much meat, says Doctor Guelpha, according to London Tit-Bits, increases the acids in the blood and consequently in the perspiration. This is still more harmful to the hair, for it quickens the supply of sebum, which thickens around the roots and clogs them. This is the reason why fat men are more addicted to baldness

than those who are thin. Doctor Guelpha declares that if men would only wear light felt hats instead of bowlers there would be less oaldness.

There is one form of painting, the painting with small cubes of glass upon walls and other surfaces, called mosaic, which belongs in the main to the Middle ages, and was at its greatest in the earlier centuries, though it lasted at Venice and elsewhere into the great modern period. Rising to perfection in the great Byzantine churches of the Fifth and Sixth centuries, it was not less fine in the Greece of the Eleventh, in the Sicily, Venice, and Rome of the Eleventh Twelfth, and Thirteenth, and in Constantinople, where in the Fourteenth century there was an independent repaissance of painting-a movement of great promise, cut short by the Turkish canquest. Mosaic is a noble form of the pictorial art which is beyond us today, with its glittering lights, its soft, dusky shadows, its depth of color, its majesty of vision and vastness of design. The painting of the Thirteenth century sprang out of it.-Percy Dearmer, D.D.

Moving Plant Native to East India. The moving plant is a native of East India and is remarkable by reason of the motion of its leaves. These are arranged in groups of three, the lateral leaflets much smaller than the terminal one. These lateral leaflets are in constant motion, being elevated by a succession of jerks and then moving downward by similar rapid jerks. The motion is not rapid, a complete up-and-down movement taking from two to four minutes. The terminal leaf does not remain

those of the others. Seek the Color Scheme. Color schemes may be derived from

quiet, but its movements are not like

studying a beautiful piece of tapestry, of chintz or of other figured material. Such combinations as rose and gray, as purple and lavender and pink are suc cessfully worked out in such materials. Not only the colors that are used in harmony, but the proportion of each to the other, are necessary details of a successful color scheme,

Hubby-"Don't worry so about the cook's impudence, Jane. Don't take any notice of her." Wifey-"I have to; she's just given it."-London Week-

Telegraph.

By burning raw bituminous coal in stead of coking it we are annually wasting fertilizers of a crop-producing value of 800,000,000 bushels of wheat.

Fatal Lapse of Brain Action. Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of railroad collisions in this country.

Both Would Be Welcomed. Pressing need of the time is an un hittable telegraph pole. Also a hillside that a car won't roll down .-Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

Salt Water Soitened Cast Iron. Cast Iron that had been covered by sait water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with

ENROLL MORE BETTER SIRES

List of Persons Engaged in Campaign Has Passed 8,000 Mark and Still Growing.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.) With the growing understanding of the utility value of purebred live stock and especially purebred sires, the list of persons enrolled in the "Better Sires -Better Stock" campaign is rapidly increasing. The middle of August it passed the 8,000 mark, signifying that many persons have filed statements with the United States Department of Agriculture that their live stock breed-



Bulf Associations Should Get the Best Bull Obtainable.

ing operations will be conducted hence forth on a purebred-sire basis. This includes all classes of domestic live stock, including poultry.

In some counties of limited area the number of farms is relatively small. Gordon B. Nance, county agent of Oldham county, Ky., points out, how-ever, that although his county has only 1,086 farms, 10 per cent of the farmers have signed enrollment blanks, which signifies active participation in systematic live stock improvement work Other countles in which 10 per cent or more of the farmers are using purebred sires exclusively are: Pulaski county, Va., 52 per cent; Kittitas coun ty, Wash., 18 per cent; Greene county Ohio, 13 per cent, and Orange county, Va., 10 per cent. In this connection the bureau of animal industry points out that the proportions are for all farms and that the percentages for farms in which live stock is the principal market product probably would be much bloher.

# GETS EWES THROUGH WINTER

Lambs in Spring.

It is possible to carry breeding ewes through the winter on a single ration of corn slinge, clover or alfalfa hay, bat to produce strong lambs of good condition and have the ewes give sufsimple ration must be fed.

If corn stlage of good quality, with n beavy yield of grain, is fed along with clover hay, good results should be secured, advises the animal husbandry section of the Iowa experiment station, if only a limited amount of grain is fed four to six weeks before lambing. However, if the amount of grain in the sllage 'n small, it will be advisable to feed one-half to one pound a day of grain mixture of corn and oats in addition to what silage and hay the ewes will eat for a somewhat longer period.

# BIG IMPORTANCE OF FEMALES

Many Live Stock Farmers Awakening to Fact That Sire Is Only Half of the Herd.

Many farmers who make live stock part of their operations are awakening to the fact that good females are fust as essential as good sires. Often the remark is heard that the sire is half the herd, and with many this is a deliberate attempt to overcome the shortcomings of the females in the herd. The sire may have the same of the two only tends to intensify the defects. There is no question that a good sire will improve any herd, but the better the females the greater the

Get Pigs to Eat Grain. Get pigs to eat grain just as soon as possible so that they can be weaned without loss in weight or a check in growth. Fall pigs are best raised with self-feeders.

For Fattening Hogs. For fattening hogs a self feeder is more successful than the best method of hand feeding.

Make Manager Rich. Purebred live stock on every farm, and that kept healthy, will make the good farm manager rich in due time.

Shed for the Colts. Provide a darkened shed for the colts running in pasture. It protects them from files and heat and permits greater gains in weight.

Nature's Penalty. Every duty we omit obscure some truth we should have known.—Ruskia.

Cattle Wearing Halter. A Frenchman has invented a halterlike arrangement which he puts on the head of young cattle, so that they may be weaned without having to separate them from the rest of the herd, and with kette trouble to the furmer. A bit in the mouth allows them to cat and drink wille it pre-vents them from sucking, thus forc-

ing them to feed themselves.

# Horticultural Facts

SPRAYING QUITE IMPORTANT

or the Only Essential, However, fo Good Fruit-Prune, Cultivate and Fertilize.

"Spraying is the most important single operation in orchard manage ment," says W. S. Perrine, a big Illinots orchardist, in the Prairie Farmer. "Because it is so important, some orchardists have thought it the only ard on the farm has been given any thing essential to produce good fruit. serious thought. Nothing is more im and the; have sprayed their trees well. ly resulted in failure or in only par-

"Spraying is the most expensive orchard operation. The materials for spray mixtures are expensive, and the tion and cultural operations. A cerost of equipment and labor is great.

"The cost of materials can be less ened somewhat by spraying each variety according to its individual need. For instance, Yellow Transparent trees need much less spraying than Duchess trees. Grirles Golde, and Jonatian surnys and cheaper mixtures than Ben Davis.

"The expense for labor can be cut just about in half by the use of pro er equipment and management. For example, two spray rigs and the right kind of a supply-track wagon will chard as two rigs mobe. Or, to you it another way, two stroy rigs with a good supply-tank rig will spray about or quite as much as four rigs withou the supply tank.

"Poper equipment enables the grow er to get his spraying done on time, or more nearly so. have the apraying on the trees when the eggs of insects butch and the small nsects begin to eat, and also when the fungous spores are being produced. A common mistake is to spray too lete instead of too early.

"Spraying should be done thoroughly. However, the trees do not need to be dreached. Summer applications should cease just before the drenching point. Expert sprayers using angle nozzles, small-hole caps and bigh pressure can do a thorough job and stop spraying long before the drenching point is reached. This is the deal which the average grower has not been able to attain, because he has not the

"For several years we have been doing as much of our scale spraying as



A Demonstration in Proper Spraying. we are able to do in the fall. What remains can easily be done in the spring. When after the growth starts, but not so late as to cause injury to the follage, we spray again some of the varieties and sections of the orchard that are most susceptible to

scale and blotch, "If our fruit is more or less infected with scab or blotch one season we are not discouraged, but simply go after the spraying stronger the next season, with a determination to get the sprays on earlier and more thoroughly. Comparatively clean fruit can be produced even on old, budly-infected orchards."

# CUT OUT BLACKBERRY CANES

After Fruiting Season Prune Back Old Wood and Burn It-Mulch to Keep Moisture.

After blackberries are picked the old bearing canes should be cut back, the old wood burned and the berry rows cultivated. This work should be done as soon as convenient as much will depend upon making and keeping a mulch to retain moisture for plants during the summer and early fall, Cut back the cane about 18 Inches above

the ground. A solld sweep is a good implement to cultivate with, at least for the first cultivation in the event the ground is bard and there are weeds. The second cultivation may be done nicely with a one-horse or junior cultivator.

Too Much Water Harmful, Although too little water causes strawbergies to be few and small, too much water often renders the fruit soft and unfit for shipment.

Pinch Blackberry Canes. The tops should be pinched out of the new blackberry canes when they reach the height of two and a half or three feet. This will increase the stockiness of the plants as well as the fruiting area of the wood for next

Trim Bush Fruits. The best way to trim gooseberry and current vines is to cut each year one or two of the older fruit canes and to allow as many of the newer sprouts to remain to take their place.

Taker of First Whale Honored. Among the Eskimo communities great honor is paid to the boat which catches the first whale of the season.

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SELECT BEST ORCHARD SITE

Nothing More Important to Well-Being of Trees Than Deep, Friable Soil, Well Drained.

It is only within recent years that the selection of the site for an orchportant to the well-being of the trees but neglected pruning, cuitivating and than the choice of a site on deep, frifertilizing. This practice has general- able soil, naturally well drained if possible, and sneltered from the prevalling winds.

A moderately level area is generally

desirable in order to facilitate irriga-



A Well Carad for Planting tain amount of shelter from beavy winds and the avoldance of low-lying ground subject to severe frosts in spring which would ruin the blossom are the chief points to be borne in

Having selected the site, "observation pits" should be dug in order to obtain some idea of the relationship of the top soll to the subsoll and the nature of the latter. Where any doubt exists as to the porosity of the subsoll pits should be dug to a depth of two and a half feet and fill them with water; in a sufficiently porous soil this should drain overnight-if not, the natural drainage is at fault and should be corrected.

Everything proving satisfactory, the land should be ploughed as deeply as possible, then harrowed or disked to break down and assist in leveling. The next item is to cross-plough the site and harrow again. By this time the orchard land-will be shaping up and the soll will be capable of retaining moisture and absorbing warmth. A little grading may be necessary in

several places, especially if it is the intention to irrigate the trees. Having thoroughly prepared the land in which the trees are to grow, develop and produce fruit, it is always gratifying to know that if the trees do not thrive as well as expected, the trouble is not due to lack of proparation.

# SFRAY FOR FUNGOUS DISEASE

Forms of Plant Life Reproduce From Spores, Similar to Seeds in Higher Plants.

Fungous diseases are low forms of plant life which live on the higher forms of plants, such as we grow in our gardens and fields and orchards. These fungi reproduce from spores which are quite similar to seeds in higher plants. Fungous diseases are usually carried over from one year till another in diseased fruits, diseased leaves, twigs, etc.

Spraying for fungous diseases is not a cure, but a preventive, if effective. A fungicide must consist of the proper material applied at the proper strength at the right time. The solution, or the dust, as the consistency may be, must be applied thoroughly.

Examples of fungous diseases are brown rot of the peach, black rot of the grape, apple scab, peach-tree leaf curl, etc. The remedy is bordeaux mixture, a mixture of copper sulphate (bluestone) and lime in water, or lime-sulphur, summer strength, must be used while follage is green.

# MAKING CUTTINGS OF GRAPE

Most Propagators Prefer to Get Just Tie in Bundles.

Grape cuttings are made from wellripened wood of the past season, usually about eight inches in length, Most propagators prefer to cut the lower end just below a bud and the upper end one or two inches above a bud. They may be tied in bungles of 50 or 100 by means of twisted willow twigs and stored and well callused. Place them in a pit with the

butt end up and three inches of soi

Remove the Labels. The laneis should be removed from fruit trees as soon as they are planted, or they should be so fixed that they cannot tighten and cut through the

Keep the Runners Off. Keep the runners off the everbearing strawberry plants if you want more

Water for Berry Plants their first year than afterward,

RAIL YARD TO COST MIL! C

Freight Terminals to Be Built at Or at Los Angeles Will Cover,

Actual construction will be starte shortly on a 700-acre freight to and covering a two-mile strip along the Fernando road, beginning at the N. Brondway yards, by the Southern clife Railway company at a cost of gral millions of dollars. This atometed ment was made recently by T. 11 A Hams, assistant general mana the company, according to the

Angeles Examiner. The completed yard will be one the most extensive and compress freight terminals in the countries will include sections for class it and receiving, car storage, delivery pair tracks, stock resting correct tric power house and Illumina tem for the yard, two 50-stall rou houses, caboose tracks, drift to

water tanks and mammeth repair "The construction of this I freight terminal at Los Angeles is practical recognition of the tremend growth c? the city and surroun! rowns and of the greater growth "ospect," sald Mr. Williams.

In 1920, a normal year, one ratico; ompany spent more than \$5.0000 pinterials and supplies in 1. Angeles. Its normal pay roll is approimately \$1,000,000.

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# STATE CAPITAL

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Income From Autos Will Drop.

Next year will be the last in which the office of the Automobile Commissloner will serve as the biggest single revenue-producing department of the State. In 1922 this department produced about \$2,700,000 from the registration fees of automobiles. On the basis of these figures it should collect about \$3,000,000 in 1923, most of which will be received prior to January 15. After that the receipts of the office will be nominal in comparison with what they have been. It is not expected that the receipts ever will exceed \$1,000,000 again.

The reason for this is the tax on gasoline. Beginning January 1, 1924, this tax will constitute the bulk of the charge on automobilists for the use of the State roads. The tax has been in effect since June 1 last, but it has been only at the rate of 1 cent a gallon and has been for the purpose of providing for the deficit in the contruction funds of the State Roads

John N. Macka'l, chairman of the State Roads Commission, who worked out the gas tax and was instrumental in securing its passage through the Legislature, said the one-cent tax had worked out almost exactly as antici-It has averaged \$60,000 a nonth for the six months the tax has been in operation and is expected to average \$65,000 a month for the 13 months to January 1, 1924. If it does, the maintenance deficit will be wiped

On January 1, when the two-cent tax on gasoline goes into effect, it is expected to produce a revenue of at least \$1,500,000 a year. Then the registration fees of automobilists will be re luced. The new charge is expected to be about one-third of the old registration fees, or 20 cents per horsepower

Adoption of the gas tax by Maryland and the District of Columbia automatically will solve all reciprocity troubles that have been agitating motor ists for years.

A bill already is before Congress providing for the adoption of the gas tax in the District beginning with 1924. When this is passed no Washington license tag will be required for Maryland machines and no Maryland tags for Washington machines.

Favors Physician For Willare Body. Enviro L. Collegis, State Director of Welfare, bollevis that one of the members of the Board of Welfare should be a physician of standing. To this end it is probable that Mr. Co blentz will recommend that Governo Ritchie appoint Dr. Lewellys F. Bark-

Dr. Barker is chairman of the physicians' committee, which, at the request of the present State Board of Prison Control, has reported rently on conditions at the House c Correction and the Penitentiary.

successor to William H. Lankford as varden of the "Cut". There has been some speculation as

to whether Robert D. Case, secretary of present Prison Board, will be Welfare, It seems that action to supersede Mr. Case may be deferred edge of the Prison Board's work. The Director of Welfare takes the view that he should devote all the time necessary to discharge the duties of his new office, even if those duties take six days out of the seven.

Sweezey Talks On Code.

Maryland's penal system and needed reforms in the classification of prisoners furnished the theme of an by Warden Claude B. Sweezey at the meeting of the Men's Club of Grace and St. Peter's Church. No study is made of convicts at the present time, according to Warden Sweezey, who also said that the House of Correction, intended for "first offenders," is filled with vagrants and tramps, who have a bad influence on youthful prisoners sent there.

"What is needed." he declared. "it a system of classification whereby tions and pursuits in keeping with their characters and tendencies. Such classification should be carried out by medical officers and psychiatrists."

Fifth Regiment Adds 150 To Its Personnel.

The Fifth Maryland Infantry has added 150 men to its personnel since the recruiting began in October. This brings the personnel of the regiment up to 1,250, which is only 150 men short of the peace-time quota.

A movement to recruit and organize Company L from the young men of Walbrook is now on. This organization will be known as the Walbrook pany, recently organized, is still short

State Snow Plows Ready.

The State Roads Commission's 65 snow plows are all ready for any blizard that may develop. The plows are ept at strategic points along the tete's highway system.

Come to All Men. Man, be he who he may, experiences a last piece of good fortune and a last day.—Lessing.

# IMPORTANT NEWS QUICKLY TOLD

Happenings In Various Sections of Old Maryland

Magistrate Andrew J. Jones, of Rising Sun, on the charge of killing a pheasant contrary to the State game laws, Joseph Hall, of Rowlandville, was fined \$25 and costs, amounting to

Elkton.-The School Commissioners for Cecil county have engaged Clarence R. Hope, of Baltimore, to prepare plans and specifications for the new school buildings to be erected from the \$150,000 bond issue, which was approved and authorized by the voters at the November general election.

Princess Anne.-The following offeers of the Princess Anne Volunteer Fire Company were elected to serve for one year from January 1: Presi dent, C. Edwin Hayman; vice-president, Paul A. Walker; treasurer, Oscar F. Jones; secretary, Burton H. Dryden; chief, George W. Colborn, Jr.

Cumberland .- Mrs. Margaret Ann Cox, 80 years old, widow of Samuel Cox, dled at her residence here. She is survived by one daughter. Mrs. Sarah Connors; three brothers, Thomas, Charles and Wesley Cox, and two sisters, Mrs. Seliah Wheeler and Mrs. Louise Boyd.

Cambridge.-Mrs. Margaret Jane Gillis, widow of William Gillis, 89 years old, died Thursday morning. Mrs. Gillis leaves three sons and three daughters, George B., Henry L., Ernest A., and Miss Lottle Gillis, Mrs. Isaac Pattison and Mrs. John Pattison, all of this county. She was a native of Wicomico county, but had lived in Dorchester for the last 50 years.

Prince Frederick.-The members o the Calvert County Medical Society met in Prince Frederick Thursday and elected officers, Dr. William H Marsh was elected president, Dr. h. N King, vice-president, and Dr. J. W. Leitch, secretary. Dr. Philip Erisco was elected delegate to the State Med ical Association. It was decided that the society meet bi-northly at (h) Calvert County Hospital here.

Baltimore. — Maryland National Guard officers will be received New Year's Eve at the Executive Mansion at Annapolis by Governor Ritchie, i was announced by the local headquar ters. This reception has become a annual custom. It was said that 150 officers were present last year. The Fifth Regiment has added 150 men to its personnel during the recruiting drive which began in October.

Cecil county when the cases of Harry It appears that Mr. Coblentz is will- Hall, Harry Harvey and Charles Biding to allow the Governor to find a die, of North East, and Robert Vandiver and Thomas C. Hopkins, of Havre de Grace, indicted by the grand jury on the charge of violating the gunning laws governing the Susque hanna Flats, were called their counmade secretary to the new Board of sel entered demurrers to the indictments, which were upheld by the court, thus wiping the case off the year, as he has an extensive knowl- docket. The State Game Department, which is pushing the cases, will, it is understood, undertake to have these men indicted in the Federal Court at Baltimore.

Baltimore,-Mrs. David M. Robinson was elected regent of the Thomas Johnson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at a meeting held at the College Club, 821 North Charles street. Mrs. Howard O. Price was chosen vice-regent; Miss Katherine D. Hull, recording secretary; Mrs. George R. Ellsler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William H. Hayward, treasurer; Mrs. George M. Scott, historian, and Mrs. Edward Passano, registrar. Additions to the board of management were as follows: Mrs. William M. Powell, Mrs. Frederic Tyson, Mrs. Wallace L. Ball and Mrs. Augustus S. Duffey. Following the elections the educational work and activities of the State Board of Forestry were explained in an illustrated lecture by F. W. Besley, State Forester.

Baltimore. - Nomination of Alan Johnstone, Jr., as director of the Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission was confirmed by the board of directors. Immediately afterward Mr. Johnstone announced that he would sum mon the executive committee and the consulting committee, which is composed of the president and vice-presidents, toward the end of framing "s program." This program which will deal exclusively with police administration, criminal jurispru-dence, institutions, probations and paroles, juvenile court systems and all other matters related to the un-Company. The Headquarters Com- dertaking of the commission, may be outlined. Its application will begin at about the first of the year. The director has already proposed to the poard of directors the name of an aksociate director. Officers have no yet no funds, but, according to Mr. Johnstone, contemplates a campaign to raise \$35,000 or so through public subscription. "For myself," he said,

> Wedding Ring Never Pleaged. The ancient Greeks and Romans used betrothal rings as pledges, but not wedding rings.

"I am ready to start without funds."

HEAT IS WASTED THROUGH FAULTY FURNACE SYSTEM "In heating houses ore really use ten times as much coal as is necessary," Charles P. Stein metz, research expert for the General Electric company, said recently in a contribution to the coal number issue of the Survey

We could save placetenths of it, but we probably on not do so until forced to by a fiting coal supply, fit to save would require a radical change

in building construc "Usually over 90 all the heat from our furnices is lost. Although we must replace the foul air with fresh air, there is no reason why we should throw away with the foul air all the good and valuable heat which it contains and not supply new heat to the fresh air. If it were properly stranged we would take the heat out of the foul air before we exhaust it, turn it into the incoming fresh air, and so beat the bicoming air by the heat of the outgoing

"This recovery of the heat is called the reg-nerative system of heating. We could do this by passing the outgoing warm alr around the outside of the pipes which bring in the fresh air and so warm the latter by the former,

"By proper building construc-tion the loss could be made slight, so that a very small amount of heat would warm the ouse; so small, indeed, that it would be economical to heat houses electrically; economical to own a house without a chimney, even though the price of electric energy must ulways remain many times greater than the price of coal, considering

MAKES A PERMANENT CHANGE

Why Egg, Once Boiled to Hardness Will Not Soften With a Drop

An egg centains a large proportion of albumer, intended by nature for the nourishment of the glowing chick. This albumen belongs to a class of substances which have the peculiarity of "congulating" or turning solid where exposed to a certain degree of heat.

The action is a permanent chemical change, and quese substance. The not seen a votten with a drop in temper

plain the boiled erg hardens.

It a too, for this reason that is impossible to cook an erg of the top of a high mountain, for there, owing to a lesser atmospheric pressure, the water boils at a lower temperature, and this temperature being under the recognition of the cook and the stemperature being under the recognition of the cook and the "coagulation point" makes it impos sible to "cook" an egg.

How Lime Increases Fertility. the faculity of animals has been strik ingly shown by the German physiologists Emmerich and Loew, in a secont investigation reported in Umschau (Berlin). They used three groups of mice in their experiments. The first group was given ordinary food; the second received the same with the addition of measured quantities of table salt (sodium chloride), which has also the reputation of increasing fecundity; the third group received corre sponding amounts of calcium chloride instead of the sodium chloride, Within a given length of time the three groups bore offspring 23 times, 33 times and 43 times respectively. In spite of the great increase of the number of litters in the third case, the total number of individuals was also greater. At the and of seven months covered by the investigation, the three groups had produced respectively 115, 179 and 262 young.

Some highly interesting observaby Dr. E. H. Hankin, in the Arabian sea. In still weather the length of a glide was about a meter, with considerable lateral instability; in a light wind this was increased to from 200 to 400 meters. A resemblance betures and the fin action of the fishes was marked. In both, the wing or fin is inclined upward, the outer part at a higher level than the base, in slow-speed flights, while both show a downward inclination in hight at high speed.

A corset that was used as evidence in four tr'als in Philadelphia was given to a boy to be burned up after a verdict had been finally reached. It had passed through the hands of numerous lawyers and police officials in their investigations, but it remained for the boy to find \$128 concealed in it.

Why Storm Sours Milk. There is something about the condition of the air when charged with electricity during a thunder storm which effects the milk; while the moisture and warmth of the air at such a time also has some effect upon milk and cream, causing it to turn sour.

Cat's Eyes of Odd Color. A girl in Vermont is said to have a blue-eyed cat. The cat had two hittens, one of which has odd eyes. One of its eyes is blue, like its mother's, while the other is like the ordinary cat's eye.

Comes in Silance. Joy descends quietly upon us 'llic

EXECUTIVES' CONFERENCE

The second biennial conference of scout executives held at Blue Ridge, N. C., in September, proved to be the largest meeting of professional leaders of boys ever held in the world. Over 400 executives from all parts of Over 400 executives from all parts of the country, devoting their full time to the work of acouting, and a group of experts in executive management leadership, education, recreation, out of-doors activities, camp and wood craft, Indian lore and boy psychology met for the purpose of training and discussion. These executives are regarded as the key-pins, so to speak, of this great movement numbering 550,000 boys and men. On them rest the responsibility of maintaining standards, and keeping the work efficient and progressive, and of bringing with In the reach of every boy ir this coun try, regardless or birth, creed or na tionality the advantages of the scoul movement-nomely, character building and citizenship training through a pro gram of work and play in the out-of

The partiest morning hour each day of the conference was devoted to a training course for new executive This was under the leadership o Lorne W. Barclay, national director of education, B. S. of A. Among the spenkers were James E. West, chief scout executive; A. A. Shuck, executive of Reading, Pa.; George E. Ellier, national director of records; E. B. De executive of Los Angeles; James M. Brockway, executive of Portland, Ore., and Dr. George J. Fisher, deputy chief scout executive, and E. St. Elmo Lewis of New York, Detroit and Chicago, who delivered a powerful series on salesmanship, finances and budgets, advertising and publicity, records and accounting, the executive and the community.

Then came a good morning sing, followed by inspirational talks on "Service," given by Franklin K. Mathlews, chief scout librarian; Prof. H. H. Horne, professor of history of education and philosophy at New York paiversity; Rev. John F. White, educational director of boy scout excouncil, and others.

A ch afternoon the conference hiked in the scout fashion to the woods of the Thing hiles hills, to bearn from that boys toys. The men built han-tos of brailes, improvised beds of balsam bought, learned to tie a dia-mond bitch, light camp fires without matches-even when dampness pre-valls-that would fill an uninitiated with total dismay; they learned how to blaze new trails, and more than one method of finding their way when lost in the woods.

Beard, actual ploneer of many years' experience, daily gave demonstration of camperaft and woodcraft. Commo dore W. E. Longfellow, noted swimmer and official of the American Red Cross, gave instruction in lifesaving by land and by water. New games-red-blooded boy game

that call for sportsmanlike attitude,

that develop strength and clear thinking and are filled with the joy of adventure, were demonstrated by Charles F. Smith, in charge of the Scoutmas ters' Training school at Columbia university, and by Dr. E. K. Fretwell, also of Columbia, both of whom are authorities on the subject of recreation, Ralph Hubbard, expert plainsman, student for many years in Indian ceremonials, interpreted Indian lore and exhibited his collection of Indian regulla. Mr. James A. Wilder, artist, author, boy expert and chief sen scout, Boy Scouts of America, came to the conference from Hawail. L. L. Mc-Donald, national director of camplug, shared with his colleagues the knowledge and experience he had gained from study and inspection of scont camps throughout the country; safety measures, programs for camps, camp sanitation and real cooking were features Mr. McDonald emphasizes. Prof. J. C. Elsom, director of scout courses of the University of Wisconsin, and Prof. E. Løurence Palmer, assistant professor of zural education of Cornell univers'ty, contributed special ideas on outof-door work and play. Also one of the national council officers, George D. Pratt, treasurer, who for many years has been a member of the Camp Fire Club of America, took part in the outof-door instruction.

THE PIONEER SCOUT

A pioneer scout is a scout who, because of distance or other reasons, cannot associate himself with a troop, and hence carries on his scouting alone, after the manner of the great early

SCOUTS TO LAY TRAIL Boy scouts of the Bronx, New York, are laying a trail which will completely encircle the Kanawauke Lake camps and will measure 40 level miles, which will be extended from 25 to 50 per cent when all the hills and valleys are ncluded. Portions of this trail have already been marked, but many of the markers have disappeared. The trail follows a path of remarkable scenic beauty and the scouts' work as trait layers will be a reat good turn to all the enjoy biking.

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GREAT FOTATES BROKEN UP Smong British Lands Recently Placed an the Market Are Those of the Camerone.

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The real Highlander feels sad when he reads that the wide Cameron es tates of 117,000 acres, including the do mains of historic Lochaber and Lochiel, are in the market. They include a big sheep range and som valuable timber, but that is about all mmercially, for deer, black-game and wild duck are not articles of

trade. In the old days the great lairds maintained these wild lands and their wild retainers out of their own pock ets: now they cannot afford it and lands and retainers have to go. In all the Highlands, probably there is no clen better known by name and story to the world than the mighty Camer ons. The Cameron Highlanders, "The March of the Cameron Men," Lochiel's stogan and the Lochaber ax, are spoken of everywhere.

There was not a Cameron among "Seven Men of Glenmoriston" (who were Grants, MacDonells, Macgregors and Chisholms), but they were procted with almost every other episode of the gallant young Prince Charlie's sad and brief career. The beautiful estates now in the market were forfelted on that account, to be restored half a century later, this bepossession

Cosmopolitan New York. New York each year becomes mor of a foreign city. Wit's considerably or a foreign city.

more than half of its population foreign-born or of foreign parentage, and with fully a third of
its residents Jewish, it is fast acquiring many habits and customs that are distinctly not American, although in all the various groups of nationalities in the metropolis systematic efforts toward Americanization are be-

The principal society at work to this end is called "America's Making."
It is headed by Dr. John Houston Finley, formerly president of City col-iege and widely known in educational circles. At a carnival this society gave at the Hotel Astor the other eve ning there were groups of 36 differ nationalities, all in native dreasand all of them were New Yorkers.

His Own "Double!" Few modern statesmen are the subject of so many good stories as M. Clemenceau, who is eighty-ore. Here is one of the latest;

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The other day he went round the street markets of Paris testing prices, following his usual habit of seeing things for himself. Asking an old woman at one of the stalls the price of some carrots, he was told 60 cen-

"They are too dear," he protested. I will give you fifty.' The woman looked at him a minute, perhaps to see if it was worth while baggling, and then said: "Very well, you shall have them for fifty, because, my little old man, you

resemble our good M. Clemencean?

Keep Tight Rein on Emotions. The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulwhich continually sweep through them cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their judgment, and thus decelving them into conclusions which

may be the reverse of sound. "An angry man," as the proverb tersely puts it, "cannot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the censibly efficient, the success-winners.

-- H. Addington Bruce in the Chicago

Dally News. A prophet is not without honor but in his own country and in his own couse and among his own Finarcd.-

Daily Thought.
Things don't turn up in this world till somebody turns them up. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck .-

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

# From the Tax Revi-Sion Commission. any suggestions they make to us.

The first meeting of the Tax Revision Commission appointed by revenue law, which the Act requires Governor Ritchie, under the provi- us to make, we expect to have our sions of Chapter 427 of the Acts of work checked by high class expert the General Assembly of 1922, was advice-especially from the statistiheld on Thursday, December 14th, cal standpoint of revenue produc-1922. The members of the Com- tion."

Francis King Carey, William H. Maltbie, J. Augustine Mason, Frank Novak, and George C. Smith.

Mr. Carey and Mr Maltbie are members of the Baltimore Bar; Mr. Mason is a prominent lawyer of that often accompanies constipation. Hagerstown; Mr. Novak is a well known Baltimore builder, and Mr Smith is the Director of the Industrial Bureau of the Board of Trade

All of the members of the Commission are requested by the Act to serve without pay.

Vice-Chairman.

Municipal taxation in force in Mary land and to inquire into their practical operation and effect in the rais mission is instructed to inquire into very much want. the systems of State, Cou ty and Municipal taxation in force in other States and to ascertain their place tical operation and off ct, and is in structed to make a printed report to the Governor by December 1, 1923, dith L Davis & Constant Holland, for his use and for transm ssion by him to the General Assembly of 1924; which report is to contain a Po'k, Eleanor Polk, Norris Polk providing for the imporition and col- E. Joseph, Raymond Joseph, Charlection of revenue, taxes and charges in the State of Maryland "

At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Carey made the full wing state-

"Governor Ritchie has asked the Tex Revision Commission to pecform a very difficult and responsible piece of work; and although all of us have been selected by the Governor without any consultation with us, we have all thought it our duty to accept the appointments and bave entered aggressively upon our inves-

"The Act requires all public officers of the State to sup; ly us, on request, with all needed information; but our Commission feels that as it has a State-wide responsibility, which it must, of course, exercise in an absolutely impartial fashi n, Dennis. it must have the warmest co operation and support from all the officials of the State who have to do with the questions of taxation in the cities and counties of the State, and we will seize upon the earliest opportunity to confer with these offi cials and invite their a vice and sug gestions. In the meantime, we will set la motion machinery for collect ing, recording and d gesting all possible information which we can obtain from other States, many of which, we understand, have recently completed and reported upon investigations of this character, and in some of which modernized ma chinery for assessing and collecting taxes has been in operation long enough to give reasonable evidence of its practical operation.

"Whether our Commission recommends to Governor Ritchie, as the result of our study, any radical changes in the present tax laws or not, I think the entire Bar of the State and all of the taxing authorities will agree with us in thinking that the existing laws can at least be put in a more orderly and intelligible form without the exercise of any high ability in Statute writing; and even if we find it unnecessary or undesirable to recommend any radical changes in the taxing system of Maryland, I think we may DAVIS ICE & COAL CO., be able to render a real service to

the public by recodifying the existing law so that it will be found under one article and can be read and understood by a mon of ordinary intelligence

"It is perhaps unnecessary to say that the members of our Commissior will take the greatest pleasure in receiving and carefully considering any suggestions which anybody is good enough to make to us. Durng the coming spring and summer t is the purpose of the members of the Commission to visit each one of the counties of the State for the purpose of having personal conferences with the local taxing authorities; and if the Mayor and City Council provides for a Commission to study the local taxing a stem of Baltimore,

"Before completing our report or making a final draft of a State-wide

we will, of course, gladly welcome

### When You Are Constigated.

To insure a healthy action of the bowels and correct disorders of the liv er, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They wil not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, without unpleasant effects, but banish that dull, stupid feeling,

# Notice to Santa Claus.

So many children have written etters to "Santa Claus" this senson, expecting the Advance to publish hem, that we find it impossible to Mr. Carey was chosen Chairman do so. We are sorry to disappoint of the Commission and Mr. Malthie the little ones, and would advise each child to tell their parents what By the terms of the Act under things they especially want and perwhich it was appointed the Com. haps they can get word to him. We mission is requested to investigate hope that each one will receive the the systems of State, County and gifts best suited to make happy hours, and that each child will try to appreciate the presents received and be happy with them, even if ing nation could collect and own?ing of adequate revenue. The Com- they fail to get other things that they Montreal Family Herald,

The following children wish a vis

Berlin, Maryland:

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Charles Holloway Truitt, Don's Ru h Touitt, Lettie Carer, Carrolldrim Holloway

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OF COURSE DORIS WON OUT What Was There for Mother to Say in the Face of Such an

Argument? They had been chatting since enteropposite them on top, heard Lothing realty good until Grant's monument

Without taxing her hearing in the least the Woman learned that they were former schoolmates at the university (for university days were mentioned again and again) who were revisiting the city after a number of

"I don't think the girls of this cen tury will ever stand for long skirts again," remarked the one in the green dress. "Reminds me of what Evelyn was telling me just before I came away. She was making a skirt for her daughter, Doris. Everything except the correct length had been decided upon. Evelyn wanted to make this a little longer than Doris' other skirts, She told her that the fashion was for increasing the length. But Doris was

"Evelyn, you know, generally lets her have her way in matters of dress, but this time she argued and Doris burst in'o tears. 'Be fair, mums,' she pleaded. 'Honest Injun, now which do you think I should take-the advice of one mother or of twenty girls?"

"And what happened?" "Oh, mother shortened the skirt, of course."-Exchange

# HISTORIC HOME FOR AMERICA?

Possibility That Dwelling in Which Miles Standish Was Born May Be Brought Here.

The hero of Longfellow's poem, "The Courtship of Miles Standish," was a real historical character, who was born in Lancashire, England, somewhere about 1584. It is now suggested that the house where he was born should be transported to New England. It is even said that within six months the four rooms of the Standish home now located in the parish of Standish, near Wigan, Lancashire, England, will be fitted into the house for some United States citizen whose family history goes back to Mayflower days. The Standish house has been occupied by the Standish One of the ancestral stately homes of England is just now being taken down and carried across the Atlantic to be the States. Now if history belonging to these ancient buildings could also be transferred to the United States what a heap of renown that enterpris

Rodent Was the Burglar. A New York Chinaman sent an ur gent call to detective headquarters complaining that \$900 had been stoler from him. The Chink, who conducts a restaurant, told the detectives he suspected a colored employee, stating he hid the money in his cellar, but determe a made a careful survey, without results. As they turned to at endon their search, one of theca "d aft of a general system of law Ernest Greenfield Holland, Mir vie hoticed a small bundle of paper move across the cellar floor. Springing upon the object, he placed his foot full upon it. The bundle ceased to move, but its moving force-a husky ratanished into a nearby hole. hundred dollars in bills was in the bundle, thus accidentally clearing up

> Diplomatic Corps Cared For. Other Washingtonians may shiver with the cold this winter, owing to the

coal shortage, but the administration has seen to it that the 400 persons in the diplomatic corps will not suffer, owing to a lack of fuel. Many of the diplomats come from countries where artificial heat in homes is almost unknown and, indeed, unnecessary, and worrled about their empty coal bins The State department has given them precedence over others, thus emphasiz ing the entente cordiale. It is only in recent years that the English and the Scotch have known the comfort of steam heat, the sea coal fire, as they call it, burned in open grates, being the only method of heating their homes,-Washington Star.

Something He Can Teach Her. drive the car. Gave it up and let omebody else do it.'

"Well?" "Same with bridge. She wouldn't isten to me at all. Hired a tutor for

"Dancing was another art we learned separately. Always wrangled but, at that, there's one thing she's willing to let me teach her."

"What is that?" "She insists that I must teach her how to blow cigarette smoke through

Martens Raised in Captivity. The raising of martens in captivity is now commercially possible as a result of the discovery of their breeding season by naturalists of the biologica ment of Agriculture. These valuable fur bearers mate late in July and in August, and appear to have a gestation period of eight months, much longer It was formerly thought that their breeding keason was in the fall or

Odd European Belief.

winter, the young being born in the

In some parts of Europe, when there are several bables to be christened at the same time, the mothers insist on the minister baptizing the girl babies first, as otherwise when they grow up they will develop beards.

The Tortworth chestnut, in Eng. land, figures upon a charter dated 1135, and so is probably well on toward its tenth century, and there is an oak at Tilford, near Farnham,

which was there in the year 1250.

AUTOMOBILE HERE TO STAY

Foolish to Compare It to Popular "Crazes" That Merely Bloomed for a Time.

"If the automobile craze continues," queried a Man Who Lowes to Talk, what will we do for roads for the cars to run on? Just now all the main roads around the city are used to capacity on nice Sundays, and it is mon knowledge that down-town

blles is not a craze. It is too enduring for a crazi. The roller-skating epidemic that swept the country in the middle eighties was a craze. Remam-ber how rinks sprang up in every town? Bicycle riding ten years later bridge was built while it was at its height, and plans for the bridge called for a space devoted exclusively to bikes, but the craze passed before the bridge was completed.

"Ping-pong was a craze that bloomed In the morning and died at night, though while it lasted there were ping-pong clubs, tournaments and contests. But baseball, politics and the motorcar are not crazes. They are institutions."-New York Sun.

# CHANGES IN ARCTIC OCEAN

Seals Said to Be Finding Temperature a Little Teo High, and Ice Is Lass Plentiful.

The Arctic ocean is varming up, icepergs are growing scarce and in some places the seals are finding the water too hot, according to a report to the Commerce department from Consul Ifft at Bergen.

Reports from fishermen, seal hunters and explorers all point to a radical change in climatic conditions and hitherto unheard of temperatures in the Arctic zone, exploration expeditions reporting that scarcely any ice has been encountered as far north as 81 degrees 29 minutes. Soundings to a death of 3,100 meters showed the Gulf stream still warm.

Great masses of ice have been re placed by moraines of earth and stones, while at many points wellknown glaciers have disappeared. Very few scals and no white fish are being found in the eastern Arctic, while vast shoats of herring and smelts, which never before have ventured so far north, are being encountered in the old seal-fishing grounds.

Ingenious, but Futile Plea. vas told a judge of General Sessions in New York, when a negro was charged with entering a house and taking a \$3,500 dlamond ring. you?" asked the judge. "Jedge," said the prisoner, "It wasn't no burglary. It was summer time and the windows was open. The windows was open and I went in and this yere lady woke up -terrible scairt. An' she put up huh hand to huh hald and somethin spahkled. Oh, Jedge, if it on'y hadn't spankled! As' I said: 'Lady, whut you got thath on yoh hand?' An' she said: 'Take it, an' please do go ra't out immediate.' Jedge, the lady requested me to take that spahkler an' go tra't out im-mee-dee-ate. An' I took it and went. Jedge, it wasn't no burglary." It seemed that the prisonconvictions. He will sparkle in Sing Sing for fourteen pears.

Ancestors Worth Boasting About. For about an hour a man from Den ver had been bonsting to an Iris'man about the magnificence of the Rocky nountains,

"You seem mighty proud ov thim nountains," the Irishman observed. "You bet I am," replied the man from Denver. "And I ought to be, since my ancestors built them."

The Irishman thought this over for a few moments and then asked, "Did you ever happen to hear ov the Dead sen in-in one ov the old countries?" "Yes, indeed," replied the man from Denver. "I know all about the Dead

"Well, did you happen to know that me treat-grandfather killed the thing?'-London Tit-Bits.

Felt His Job Was Safe. A newspaper that was not making expenses decided to economize, and accordingly two reporters and a special writer were dismissed. The other employees became nervous with the exception of one man who showed no symptoms of uneasiness. He worked in what was known as the art department, for the journal published a great many pictures. Asked If he had had no qualms as to the stability of his job, he said: "Oh, no. They can't fire me." "Why not? They are cutting all along the line." "Weal, I figure that the paper can't afford to make a cut in its art department. You see we have so many subscribers who do

Working in Reverse. "Gosh, old man, you actually are getting fat! What have you been do-

ing to get all that flesh on your bones?" exclaimed the friend. "Oh," said the former thin man, "I began taking the reduction dope, diet and exercises they prescribed for my wife and I began to pick up right away. And she started in on the tonics and diets I had been falling for to make me fut and she already has lost 20 pounds."

Authors Who Got Rich. The first British writer to make a large fortune was Sir Walter Scott, who earned about a million. Dickens received \$12,500 for "Pickwick," and George Ellot \$35,000 for "Romola." Lew Wallace received \$400,000 for

two novels.

Ye Editor's Luck, Western Paper-Ye bord-up editor, going through the pockets of his last year's suit as a final resort, has received ald from an unexpected quar-

ter.—Boston Transcript.

WILLIAM G. KERBIN, Solicitor.

# Trustee's Sale Of Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Worcester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th streets are so jammed at times that a day of December, 1922, in a cause pend-man can walk on the sid-walk faster ing in said court, wherein John S. Gordy than a car can travel in the street.

Shall we have to double-deck our streets?"

"Possibly," replied the Man Who Rewill offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction in front of Trader's store at Stockton, Margland, on Saturday, January 13th, 1923,

at 11 o'clock a. m.,

all the right, title, and interest of al the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of land situated on the left hand side of the county road leading from Stockton to Welbourne i the eighth election district of Worcester County, Maryland, and described as follows: beginning at a pine tree standing on the left hand side of the county road above named and on the line of Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land or line about east course to run of branch at marked black gum tree, thence run-ning by and with the run of said branch and line of Charlotte Ward and about south course to marked black gum tree, thence running about west course to marked red ouk tree standing on left hand side of county road above named, thence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and place of beginning, containing 5] acres of land, more or less. It being the same real estate conveyed to Edward Manuel by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed dated the 26th day of October, 1921, and recorded among the land records of Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to January 1st, 1923. Title papers at purch-TERMS OF SALE:

One-fourth cash on day of sale, balnce in six months, or all cash at option of purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to th satisfaction of the trustee.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

# AIRPLANES TO LOCATE LAKES

Plan to Use Flying Machines in the Finding and Photographing of Alaskan Inland Waters.

Locating and photographing undisovered lakes in the national forests of Alaska are the latest uses to which the airplane has been put, says American Forestry, quoting the United States forest service. We read:

are many lakes on the headlands and hands traveraed by the inside passage between Seattle and Skagway that do not appear on any man has the New York-Nove algor made by wrap aviators, lakes were frequently sighted which could not be found on the latest and most authentic maps of the territory. Tales of un nown water bodies are constantly being brought in by trappers and prospectors. Less er had undergone a similar painful than a year ago a lake four and oneexperience at another apartment not balf miles long and one-half mile wide o speak of a record of four previous was discovered at the head of Short convictions. He will sparkle in Sing bay. This lake has over 1,000 acres of surface area and is less than one and ne-quarter miles from tidewater, yet because of the surrounding territory's rough topography has remained unknown and unnamed. Recognizing that many others of these 'lost lakes' may be sources of valuable water power, the forest service has laid plans to map this no man's land of the North by means of acrial photographs. A few day's flight, it is said will be sufficient to cover the area with a degree of accuracy that would require many years and great expense to accomplish by ordinary methods. The work, which has been approved by the federal power commission, will be done by seaplane, flying from Ketchi-

The Woman has recently received a letter from the staff artist of the Beebe tropical research expedition. Hitherto they have had the forgie ore or less to themselves and have had most excellent chances to study and explore.

But yow it is not so. Since the reent diamond mine boom the rush of prospectors to the diamend fields has been tremendous, and those who thought the jungle would belong exclusively to them and to the wild creatures who made their homes there will low come home sooner than planned. It seems that no place can remain : wilderness or a lungle if the thought of wealth can be connected with it-Exchange.

Food Is Food to Him. The Indian of the Brazilian wilds appeases his bunger with anakes, alligators and parrots,

A woman's best age has been fixed at between thirty and thirty-five year.

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The grassy crossroad in the fall is ined with purple asters tail, Sunflowers gay and plumes that nod Of spired, brilliant, golden rod, Walter P. Eaton.

A FEW SALADS AND DESSERTS

The enting of vegetables in every form is a habit to be cultivated and with a nicely-seasoned salad dressing, the habit is a good one, easily ac-

Cucumber Jelly Salad. -Dissolve one table-spoonful of gelatin in one and one-fourth cupfuls of water, add onefourth of a cupful of vinegar, one-forrth of a

cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. Let the mixture stand until it begins to thicken, add one cupful of diced cucumber, one-fourth of a cupful of green pepper and one teaspoonful of onion juice. Turn the mixture into molds, chili and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Beet Celery and Pea Salad,-Take two cupfuls of diced, cooked beets, one cupful of finely cut celery, one cupful of cooked peas drained, one tablespoonful of minced onion, one tablespoonful of horseradish sauce, salt and paprika. Marinate the vegetables with French dressing and let them stand for two hours. Serve on lettuce with a boiled dressing or with mayonnaise.

Rice and Pen Salad,-Fill small greased molds half full of seasoned cooked green peas. Cover with cold boiled rice which has been seasoned with finely minced pimento, parsley and onion juice. Press the rice lightly to fill the mold. Loosen with a spatula and turn out on a salad plate garnished with lettuce or endive. Serve with French or mayonnaise dressing.

Cherry Fluff .- Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of water, place over hot water until the gelatin is dissolved. Now add two cupfuls of cherry juice, one-third of a cupful of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside until the mixture begins to thicken, then beat well and add two-thirds of a cupful of cherries; other fruit may be used. Add three tablespoonfuls of sugar to two-thirds of a cupful of whipped cream and fold lightly into the fruit mixture. Turn into a mold and chill. Serve with soft custard, a fruit sauce. or cream. Garnish with whipped cream and cherries.

Nellie Maxwell

Ancients Knew Use of Lamps. Wax candles were made in very ancient times, but at the beginning of the Christian era an oil-burning lamp was used in many parts of the Roman empire, for instance, in Italy, the seat of power, and in Palestine, a conquered country. Of course, this lamp was most common in countries produc-ing olive oil. Many of these ancient lamps have been found in the rulus of Roman cities, in the ruins of Pom-

inevitable.

A newspaper advises the young man to escape from labor troubles and other complexities of civilization by taking refuge on a tropic isle. But when he got there he would probably find the coconuts cornered on the consolidated coconut exchange, and the amalgamated union of banana pickers engineering an island-wide strike,-Boston Transcript.

"Due Process of Law."

The constitutions of the various states and the federal constitution con tain no description of those processes which it was intended to allow or for bid by the various uses of the expression "due process of law." It is generally held to mean, however, law in its regular course of administration through courts of justice.

Paper for Car Wheels. The bureau of standards says the only case it knows of where wheels are made out of papier-mache is in Pullman cars. Pullman car wheels have been made very successfully by gluing together a large number of plates of cardboard with two outside plates of thin metal and surrounded by steel tire.

Easy Deduction.

"Now, Archibald, tell me what an engineer is," said the teacher. "He is a man who works an engine," repiled Archibald. "Correct," said the teacher. "Now, William, can you tell me what a ploneer is?" "Yes, sir," answered William, "he's a man who works a plano."

Different Types of Sea Buoys. There are 40 different types of buoys used at sea, each of which has a meaning of its own. That of a green color, for instance, marks a wreck, while others similarly distinctive show where rocks, shoals, sandbanks and deep-water channel occur.

Some Queer Foods.

Chickens' tongues and unhatched chickens are Chinese delicacies; sloth is eaten on the Island of Demerara; a pale blue moic and two mice were the tasty supper that Livingstone's guides gave him after crossing the Kasal.

Originally From Holy Land. Hollyhock is the garden mallow (Anglo-Saxon hoc, mallow). It is called hollyhock, or bolyhock, from the Holy land, where it is indigenous.

Best of All Endeavors. To secure and promote the feeling of cheerfulness should be the supreme aim of all our endeavors after happiness,-Schopenhauer.

Deserves to Get the Worm. The earliest riser in the bird family is the greenfinch, which sometimes begins to sing at one o'clock on a summer morning.

# **FARM** LIVE STOCK

Charcoal for Swine

To prevent worms, keep the following charcoal mixture before the pigs all the time: Charcoal, 1 bushel. Hardwood ashes, 1 bushel. Sait, 8 pounds. Air-slaked li.ne, 8 younds.

Sulphur, 4 nounds.
Pulverized copperas, ? pounds.
First mix the line, salt, and sulphur thoroughly, and then mix in the charcoal and ashes. Dissolve the copperas in two quarts of hot water and sprinkle it over the whole mass, mixing thoroughly. Store this in a barrel under shelter, and keep some of it in an open shallow box where the hogs can get it as they wish,-Bureau Animal Industry, United States Department Agriculture,

# **GUARD AGAINST HOG CHOLERA**

If Herd is Treated Immediately on First Sign of Disease Loss

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Watch for the first hog to show signs of cholera, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. If the herd is treated immediately it is generally possible to save the herd with but few losses. If the disease, however, is allowed to reach all the animals before the serum preventive treatment is applied heavy losses may be expected. Hog-cholera serum is a preventive and not a cure for hog

cholers, the department points out. Whenever a hog dles of an unknown cause the owner should watch his herd closely for at least a week, and if any more hogs in the hero begin to show signs of sickness a cerinarian should be called immediately, for the chances are that hog cholera has reached the herd and prompt action in applying the serum treatment is the only thing that will save the well animals. A high temperature, ranging from 105 degrees F., to 108 degrees F., in a hog that staggers when it walks, is a pretty good indication of hog cholera. Such hogs should be segregated and not allowed to mingle with other hogs or to wander about, for they will spread the disease wherever they go, sometimes in places where it is impossible to disinfect. Hogs that die on the farm should be buried, or, prefer



Hogs With Strong Constitutions Are More Able to Withstand Disease.

ably, burned, in order to prevent birds insects and animals that visit the carcass from spreading the disease. Usually the disease is most preva

ent during the fall months and losses are invariably heavy in herds where owners neglect to immunize their hogs before the disease reaches them, or fail to call a veterinarian immediately on its first appearance.

# MEDIUM STEERS PROFITABLE De Kalb County (III.) Farmer Is of

Opinion That Grade Stuff Is Superior. The prime feeder steer, so often

cited as the best beef-making machine, is sometimes a less profitable animal, according to a De Kalb county (III.) cattle feeder, than the steer of poorer quality. This man has had experience with both kinds and regularly feeds eight to ten carloads a year.

The prime steer undoubtedly will produce a somewhat better killer than the poorer quality animal, but it is his bellef that the difference in price is less on the finished animals than it is on the feeders. The kind of steers he now buys it has been possible to pur-chase as feeders at about 1 cent less than the price of the best ones. When finished and put on the market these steers ordinarily have sold about half a cent lower than steers of the other quality. He figures that his cost of gain is about the same as that of the others. Thus there is an advantage of one-half cent a pound in feeding this second-grade stuff instead of the

very best.

Time to Wean Pigs. Pigs should not be weaned until hey are at least eight weeks old, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to twelve weeks old.

Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs must be kept growing and the breeding stock must be thrifty Ewes in poor condition in the breed ing season will usually bring single lambs and have a small milk flow.

Russian Wolfhound Fast.

The swiftest dog in the world, the borzol, or Russian wolfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

Real Governing Power, The thing that governs us is public opinion-not the nominal public opinion of creed and statute-book, but the real public opinion of living men and women.-Dr. A. T. Hadley.

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# **Sunday School** Lesson

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**LESSON FOR DECEMBER 24** 

A LESSON IN TRUST AND PRE PAREDNESS

LESSON TEXT-Lake 12:13-40, GOLDEN TEXT-The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment.

PRIMARY TOPIC-The Story of JUNIOR TOPIC—A Foolish Rich Man.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC
—Rich Toward God.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
—True Riches.

Since on October S we had a lesson on the birth and childhood of Jesus, many will doubtless prefer to have this new lesson instead of the Christ-

I. A Warning Against Covetousness

1. The Occasion (vv. 13-15). One of the company requested Jesus to be umpire in a disputed estate. Two brothers were in trouble over an inheritance. Christ refused to enter the sphere of the civil law and warned against the spirit of avarice. Christ's mission was preeminently spiritual.

2. Enforcement of the Warning (vv. 16-21). The parable of the rich man shows clearly that to be concerned with earthly riches while neglecting God is the height of folly. The Lord's warning is of great importance today; for many are seeking gold and forgetting God. Note (1) his increase in goods (v. 16). His riches were rightly obtained, for the ground brought forth plentifully. This shows that a man may be rich because of the Lord's blessing upon him. (2) His perplexity (v. 17). His land was producing more than his barns would hold. He did net want it to go to waste. If he had possessed the right views of life and a sense of stewardship before God, he would have seen that his barns at least had enough for his personal needs and that he could have distributed his surplus to the needy and for benevolent purposes. (3) The fatal choice (vv. 18, 19). He chose to enlarge big 18, 19). He chose to enlarge his barns and give up his life to ease and luxury. It ought to be a delightful task for men whom God has made rich to devote their time and energy to the distribution of their possessions to benevolent purposes. (4) The awful indictment (vv. 20, 21). God calls

him a fool. 11. The Certain Cure for Anxiety

Having shown the folly of the rich man who gained gold but lost God, He now urged the disciples to trust God and dismiss all anxious care. He assured them that they need not be anxlous even for the necessities of life

is summed up in one brief sentence:
"The life is more than food, and the
body is more than raiment." The God
who gave the life and made the body

2. The Blustrations (vv. 24-28). (1) God's care for the fowls (vv. 24-26). The ravens do not sow nor reap—they have not storehouse or barn, yet they live, for God feeds them. If God does not forget the fowls, certainly He would do more for His children, (2) God's care for the flowers of the field (vv. 27, 28). If God is so careful of those flowers which appear but for a day, how much more will He clothe

3. The Exhortations (vv. 29-34). (1) to provide them. (2) Seek the kingm of God (v. 31). Those who make God's kingdom first shall have all their needs supplied (Phil. 4:19). (3) Be not afraid (v. 32). God's good pleasure is upon His own, and all good things will He give them. (4) Pracgive gifts to those in need (vv. 33, 34). The doing of such deeds will tend to lift the thoughts upward to God-to trust Him.

III. Be Ready for the Coming of the

Lord (vv. 35-40). Having warned the disciples against the acquisition of worldly goods while forgetting God, and shown them the needlessness of anxiety for food and clothes. He shows them the blessedness of being in a state of readiness when the Lord shall come. Conviction as to the certainty of the Lord's coming is the sure cure for worldliness and anxious care. This attitude of heart He made clear by two parablesthat of the returning of the Lord and that of the thief. The Lord will be so pleased with those who are waiting for Him that He will take delight in sitting at the banquet with them, and coming is not known.

Paul's Wish. I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ rifice to have God ask, "Shall I hide lesus my Lord; if by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead .- Philippians 3:8-11.

ens as he has this morning.-T. De-Witt Talmage. God la Known Everywhere. In Judah is God known; His name

So Many Ravens.

The Lord never had so many rav-

's great in Israel.-Psalm 76:1. When He's Telling It. We sometimes wish the fellow who nows it all would forget a little of

-Boston Transcript.

Idea of Quarantine Is Old. Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the Tenth century.

World's Death Rate, The world's death rate is estimated at 68 a minute, 97,920 a day, or 35,-

The Call to a Life of Faith

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER Director of Brening Classes, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

The fort gallery of God's Word is hung with the most wonderful masterpleces of history and blography, of poetry and prophecy. One of the rooms contains the portraits o faith's heroes. It quite difficult n study of these to determine which is the greatest. The fact is each one see

to illustrate a dif ferent virtue of godly living. The pen pictures of Abraham furnish nost interesting and profitable study for us today. Many chapters are nec essary to set forth the life of faith exemplified in the one who earned the divine designation, "The Father of the F 'thful." We shall endeavor to emphasize several phases of the life of faith in succeeding sermons. We begin with "The Call to a Life of Faith."

There are only two positions for the soul in its relationship to God-faith or sight. "We walk by faith not by sight" is an inescapable differentiation of God's Word. One or the other-"by faith" or a "by sight" life.

The sight position is the sense position. It is the pursuit of the material -satisfied with things that perish; a life guided by natural reason. Faith is the opposite. It is "the evidence of things not seen, the substance of things hoped for"-a life which can only find its pleasure in God, taught by His Word, and gulded by His

It was to a life of faith that Abraham, a Chaldean prince, was called. The glory of God appeared to him, living in the blaze of material splendor. He obeyed and went out into an unknown land, simply trusting in the God who had promised. Many times since Abraham's far away day has the vizion appeared and the call sounded. To Moses, keeping sheep in Midian; to Elisha, plowing in the field; to Isaiah, ministering in the temple; to Amos, gathering fruit at Tekoa; to Peter, washing fishing nets; to Matthew, collecting taxes; to Saul of Tarsus, bent on persecution. To Cromwell, from his farm; to Luther, from his monastery cell; to Carey, from the cobbler's bench; to Moody, from the shoe store And, to every man and woman who has heard the Gospel, the vision of God and the voice of God have come, call-ing away from sight to faith. This

call involves three flings; We have the very words of the call in Genesis 12:13. "Get these out of thy country, and from the kindres, and from the kindres, and from the kindres, and from the kindres, and from the house unto a land that I will show then "He was to sever connections with every phase of the old life, its habits, its assected though its environments. This was to be the magic word opening the door of faith's treasure house. God could not perfect his plan or perform his Sepa ation.

It alone o

the achievements of our faith. all the human heart holds dear. He Make not the getting of food and cutting off. His kindred went with the right road. clothes your chief concern. Trust God him and kent him in Haran, the halfhim and kept him in Haran, the halfway place, until Terah, his father, dled. Still Lot clung to him and caused him sorrow and loss until he moved out. One by one the things of the old life must go if faith is to be

triumphant. It cost his all. But this is the very thing that rade. makes faith precious. Values are always determined by cost. The things we get for nothing are worth little more. Diamonds are more precious than dirt, therefore cost more. Man is greater than a sheep—hence he could world and the world unto us. Sacrifice is the touchstone of a living faith. Every real advance in the life of faith involves an altar on which some dear fragment of the self-life must die, or some bit of world possession must be

to pay the price, Submission.

Obedience is not only an act, it is attitude. Abraham " "t out. He matriculated in the school of faith. Many lessons must be learned. Step by step even serve them. The parable of the he must walk, advancing from one thief shows that the time of the Lord's plane of experience to another. Tested, reproved, encouraged, blessed un-til he becomes the Friend of God, taken into the divine confidence. It is worth the cost, the separation and sac- We are carrying to suit the trade, from Abraham, my friend, this thing We are also dealers in Flowers and that I will do?" "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsonver I command you." Are you longing for real true friendship? There is One who stands at the door of your heart and knocks for admission. Will you let Him in? Draw back the bolt: fling open wide the door, and let Him come in. Then will the life of faith begin and become as a shining light that shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day,

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School had been out ten mirutes nd there were a dozen boys on the street corner. Who started to laugh en is apt to be thoughtless enough are more than likely to join in the laugh. Henry beard the laugh and W. L. Holloway, agt...
Berlin, Md. knew what it was all about. The shaky old gentleman was safe on the pavement by this time, but Henry did not wait to hear the grateful words which were intended for his ear.

"The old man looked so confused that-that I thought I'd pilot him across. It just came to me on the spur of the moment." Henry grinned a little foolishly, and his face flushed, as though he had been caught in mischief. "I think he cannot see or hear much, and the automobiles were spinning around thick as spalter."

Henry yielded ton generous impulse in viloting the shaky old gentleman acres the crowded street. It was an act of a mple courtesy of which any healthy-minded, cleareyed boy might have been proud Perhaps Henry would have been glad he did it, if only that thoughtless boy hadn't laughed, and the others hadn't joined in. As it was, some of the servelers things they said-just to tease him and not be cause they were unkindly themselves-made him half resolve not to be "caught in such a scrape again." That wouldn't have happened if Henry's mind had been thoroughly made up beforehand to be courteous and obliging to everybody, let others say what they liked.

"I just went into it on the spur of the moment." Henry hung his head and flushed red, this time with more reason. "I guess I didn't stop to think that-why, that there'd be any harm in it."

"That is a way of doing things which often gets people into serious trouble, Henry," his father observed. "Impulse is a good thing in its place, but it's a poor rudder to steer by, especially over a rough sea. This escapade ien't so bad as it might be, tut I hope it will teach

it of the bright down't have my lears for to he will be bright day d, pleasant-menof talth's treasure house. God could not perfect His plan or perform His promises until Abraham was loose from every vestige of the sense life. This is the key to the Christian life. It alone opens the treasure house. The Cings, good or bad, "on the spur measure of our separation determines of the moment," just as the mood takes him, and, in the long run, Abraham was deeply attached to his that always proves perilous busikindred, his home, his native land. It ness. Besides, a mere impulse was a tremendous tearing loose from never carries one very far, even did not become detached by one act of when it gives him a fair start on

> "For he who lets his feelings run In soft, luxurious flow, Faints when hard service must be done And shrinks at every blow."

-Charles T. White, in The Com-

Taking Desperate Chances.

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Washing White Furniture, If your white furniture is not enameled, it should be washed a little at a time with sansoap. If it is enameled, a neutral soap should be used. Each spot, as it is washed, should be

Burro Too Eager to "Fark." Last summer Billy had his first ride on a burro. After jogging along for a few minutes and irritated by frequent stops, he called out; "Mamma, what makes this donkey want to park all the time?"

Constantinople Ignores Mall. In Constantinople it is impossible to ramunicate with anyone by mail. Instead, it is necessary to send a servant with the mersage or go one's self to make the communication in person.

Ciri Dwellers Had Stone Idols. Stone idols were used in the religlous ceremonials of the prehistoric Local Subscriptions to Advance \$1 | cently been discovered.

Queer Belief Concerning Opal. The ancients believed that the opal shared the charm of every stone of which it reflected the color, but when It was stolen the thief became invisthle and was never caught Ancient "Apartment Houses."

Apartment-house life was enjoyed by the primitive Indian of New Mexico, one ruin in Chaco canyon having 800 rooms and in its day sheltering over 1,000 people,

Rabbit Cannery May Solve Problem. In Argentina a rabbit cannery has been established in the hope of ridding some sections of the country of a pest in a profitable way.

"Sugar." From Bradford he went to Richburg and Boliver and there fortune continued to pour its golden stream late his

coffee.-Pasadena Star. Lie Has Great Vitality. A lie can be turned inside out and so decked in new plumage that none

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mother had select d for John's wife the very wealthy and very charming Chira Dennison, an orphan, whose guardon wells approved the selection. But Class on her part had selected and Richard Watson, a c uncle's brokerage office. of Mrs. Murcus Townsend, meens, were both of famlies possessed of colonial and revolutionary traditions, but of little money The Townsends' visiting cards had a prestige which was denied to the Townsend thirty-day notes. The fond parents saw with secret satisfaction the growing intimacy between their daughter and the son of the wealthy Sylvanus Certwright-a misalliance, it is true, but then what could you expect in these leveling days? And Cartwright's record in Bradstreet's was so eminently satisfactory! But when the Townsends learned that John Cartwright had been ordered to marry Clara Dennison they rose in pristocratic wrath. Perish the vulgar Cartwrights and perish their base money! Besides, there were as good fish in the sea as there were in the

frying pan. Emma was ordered not to think of John Cartwright any more and to hold in readiness to marry some one to be picked out for her by her parents hereafter. Emma was a pretty young thing with not touch to her, and John was a well enough young man, but it must be confessed rather commonplace and mightly afraid of his father. So in spite of their love and in spite of Clara Dennison's love for Richard Watson and his love for her, it is quite possible that the parents and a guardian uncle would have had things their own way had it not

"Uncle," said Clara one evening as the and her guardian sat over their after-dinner coffee, "I have made up my mind to marry that clerk of yours, Richard Watson."

Had a bomb gone off in the middle of the dining room table Mr. Zebulon



That Cierk of Yours."

Dennison would hardly have been more startled. The worthy broker vas of an apoplectic build and Clara at irst feared she should have broken it to him more gently. But he recovered and managed to splutter after a min-"You are not. Has he asked ou? I will discharge him tomorrow." "Oh, yes, I am. He has not asked me, but he is going to, and as to your lischarging bim I shall be twentythree next mouth, when my property

is to be turned over to me, and I mess we will have enough to set up ousekeeping with," retorted Clara. Zebulon from commanding descended to arguing. His arguments were all perfectly sound, but what is a young love? Richard, from the changed manner in which his employer treated him next morning, surmised something of what had happened and over the telephone ar-

"What have you been saying to your

ranged a meeting with Clara.

ented in a corner of a highly respectshie tearoom which had been the scene of many of their conferences. Clara told him word for word what she had enld to her uncle, "i was right, wasn't 17" she asked, blocking a little.

"You anget?" cried Richard. "O ourse you were right. I would have sked you long ago if I hadn't been o plaguey poor." .

"Ob, bother that," said Clara You'll probably lose your Job with nete, but you told me last week you ore going to leave soon to go into and South American scheme anyway. The question is what are we toing b a for those poor tables in th From Townsells and John Cart-wright? John is going to lose me for sure and I do so wish he might get Emms. There! I have an idea. It just struck me. You know that new company uncle is forming? He's all wrapped up in it. I'll infuse a little natrimony into the concern. See if I

That evening Emma and John had a lolorous and despairing interview, which, they agreed, was to be then ast. Clara was all smiles and win ome ways when she met her uncle at dinner that night.

"Reconciled yet, laughed as she kissed him. "Of course, you are! I met Dick this afternoon and proposed to him, and he accepted

So that's off my mind." "Clara!" exclaimed the broker. "I really-such conduct-I don't know what to say to you."

"Say yes to everything I propose then, you old dear," she laughed, and then abruptly changed the subject with, "About that new company of yours, uncle-is any of my money in it? No? Well, next month, when I come into my fortune, I'll put some in. I've studled your prospectus. It's a good investment. There's just one condition. I want you to put Marcus Townsend on your board of directors Now stop. Don't interrupt a lady It's impolite. This is the idea. Mar cus hasn't much money, but he's away up in the old Knickerbocker set and there's lots of money lying around practically idle among those old fos slis-'safe' investments at 4 per-centwhen they don't keep it in a stock sound argument in the pathway of ing under the bed. You want those old names of downtown streets in

> them in. It's good advertising." "My dear," said Zebulon, "there is something in your idea. How much will you invest in the company?" "That depends upon whether I ca

your list, unkey. Marcus will bring

" " reperal manager or not." "Alt, I see; Richard Watson, I sup-

"Exactly." Dennison's work was cut out for him-by Clara. He broke to his as. Poison bran balt is prepared by mixsociate in the formation of the new ing dry 50 pounds of bran and two company, Mr. Sylvanus Cartwright, pounds of white arsenic or paris green as gently as he could the fact that Ciara had, as he expressed it, "taken the bit in her teeth" and was going to marry Dick Watson. Also he exidea-putting it forward as his ownwith regard to Marcus Townsend and urged Cartwright to approach Marcus on the subject. As Lebulon was the dominating factor in the whole project, Sylvanus yielded. Poinpous Marcus Townsend was cold at first to save his dignity, but was screely delighted. The position would add to his personal importance—and his income. They gave him a couple of shares in the new company upon the easiest terms possible. And, Clara's engagenent being formally announced, loving parents intimated to her that John Cartwright was a most estimable of standing in the way of their dear child's happiness.

"Hang It," sald Sylvanus Cartwright to his wife, "I suppose we might as well let that fool boy of ours marry the Townsend girl. He's lost the Denalson girl and there's a certain financlal value in the old family stuff after all. Pdtting that turkey cock, Marcus Townsend, on our board has brought I don't know how much noney to our new concern."

POOR TIME TO SOUND ALARM Would Seem That Clock Might Have

Had More Consideration for Its Unfortunate Owner.

The 5:30 commuter's train was about to pull out. Two young husbands dashed on board, one carrying a neatly wrapped, harmless-looking package. The late comers had to take separate seats, one in front of the other. The package was duly deposit ed on the bat rack. Just as the train had pulled out of the station a loud brr-rr sounded through the car. Smiling faces turned around and spled the package reposing on the rack above. All was quiet for a few minutes, then again bre-re, only louder and longer this time. It was unmistakably the ring of an alarm clock. The smiles had changed to grins and laughs by The owner of the clock rot hotter and hotter every minute. His commuter friend leaned forward and in a very audible tone said: "Why don't you shut your glarm clock off?" "My clock?" replied the owner, and glared at his friend. "I wouldn't own an alarm clock." The fellow passengers who sat near were watching to see if he would take the package with him. Defiant of their gaze, he grabbed when his station was called and dashed off the train, the clock giving its quivering death gasp.

Lessons in American History. How is the spirit of a free people of be formed and animated and

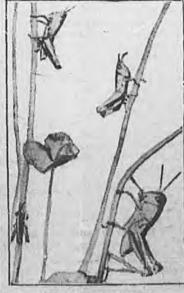
its historic recollections! Are we to be eternally ringing the changes upon Marathon and Thermopylae, and going back to read in obscure texts of Greek and Latin, and of the exemplars of patriotic virtue? I thank God that we can find them nearer home, in our own country, on our own soll-that strains of the noblest sentiment that ever swelled in the breast of man are breathing to us out of every page of our country's history, in the native eloquence of our mother tongue -that the Colonial and provincial councils of America exhibit to us models of the spirit and character that gave Greece and Rome their name and their praise among nations. Here we ought to go for instructionthe lesson is plain, it is clear, it is applicable.-Edward Everett.



GRASSHOPPERS INJURE TREES

Foliage Is Often Completely Devoured and Serious Harm Results-Use Poison Bait.

During seasons of heavy grasshopper infestation, orchard and nursery grasshoppers are permitted to migrate from adjoining pastures, meadows or other crops. There are three common species of grasshoppers which do this damage, the red-legged, differential and two-lived. Where injury occurs



Young Hoppers Feeding

it is usually soon after hay harvest. The foliage is often completely devoured and serious injury may result where the hungry grasshoppers attempt to appease their appetites fur-ther by gnawing the bark from the twigs and even the trunks of small

Where grasshoppers are abundant on crops dear the archard or nursery

one should take precautions to prevent trouble. Polson bran bait sown broadcast in infested meadows and other crops when the hoppers are yet small will rid the community of the pest. and moistening this with about eight gallons of water with which are mixed four quarts of cheap sorghum and the Juice and chopped-up rinds of six lemons. Sow this at daybreak so the hoppers will get it for breakfast while yet moist and attractive. Where this precaution is not taken and the hoppers are feeding on the foliage spray the trees heavily with an arsenate of

# PRUNE NEWLY PLANTED TREE

As Many of Feeding Roots Have Been Left in Ground, Tops Must Be Cut to Balance.

The pruning of trees should begin when they are planted. When the trees are dug from the nursery row many of the feeding roots are left in the ground, and it is necessary to remove some of the top of the trees in order to establish more nearly a balance between the tops and the roots. This pruning should be given immediately after the tree has been set.

The following points should be kept in mind when performing this operation: Three or four branches should be left in addition to the central leader. The lowest of these branches should be on the southwest side to prevent sun scald; the branches should be four or five inches sport and on different sides of the trunk in order to avoid crotches; the branches that are left should be cut off eight or ten inches from the trunk and the leader shortened back two-thirds. All other branches should be removed close up to the trunk.

TAKE CARE OF PEACH TREE As Soon as Fruit Has Been Gathered Remove All Dead Twigs and

Diseased Branches. As soon as the fruit has been harvested, all diseased fruit and dead twigs should be removed from peach trees immediately. All weak lin the tree that show any sign of bark beetle injury should also be removed. If these dead twigs and limbs are allowed to remain on the tree throughout the snumer, the back beetle will

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gradually spread over the entire tree and destroy it.

Since the fruit buds for next year's crop are formed during late summer, It is very evident that if a good crop of fruit is to be had next season the proper care should be taken of this year's growt

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doors, glass 18x42 inches. F. E Koneizka.

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S M. Mason. Join our Christmas money club nurse her. starting Dec. 27th. Calvin B. Tay-

lor Banking Co. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dennis are the proud possessors of a baby girl,

born Wednesday. Howard Wilkins leaves today for Baltimore, to spend the holidays with his parents.

Eight new cases of measles were reported one day this week by one of our physicians

Mrs. Edward Fisher and son, James Robert Birch, went to Chincoteagua Menday.

E. B. Burbage and sister, Miss Carolyn, have moved to their new their kindness during the illness, home on South Main St.

Mrs. Layfield, of Wilmington, a sister of Mrs. R. C. Peters, was crit-

ically ill at last report. Candies-Fresh home made candies on hand at all times at Mrs.

Gunby's, on Mill Street

Apply to H. B. Sockriter. Bring your eggs to us; we pay

the highest market price. American Stores Co., Berlin, Md. Attention is called to the Calvin

B. Taylor Banking Co. Christmas Money Club a l on this page.

Wanted-10 women operators Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, steady work Berlin Vencer Works.

Mrs. T. S. Armentrout, from near Wilmington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Warren.

Walter Cox attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G. Strickland, in Wilmington, Tuesday.

ter, Mrs. A. H. Abbett, are spend- of money on hand for flavoring. ing part of the week in Atlantic City. Dues were paid for two members.

Miss Nancy Gibbs, Miss Ida-Hollins, and Joe Boston are among the from the American Issue. The of-College students home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanlin re-

turned to Philadelphia, Tuesday,

after a short visit with Berlin friends. Thursday of last week, from Wil- tee was appointed.

mington, much improved, after her recent operation. Mr. and Mrs. Jones Workman cocca, and fins apples. and daughter, Irene, went to Wash-

Workman's aunts. appropriate holiday present for an vited the next meeting.

absent friend, why not give a year's subscription to this newspaper? T. R. Bryde has sold his pretty

Don't fail to see our beautiful display of cutlery. C. & P. Hdw

Buy a phonograph for \$50 and spend the difference for records at Morgan Broa.

The members of the Ladies' Aid on Baker St., will entertain the soc'ety at the home of Mrs. H. B.

Noble Morgan, Ernest Downing, Paul Downing and Lester Parker going to Wilmington. spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadel-

Mrs. P. C. Squires and daughter, Mrs. Willard Hayman, of Parsonsburg, expect to leave in the next few days to join Mr. Fquires, at Swansboro, N. C.

The ladies of Ironshire M. E. Church will hold a megauring and pie social Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. C. W.

Kelly. Everybody welcome. The Rev. McVeigh Harrison, of the Order of the Holy Cross, will hold an eight-day Mission in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Berlin, beginning on Sunday, Jan. 21st.

The Episcopal Church School will hold their Christmas festival in the Come in and see the wonderful Parish House, Wednesday, Dec. Sealy mattress. C. & P. Hdw. Co. 27th, the Primary Department at For Saic - Wall showcase, four 2.30, the Junior and Senior Departments at 7.

Mrs. Edward Coffin and two els Wanted to Rent or Buy-A der daughters spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Philadelphia, slopping. They spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Coffin's cousin, Miss Maude Hambleton, in Camden, N.

A misunderstanding caused us to Porter was up. She has been quite ill with bronchial trouble since get-For Rent-One apartment and ting better of grippe, but is sitting room s with board, opposite school. up some now. Miss Evelyn Selby, of Wesley, came Monday evening to Stevenson M. E. Church

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its 7.30 p. m., Tuesday, Mid-week pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of young children for colds, croup and wheeping cough, as it always affords quick relief and is free from opium and other harmful drugs.

# Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grunsten desire to express their sincere thanks to their neighbore and friends for death and burial of their son. Sheldon C Grunsten

# W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union For Rent-3 room house and lot was held Wednesday evening with near St. Martin's on State road. Mrs. Henry G. Fassett,

The president, Mrs. Norris, being absent on account of illness, the Stockholders' Meeting meeting was presided over by Mrs. Joycie Bunting.

The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Tucker, and Mrs. Bunting Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, offered prayer, at the close of which Maryland, will be held in the bank buildall joined in the Lord's Prayer.

were read and approved. members answered to the roll-call by repeating a Bible verse, as usual.

It was decided in future, if the weather was too bad for a meeting on the appointed evening, to hold it the following evening.

A card was read from Mrs. J. T. Taylor, the Tri-County Secretary. Mrs. Henry Godfrey and daugh- Mrs. Tucker reported the amount

Some encouraging facts were read fering of a prize to the higher grades of school children for the best essay on the evil affects of school or some other phase of the Christmas Money Club temperance question was discussed Mrs. Clarence Hanley returned and recommended, and a commit-

> The hostess served refreshments, consisting of delicious cakes and 25 cents each week,

At ten o'clock the guests returnington, Saturday, to visit Mrs. ed to their various homes, after expressing their appreciation to their hostess for a very pleasant occasion. In casting about in search of an work. Charles A. Holland has in-

### Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends Five dollars each week, Chamberlain's Tablets.

Bungalow Farm to Mr. Satter. Mr.
Bryde intends to spend Christmas with his wife and child in Baltifor headache and bilious attacks. I am more, and has considered going only too pleased, at any time, to speak a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y.

# Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Many friends in this county will sympathize with his loved ones, because of the going from earth to Heaven, on Sunday, Dec. 17th, from his residence in Wilmi gton, of Rev. W. G. Strickland.

Mr. Strickland was 84 years old, English by birth, as is also his good wife, but residents of Worcester County, Md., for many years before

Mr. Strickland was a Methodist minister until poor health compelled him to retire, while his wife was the much-loved president of Worcester Co W. C. T. U for a long time. Old age and a complication of

diseasea was the cause of death. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 30, and his remains were laid to rest in a Wilmington Cemetery. "God giveth His beloved ones sleep."

Mr. Strickland is survived by his vidow, a son, Rev. Clarence W. Strickland, of Pittsville, and four daughters, Mrs. Willism Birch, Mrs. Hugh B. Kelso, of Perryville; and the Misses Florence and Katie Strickland, at home.

# Buckingham Presbyterian Church

30 a m. Bible School, Calvin B.

Taylor, Superintendent, 10 45 a. m. Divine Worship. Christmas Service.

2.30.p. m. Service at Libertytown. 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topic, "How to Have Christ-All the Year."

30 p m. Evening Service and Sermon. Subject, "Memorials." report last week that Mrs Fletcher Tuesday, 7 30 p. m., Prayer service. You are cordially invited to these

9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. Furbush, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m., Preaching by pastor. 7.30 p. m., Preaching service.

Prayer-meeting. A cordial invitation extended to all. S. N PILCHARD, Pastor

Notice the date on your labe (il e date to a hier you are poid.) and if you are not paid at irast up

to date, please settle at orce.

# -FOR SALE-AND CONTENTS.

I am offering my Shop, Tools, Gasoline Engine, Planer, Saws and Entire Equipment for sale.

For further particulars, apply to N. H. Bradford.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the ing, on Monday, the 1st day January, The minutes of the last meeting 1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

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### Was She Pushed Or Did She Fall?

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Stood sitting in the grass. While the organ peeled potatoes Lard was rendered by the choir, While the sexton rang the dishrag Some one set the church on fire. Holy smokes," the preacher cried, And in the rush he lost his hair; and now his head's like heaven,

### For there is no parting there. J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

In Memoriam. In loving remembrance of Dear

Aunt Link Herry, who died De ember 21, 1914 More and more each day we miss her; Some may think the wound is healed;

Thomas R. Bryde.

But they little know the sorrow That is within our hearts concealed. We think of her in silence, Few eyes that see us weep: But many a silent tear we shed, For none knew her but to love her.

### Her friends, Mrs. Julia and Minnie Fassett.

If you owe us for the Advance, kindly bring or send the amount at once; trade, if more convenient than

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MARYLAND. MONDAY, DEC. 25th, DOROTHY DALTON and

RUDOLPH VALENTINO. If you are an admirer of Dorothy Dalton you will enjoy her appearance in the leading role of George Melford's latest Paramount production, "Moran of the Lady Letty" she is splendidly

supported by Rudolph Valentino. We will also have A 2-reel Sunshine Comedy

> 10c and 20 TUESDAY, DEC. 26th,

TOM MIX -IN-"UP AND GOING" All who enjoy a Western,

fail to see this picture, Also 13th Episode of "NAN OF THE NORTH"

10c and 20 WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27th. BETTY COMPSON and TOM MOORE,

-IN-**'OVER THE BORDER"** See the two big stars in a thrill wept romance of the frozen North, Also the Select News

THURSDAY, DEC. 28th, **ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN** -IN-"EVIDENCE" Also a Three Act Vaudeville

FRIDAY, DEC. 29th, Want a thrill? Enjoy action? Some thing breezy, full of two-fisted, redblooded manhood, Lots of action Then we have it for you

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# The Lovers' Knot Ring

By ROSE MEREDITH

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"The house is finished at last," said Leonard proudly, as he unlocked the front door and ushered the brown-eyed girl into the home that was to be theirs. He bent to kiss her before they passed into the living room. "Isn't it cozy?" he asked, just as if he hadn't had her opinion about everything from the topmost brick of the chimney to the cement on the cellar floor.

"It is perfect," she breathed softly, as they went from room to room, hand in hand. Still, there was a shadow in the brown eyes that did not depart when they locked the door upon the home-that-was-to-be-theirs in the au-

"What is it, Mildred?" he asked. suddenly. "I thought you would be so happy about it-now, we can go ahead and buy the furniture—the money is ready, unless-" he hesitated and saw that her cheeks were pink and her eyes distressed, "unless you would rather wait a few months for the furniture and I will buy the ring you

She put out her hand-her left hand, where the third finger wore a curious ring of twisted gold and silver. "I feel so conspicuous with this, Leonard -all the girls wear soliteires-and they seemed so amused when I explained that I preferred to wear this because it meant just as much to us



Overheard Two of Her Office Asso clates.

as a more costly one-but I don't explain any more." Her lips drooped. "You would rather have the diamond?" he asked with assumed carelessness. "It is only a matter of a few months more-I am sorry you are

"Never mind, dear-I know how you feel," he said; "suppose we go around to Burtis' now and choose the ring." The next day the little gold and

silver lovers' knot was gone from Mildred's finger and in its place was a glistening diamond that called forth all the admiration she had craved from her friends at the office and else-

"You are a lucky girl," sighed Jennle Jones, one of the bookkeepers. "You are going to marry a man who has built a house, furnished it completely, and given you a beautiful ring, Think of poor me-when I married Will he gave me a gorgeous ring and we bought a thousand dollars' worth of furniture on the installment tdan and leased an apartment. That was two years ago-we lost all the furniture, the ring was pawned to pay the doctor's bill when I was so sick last winter, and we are doing light housekeeping in two tiny rooms! I am back at my job and we are both saving every cent we can for a home

so we can start right the next time." "You are a lucky girl," the words rang in Mildred's ears for many a day after that, as she were the beautiful ring, that sealed her engagement to Leonard. She did not earn a large salary, and it was only by scrimping that she could save a little each week after all her expenses were paid. She was all alone in the world and there was no near relative to advise her about the management of her affairs. But experience was teaching her something and all that long, hot summer, when she met Leonard, she could see that he was practicing small econo-

"Perhaps he is saving for the furniture," she thought with a blush, and she would turn the diamond around so that she could not see its mocking glitter. One day she overheard two of her office associates talking together.

"Married?" sniffed one man. "Can't afford it, my boy. Girls expect too much nowadays-first one has to bust loose with a diamond that's worth twice as much as the other fellows ere buying-lease an expensive apart-

Mildred hastened away with burning cheeks. It was all true. She had been most unhappy ever since abo had worn the diamond ring. She wanted that money to furnish their homeand as the time went by she realized that the home meant more to her than all the diamond rings in the world.

She thought of the little brown shingled house, empty and waiting because there was nothing to furnish it with. One evening she walked over there alone and found a light burning behind drawn window shades. Footsteps were echoing in the bare rooms. Perhaps it was Leonard—she pulled

out her key and softly entered the

The light from the dining room and showed the walls had been pu pered in soft brown-eyen the celling had been done in ivory. In the ing room was a slap-slap as Leonard applied the paste to lengths of paper spread on a roughly constructed

Leonard was papering the rooms himself. Leonard who worked so hard all day long that he was weary at night-who had gone without a vacation so that he might work in the house he was making ready for herfor the most selfish girl in the world, she told herself angrily.

"Leonard," she said softly. "Dearest," he answered, coming to embrace her, while a paste brush waved uncertainly over her head, "what are you doing here? I was going to surprise you by finishing it before Sunday."

"I came to ask you for something," she whispered, her face against his old coat where a dah of wet paste clung; "I want the little lovers' knot ring back again-please."

"But the diamond-have you los it?" he asked.

"No-but I want you to sell it and let us buy the furniture and be happy, and I feel more engaged with the little ring you gave me at first," He-laughed and kissed her, holding her tight to his heart. The he allowed ber to pull the litle ring out of his pocket and slip it on her third finger, while the diamond found its way into his pocket to be onverted into furniture.

"Now I am happy," sighed Mildred, and the paste brush wobbled drippingly over their blissful heads.

### MANY CAUSES FOR BALDNESS French Psysician Gives Three Reasons for Man's Head Resembling the

Fruit of the Hen. Some interesting views on the auses of baldness have been put forward by Doctor Guelpha of Paris. He

sons for its effect on men. In the first place, their hats are too hard and heavy; in the second, they cut their hair too short, and thirdly, they eat more than is good for them.

Wearing a heavy or hard hat obviously exerts too much pressure and decidedly harmful. Cutting the hair short leaves the roots at the mercy of any variations of temperature and atmospheric conditions. Too much meat, says Doctor Guelpha, according to London Tit-Bits, increases the acids in the blood and consequently in the perspiration. This

fat men are more addicted to baldness than those who are thin, Doctor Guelpha declares that if men would only wear light felt hats instead of bowlers there would be less

is still more harmful to the hair,

for it quickens the supply of sebum,

which thickens around the roots and clogs them. This is the reason why

There is one form of painting, the painting with small cubes of glass up on walls and other surfaces, called mosaic, which belongs in the main to the Middle ages, and was at its greatest in the earlier centuries, though it lasted at Venice and elsewhere into marrying such a poor fellow-but a the great modern period. Rising to home to go into is something to start perfection in the great Byzantine churches of the Fifth and Sixth cen-"I know it, Leonard-I am very turies, it was not less fine in the Venice, and Rome of the Eleventh Twelfth, and Thirteenth, and in Constantinople, where in the Fourteenth century there was an independent renalssance of painting-a movement of great promise, cut short by the Turkish canquest. Mosaic is a nobic form of the pictorial art which is beyond us today, with its glittering lights, its soft, dusky shadows, its depth of color, its majesty of vision and vastness of design. The painting of the Thirteenth century sprang ou of it.-Fercy Dearmer, D.D.

> Moving Plant Native to East India. The moving plant is a native of East India and is remarkable by reason of the motion of its leaves. These are arranged in groups of three, the lateral leaflets much smaller than the terminal one. These lateral leaflets are in constant motion, being elevated by a succession of jerks and then moving downward by similar rapid The motion is not rapid, complete up-and-down movement tak ing from two to four minutes.

The terminal leaf does not remain quiet, but its mevements are not like those of the others.

Seek the Color Scheme. Color schemes may be derived from studying a beautiful plece of tapestry, of chintz or of other figured material. Such combinations as rose and gray, as purple and lavender and pink are successfully worked out in such materials, Not only the colors that are used in harmony, but the proportion of each to the other, are necessary details of a successful color scheme.

Hubby-"Don't worry so about the cook's impudence, Jane. Don't take any notice of her," Wifey-"I have to; she's just given it."-London Week-

Great Waste of Fertilizer. By burning raw bituminous coal instead of coking it we are annually wasting fertilizers of a crop-producing value of \$00,000,000 bushels of wheat,

Fatal Lapse of Brain Action. Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of rallroad collisions in this country.

Pressing need of the time is an un hittable telegraph pole. Also a hill-side that a car won't roll down.-Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

Salt Water Softened Cast Iron Cast Iron that had been covered by salt water for a century, when first brought into the air, could be cut with a knife.

ENROLL MORE BETTER SIRES list of Persons Engaged in Campaign Has Passed 8,000 Mark and

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.) With the growing understanding of the utility value of purebred live stock and especially purebred sires, the list of persons enrolled in the "Better Sires -Better Stock" campaign is rapidly increasing. The middle of August it passed the 8,000 mark, signifying that many persons have filed statements with the United States Department of Agriculture that their live stock breed-

Still Growing.



Bull Associations Should Get the Bes Bull Obtainable.

ing operations will be conducted hence forth on a purebred-sire basis. This includes all classes of correstic live stock, including poultry.

In some counties of limited area the number of farms is relatively small. Gordon B, Nance, county agent of Oldham county, Ky., points out, how ever, that although his county has only 1,086 farms, 10 per cent of the farmers have signed enrollment blanks, which signifies active participation in systematic live stock improvement work. Other countles in which 10 per cent | or more of the farmers are using purebred sires exclusively are: Pulaski county, Va., 52 per cent; Kittitas county, Wash., 18 per cent; Ocene county Ohio, 13 per cent, and Orange county, Va., 10 per cent. Ic this connection the bureau of epimal industry points out that the proportions are for all farms and that the percentages for farms in which live stock to the principal market product probably weak be much bigher,

# GETS EWES THROUGH WINTER

Necessary to Secure Strong Lambs in Spring.

It is possible to carry breeding ewes through the winter on a single ration of corn silage, clover-or alfalfa hay, but to produce strong lambs of good condition and have the ewes give sufficient milk, something more than a simple ration must be fed.

If corn sliage of good quality, with spring. When after the growth starts, a heavy yield of grain, is fed along but not so late as to cause injury to with clover hay, good results should be secured, udvises the animal husbandry section of the Iowa experiment station, if only a limited amount of grain is fed four to six weeks before lambing. However, if the amount of grain in the slinge is small, it will be advisable to feed one-half to one pound a day of grain mixture of corn and oats in addition to what sliege and hay the ewes will eat for a somewhat longer period.

# BIG IMPORTANCE OF FEMALES

Many Live Stock Farmers Awakening to Fact That Sire Is Only Half of the Herd.

Many farmers who make live stock part of their operations are awakening to the fact that good females are just as essential as good stres. Often the remark is heard that the sire is half the herd, and with many this is deliberate attempt to overcome the shortcomings of the females in the The sire may have the same herd. defects as the female and the mating of the two only tends to intensify the defects. There is no question that a good sire will improve any herd, but the better the females the greater the Improvement.

Get Pigs to Eat Grain. Get pigs to eat grain just as soon as possible so that they can be weaned without loss in weight or a check in growth. Fall pigs are best raised with self-feeders.

For Fattening Hogs. For fattening hogs a self feeder is more successful than the best method of hand feeding.

Make Manager Rich. Purebred live stock on every farm, and that kept healthy, will make the good farm manager rich in due time.

Shed for the Colts. Provide a darkened shed for the colts running in pasture. It protects them from illes and heat and peruits greater gains in weight.

Nature's Penalty. Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known,-Ruskin.

Cattle Wearing Halter. A Frenchman has invented a halterlike arrangement which he puts on the head of young cattle, so that they may be weaned without having to separate them from the rest of the herd, and with little trouble to the farmer. A bit in the mouth allows them to eat and drink while it prevents them from sucking, thus foreing them to feed themselves.

# Horticultural

SPRAYING QUITE IMPORTANT

Not the Only Essential, However, for Good Fruit-Prune, Cultivate and Fertilize.

"Spraying is the most important single operation in orchard manage ment," says W. S. Perrine, a big Illinois orchardist, in the Praicie Farmer. "Because it is so important, some orchardists have thought it the only thing essential to produce good fruit and they have strayed their trees well. but neglected pruning, cultivating and fertilizing. This practice has generalresulted in failure or in only par-

Spraying is the most expensive or chard operation. The materials, for desirable in order to facilitate irrigaspray mixtures are expensive, and the tion and cultural operations. A cercost of equipment and labor in great. "The cost of materials can be lessaned somewhat by spraying each variety according to its individual need. For instance, Yeslow Transparent trees seed much less apraying than Duchess trees. Grimes Golden and Jonatian need fewer sprays and cheaper wixtures than Ben Davis.

"The expense for labor can be cut just about in half by the use of proper quipment and management. For example, two spray rige and the riva kind of a supply-mak wagon will spray just about twice as much orchard as two rigs alone. Or, to put it another way, two spray rigs with a good supply-tank rig will spray about or quite as much as four rigs without the supply tank.

"Proper equipment enables the grow er to get his spraying done on time, or ny re nearly so. It is necessary to have the spraying on the trees when the eggs of insects batch and the small insects begin to cat, and also when the fungous spores are being produced. common mistake is to spray too

inte instead of too early,
"Spraying should be done thorough-However, the trees do not need to be drenched. Summer applications should cease just before the drenching point. Expert sprayers using ungle nozzles, small-hole caps and high pressure can do a thorough job and stop spraying long before the drenching point is reached. This is the deal which the average grower has not been able to attain, because he has not the expert help.

"For several years we have been doing as much of our scale spraying as

A Demonstration in Proper Spraying.

we are able to do in the fall. What

remains can easily be done in the

the foliage, we spray again some of

the varieties and sections of the or-

scab and blotch

chard that are most susceptible to

"If our fruit is more or less infected

with scab or blotch one season we are

not discouraged, but simply go after

the spraying stronger the next season,

with a determination to get the sprays

on earlier and more thoroughly. Com-

paratively clean fruit can be produced

even on old, badly-infected orchards."

CUT OUT BLACKBERRY CANES

After Fruiting Season Prune Back Old

Wood and Burn It-Mulch to

Keep Moisture.

After blackberries are picked the old

bearing canes should be cut back, the

old wood burned and the berry rows

cultivated. This work should be done

as soon as convenient as much will de-

pend upon making and keeping a

mulch to retain moisture for plants

during the summer and early fall. Cut

back the cape about 18 inches above

A solid sweep is a good implement

to cultivate with, at least for the first

cultivation in the event the ground is

ond cultivation may be done nicely

with a one-horse or junior cultivator.

Too Much Water Harmful.

strawberries to be few and small, too

much water often renders the fruit

Plach Blackberry Canes.

the new blackberry canes when they

reach the keight of two and a half or

three feet. This will increase the

stockiness of the plants as well as the

fruiting area of the wood for next

Trim Bush Fruits.

currant vines is to cut each year one

or two of the older fruit cones and

to allow as many of the newer sprouts

Taker of First Whale Honored.

Among the Eskimo communities great honor is paid to the Loat which

catches the first whale of the season.

Cheerfulness Goog Far.

fulness, altogether past calculation in

power of endurance.-Thomas Carlyle,

Marvelous Work of Nature.

erfect and delicate pieces of mecha

nism Nature has ever produced.

The fly's wing Is one of the most

Wondrous is the strength of cheer-

to remain to take their place.

The best way to trim gooseberry and

The tops should be pinched out of

soft and unfit for shipment.

Although too little water causes

hard and there are weeds. The sec

SELECT BEST ORCHARD SITE

Nothing More Important to Well-Being of Trees Than Deep, Friable Soil, Well Drained.

It is only within recent years that the selection of the site for an orchard on the farm has been given any serious thought. Nothing is more important to the well-being of the trees than the choice of a site on deep, friable soil, naturally well drained if yossible, and sheltered from the prevalling winds.

A moderately level area is generally



A Well Cared for Planting tain amount of shelter from heavy winds and the avoldance of low-lying ground subject to severe frosts in spring which would ruin the blossoms are the chief points to be borne in

Having selected the site "observation pits" should be dug in order to obtain some idea of the relationship of the top soil to the subsoil and the nature of the latter. Where any loubt exists as to the porosity of the subsoil pits should be dug to a depth of two and a half feet and fill them with water; in a sufficiently porous soil this should drain overnight-if not, the natural drainage is at faut; and should be corrected.

Everything proving satisfactory, the and should be ploughed as deeply as possible, then harrowed or disked to break down and assist in leveling. The next item is to cross-plough the site and harrow again. By this time the rchard land will be shaping up andthe soil will be capable of retaining moisture and absorbing warmth.

A little grading may be necessary in several places, especially if it is the intention to irrigate the trees. Having thoroughly prepared the land in which the trees are to grow, develop and produce fruit, it is always gratifying to know that if the trees do not thrive as well as expected, the trouble is not due to lack of preparation.

# SPRAY FOR FUNGOUS DISEASE

Low Forms of Plant Life Reproduce From Spores, Similar to Seeds in Higher Plants.

Fungous diseases are low forms of plant life which live on the higher forms of plants, such as we grow in our gardens and fields and orchards. These fungi reproduce from spores which are quite similar to seeds in higher plants. Fungous diseases are usually carried over from one year till another in diseased fruits, diseased leaves, twigs, etc.

Spraying for fungous diseases is not cure, but a preventive, if effective. A fungicide must consist of the proper material applied at the proper strength at the right time. The solution, or the dust, as the consistency may be, must be applied thoroughly.

Examples of fungous diseases are brown rot of the peach, black rot of the grape, apple scab, peach-tree leaf The remedy is bordeaux mixture, a mixture of copper sulphate (bluestone) and lime in water, or lime-sulphur, summer strength, must be used while follage is green.

# MAKING CUTTINGS OF GRAPE

Propagators Prefer to Get Just Below a Bud on Lower End-Tie in Bundles.

Grape cuttings are made from wellrinened wood of the past season, usually about eight inches in length, Most propagators prefer to cut the lower end just below a bud and the upper end one or two luches above a bud. They may be tied in bungles of 50 or 100 by means of twisted willow twigs and stored and well callused. Place them in a pit with the

butt end up and three inches of soil

Remove the Labels. The labels should be removed from fruit trees as soon as they are planted, or they should be so fixed that they cannot tighten and cut through the

bark.

Keep the Runners Off. Keen the runners off the everbear ing strawberry plants if you want more

Water for Berry Plants Berry plants require tess water b

RAIL YARD TO COST MIL!

Freight Terminals to Be Built at O at Los Angeles Will Cover 700 Acres.

Actual construction will be started shortly on a 700-acre freight termin covering a two-mile strip along the Fernando road, beginning at the N. Broadway yards, by the Southern elfic Rallway company at a cost of eral millions of dollars. This amount ment was made recently by T. II V. liams, assistant general mana the company, according to the Angeles Examiner.

The completed yard will be one the most extensive and comprehe freight terminals in the country will include sections for class a and receiving, car storage delivery pair tracks, stock resting corrais, ci tric power house and illimainating tem for the yard, two 50 stall rot houses, caboose tracks, drill tenwater tanks and mammoth repair s'

"The construction of this b freight terminal at Los Angeles is practical recognition of the trem into growth of the city and surroun! lowns and of the greater growth prospect," sald Mr. Williams.

In 1920, a normal year, one rattres company spent more than \$5,000 for materials and supplies in I, Angeles. Its normal pay roll is approximately \$1,000,000.

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UNOFFICIAL TABULATION SHOWS 194,183 VOTERS REGISTERED

IN ENTIRE CITY.

Many Men And Nomen Decline To Affiliate W'h Parties, According To Figures.

33,687. Divided into legislative dis-

excess in the First, 17,134 in the Sec

ond, 7,325 in the Third and 2,316 in

In the First district there were

placed on the books 14,761 Democratic

men and 4,949 Democratic women, a

total of 19,710. There are 9,014 Re-

publican men and 3,964 Republican women, a total of 12,978. Of de-

women, a total of 3,993. The total

being white men, 8,236 white women,

2,412 colored men and 1,406 colored

In the Third district there are reg-

stered 17,081 Democratic men and

26,216. Of Republican men there are

total of 18,891. Declined men number

2,222, and declined women 1,051, a total of 3,273. The total registration

The Fourth district has 11,765 Dem-

peratic men and 4,153 Democratic women, a total of 15,918. There are

9,229 Républican men and 4,303 Re-

publican women, or 13,602 in all; 1,490

fillate, a total of 1,901. The total vote

registered by the district is 31,421. Of

this number 17,969 are white men,

6,450 white women, 4,585 colored men

made Saturday at Homewood.

been completed, but arrangements are

being made by Dr. Frank J. Goodnow,

president of Hopkins, and a special

committee for the entertainment of

It is expected that two or more rep-

resentatives will be sent from each of

the large universities. Representa-

tives of Columbia University will be

Prof. Herbert E. Hawkes, dean of the

collegiate department; Dr. Frederick

J. E. Woodbridge, dean of the grad-

uate school; William H. Carpenter,

provost, and Prof. Adam Lercy Jones,

Addresses will be made by prom-

inent university officials and the efoc-

tion of officers for the year will be

Next Saturday Dr. Goodnow and Dr.

William W. Guth, president of Gouch-

er College, are planning to go to Buf-

falo, N. Y., to attend the inaugural

ceremonies for Dr. Samuel P. Capen

the new chancellor of the University

of Buffalo. In connection with this

ceremony there will be the dedication

of a new chemical laboratory, the

first of a group of buildings planned

Bowle.-The Colored State Normal

tle more than a mile north of this

place on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

combustion of gases from the use of

of the Ellicott City Times, being chair-

was the direct cause of the "plebe's"

detention in the hospital over two

Daily Thought.

Love thyself and many will bate

veeks after the occurrence.

director of admissions.

150-acre campus.

held.

nen and 411 women declined to af-

and 3,872 colored women.

tricts, the Democrats have 6,912 in

the city based on prior to revision day

# SHORT GUTS IN 33,687 MAJORITY

The Latest News From All Over the State

LEAD IN EVERY DISTRICT HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK!

> Cumber and .- Dr. Wilmot Ayres, Bedford, and Miss Blanche Class, trained nurse daughter of Arry Cities of Wolf burg, are in Vestern haryland H. Pini with serious injuries cultimet when the automobile in which they were reast struck a coment about and overturned.

places the dal number of those en-roller at 1,183, and gives to the Democrats an amiliated majority of Crisfield A tocontotive struck a bad in the Pennsylvania termina pards here, turned turt's and was mecked. Engineer Marsey stuck to his post and was not serioraly injured. Fireman Draper jamed from the high side of the engine and sustained a few brulses.

Elkton.-The innus! Community Show at Calver of the auspices of the Ninth Fatrle Aumers' Club clined voters 2,464 are men and 729 and the Calvert Grange, was held in the Cecil Coanty Agriculture High vote in the district is 35,881. 23,827 School Building Saturday. The at-tendance was large and the exhibits the most numerous since the shows were inaugurated.

Baltimore.-Except for an increase of 21 cases of whooping-cough Ralti-more's health situation was highly 9,135 Democratic women, a total c. satisfactory during the last week ac-11,436 and Republican women 7,455, a cording to a report to Mayor Broening from Assistant Health Commis sioner J. Frederick Hempel. Deaths for the week totaled 193, or 17 less than for the corresponding week last in the district is 48,380. Of these on the books, 25,137 are white men, 12,-769 white women, 5,602 colored men

Cumberland.—The registration during the sittings covering three days in Allegany county resulted in the enrollment of \$13 new voters. Of this number 470 Millated as Republicans and 321 Democrats. Democrats who have studied the situation say the Republican majority in Allegany in November will be materially reduced.

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Universities at Johns Hopkins Uni- game, played in Annapolis Saturday. versity on November 9, 10 and 11. Navy scored a touchdown and place-Announcement of the convention was ment goal in the first quarter and another touchdown in the second Details of the program have not yet | Period. Although Navy falled to count in the latter bulf, the Annapolitans outplayed the Georgians and missed two other scores only by the narrow

> est margin Rockville.-Chief of Police Charles T. Cooley led a raid on a house on the Rockville-Georgetown pike, four miles below Rockville, Thursday night. Montgemery county and Federal officers found there, they say, 25 pints of whisky, which they confiscated, and placed under arrest Maurice Davis, Charles Mangum and Hugh Lawlor. The three men were brought to Rockville, where they furnished bond of \$1,000 each for their appearance in the Police Court here on charges of having liquor in their possession with the intention of sell

Salisbury .- The City Council is sounding the public on the question of purchase by the city of control of the water system in Salisbury, now under the ownership of a private concern. Increased facilities are necessary to meet the demands of the fire underwriters. The city would first need authority to float a bond issue in order to purchase the present plant. which would mean a delay of more than two years, it was pointed out Should additional mains be laid by the Salisbury Water Company at the expense of that firm, an increase in rates charged the consumers would be

was totally destro; d by fire. It is Salisbury .- The Ritchie-Bruce-Goldsborough combination held forth at a soft coal. The building, which was well-attended Democratic mass-meetthree stories and basement constructing in the theatre here Saturday eve ed of brick, was built in 1911 by the ning. Besides the Governor, the senatorial candidate and the candidate for re-election from the First Congres man of the committee having in sional District, Robert E. Lee, chaircharge its erection. The cost of the man of the State Industrial Accident building was about \$20,000. At the Commission and star platform pertime the blaze started there were no former, and Miss Margaret Koenig, of classes in session but about 20 stu- Baltimore, added their flow of oratory dents were in the apartment on the to the evening's proceedings and were third floor, used as a dormitory and well received. Alexander M. Jackson, recitation room. All escaped but lost one of the Democratic congressional all their wearing apparel and personal | candidates in the First District, in the recent primaries presided. A cousid-Annapolis.-After the prosecution erable number of Republicans were in finished presenting the testimony of the audience. When Gevernor Ritchie, its witnesses in the court-martial of who was the first speaker, launched a tentative Gubernatorial boom for Midshipman Bruce H. Robinson, Comptroller W. S. Gordy, Jr., by saycharged with hazing William H. Mc-Gregor of the fourth class, the acing that it seemed to be traditional used midshipman went on the stand | for comptrollers to become governors. the audience applauded. The Governor and, admitting portions of the charges hastened to add, however, that he against him, denied that he had been hoped Mr. Gordy would be contented extreme in his requirements. He declared that he had nothing to do with | to wait for another term. The Gov ernor attacked the Republicana for the last stunt, the "asymptote," which taking the burdens of Federal taxation from the shoulders of the rich complete physical collapse and his

Germs Occupy Little Space, Millions of germs can exist in a frep of water without even crowding.

and placing them via the tariff upon

the shoulders of the poor.

# WHY=

Some Men Prove Su

st cooks partly because he alo

best cooks partly because he allocarly believes that they are and partly to oppose any possible feeling on the part of his friends that he is womanish in littly to cook.

Men who themselves kass nothing of not one solding nontines incline to this belief—that hen are the best to this belief—that hen are the best cooks, This, they say, have more neute and more sensitive taste. The greatest murmets are al-ways men, and one has to be some-thing of a gournet to be a really first-

Here is the opinion of an English writer, George R. Sims, on the subject, and it is as good an explanation as

Can women-I am writing of profes-sional cooks-because no man goes in for cooking as a career unless he is really interested in the art and has a taste for it, whereas thou and a few wom-en take it up because the la more oney to be errned by a good plain cook than there is by gold into domestic service as a scrubber of doors, a Custer of furniture or a hand er around of dishes,"

This really is an explanight be applied to the unman cook as well as to sional. He is a care blrd-fis care bird as the professional Popular prejudice is some A man bas far f nities to work up skill in does a girl was is offere ons in school and is ofter service at home. So the i me obstacles and skill as a cook must be us

MADE FEBRUARY T Why That Fronth Has

ternated regularly, one with 30, the next with 31 days. Now, Caesar's first name, Jalius, had been given to the seventh month, and

when the Emperor Augustus decided up his mind that certainly it should have no fewer days than July, which vas Caesar's, Consequently, they cut another day off February in order to give Augustus

his 31 and then arranged the sequence of strong and weak months after August; otherwise there would have been three successive months-July, August and September-each with 31 days. This is an explanation given by an Italian review, without documentary Why Acadian French Were Removed

A few days ago a chapel, a memorial to the French settlers of Acadia, who were expelled from the land of Evangeline by the British in 1755, was dedi-

ented at Grand Pre, N. S. In 1621 Acadia was granted to Sir William Alexander, who named It Nova Scotia. In 1755, because of their persistent refusal to take the British onths of allegiance, the Acadiac

French were removed. Evangeline, a tale of Acadia, is said to be based upon a true story, which traveled from Canada to New England by word of mouth, and is the subject of a famous poem by Longfellow, pub lished in 1847. It is the story of two innocent lovers who were banished from Acadla with the rest of the French, and became separated, but who remained faithful till death. The poem founded a rational leg wl which has kept alive the memory of an episode that would have otherwise been forgotten.

How New York Get Its Spine. The steel that rade New York a city in the sky was arought in my own time. My father and his sons helped middle the iron that has braced this city's rising towers. A town that crawled, now stands erect. And we those backs were bent above the puddling hearths know bow !! got its spine. A mossy town of wood and stone changed in my generation to a towering city of glass and steel. "All of which"—I can say in the words of the poet-"I saw and part of which I war."-From "The Iron Puddler," by James J. Davis.

How Sha Would Get Even, Hub (after the spat) -- I suppose you re going home to your mother's.

Wife-No. I'm not. I'm going to the most expendee here! I can find and have them sold you the bill,-Boston Transcript.

How Chinese Regard Oirt Bables. idered in many parts of China tha a father, if asked the number of his children, will probably leave out the girls in his reckoning.

Many lake is in British Empire. There are not then 10,000 Islands

HAS MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

city with model government and law-upholding citizens. A new mayor is elected every Saturday night and names his cabinet upon his inaugura-tion. Besides the mayor, there are in tion. Besides the mayor, there are in this well-ergunized community a city cierk, a camp position, head of the department of streets and bighways, a department of streets and bighways, a department of public health, hureaus of supplies, of city transit, of recreation, wharves, docks and terries, city property, lighting, public welfare, harbor police, city police, fire department, chief of police a communisary department and a city treasurer. The work of regulating the various a tivities and cultes of the camp is a vivities and cultes of the camp is a reacted out by boy officials. Each troop has its own camp. Twice a week there is a general central camp week there is a general central cam fire and once a week in the woods council ring.

In the first-ald department the boys under the supervision of two camp doctors, are trained to handle all first-

ald cases. There is never a minute of idlenes at camp. Every moment is planned and crowded with work and play, "c impracteristic combination in boy scout education."

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"Hundreds of boy scouts of the Philadelphia district will find during the next few months of this ideal camping site on the Delaware river a treasure more enduring more delightful and more precious them all of the loof of pirates—a treasure of health, hannings and the bay of text below ss and the by of just be'n

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mation to pedestrians, rendering first aid to injured, restoring lost children to their parents, warning autoists of dangerous passings, picking up punc-ture-provoking articles from the

GOOD TURN APPRECIATED

Scout Executive Pyer T. Jones of South Orange, N. J., is in receipt of the following letter of appreciation of a good turn: "During the storm Sunday, June 11, a large bickory tree on my premises was blown down by the wind, breaking two other trees in its fall and entirely blocking the side walk and most of the rondway in front of my home. In response to a call by the village authorities, Troop No. 11, boy scouts came to my home and in-side of 30 minutes, they chopped the tree in five or six lengths, lopped off the branches and stored aff of the debris on the lawn, entirely out of the way of traffic of all kinds. As this tree was between 60 and 70 feet high and measured about 18 inches in diameter it seems to me that the acspeedy manner is a meritoriou achievement and worthy of being called to your attention. I certainly appreciate the work of Troop 11 under their leader, Mr. Morrison, and through you I wish to express my hearty thanks for beir sincerely earn-est work in time of emergency.—John

GIVE TOURISTS INFORMATION

"Things You Ought to Know About tacine, the Belle City of the Lakes-Distributed by Couriesy of the Boy Scouts"- so reads the little page of a older which is being handed all autoists inquiring at the two information ooths recently exected by the Racine taken charge of by boy scouts. The cirenior includes a map of roptes to neighboring cities and to local points

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Mother (quality neighbor) clever aughter to sink child who say failed meaning a head ramination 1 off link no you can be so topid, Kathleen. Why, look at little Membrania, ben't you seem to-to-forget that Mememarjoric Daniels has c-clever p-p-parents,"-Lon-

don Tit-Bits. Timber Uninjured by Fire. Investigations made by the United States forest products inboratory indifre-killed trees is just as good for any structural purpose as that cut from the wood has not been subsequently in jured by decay or further insect at-

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

President Harding has sounded an appeal to the nation for help to the Smyrna victims and other sufferers from the Turks, that has been taken up by the newspapers of the state and will certainly appeal to the heart of Maryland, says Harold F. Pellegrin, state director, Near East Relief.

The state newspapers are not only publishing accounts from unbiased writers that tell of the awful conditions in the Near East but are making appeals through their columns to the people to give, says Mr. Pellegrin. And it is not only the newspapers that are belping wonderfully but the big magazines are doing spiendid work, the latest action being full page appeals on Oct. 21, in metropolitan papers all over the country, made by the Literary Digest which paid every cent of the cost of the appeal. In this appeal the call to action is summarized thus:

"Driven from their homes, by fire and sword beaten, trampled, robbed-more than half a million men, women and little children are being swept along to starvation, madness, and self-destruction in the Near East.

"Herded in the streets like cattle for the slaughter; huddled on the brink of the rea, and casting themselves, crazed by hunger and fear, in the dark waters; dragged from the burning hell of Smyrna, only to he thrust by their rescuers into the slower bell of Mitylene and Salonika, and other "havens" of retu\_e which are now crowde I centers of starvatree and breeding grounds of pestilence, they have only one hope of salvation from the nightmare of crucifixion. That hope is YOU-Americans.'

What, says State Director Pellegrin, will avail the aid of the newspapers, of the magazines, what avails the call of the President, unless you, reader, respond to this agonizing cry for help. Answer now, send a check to John E. Baisseau state treasurer, Near East Relief, 14 W. Franklin St., Baltimore, Md He gives twice who gives speedily, says the Greek Patriarch at Constantinople, quoting a Greek proverb in an appeal by him

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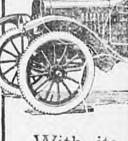
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ter I see boys cocupying se women and older men Now I can't understand have known so man quite accustom myself to n kind. Yet for a strong young boy to remain in a se an elderly man or a woman right alongside or in front of well, it isn't courteous is i

I have many pictures bel nov of young gentlemen, I or sixteen years old, win touch their hats when they older person on the street, w when an older person e tors where they are seated, an never retain a seat when a person is without a seat. T these things so naturally that don't have to stop to think o it comes right up as the nex

Does anyone think that manly or weak? Don't yourself. True courtesy at gentlemanly behavior have been the habits of the b'g, men of the world. Nobody be particularly surprised if sy" boy lacked courtesy thoughtfulness of others. more could one expect? manly boy, a Joy who is and clean in body and mine who is courageous-why, o naturally expects him to ris yield his seat on a car to his er or to someone else's, mot sister. For him to fait is to be thought of.

Courtesy to girls and wom ways has been considered the of a gentleman and always so considered. The crowded cars, with men and women ing and swinging on the stray with people of every kind and hurrying back and forthwhat a place to have a stand if it's possible to avoid

I know that many men this courtesy; but that isn' I'm talking about. That excuse a boy, does it? W! men do, need concern us only it is right; then we can afford as they do. But to be le courteous to a woman just some man is less than co isn't a good argument, la it?

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It should be

noted that the

from the curse on the Lerpent

We have no doubt of the presence of

the literal serpent on this occasion.

But certainly this creature was "pos-

sessed" by the same diabolic intelli-

gence which later animated the swine, in the time of Christ (Matt. 8:30, 31).

Picture of the Tempter.

The serpent was an appropriate in-

strument for Satan's use in the temp-

tation. Dean Starley remarks: "The

towering pride of the serpent's crected

head, and the beauty of its glittering skin, the subtle fascination in the fixed

and steadfast gaze of its unshaded eye,

ments, the malignant venom of its

polson, and the undisguised shameless-

ness of its natural lusts, the low and

grovelling descent into the dust of the earth, are indeed fit emblems of almost

every form of the darker side of hu-

The address to the serpent re ers to two seeds. Certainly there is some-

thing deeper here than the enmity

which exists between men and snakes.

The seed of the serpent must mean

the generations of evil men, culminat-

ing in the Antichrist (Matt. 23:93n 1

Jno. 3:10). The seed of the woman must mean the righteous, especially

Christ (Gal. 3:16; 4:4; Heb. 2:14; I Jno. 3-8). From the beginning there has been enmity between these two seeds

(I Jno. 3:12). It has been well said,

regarding our text, that "we have here the sum of the whole matter, and the

rest of the Bible does but explain the nature of this struggle, the persons

who wage it, and the manner and con-

Again, in this verse, written in the first pages of the Bible, there are set

before us been the first and second advents of our ford. The serpent is told he will bruise the heel of the woman's seed. We are badde to think at of a fit he are in a filling was wounded unto depth on Calent

another bruising which is mentioned, when the Seed of the woman shall bruise the serpent's head. True, Christ

anticipated His final victory when He

overcame the Adversary in the wilder-

ness and at His resurrection (Col.

2:15). But His victory is not yet complete, and will not be until the dawn

of the happy millennial day, when Sa-

tan will be bound for a thousand years,

to be finally cast into the lake of fire.

Notice, that while it was Carist's heel

which was wounded, it is Satan's head

which is to be bruised, and the head is

Huxley's De Mir.

How thrilling that, embedded in the

very account of the entrance of sin into

the world, thousands of years ago, is

the prophecy of Christ's final victory

over it, which still awaits fulfillment.

There is much pessimism abroad today. Huxley said: "The theory of evolu-

tion encourages no millennial expectations. If, for millions of years, our

globe has taken the upward road, yet,

sometime, the summit will be reached, and the dewnward route will be com-

menced." But, with this promise of

God before us, we can say with Luther: "Here arises the Sun of Concolation."

this wonderful Scripture a suggestion

of the virgin birth of Christ. How

ment that the Redeemer is to be the

In closing, we would again point out

that this "first announcement of the

gospel," of the good news, is presented in an announcement of warfare and of

final judgment on Satan. It reminds

us that, while the book of Revelation

closes with glorious visions of the new

heaven and earth, these are preceded

by scenes of judgment, in which the

plagues of Egypt are repeated, only intensified, and men gnaw their very

tongues for pain. God is long-suffer-

ing, but the day of Christ's wrath must come, if the serpent's seed are to be destroyed and the meek are to in-

herit the earth. God's very purposes

of good require the judgment which is

How we rejoice in Him who is the

Deliverer from the wrath to come (I Thess. 1:10). Just as God provided

conts of skins for our sinful first

"Jesus, thy blood and righteousness My beauty are, my glorious dress; 'Midst flaming worlds, in these arrayed, With joy shall I lift up my head,"

All Things Good and Useful. There is not one grain in the uni-

verse, either too much or too little;

nothing is to be added, nothing to be

spared; not so much as any one par-ticle of it, that mankind may not be

either the better or the worse of it,

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parents, so we may sing:

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Yes, I har it's growing At least the yourself — Eugene C. Fuster, at country. In cor after car that I enter I ses boys compying seats, and women and older men standing
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The day of vengeance will bring soryoung boy to remain in a seat while well, it isn't courteous is i?

I have many pictures before me nov of young gentlemen, fourteen or sixteen years old, who always touch their hats when they mest an sand arguments," declared Glad older person on the street, wto rice stone. It is only because argument where they are scated, and who that we usually try it instead. A these things so naturally that they the lack of it in our example. But to do

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ways has been considered the mark may begin in poln, but it ends in of a gentieman and always will be power, as all true givers learn." so considered. The crowded street cars, with men and women standing and swinging on the straps, and with people of every kind jostling and hurrying back and forth-why, what a place to have a woman stand if it's possible to avoid it!

I know that many men fail in this courtesy; but that isn't what I'm talking about. That doesn't SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. excuse a boy, does it? What the men do, need concern us only when it is right; then we can efford to do Souvenir Post Cards as they do. But to be less than courteous to a woman just because some man is less than courteous, isn't a good argument, is it?

" you cultiva'e the habit of treat ing every woman respectfully and

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here in my li'etime, that I can't almosthalf a century and has constantly row to many, but they shall be comquite accustom myse f to n oher grown in favor and popularity as its forted when they shall see the Estag Yet for a strong, retive good qualities became better known, on the throne. It is the standard and main reliance for these diseases in thousands of homes. an elderly man or a woman stands The facts that it can always be dependright alongside or in front of him- ed upon and is safe and pleasant to take are greatly in its favor when it is wanted for children.

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GOLDEN TEXT-Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any, people.—Lrov. 14:34.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Mart. 7:15-20; Rom. 14:13.
PRIMART TOPIC—How Four Boys Became Healthy and Happy.—Dan. 1:3-20.
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INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC

The Next 812p in the Prohibition Campaign.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
—Progress of Prohibition Throughout the
World.

T'is lesson committee has gratul totaly named this lesson "World-wide "rohibition." Neither the text nor the context, directly or implied, says any-hing about prohibition as we understand the use of the word. However, when Messiah shall reign upon the earth the rum traffic with all other iniquitous practices will be abolished.

1. Messiah's Commission (v. 1). He was appointed by the Lord. God's plan for the world is a time of peace and blessing.

ili. Messiah's Program (vv. 1, 2). Messiah's program is twofold: to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of vengeance of our God." The careful reading of Luke 4:18-21 will show that Jesus suspended reading of this passage at the comma, in Isalah 61:2. His first coming opened up the day of "grace and the acceptable year of the Lord," and His second coming will usher in "the day of vengeance of our God." (Il Thess. 1:7-10; cf. Mal. 3:1-3).

1. Proclaiming the Acceptable Year of the Lord (vv. 1, 2). In His ministry of grace He preached (1) "good tid-ings to the meek." "Meek" here means not only a grace, but a condi-tion, that is, those in poverty and affliction. (2) "Bind up the broken-hearted." "Bind up" signifies heating. (3) "Liberty to the captives." The figure of deliverance from the Baby-lonian captivity is used to describe deliverance from sin and death (Heb. 2:15). (4) "Opening of the prison to their that are bount." Messiah's work was to give deliverance to those who were enslaved by the consequences of their sins. (5) "The acceptable year of the Lord." This means a space of time in which God would accept all who repert of their

sins and come to Him.
2. Proclaiming the day of rengeance of God (v. 2). While the day of mercy of God (v. 2). While the day of mercy is lengthened out, the time of judgment will surely come. The day of vengeance will break upon the world when the Land will break upon the world of mercy is called "year," while the period of vengeance is called "day," showing that the period of mercy is much longer than the period of wrath.

ashes" (v. 3). This peculiarly applies to Israel.

3. "Oil of Joy for Mourning" (v. 3). Israel has been mourning for cen-turies. When the Messiah shall reign as King they shall be glad. 4. "Garment of Praise for the Soirit"

of Heaviness" (v. 3). Instead of wearing the symbol of the burden of sin they shall be clothed so as to indicate their joyfulness. 5. "Called Trees of Righteousness"

(v. 3). These trees represent Israel as planted by God and bearing fruit, not as reeds bowed down with sor-

6. "They Shall Bulld the Old Wastes" (v. 4). Israel shall return to their own land and shall rebuild the city of Jerusalem and the cities of Jydah which lie waste.

7. "Strangers Shall Stand and Feed Your Flocks" (v. 5). In the time of the kingdom the Gentiles shall render voluntary service unto Israel so that Israel may devote her whole time to the service of God.

"Ye Shall Be Named the Priests of the Lord" (v. 6). God chose Israel shall we otherwise explain the stateto be the priestly nation to represent Seed of the woman, but nothing is said of His being the Seed of the man? Him to the Gentiles.

9. "For Your Shame Ye Shall Have Double" (v 7). Instead of the shame and confusion witch Israel has experienced for centuries she shall have double honor and rejolding.

10. "I Will Direct Their Work, and Make a Covenant With Them" (vv. 8. 9). God will vindicate His people and cause the Gentiles to see the divine favor upon them.

False Prophets. Believe not every spirit but try the spirits if they be of God, because many false prophets are gone out into the world .- John 4:1.

Unjust Things. He that speaketh unjust things annot be hid, neither shall ti chastising judgment pass him by.—Book of Wisdom, 1:8.

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New Light on Biblical Lore. A ludicrous distortion of scripture ccurred not long ago in an English school when a small pupil wrote of the Pharisecs: "The Fareses were a mean, measly lot. One day one of them gave our Lord a penny and our looked at it with scorn and said, 'Whose subscription is this?' "-Bos-

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John Meets an Old

By CAROLINE H. WILSON

Friend

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"Bob and I are going on the yacht club cruise, Halliwell; better come with us." remarked John Murray to his friend, pushing back his chair and lighting a elgarette. Halliwell threw his eards into the

center of the table.

'No, thank you, Murray. I must get back to the office. Your eternal good times would be the death of me. Have to think of the wife, you know. I'll take my pleasure at the other end of

"Eternal good times!" thought Murrey, as he walked down the street, "I haven't had many good times lately. Business is rotten. And Laura is cold as ice, although I could have staked my life that Laura would have stuck if I had earned only a day laborer's pay. Well, perhaps I had better give up the cruise and go back to the office. There are several important letters that ought to go out on the next mail," Halliwell's remark still rankled.

He was walking down the avenue when, one block away from his office, he met his wife's old school friend, Coralle Winter.

"Why, how do you do, John," she exclaimed, holding out her hand. "Had lunch yet?" and without giving him time to answer, added, "I am 'most

John hesitated the fraction of a moment, then gave up all thoughts of

office work. "Where shall we lunch today?" she asked, coolly, letting a casual passer-by gather the impression that they had been in the habit of meeting. John colored and looked after the man just as he, by some mental telepathy, turned and looked John over from

hend to foot. "I don't care," exclaimed he, morosely, "Anywhere you please."

"A corner of the English ten room would suit me all right. I think a good lobster Newburg would please me down to the ground.'

Murray groaned inwardly, and tried to visualize the state of his pocketbook. They found a secluded corner ralle is an old friend of Laura's."



"There'll Be Plenty of Room."

at the far end of the room, where John soon recovered his usual good spirits. He was laughing heartily at some wittleism of Coralie when she happened to remark; "Oh, I'd love to go as far as the yacht club with

"Would you? Well, be a good sport and come with me. There'll be plenty of room. I'm going to motor down with my luggage this afternoon and let the chauffeur bring back the mathine. Dare you! You'll have an aw-

"Take your dare, I'm going to teledione and then I'll be with you in a

Murray tipped the walter with the last change he had in his pocket, and rose to follow after Coralle. Just as he leaned to pick up his fallen handkerchief, he was stunned to hear his wife talking to a woman friend behind him.

"Well, what of it?" asked John of himself, bristling in self defense. "Co-

nembering that his wife bad asked for the use of the automobile that afternoon to go suppling. Also, that she had not been at all well lately.

"I've half a notion to turn back and get her to go with us. But she thinks I'm busy at the office, and goodness knows I ought to be. No. it's better not to spenk, but I wish I had not met Coralie."

He burriedly left the room and hunded up a telephone booth. He took out

his watch. "Three o'clock. By George! There's that note to Menrs & Bornright, Gene to protest! I menut to no to the bank this afternoon. Henry it all! If I hadn't met Coratie it werld all have been attended to. Come to think of it, though, I baven't got the \$500 in the safe. Well, a short life and a werry one for me," he laughed. Then he Joined Coralle on the sidewalk just as his chauffeur rounded the corner, He

dismissed the man for the day. Weaving his way through the crowded traffic took all his mind, so that he had little time to think of his

"Teach me to drivet" suddenly begged Coraffe. Murray was dismayed. He disliked

anyone but his chauffeur to touch the "Well, we'll have to get on a long stretch of road, no city streets for a novice," and he turned outo the coun-

"It's a wonderful day, John, too nice to spend in a poky office. I believe in taking a good time as one goes along. I was to meet a friend at three and buy some appropriate music for the church, but I should worry!" She laughed, lightly. John remembered that the keeping of an appointment

"Thank the heaven Cornlie is not my wife," he thought. "Still, if the little minx is fond of me how can I snub her?" he rensoned. As Coralle laughed she put one hand on his arm familiarly, turned, and

was a life and death matter with his

wife.

smiled up into his face, Crash! Hours afterward when Murray came to himself he found bimself in a hospital cot. "The woman?" he inquired of the

nurse, anxiously. "Don't worry. You ran into nebody. Of course, your nerves are terribly shaken, but it might have been worse." "Can it be possible that Coralia was unhurt?" he thought. "If so, con the marked advance and has won thousands of converts to approved methods

the problem. cretly at the door for Coralic. Her silence plaued him. Then one afternoon his friend, Harold Grinnell, came to sit with him. "Wish me good luck, John, I am ngaged to Coralie Winter."

A long pause, then Murray murnured faintly, "Since when?" "Oh, for the last slx months, Coralle

vanted to keep it secret." Another long pause, during which Grinnell considered calling the nurse. "I hope to be carried home in the

mbulance tomorrow," John said, to

"Tomorrow! Why, I don't under-stand it. You certainly are not going home to an empty house? You must futher's Inst week!"

"So she did, to make a little visit. Well, my poor head troubles my yet," and Murray closed his eyes. Grinnell, thinking him asteep, stole out of the

"I do not blame the little girl, She is tired of the whole mess. Of course, she won't come back. I've done some thinking while I was abed here. Halliwell was right."

Murray closed his eyes again, wear fly, "Wish I were dead," he thought.
"But before I go I'd like to confess
to the little girl. I don't blame her for being cold. I have been a skunk. She's told her father everything, of course Small patience the old man will have with such a story as she could tell

Un rensciously be spoke aloud. He lay there with eyes closed, and the nurse, peopleg in at the door, reperted to the Interne: "Steeping com-

fortably." Murray smiled, bitterly, "Shall I ver sleep again?" he thought. "This dull ache is more exquisite agony than any physical suffering caused by the occident. I'll have to give Laura up, of course. Her father isn't the man to give me a second trial."

A soft arm stole across his chest, and a long kiss warmed his lips, John bardly breathed for fear the joy would fade into a dream.

"John, do you know me?". "My wife! But I want to confess "Never mind," she soothed. "I've

known about Coralle all along, but surely we are not going to let a silly doll coice between us, after all these

"Tis only heaven that is given away," murmured John, closing his eyes in his first peaceful sleep, while Laura knelt byside bin.

New One to Her, Fastidious grammarians driven out of colleges and publishing offices appear to be taking refuge in the courts. Recently an actress was brought before a city magistrate for recklessly speeding in her automobile, and was asked by him what she was trying to do. She confessed with a smar. A was just trying to seriously split the air." The judicial retort was: "Well, if you did it is well as good split the

leace it with the cours." The semi-what dazed foly pant her fine, but con-fided to her clends that she would not know what an infinitive was if one leaped into her car.

Filling Cracks in Furniture. Unsightly cracks in furniture may he filled in with beeswax. First soften the wax until it is of the consistency of putty, then press it firmly and othly into the cracks with a thin steel knife. Sandpaper over the surrounding wood and work the dust into the beeswax. This gives a wood finish ir color, and when the furniture is complehed the cracks will have disappeared.

Beeswax is better than putty, for utty soon dries, crumbles and falls out, while the wax will remain for an indefinite bength of time without

# **RED CROSS WINNING** IN FIGHT FOR HEALTH

Batter, Stronger Citizenry Now Emerging Out of Work in United States.

evangelist of better health has looked is problem square in the face. How t accepted the task revealed to it in the nation's physical condition as brought out during the World War, and conscientiously applied its activities to correction forms a vivid chapter in the forthcoming annual report. Historically and practically, nursing is a basic work for the Red Cross. In Its public health nursing service, in instruction in home hygiene and care of the sick, nutrition classes, first aid of lettuce shredded, two sliced onlons, and life saving courses and health centers, the American Red Cross is upplying effectually the lessons learned. during the war and making for a healthler, stronger and better nour-

ished citizenry. The task of the Red Cross Public Health nurse in the 1,240 nursing services now operating throughout the country instructing their communities ful of white flour, two cupfuls of in health essentials and disease prevention is demonstrating the possibilities of human betterment and the great

senefits of enlightenment. During the last year 313 new public health nursing services were establish ed by Red Cross Chapters, and several hundred services so convincingly proved their effectiveness that they were taken over by public authorities. In order to promote this work \$30,000 was allotted to provide women to prepare themselves for public nursing. The home visits made by the 1,240 nurses aggregated nearly 1,500,000, visits to schools numbered 140,000, and in six months 1,250,000 school children were inspected by these nurses and where defects were found advised examination by physicians. In rural commu nities this service has made a yery

of disease prevention In home hygiene and care of the sick instruction, which fits the student in methods of proper care where illness is not so serious as to require professional service, the Red Cross conducted 3,884 classes during the last year, enrolled 2,356 Instructors, 93,448 stu-

denis and issued 42,656 certificates. On June 20, 1922, nutrition service embraced 1,199 classes, with a total of 27,523 children and 2,589 enrolled dietitlans. Seventy-eight food selection classes graduated 733 who received Red Cross certificates. In general health activities Red Cross Chapters maintained 377 health centers, serving as many communities, provided 38,751 health lectures for large nudlences ev erywhere, while clinics numbered over 10,000.

# Red Cross Gains Strength in All Foreign Fields

In insular possessions of the United States and in foreign lands the Amerian Red Cross scored heavy galus dur ing the last year, passing the pre-vious membership high mark of 1918 y 4,201 and advancing the figure to by 4,201 and advancing the lights to 156,208. The Philippines take the bend, gaining nearly 100 for cent, now laving 145,317 members. In Europe the 1921 Roll Call enrolled 11,125, with the Constantinople Chapter re-porting 605, a goin of 37 members. Chira was 1,782 members, a gain of 36; the little Virgin Islands have 1,000, while the Dominican Republic aith 2,927 advanced from its previous igh mark by 1,423 new members. Halti, organized in 1929, now has nearly 1,000 enrolled. Mexico reports 354, a gain of 327 in one year. The American Red Cross has spread its membership over some 76 foreign ands and its Junior membership out-

# Red Cross Water First Aid Makes Life-Saving Gain

More than 325 Chapters engaged in lie mying or water first ald last year eith the result that the American Red Cross Life Saving Corps has set a new high mark for enrollment and the number of qualified life savers de-veloped. The influence of "learn to swim week" in many localities is retheing the water fatalities through in-struction and the wider dissemination of resuscitation methods demonstrated by the Red Cross representatives, Excellent work has been done in teaching a large part of the American popula ion how to take core of itself in the water. Growing a preclation for this Red Cross by Harding Service is shown by the commissiony instruction adopted in many cities for members of

Help to Holp Others You can't "goo offi it bucts"-to



The sid moon ites in the new moon's arms the givest of a bubble in a saucer of gold; the white slopes shimmer in the pallid glow; the shadowed mountain shoulders its forest up to meet the evening star. Low in the east Orion steps with lifted foot into the game fields of the sky.—Walter P. Eaton.

GOOD, ECONOMICAL DISHES



Brown well in a fittle tried-out suct, place in the The American Red Cross as an casserole with enough bot water, meat or vegetable stock to cover. Cover closely and simmer until tender. At the end of that time add six small onlons, a few carrots sliced and enough small potatoes to serve the family; continue cooking until the vegetables are tender. Thicken the gravy and serve from the casserole or arrange on a platter.

China Chile,-Take two pounds of the neck of lamb, cut into small pieces, Soak one cupful of dried beans over salt and pepper to season and two cupfuls of boiling water. Simmer until the ment is tender-about three

Graham Bread .- Take one-third of cupful of sugar, one-fourth of a cupful of fat melted, mix and add one and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, one-half teaspoonful of salt and three-fourths of a teaspoonful of soda, one-half cupgraham flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat well and bake-in a well-greased bread pan for fifty min-

Bran Bread.-Mix two cupfuls each of bran and white flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, five teaspoonfuls of baking powder, four tablespoonfuls of sugar and one-half cupful of raisins. Steam In a covered coffee can for three hours. Plain Meringues,-Beat four egg whites until dry, add one and one-half

cupfuls of granulated sugar very slowly. Cover a board with writing paper and drop the meringues upon this in any desired form. Sprinkle with fine-ly shredded almonds and bake in a ery slow oven for forty-five minutes,



FEEDING PIGEONS IN LOFTS

Stated Hours for Placing Grain Supply in Troughs.

Self-feeding hoppers are seldom found nowadays in the lofts of veteran pigeon breeders. Their argument is that they have not found it profitable to have several days' supply of grain within reach so the birds may help themselves at will. There are two reasons for this: First, inferior squabs are iniged in lofts where feed is constantly before the birds, as there is no regularity among the breeding pigeons in feeding their young; second, this continual picking at the grain eventually leads to poor appetites, resulting in the squabs stiffer-

Another disadvantage in having feed lying around, is that it attracts mice and even rats, and when once these enemies get in a loft there is

great loss of young birds. The most popular method for feeding is to have stated hours for placing the grain in the troughs. These



Loose Grain in Pigeon Lofts Attracts

troughs are placed in the center of the floor, so that there will be plenty of room for all the birds to gather around it. Galvanized fron drinking vessels are preferred to stone foun

There are three open boxes in each loft, measuring 12 inches in length, three inches in width, and three inches in depth, and these boxes contain oyster-shell, grit and charcoal. A bathtub is placed in the aviary of

each pen. These are made of galvan ized fron and of convenient size for handling. During the winter the birds are given a bath about once a week, but only on bright clear days. In summer it may be given twice a week. These pans are filled about observed of lock in the meaning and all

upside down. If the water is not emp thei shortly after the birds are through bathing, they may drink of it

LIME OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Production and Development of Young Chicks.

Provision for an adequate supply lime in the ration should be madby poultry raisers, for if this important mineral element is lacking in the food a drain is made on the reserve supply in the bones and soft tissues of the animals which interferes matertally with egg production in ma ture hens and in the proper development of the growing chicks.

BIG VALUE OF ANIMAL FEED Experiments Made at Purdue Univers

Ity Showed Great Increase in Egg Production. Animal feeds have a decided value in the ration of laying hens and pullets. Experiments made by the Purdue University showed an average egg record of 140.2 eggs in a year from a pen of pullets fed skim milk; 185.9

eggs from those fed meat scrap; and

51.2 eggs from those that received no

animal feed of any kind.

If your chicks are not doing well omething is wrong. Look out for tice and for worms in the intestines.

All cockerels that are not to be used as breeders should be marketed as soon as they weigh about two pounds. A two-pound bird will sell for as

much now as a four-pound bird two months later. The sex of geese is best distinguished by size and voice. Ganders are somewhat heavier and have harsh-

er voices. It is the ganders that hiss when they are attacked or annoyed. Sweet milk in abundance is highly desirable. Milk-fed fowls usually bring a premium on the markets and

have a better flavor than those fed on fattening rations meistened with wa-

Huge Jellyfish.

A jellyfish of beautiful, translucent blue, weighing close of 60 pounds, was washed ashore on the south of Engwashed ashore on the south of England coast recently. The creature has given odd-looking pink-hued tentacles protruding below the body of it and had two orinces resembling gills to breathe through. Some of us have vivid recollections of being stung badly by small ones and tremble to think what such a his follow as this could what such a big fellow as this could

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ALMOST PUT HIS FOOT IN 17

Visitor in Small Town Found He Had to Be Exceptionally Careful About Offending In-Laws.

There is a town in the Southwest where the families have intermarried to such an extent that it is difficult for an outsider to make the least criticism of one person without the canger of offending some family connection. When an unfortunate visitor commented on this fact to Mr. Jones, the postmaster, Mr. Jones nodded.

"Bill Perkins-that's our sheriffcomplained of that no longer ago than

last week," said he, according to the Philadelphia Ledger. "You see, it took him more'n a week to arrest Frank because Frank got wind that he was wasted on a little matter of sellin' moonshine, and he went on a round of visits amongst his relatives, aunts, nephews-in-law and I don't know what all, and it wasn't till he had had his fill and went back home to his wife that Bill could make the arrest without seeming to kind of butt in, as you might say, and spoil the

"I should think he would make a strange sort of sheriff," said the visitor, "walting all the time for sentimental reasons and then arresting a man when he went home, just because his wife wasn't a relation!" Whereupon the postmaster drew

himself up and assumed a remote expression. "That's as you look at it," he said in a chilly tone, "I may be a bit prejudiced in Bill's favor, as he married my son-in-law's youngest sister. Anything that concerns him concerns

me, you understand," FRAGRANCE ON PRISON A 3

Electric Perfumer in Cloveland County Jail Arouses Mind to All Kinds of Possibilities.

Attur of roses and sweet scents of Araby! There's an electric perfumer at the county Jail. It casts all kin is of sweetness on the prison air. J'st turn the button and the Jail beens a garden of roses or fragrant with the scent of orange blossoms.

The other day the atmosphere of the jull reflected the aroma of the for est cidar. It might have been Norwa pine, sassafras, crub apple bloss but it just happened that the perfumer was charged to dispense an aroma tinged with forest cedar.

The machine has possibilities, the sheriff believes. It might be employed to awaken the prisoners each morning with scents of violets and soothe them at breakfast with odors of ham, eggs. corn fritters, grapefruit and other vlands not on the regular morning mens of coffee and butterless bread. Oh, yes, indeed, the machine has possibilities. At night it could discharge the odor of pineapple or figs or dates, and any prisoner with a good sense of smell and a strong im-

could readily go to sleep and feel that he was in Hawail. But the perfumer is in juil only on trial.—Cleveland Plain Bealer.

Meteors Fall in Sankatchewan. A giant meteor plunged into the Big Quill Jake, near Wynward, Saskatchewan. A flery body was seen by many in the district to drop from a clear by and clouds of steam rose from the ne for some time after it had sunk in the water. Other meteoric disturbances are reported from Vanscoy, Sas-katchewan, southwest of Saskatoon. People in the neighborhood heard five or six loud explosions and the earth between Vanscoy and Pike take was shaken.—Montreal Guartte.

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# Locals.

week.

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Joseph G Cropper. For Sale-One cow, one gasoling boat. J. M. Bratten.

For Sale-Glocery store; good For Sale-White Leghorn pul-

lets. W. D. Bassett, Berlin, Md. For Sale-Simmons No. 314 ccal stove. Mrs. William Holloway.

Professor and Mrs. Barton are enweek.

doors, glass 18x42 inches. F. E. Konetzka.

Everett Tyre broke his arm, late last week, while cranking the Express truck.

Wanted-Nursing at reasonable prices. Littleton Birch, Showell, Md., Route 2.

For Rent -3 up-stairs rooms unfurnished. James E. Holland, No. 15, Branch St.

For Rent-150 scre farm one Anne, and J. W. Tucker, of Berlin. mile of Berlin, W. G. Williams, Salb, ville, Del.

Jacob W. Esbam.

For Sale -One fodder-cutter and swivel carrier in good condition. Joseph G. Cropper.

Mrs. John H. Williams and Joe Hollins were among the Baltimore ning at the same hospitable home. excursionists, Sunday.

Bring your eggs to us; we pay the highest market price. American Stores Co., Berlin, M.t. Mrs. Margaret Mitcheil returned

home last week from a stay of several weeks with her daughters, in

The case of Edward Jones, which was to have been tried last Tuesday 9.30 a. m., Sunday School, E. S. at Snow Hill, has been removed to Furbush, Superintendent. Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur S. Greenlief returned home last week, after spending a few weeks pleasantly in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. George Esham, of near Ebenezer, Del., are spending the week with their son, J. H. Esh-

am, and family. Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Hol'and, and Miss Florence White, of Salisbury, were guests Monday of C. V. White

and family, of Snow Hill.

For Rent-Fine water hont farm 175 acres 21 miles Berlin, Md. Apply Geo. E. Aldrich, 18 W. 101st 9.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. St., New York City, N. Y.

We are in receipt of a 1921 year book of the United States Department of Agriculture, sent us by 3 p. m. Service at Libertytown. Congressman T. Alan Goldstorough.

All interseled in Red Cross work are requested to meet at the Community rooms on Wednesday, Nov. 1st, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

John Laws, ten-year-old son of W. J. Laws, of Ocean City, fell backward from the jetty last Sunday onto an iron pipe, which, it is believed, punctured his lung.

ingham Presbyterian Church will George Jackson, near Pittsville. meet at the home of Mrs. E. P. Downing, Wednesday evening, Nov.

Charles E. Hammond and nephew Whiton. and niece, Harvey Davis and Mrs. Charles B. Bethards, went to Mil-ford, Del., Sunday, to attend the Jones and Mrs. Ellen Sturgis, and or note on four months time with ap-functal of the former's brother, Borden Hammond.

A full attendance of the members of the Episcopal Church is requested at the morning service on Sunday next, Oct. 29th, when an address day night, aged 75, at the home of will be given on the needs of the Church as put forth by the General Philadelphia Convention and the demands made Philadelphia. on Worcester Parish. It is hoped lington, Md, for interment beside her husband, on Thursday morning. The remains were taken to Millatest official figures indicate an outscription is a small matter to you put of more than 400,000 barrels a but many such aggregate quite service.

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The Berlin Concert Band will Miss Roena Shaner pelp to make things merry for the masqueraders on Hallow'een night, Tuesday, Oct 31st

For Sale - 13 stucks of Timothy and clover bay. 160 bushe's of good, town at the same hour, and the abwheat free from onions as donts and sence of the pastor, who is holding suitable for seed, on farm near extra meetings at Libertytown, a Showeli, occupied by Mrs. R. F. goodly number of Presbyteria is and Morey.

The Woman's Club held a very pleasant meeting on Friday, Oct. 20th, with nine members present. A section of a volume on the Gov-Mrs. Hetty Tyre is quite ill this ernment of Maryland was read and topics brought to the attention of the Club by the different members.

day, to visit her friend, Miss Mary Richardson, who was critically ill. and died later that day. Dr. location Apply Berlin Advance, and Mrs. Holland carried her over, and made a tusiness trip in

> Wanted-Men and women to sell The Amazing Story Of Henry Ford." A story of success and achievement of the world's most fagiven. Write us for particulars. Southern Sales Co., Salisbury, Md. Crew Managers Wanted.

Married-At the Baptist parsonage in Princess Anne, by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Daniel, on Sunday, Oct. 22, 1922, Iry C. Kellam, of Exmore, Va , and Marie E Sterling, of Accomac, Vs. The ceremony was performe I in the presence of three friends from Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Crisco, of Princess

Rev. J. Russell Verbrycke and Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas and For Sale-Two six-room dwell- daughter, of Showell, were entertoge and twelve shoats. Apply to tained for dinner, Sunday, by Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Holland, Homer White and family, of Salisbury, Percy White and family, of Powellville, and Mrs. George S. Johnson and little daughter, of Salisbury, spent Sunday afternoon and eve-

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# Stevenson M. E. Church

.30 p. m., Preaching service, the Epworth League having charge of the first balf hour. The orchestra will play and other interesting and helpful features are expected.

7.30 p. m. Tuesday, Mid-week Prayer-meeting.

cordial invitation extended to all.

Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

Taylor, Superintendent. 0.45 a. m. Divine Worship and Sermon; subject, "God's Regervation.'

Reception of new members.

6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. There will be no Evening Service. You are cordially invited to these services.

# Miss Mary E. Richardson.

Miss Mary E. Richardson, 81 The Church Circle of the Buck- at the home of her sister, Mis.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday at 1.30 p. m , by wick and Balk 41 x 9 Billiard Table and 1st. All are cordially invited to at- the Methodist Protestant preacher Accessories, and many other articles. of Powellville, and she was laid to rest in Mt. Zion Churchyard near

Besides Mrs. Jackson, she is sur-

# Mrs. Annie E. Gerke.

Mrs. Annie E Gerke died Mon-

The remains were taken to Mil-

# Speaks in Berlin.

In spite of two other meetings in Apply to Franklin Up- Methodists gathered Wednesday evening, in the Sunday School room of the Presbyterian Church, and listened attentively to Miss Roena E. Shaner, of South-eastern Missouri, vice-president of the Missouri W. C. T. U and National Organizer, discussed, and a number of current for about an hour and a balf, as she told of the vast amount of good, that has resulted from the Eighteenth Amendment. Though that Miss Florence White, of Salisbury, amendment is not yet as well enwho spent a few days with Mrs. C. forced as it should be, it has brought A. Holland, went to Pittsville, Tues- happiness and prosperity to a most numberless homes. Men who form- Martin's, Md., on erly couldn't keep fifteen cents, now have bank accounts.

Miss Shaner spoke of the history of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of its activities along wheat binder, wheat drill, riding plow make ours a day nation.

But she said too many of us think NOW that our work is done, and we tertaining a nine-lb. boy born last mous private citten. The "Mira- can sit down and fold our hands. cle Man of the Age." \$10.00 per But the liquorites never rest-They For Sale-Wall showcase, four day in profits. Exclusive territory are eternally trying to spread sentiment in favor of modifying the Volstead Act to allow wines and beer to be sold, which, if it could be done, would certainly bring back the drink traffic with all its horrors. This is no time to rest on our oars. Our constant watchfulness and vigilance is nee led now, as much as

> She especially urged that our votes should only be cast for such men as will help to strengthen the Volstead Act; if you stand for temperance and want to vote for a man, and don't KNOW bow he stands on this most important question, make him declare himself; if he will not answer or tries to "dodge," nations of the world are looking to America for help to free them from the accursed drink traffic, and we \$1,000.00 must not fall them.

Miss Shaner, who was formerly a school-teacher, considers the training of the child of the utmost importance, and cited instances showing the results of early temperance training in after life. When it is considered that the "Child of today, is the man of tomorrow," the importance of training the child in the way he should go becomes more ap-

Miss Shaner addressed two of the schoolrooms in the afternoon.

# FOR SALE Public Auction,

Where I now reside, known as the lickman Farm, on the State road near Showell, Md., it being the first house S. N. PILCHARD, Pastor, east of the Brick Church on the opposite

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ORDERED by the Orphans' Court of Worcester County, that the sale of real estate of Sturley C. Stevens, deceased, made by Julia L. Stevens, Administratrix c. t. a. and thisday reported to this Court by the said administraministratrix c. t. a. and thisday reporttrix, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 21st day of November, 1922, provided a copy of this order be inunderstand that he is not the man serted in some newspaper published in you want to represe it you. The Worcester County at least once a week for three successive weeks before the 18th day of November, 1922.

The report of sales amounts SAMUEL E. SHOCKLEY, THOMAS J. FASSITT, EDWARD H. BOUNDS.,

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# BRIEFLY TOLD

The Latest Gleanings From All Over the State

THINGS SEEN AND HEARD ernor Ritchie announced.

Annapolis .- Sergt. L. C. Feffner, 40 years old, for several years drnm H. Frost, whom he named as a commajor of the Naval Academy Band, died at the naval hospital here following a brief illness of pneumonia. which developed from an attack of pleurisy. Surviving him are a widow and four children, who live at Home wood, near Annapolis.

Annapolis .- Major Edmund P. Duvall, a native of Annapoils, former prominent athlete at St. John's College, has been transferred to the retired list of the United States Army at his own request. With his family, he plans to go to Pinehurst, N. C., where he will devote a large part of his time to giving lessons in horse-

Hagerstown.-Five knights of Dixie Klan, Ku Klux, of this city, in regalia, entered the Salvation Army hall during services and presented the officers with \$21 for use in Christmas relief. Adjutant Bessie Humphreys had been notified that a delegation from a secret organization would visit the meeting and was told not to be frightened when they appeared.

Baltimore.-Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge accepted an invitation to open the Charity Ball to be given for the benefit of the Union Memorial Hospital at the Lyric January's. This announcement was made by Mrs. Eugene Levering general chairman of the ball committee. Other distinguished guests will include General Pershing, Governor Ritchie, Mayor Brooning and many of the diplomatic set in Wash-

Baltimore.-"Modern religion without the press would be impossible," the Rev. Robert Evans Browning, rector of the Protestant Episcopa Church of the Ascension, declared, speaking of "Pulpit and Press." Not only does the press create public opinion and establish comity and friendship among peoples and nations," he sald, "but it is responsible for the eradication of many abuses and wrongs and has been the promot

Ballinnore. -- Warning shopkeepera understood. Two additions as that 'u the fu'ure he would consider ounce boards as gambling devices, Magistrate Joseph L. Ranft, in the Northwestern Police Court, dismissed Louis Hillman, 21 years old, who keeps a store at 2421 West North avenue, upon a charge of distributing gambling devices. According to the police, Hillman has been selling the punch boards to children. It was testifled that cash prizes were given those who purched the lucky number. Further distribution of the boards will bring a heavy fine, the magistrate

Easton .- At the meeting of the council here a motion was passed that the Mayor ask for the resignation of E. G. Kastenhuber, Jr., town engineer, William Whitby, a member of the council, stated that several matters have come to the attention of the body recently leading to the determination to request the resignation. The latest, Mr. Whitby states, was the charge of \$465 made by Mr. Kastenhuber for engineering services and inspection of curb and gutter on South Aurora street and North Washington street. A few weeks ago Mr. Kastenhuber preferred charges against Mr. Whitby, asking that his license as a plumber be revoked.

Baltimore,-George E. Kieffner, Assistant United States District Attorney, who has handled most of the narcotic cases in the local Federal Court during the last two years or more, said these cases constitute from 25 to 30 per cent, of the total criminal prosecutions before Judge Rose. "I do not believe there has been any marked increase in parcotic addicts since the dry laws went into effect," said Mr. Kleffthat the use of parcotics has increased with the enforcement of the dry laws. and at the same time they say the dry laws are a failure because liquor is so easy to procure."

Baltimore. - The nomination of Judge John C. Rose was confirmed by the Senate and he may enter upon his duties as Circuit Judge of the Fourth Circuit at any time. His promotion leaves a vacancy on the dis trict bench which must be filled at an early day. Appreciating the importance of speedy action, the leaders of the local bar are concentrating their influence to insure the nomina tion of a man who is eminently qualified to fill the position. Almost every lawyer of any prominence is urgins the appointment of Judge Morris A. Soper, and the pressure exerted is so great he cannot well afford to refuse to accept if the tender is made. It understood that others who are seeking the appointment have strong political indorsements, but it is doubt ed that these will avail when the facts re squarely placed before the Presi

Would Seem Logical. If there be a paradise for virtues, here must be a hell for crimes,-

ent and the Attorney General.

# STATE CAPITAL

Fulton Health Director. Annapolis.

Dr. John S. Fulton, for many years secretary of the State Board of Health, will be the new Director of Health under the reorganization plan, Gov-

His appointment is in accordance with a recommendation made to the Governor by Dr. William H. Welch, Dr. Lewellys F. Barker and Dr. Wade Governor Ritchie told the committee he wanted to make the selection nonpolitical and would appoint the man they recommended.

Members of the committee said they had exhausted the field of possible candidates and that Dr. Fulton was the best man available for the post.

The committee also recommended with Dr. Fulton, concurring, that a younger physician be selected by the new board of health to study the principal development of public bealth work in other States and to extend the work of the Maryland department along two lines. One of these is edu-cational, that of bringing the department into closer relationship with the people. The other is a strengthening of county health organization, with as many county health officers as possible giving full time to work. The addltional member of the department, it was suggested, should be employed as an assistant to the director or in some other capacity.

Governor Ritchie said he would reappoint the present personnel of the State Board of Health. The appointive members are Dr. Welch, president; Dr. Benjamin B. Perry, Dr. William W. Ford, Dr. E. F. Kelly and Tolley A. Biays. Dr. Fulton, Dr. C. Hampson Jones and Alexander Armstrong are members ex-officio.

The Governor talked with Dr. Barker later about naming him as one of the members of the Board of Welfare Dr. Barker has not yet indicated whether he will be willing to serve.

Appointment of Dr. Arthur P. Her ring, secretary of the State Lunacy Commission, as Concaissioner of Mental Hygiene, is regarded as likely. There is said to be little likelihood of anyone being found whom the Gov ernor would regard as better qualified in this field.

Dr. Henry J. Berkley, Dr. J. Alber Chatard, Dr. Hugh H. Young and Dr George H. Hocking, new on the

will be appointed, the new board being Railroad Property To Be Reassessed

able basis is at present put at \$66,-000,000, including property in Baltimore city.

Representatives of the Pennsylvania, Baltimore and Ohio, and Western Maryland Railroads, the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company met with the

fice and discussed the project. Appeals taken from two assess ments, one in Baltimore county and the other in Harford county, have furnished the Commission with opportunity for action. The assessments, from which the appeals were taken, involve an increase of about 10 per cent.

Assessments of railroad property are at present made in a manner far from uniform, if not haphazard, it is said. Both the Tax Commission and the corporations desire a uniform system, and it is the institution of such a system which is now projected.

# Delays Clinic Decision.

Governor Ritchie has not yet been able to write his resume of the testimony taken in the Foster Clinic investigation. The Governor has gone over all the

estimony and took some of it with him to the Governors' conference at White Sulphur Springs with the view of putting his conclusions in writing while there, but did not find time to

The main question is whether Dr J. Hubert Wade should be continued as superintendent of Foster Clinic which is a department of Spring Grove. The investigating committee advised that he be separated from the management of the clinic.

### Many Marylanders Favor Senator Ball's Park Act.

State and local associations have started a movement to urge upon Congress passage of the bill introduced by Senator Ball, of Delaware, last month for the extension of parks and playgrounds of Washington into Maryland and Virginia.

Maryland organizations which are supporting the measure include the Southern Maryland Society, the mem bership of which is drawn largely from the regions affected; the City-Wide Congress, the Federation of Women's Clubs of Maryland and several local organizations of Prince George's and Montgomery countles,

Daily Thought, The man who can't and anything to do generally hunts with great caution Josh Billings.

# WIN HONOR AND OPPORTUNITY

ench of the ten entern states, made their bow to the public at the openmittee to select a suitable candidate. Ing on September 17 of the great east ern states exposition at Sprinfield, ning during the week they demonstrat ning evering the week they demonstrated scouting to the visitors. The demonstrations took place on the fair grounds in the scout energialent which is known as the Mohaw indian village, a replica of the camping grounds of the famous logists of this tribe, which was constructed entirely by the scouts. These 50 passingles by the scouts. These 50 particular boys were selected because of their high record in a contest this summer, competed in by hundreds of scouts, for the privilege of oppearing at the

These 50 boy scouls won their way to a great opportunity as well as honor, for at the exposition they had the occasion to gain more calculable information than many a grown person has gathered in all of his life. And this is how they did it : -

Every morning the boys had leisure time, but in accordance with the tenets of scouting, organization is just as necessary for leisure time as for husy time, to gain the most fruitful results and so the scouts went to school Wot an every-day school, with reading and writing and arithmetic, but a school where the great exhibition was the text book, and all the experts in it the teachers. There were no lectures or examinations; the boys learned by observation and asking questions.

First of all, the educational departnent placed the wonders of its great exhibit under the inspection of the

couts Then the Junior Achievement village was the school room. Here, over 200 skilled boys and girls from 58 cith's throughout the eastern states gave afternoon and evening deconstruction to the public of various industrie ommerce, trades, vo as far as boys and tirls can partici-pute. In the morains, however, they placed themselves at the service of

come. This camp to boys and girls, who mornings to the sca ongs to the fars have won individual recognition of shelr work from the Junior committee for, on account of the distances be

tween farm houses, it was too difficult to organize group work for this honor. Then to the "Baby Beef Eshibit," fhe scouts went. There they saw the boys and girls who have raised the chol:est beef from Maine to New Jer-

The state departments enjoyed the morning visits of the boys. Massachusetts had answers ready for every question that was asked about the logging and fishing industries. Vermoni taught the boys how maple sugar is made and just how the grante is cut. Maine had surprises in potato raising, lumber and game fishing. New Hampshire imparted to the scouts the secret of growing rosy and laicy apples and told them the reason why its dairy products have become so famous, and something of its reforestation work, From Rhode Island the scouts learned how textiles are made and how to judge the various kinds. Connecticut explained its industries and emphasized its agricultural products. New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware had much to crowd into their mornings with the scouts regarding their respective manufacturers, agricultural and education-

The livestock show, with its blooded stock assembled from everywhere in the United States, had a special attraction for the boys.

Then the ferm mechanics. Scouts had an opportunity at this section of the fair for keen observation which they could follow up by scout ingenuity, when they reached ho Industries in the cities were not over-

looked. Candy making, for instance, was explained to the scouts, and one large candy company gave an exclusive and satisfying demonstration for the boys. The making of jeweiry, of heating plants, of various types of automobiles, and many other articles.

And then the Merse show! Owners, experts, jockeys were there, glad to show selected horses to the scouts and to tell how the horses are trained for racing and how they are brought to the height of perfection necessary to win prizes for their owners.

The slogan of the junior work committee of the exposition in getting together this honor band of scouts was "As fine an exhibit of boys as of cattle and horses," and the scouts replied, when hearing of the wonders they were to see, that the slogan was a real challenge, and they were ou on one of the pig's teeth.

Origin Lost in Antiquity. Origin of the word Asia remains un-

Engagement Ring Has Become Recognized Institution

Recognized Institution

There wasn't we're romance connected with the ring back in the Second century, B. S. when woman first began to flash it en the fourth finger of her left hand as a symbol of betrothal. The engagement ring originated as a "safety first" institution to hold fickle and forgetful man to his bargain from the time he made his first avowal of love until the wedding ceremony took place. As an ancient document reveals:

"There are many men who, forgetful of their plighted faith, defer the foldliment of their nuptial contracts. Therefore there shall be a sociemn declaration before witnesses and a betrothal ring given and ac-

and a betrothal ring given and ac-An old German formula reads:
"I give you this ring as a sign of

the marriage which has been promised between us, provided your father gives with you a marriage portion of a thousand reichtalers." 

During the Seventeenth century England chose to have the engage ment ring adorp the thumb. The rea son why English women were them of their thumbs during the reign o George L was because they were to large to wear on any other finger. The old Hebrew betrothal rings were almost as large as turnips, including in their superstructure reproduction of Solomon's temple or some other sacred building.

At one time the engagement ring consiste; of three hoops looped together into what was known as a gummel or puzzle ring. When the wedding took place one of these hoops was 'sopt by the bride, one given to the groom and the third bestowed on an intimate Triend who acted as witness to the ceremony.

# ALL SEEK ROYAL WARRANTS

Restrictions Have Been Place on Privilege That Is Much Coveted in England.

The most important of all commet cial honors is the royal warrant, and naturally it is much coveted, says

The first thing a warrant holder has to fearn is that his privileges are limited and what these limits are. A royal warrant of appointment to the king means that a holder of this document is entitled to use the royal arms over his shop and on his note paper.

He may not display the royal arms on a flag or use them as a trademark. If he uses them in his trade announcementally must be very careful to use the worst by spoolyment" beneath them. The approximation and anover be used

the cwner. Very often, though, one sees the

royal arms illegally used; for instance, it is no uncommon thing to see ning-Post. them printed on a poster at election the use of the word "royal" Is not allowed without special permission.

How Gold Prospectors Work. Whether gold occurs as an alluvial deposit or in a "reef." It is traced by the prospector with the help of a gold This is a shallow pan of light sheet fron with dished sides.

When "panning" for gold, the pros pector places the sand, soil, or crushed rock into the pan, and adds water to wet the substance to be panned. Taen, holding the nan in a tub or stream of water, he adds more water, and by a shaking motion works the heavy minernls to the bottom of the pan. By a lapping process he ejects the sand until there remains only concentrates, emong which the gold may be distinguished by its color and relative heavi-

There are rich gold reefs which shed gold very sparingly, and sometimes the gold is locked up in pyrite or other minerals, from which it is liberated by reasting or chemical treatment.

How to See the Wind. Choose for the trial a windy day, when the air is free from rain or snow. Take a bright, clean handsaw or other pollshed metal object about two feet in length and having a straight edge. Hold the saw or metallic surface at right angles to the direction of the wind. Incline it at about 35 or 40 degrees to the horizon and with the back up, so that the moving air, in striking the surface will glance upward and flow over the edge of the metal, as water flows over a Sight carefully along the edge of the metal, at a sharply defined obtect, and you will see the wind or air waves pouring over the edge in grace-

Unusually Endowed With Legs. Following on the reports from Ontarlo of quadruped birds comes a story from Tawatinaw, Alberta, where a farmer has a four-legged chicken, The two extra legs in this case ceem to have grown just at the end of the backbone and across each other just under the tall. It is a healthy bird and will eat and fight with the rest of the

Pla Retrieved Ring. While digging potntoes a Prince Edverd island woman lost her wedding ring, which was too big. The pigs were then turned into the garden to root for the potatoes that were missed. When the hogs fattened and were butchered the woman's ring was found

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Contrived It.

The cook had committed a capital ffense. No matter what. Let us as same that she put soap in the mashed potatoes, and let it go at that. It was a sad duty to dismiss an other wise fine coos in these days when there is dearth of cooks, but soap in the mashed, potatoes was going too far. So the mistress of the house sum moned her.

"How came you to do such a thing Maggie?"

No answer. "You know better. There must have een a reason for your putting soap in the mashed potatoes. Possibly you were angry?" 'No, mom, I wasn't mad, I just did

"2 would like to know what your idea way, Maggie?" persisted the employ am curious to know why

careful files are extremely will, non the don't mine cellio'r and by the holder of a royal warrant, this would probably mean that the warrant would be taken away from get a new one. That's exactly why

Maggie stayed on.-New York Eve-

Now, as Ever, World Must Give Con sideration to the Problem of the Child.

Everychild looks at us inquiringly. From the streets, From the many windows, From orphan and foundling asy

From the squalld homes, And from the homeless places. From the windows of the schools He looks at us inquiringly, He, the future of the race He looks at us and through us. And far away Into the distant future, And sometimes in his eyes There is hope and cheer. And sometimes reproach,

And sometimes despair. We had best stop and look at Every-He is not alone for his mother. Not alone for his father, But belongs to every one of us; He is the deepest concern of us all,

What shall be done for Everychild?

-Frederick Peterson in the North

American Review.

Use of Rays by Flowers. Do flowers use rays not visible to the human eye to attract insects to them? Certain insects can spot ultraviolet light that cannot be seen by man, and some blossoms, in addition to their ordinary brilliant bues, vary in the kind of short light rays that they

Prof. F. K. Richtmyer of Cornell university told the Optical Society of America, meeting at the bureau of standards in Washington recently, that these invisible rays may guide pollenbearing insects to the flowers in their search for honey. Giving signals in rays shorter than the deepest violet that we can see brings the flowers the pollen that is necessary to it in producing seed. Experiments made by Professor Richtmyer on Colorado flow ers show that flowers apparently differ in their reflection of ultraviolet as much as in their visible colors.

Pathologists in the United States army service in Manila say that almost nine out of ten persons in the Philippines have beokworm infection. The cases are not serious, but they lower the emclency of the Filipino worker and likewise reduce the pow era of resistance against malaria, tubercalonis and other allments. The army scientists are using carbon tetrachloride as a specific against the paresite. This is powerful stuff, but,

if chemically pure, seems to be safe.

Unhooking the Hookworm.

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times the usual dose to prisoners under the death penalty. They got so spry and boisterous that the only way o get rid of them was to hang them. It is a big job to unbook the bookworm, but science is going to do it. Cive it time and practice.-Los An-

Mongrel Dog's Devotion. The devotion of dogs was illustrated at a London hospital the other day. A little mongrel, coming from out a side street, placed its paws on the hospitai railings, and by whining and barking, attracted a large crowd, All efforts to make it go away were without success. After several minutes a young nurse appeared and gazed at the distressed creature. Then a smile spread over her features, and, gently picking up the dog, she took it into the hospital. It then turned out that the dog's master had been admitted into the hospital and his devoted pet

had followed him.

Discouraging Trap Stealing. A Basque sheep herder convicted of trap stealing in Lessen county, California, recently was fined \$100 and sentenced to tall for six months. The case was brought to trial and settled within four weeks. The field operations in predatory animal work conducted by the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture have been seriously interfered with by the stealing of traps, and it is believed that as a result of convictions and heavy sentences the nuisance will be lessened.

Scottish Estates Being Sold. Enormous estates in Scotland are going under the hammer, due in many cases to the taxes that have followed the war. As many as 310 square miles of forests, grouse moors and farms, with salmon and trout fishing, whole rivers and lochs, islands and mountains, and comfortable houses are offered for sale at the present time, including a large part of the Caledonian forest. Yacht anchorages and sea fishing are plentiful.

The briefest statement of the game bags on some of the properties, and of the average takes of trout and salmon, brings into strong relief the fact that, like Scott's "Finnan haddock," the sporting thus indicated "has a relish of a very peculiar and delicate flavor," inimitable elsewhere,

Windmills in Place of Sails, Windmills to drive ships are the product of the French inventions department, an official war agency that has been continued. These windmills are intended to emble countries without coal or oil fields to sail the seas without cost or petroleum. The power of the winduill is transmitted below decks, where it later appears at the propellers.-The Nation's Business.

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

# The New Year.

the year 1923. Mighty coming a peculiar dull color, and his eyes beevents cast their shadows before. Tremendous social changes are imminent We can but dimly conjecture what may be the world's so- food again and if he has the choice | would be brought into touch daily cial complexion of the tomorrow.

The past year in many respects was a wonderful year in America much fat with the meat, the natives of the country other than their We have forged forward along al- are likely to become extremely fit on own province and city, and the great most every line of material prog three days of consecutive marching a China a nation united would begin."ress. Nature has poured for us an kilangozi, or head porter, of mine who New York Times. almost continuous stream of ble-s- was of slight build carried his mat, ings from her copious stores, and our commerce has caught up this and forty-eight pounds! The shortest treasure, distributing it throughout day was five hours, and some days this land and through the lands across the reas.

to ne as a nation, and, though sor- cared for. His physical condition was magnificent throughout.—From the row came to many, there still was Youth's Companion. more of joy than sorrow, more of laughter than of tears. The echoes LAMENTS CHANGE IN FASHION of the great war have largely died away and we have definitely set to work to secure a lasting peace, and

rest, the menace of Bolshevisan- Newark from Hawaii and the South these are the results of the war's Sea islands, brought a dismal tale of reactions These dargers will be guiteless and innocent regions. It's overcome by the sou d sense and the Parisborn craze for long skirts, patriotism of our people. We are says Cap'n Dingle and his crew, that has sophisticated the spicy isles.

We great the New Y ar bravely. wish to live be't rathen we lived in to heels, you might say. Then they the da s that are gone. We desire got a new-style potticoat made of need. We hope to continue to lorin large when 1923 shall have than Teaneck.-New York Tribone. followed all the other years of de-

as with so it us. The professions All though there is another similar docuthe sound the beach instructy, then ment, known as the "Vaticanus," an halong ug and so folio il the uncla' manuscript of the Fourth cenbrotherhood frear out the twi-

Fite Washall not veak'y cower burned up at the rate of 70,000 acres our hands find to do. Let fools He asset of great value is being conlaugh at these same, penitent to verted into a public liability of unsolves of our. There are many There are 2,000,000 acres of forest wounds in the world-to heat. Per- land in New Jersey almost within haps we may be able to do good to trucking distance of the greatest lumothers bearing hurts and so heal

We wish you all a happy and a prosperous New Year. Contribut d.

companied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles The action of the German govern-C. Smith and Mrs. George Pryor, their own money in small denominaafternoon session of the dedicatory of affairs in the early years of George service of the new \$75,000 Baptist Church at Crisfield, Wednesday, coin in circulation was inadequate, The auditorium of this beautiful and tradesmen all over the country church has a seating capacity of issued tokens of their own which at 1,200. The dedicatory sermon was regal coinage. One manufacturer in preached by Rav. Russell Conwell, Birmingham issued over 9,000,000 pen-D. D., LL. D., paster of the Baptist nies and 3,500,000 half-pennies in the Temple, Philadelphia. The dedi- of "tokens" in circulation in 1780 catory prayer was offered by Rev. outnumbered the genuine coinage. J. F. Rorex, pastor of the Baptist Church at Marion, Md. A good collection was taken in the afternoon. At night, Dr. Conwell delivered his dark from the mountain pastures at fanious address, "An Acre of Diamonds."

(the date to which you are paid,) and if you are not paid at least up to date, please settle at once.

ing for Meat Where There is a Scant Supply.

Why does man became a cannibal? Mr. W. D. M. Bell, a contributor to sity for the proper development of some interesting things about the ex-traordinary diet of the natives of the States would have been if the good Bahr Aouk in Africa,

he says, they go for months without | try, the editor says: flesh, except of course for an occaopinion is the cause of cannibalism.

We stand upon the threshold of, All night long he will eat and doze and doze again. As a result his skin turns small portion of meat.

his blanket, fifteen pounds of rations and a tusk that weighed one hundred were very long indeed. For rations throughout the march he had two pounds of native grain every day and The dying year was a good year as much meat and elephant fat as he

Captain Dingle Says Paris Dress Craze Has Hit South Sea Island Femininity, Too.

Capt. Charles Dingle of the freight-Our labor trouble, our s cial un- er Bay Port, which arrived in Port the ravages of fashlon in those once

li right," explained Skip Slattery, first assistent chief engineer of the freighter, "but they're wearin' 'em hopefully. In the days to come we like a wine bottle useta be-from neck moss. Oh, it ain't like what it used

cit zens and to all these who are in Even Lucky Bill Fanning, optimist that he is, joined in the threnody. It was enough to make an old-time sailstrive for the attainment of the no- orman shed tears, he said, to see the blest individual and national ideals. girls all wadded up in straw and moss when putting in at some of those islands was better than a Fourteenth cumulative result of nor efforts ships street burlesque, but now it was duller

Loss Would be Irreparable

to know what has become of the famous Codex Sinulticus, which was, before the Russian revolution, in the to and be all Imperial library at Petrograd. This was discovered in the monastery of St. bount Shoal, whence its required by Tsar Alex-What has become of cument during the Rus-

angure, to be lock to the mosts of More on the loss of the jewels of selet ruly Annie pur greets the last Russian dynasty its destruction would be an irreparable act, even tury, found by Tischendorf in 1844 in the same monastery.

Economic Error.

New Jersey's forests are being for in the a year, which means not only that her big , area of growing forests is being reduced annually to that extent, but that land which should become a pubber market in the world, according to the estimate of the American Forestry association, which offers the opinion that sooner or later the people of the state of New Jersey will awaken to the economic significance of the fact, but that the awakening may come too

late.-Thrift Magazine. The editor of the Advance, ac- When Merchants Coined Own Money. from near Salisbury, attended the tions recalls a somewhat similar state

> III in England. In those days the amount of copper tained almost equal standing with the

Dog's Bark Proved Expensive. The barking of a dog so frightened a flock of 2,000 sheep returning in the Frency d'Oisans, near Grenoble, France, that they rushed over a ravine. The shepherd, in attempting to stop them, was dragged over with them, but was rescued, though his con-Notice the date on your label, dition was grave. Numbers of the sheep

> Greatest Fishing Stream. The Columbia river is the greatest fishing stream in the world.

WHY MEN BECOME CANNIBALS | CHINA DEMANDS GOOD ROADS Oriental Country Awakes to the Neces sity of Immediate Development

of its Highways. A plea for good roads as a neces-"Country Life," thinks that the cause | China is made by the Oriental la stor is constant craving for meat in a land of Shanghal, which began publication where mostly grain abounds. He tells a year ago to encourage interest in reads movement had not been ear When they inhabit a stockless area, | nestly supported throughout the coun

"Yet at this time of greatest devel sional rat, mongoose or bird. In those opment in the making of roads China circumstances the craving for meat lies dormant. If any nation in the naturally becomes intense and in my world needs roads, good roads and pinion is the cause of cannibalism. national highways, it is Caina. Means ... When the people suddenly have almost unlimited meat, as they do have inadequate and medieval, transconwhen they kill an elephant or a hippo- tinental travel is only possible by potaruus, they simply gorge them-selves. A man will eat from fifteen to the great heart of the nution is still twenty pounds in twenty-four hours. | inaccessible to any mode of transpor tation except the most primitive.

"China can never become a nation until her roads are developed. With come yellow. On the third day he has them the penetration of the interior, completely recovered his natural ap- both for commerce and pressure, pearance and is again full of energy. | would mean a few hours or a few days In a short time he wants his grain by motor. The people of the interior will eat a large portion of grain to a with motors and motorists from all sections of the nation. They would If, as with the elephant, there is begin to realize that there are parts that diet. For example, for sixty- welding influence which would make

# UNWORTHY RULER OF ROME

History Accords Low Place to Commo dus, Whom Fortune Capriciously Lifted to High Estate.

Commodus was a Roman emperor notorious for his cruel and voluptuous character. He was endowed with extraordinary strength, and often ap-peared in imitation of Hercules, bressed in a lion's skin and a men with a club. To display his skill and strength in arms he appeared publicly in the amphitheater. As his oppo nents were armed with weapons of tin or lead, while he was encased in impenetrable armor, he had naturally an easy victory on every occasior.. For his amusement he cut asunder persons, put out their eyes, and mutilated

their noses, etc. Commodus was strangled by the gladiator Narcissus, who was hired commit the deed by Marcia, the mistress of Commodus, who had plotted with members of his oficial family, to put him out of the way. When he died the senate declared bin an enemy of the state ordered his statues to be broken to pieces, and his name to be crased from all public

inscriptions,-Detroit News. Searching for Shock. There are so many instances where speech and hearing have been restored

by a severe shock that there is a gen eral notion among deaf and dumb per sons that their salvation rests in this direction. Consequently they are resorting to airplane trips as a means of restoring their functions. The manager of the air station at Croydon England, reports that he is besteged ence in midair might supply the necflicted child brought their offspring to von are,-Thomas at Kempls. the child be taken aloft with the idea of possibly curing her, but aside from manuscript of the Bible the tonic effect upon the child there was no other result. The child returned to the ground in a very happy frame of mind and was delighted with her experience. It has been suggested that the trip aloft does not have the desired effect for the reason that the various experiences in the air are more or less expected and therefore

> Warren Storiac. Warren is a Shelbyville boy five years old and fond of cating. One day he and another little boy were playing soldier, and were shooting ooth men and women, when Warren cried out: "Don't shoot the women

are Incking.

cause they do the cooking." Warren's father was telling about with a woman and said: "She is so an English police court, ignorant, she doesn't know anything." Warren looked up and said: "Reckon she knows how to cook, don't she?" One day Warren's nurse was ready o give him a bath. She called to him ne and he said: "Wait a minute," Again she asked why he didn't come and he replied: "I am trying to make my minute as long as mom's."

-Indianapolis News,

Holland Restricts Flyers. Flying regulations of the Nether lands government provide that the aimum altitude over closely tohabited arens is 400 meters (1,312 feet). All aircraft must always fly at such a height over towns or public gather ings as will permit of their landing outside of such areas in case of engine fallure. No trick flying may be indulged in above closely inhabited areas or public gatherings.

Waste Paper Money. A traveler recently returned from trip through Austria had his cafe bill handed to him made out on the back of a ten-crown note. When the patron expressed his surprise at this unusual roceeding, the waiter told him that incressives. bank notes were cheaper than plain

Advertising Signs Barred. Preventing the national forests i California from being defaced with dvertising signs, an order recently sued by the district forester at San Francisco states that advertising signs in the 17 national forests of California must come down. Advertisement printed on rocks and trees are also my to be effaced. According to the regulations of the forest service of the ure, such advertising is prohibited from all national forests without special permits, which are seldom issued.

Laugh of Meters Differs. egal length of the meter in the United States is different from its legal length in England? Such, however, is the case. In America it is 39.37 inches; in England, 29.3700113. Of course, the difference is not large in itself, but still when computing grea distances it might become consider able. In this day of accurate research, thousandth, ten-thousandth, or mil Honth of an inch is ordinarily con-

sidered by no means negligible. The Certainty of Good. may be sure as there's a good and a store at Stockton, Maryland, right bigger nor what we know-I feel it i' my own inside as it must be so .- Dolly Winthrop in George Eliot's "Silas Marner."

with a dollar, and quenches transcend-

Ben Quinn, Indian, bought a flivver.

Giving Birds a Bad Name, jays, crows and blackbirds.

New Aspect to Floor. A good effect may be achieved if when painting floors that have old- 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to Janfashioned wide boards a line is drawn uary 1st, 1923. Title papers at purchthrough the center of each board with aser's expense a lead pencil before putting on the varnish, when you'll have a floor which looks like narrow boards

Cost of Gas in 1825. When illuminating gas was first in stalled in New York city in 1825, the price was \$10 a thousand cubic feet. In addition, the consumer had to pay rental for the meter and for the fix tures, which were owned by the gas

Stand for the Truth.

To Thing Own Self Be True.

"Marriage," said Wilks, "Is like making a call. First you go to a-dore, name to a maid." "After that." Martin, "you are taken in."

The first English daily paper, the Daily Courant, appeared in 1702 and the element of suddenriess and shock | Gazette and the Dally Monitor, in 1780.

Proving It.

Poor Opinion of Same Husbands. "All some husands are good for is to play with the children until you get transacting some business matters a bit of work done," said a woman in

> Future Nitrogen Consumption. It has been estimated that in 1936 there will be a total consumption of standpoint of the retail buyer, that 438,000 tons of inorganic nitrogen in it has ever been. this country.

Deadly Poison From the Upas. tipped with the poison taken from the upas tree of Java is fatal.

Be Ready for Opportunity. The secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes.-Disraell.

Poor Humanity. Some people hope for the best only under protest and are disappointed

The degree of vision that dwells in a man is the correct measure of the man,-Carlyle One Secret of Sucsess. Those who succeed best when they work for others are those who see that

Correct Measure of Man.

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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Wercester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th day of December, 1922, in a cause pending in said court, wherein John S. Gordy And all as we've got to do is to et al are complainants and Martin Mantrusten, Master Marner—to do the uel et al are defendants, being No. right thing as far as we know and to 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee trusten. For if us, as knows so little will offer for sale to the highest bidder can see a bit o' good and rights, we at public auction in front of Trader's Saturday, January 13th, 1923,

at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, and interest of all the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of land situated Objects close to the eye shut out on the left hand side of the county road auch larger objects on the horizon; leading from Stockton to Welhourne in and splenders born only of earth the eighth election district of Worcessclipse the stars. So a man sometimes | ter County, Maryland, and described as covers up the entire disc of eternity follows: beginning at a pine tree standent glories with a little shining dust.—
Chanin. Kendall Fisher's land, thence running by and with the Kendall Fisher land or line about east course to run of branch Head smashed, arm broken. He said: at marked black gum tree, thence run-"First mile too slow, took drink booze; ning by and with the run of said branch next mile faster, took another drink; and line of Charlotte Ward land about last mile very fust, took another drink, south course to marked black gum tree, then saw bridge in road, turned out thence running about west course to marked red oak tree standing on left hand side of county road above named, The United States biological survey thence running by and with county road warns against charging the crimes of about north course to the pine tree and the Englis's sparrow to other members place of beginning, containing 5] acres of the spacrow family, which, idthough of land, more or less. It being the same ssentially seed-cating, performs great | real estate conveyed to Edward Manuel service in its raids on insects, as do by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed dated the 26th day of October, 1921, and recorded among the land records of

> TERME OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balance in six months, or all cash at option of purchaser. The credit portion bear interest and to be secured to th satisfaction of the trustee.

Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

# Ford Sales Record Broken

According to a statement issued Walt not till you are backed by by the Ford Motor Company, de numbers. Wait not until you are sure liveries of Ford Cars and Trucks to of an echo from a crowd. The fewer the voices on the side of truth, the retail buyers during the month of mero distinct and strong must be gour own.—W. E. Chapping.

Prosperity's Temptations.

The temptations of prosperity insinuate themselves after a gentle but very powerful manner, so that we are better the structure of them and less and the structure of the structure of them and less and the structure of the but little ewart of them and less abla marked contract to the November to withstand them persistently.—Extotalled slightly over 58,000 Cars S and Trucks.

with requests from these afflicted persons who are hopeful that an experisons who are hopeful that an experiterances of men, for whether they put beginning with April 1st., of this For eight consecutive months, year retail deliveries bave 100,000 Ford Cars and Trucks each | month; the accumulated total for the first eleven months of 1922 bes 3 ing approximately 1 200,000 While the Company points out that } said it is not unusual for Ford recail sales to exceed the 100,000 mak during the spring and early summer months when the demand is at its peak, the manner in which business

has held up throughout the balance of the year is without precedent. Credit for this remarkable show-ing is attributed by the Ford Motor "There's always more than one way of looking at a thing," said the small boy as he shinned up the pole outside ments which have lately been made on Ford Cars and particularly to the new low level of Ford prices, recently put into effect. These new low prices not only broaden the field of prospective Ford purchasers but go still further in making the

Although the Ford factories have been operating at full capacity for The smallest wound from an arrow the past eight months, sales have equalled production and judging from the unusual manner in which orders are coming in at this season of the year Ford dealers will be unable to accumulate an adequate tending school at Pittaville, is stock of cars during the winter spending the holidays at home. months for delivery next spring.

In the opinion of the Ford Mo tor Company, November sales are an indication that many prospective purchasers, realizing the exceptional value now being offered in Ford Cars, are beginning to anticipate an unusual spring demand and parents, Mr. and Mrs Charlie Tim are therefore placing orders during mons, of Whiton, Christmas Day, the fall and will continue to do so in doing so they are also working for later on. While this will relieve the situation to some extent, it is pointed out that the steadily increasing demand for Ford Cara is nevertheless sure to create an acute

shortege as the season advances. Accordingly, the Ford Sales Organization is urging prospective Ford purchasers to arrange for delivery during the winter months in order that the demand next spring will be relieved as far as possible.

# A Happy New Year To You.

We wish all our Friends and Patrons a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

# Burbage, Powell and Company

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WIT. PLEASANT. Mr. and Mrs G. W. Brittingham spent Christmas Day with her moth-

er, Mrs. Eliza Rayne.

Miss Mabel Rayne, who is at- day.

Mrs Willard Powell and Mr business trip to Salisbury, Thurs- Salisbury, Saturday. day of last week.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Lewis and Williams, of Friendship, spent Sunson, Ralph, were the guests of her day with Miss Rada Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Garley McCabe and on, Linwood, of near Berlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rayne and children, Wilson, Irma and Dorothy Mae, of Salisbury, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rayne, Sun-

We are sorry to report Mrs. W H. Lewis on the sick list.

Mrs. C. F. Hammond and son, and Mrs. Dorsey Massey made a Harry, made a business trip to Misses Rada Dennis and Elsie

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unner plants are layered directly de the parent plant, forming tw on each side of the parent row ivation is necessary for success in case of the ever-bearing varieties if water is available it is a go to irrigate throughout the fruit-

# DESTROY CURRANT WORMS

vae of Saw-Fly Can Be Controlled by Good Spraying With Arsenate of Lead.

Currant or gooseberry worms, which the larvae of the saw-fly, can be ptrolled by spraying with arsenat lend at the rate of one to one and half ounces in a gallon of water aris green may also be used to con ol the worms. The bushes show s sprayed as soon as the worms ap ear. In case the worms do not con ntil the fruit is ripening, white hell ore should be substituted for the ar enical poisons, as it is non-po-

### PERFECT WORK IN SPRAYING Thoroughness Does Not Mean Heav Application, but One That Cov-

There is another greet essential f success in spraying besides timeline and that is thoroughness. Thorough ness does not necessarily mean her applications but a fine application the entirely covers the tree on all side The fact is heavy applications of cause spray injury A perfect job spraying is when all parts of the ti are covered and kept covered w spray. Then the bugs and disca have no chance.

ers All Sides.

Spray for Peaches. Remember that the peaches must sprayed every two weeks with limes phur spray for the control of bre

Spraying Reduces Losses, Spraying reduces transit losses for brown rot of stone fruits, as well orchard losses.

Be Careful in Cultivating, Do not cultivate deeply near f trees. Injured roots are apt to come discused.

Effective Fungicides. The fungicides which depend on phur for their action have been sh to be most effective in not weather

Moving Literature. Allce-"Don't you think a coc book is fuscinating?" Claraindeed. It contains so many sti

Pins in Abundance. There are proximately 10,00 000 pins produced in this country year, or about 100 pins per perso

A New Antique. English paper-"Antique, or years old, oak sideboard, brand -Boston Transgript.

The Life of Faith

Tested

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER

How little we know of such an ex

the land of promis

erience. They would understand this

Abram had been called to a life of

call and became a pioneer in God's

land." But before he could be of value

of faith, he must be tested. So the

famine came in the very place to which God had led him. God permit-

tel him to suffer hunger to teach him

that "man shall not live by bread

provide in the awful day of sunger.

Ever since Abram's day God has found

'it necessary to permit dire ned to come in the life of faith in order that

that only an schoolroom of His knee

Three lessons God would teach,

through a famine in the land of His

Abram out of a life of self-confidence

to one of absolute dependence. He

left his old home and traveled to a

new land. The journey was unevent-

ful except for the death of his father

Terah. The presence of some of his

relatives in the caravan suggests that

Abram had not fully obeyed God. Ha

may have thought so, but an experi

ence must come to test whether he is abut up to God, or still trusting in human resources. "There was a fam-

What will Abrum do? I can imagin

he talked it over with Sarah and Lot.

Why not move to Egypt? Just the

Abram acted upon the rule of the old

life-sight and sense. Had he trust-ed God wholly, he would have thrown

"The eye of the Lord is upon them

form, Our intentions are sincere, but

they must be proved. At Sandy Hook

the War department has its proving

grounds. There the great guns upor

which the fate of the nation may har ig

in the event of war, are tested. To ey

are constructed to meet certain re-

quirements. They will fire a shell

weighing 1,000 pounds 16 miles. But they may not do as expected, so they

are proved. A much larger charge

of ammunition is used to see if they

will stand the test. Some may go to

pieces. How true of the may of faith.

He must be proved. Confluct under

stress and strain must be determined.

The genuineness of faith must be at-

tested beyond question. Blessed is

the trial of faith that acquaints us

with our weakness. It is "more pre-

2.. To Help Others T ruly. "All test-

ing is for a testimony." Peter was violently shaken in the devil's sleve

not only to separate the wheat from

the chaff, but in or Jer that he might

strengthen the brethren. The lan-

guage of his epist'ies bears testimony

to what he learne d in the sifting proc

ess. What we have experienced

How hearterling the words, "He

him in f.ecelt and falsehood concern

life but for divine interposition. The

very peril he ran away from in

Canavan awaited him with wide open

jaws in Egypt, but Got delivered un-fait all, unbelieving Abram. "If we

What encouragement for foolish

gerverse, doubting disciples. Though

we turn our back upon Him He will

the place of the altar and the tent-to

renewed confidence and fellowship

Birds With Copper FI sathers.

In the bird house up at f.he north end of the Zoological park in New York is

a cage of fouraces, an A trican bird of

brilliantly colored plass age. In the

wings is a dash of red, w at we are told

Desk Also User for Bed.

even as Abram. Chapter W 3:1-4.

bel'.eve not, He abldeth faithful.

helps others in need.

make a way of escape.

clous than gold that percisheth."

2 To Know Ourselves Fully.

Was God consulted?

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ERRIES IN FALL

May Be Successfully mn Months If Con-Are Right

are generally transpring of the year from which have set the prealthough if conditions hey may be set in the cessfully. The manner are transplated will desize of the field one intain and the method or care best adapted to as, For small plants. gle-matted row or the of planting secures best e can be no doubt but d system will secure

of berries, ed by simply setting one row, preferably 18 inches f a horse cultivator is to rows should be three fee ants 15 to 18 inches apart No runner plants are alm, the runner shoots be off as they appear. This robably not as productive of the Senator Dunlap, and

ig in the single-matted row plants are set about two In the row, the rows three Each parent plant is allature from two to six run-These are layered in line row between the parent I other runners should be and not allowed to form. plantation on a large scale matted row is recommendhe parent plants as before ws four feet apart to permi vation, and allow six runner form from each parent plant hese runner plants are lay e with the row, two on each e parent plant. The other



Rows of Early Ozark Strawber-

runner plants are layered directly de the parent plant, forming two on each side of the parent row. vation is necessary for success in case of the ever-bearing varieties, if water is available it is a good to irrigate throughout the fruit-

vae of Saw-Fly Can Be Controlled by Good Spraying With Arsenate of Lead.

Current or gooseberry worms, which the larvae of the saw-fly, can be atrolled by spraying with arsenate has resulted in the establishment of a lead at the rate of one to one and half ounces in a gallon of water. aris green may also be used to conol the worms. The bushes should sprayed as soon as the worms apear. In case the worms do not come ntil the fruit is ripening, white helleore should be substituted for the arenical poisons, as it is non-poisonous.

# PERFECT WORK IN SPRAYING

Thoroughness Does Not Mean Heavy Application, but One That Covers All Sides.

There is another great essential for success in spraying besides timeliness, and that is thoroughness. Thoroughness does not necessarily mean heavy applications but a fine application that entirely covers the tree on all sides. The fact is heavy applications often cause spray injury. A perfect job of spraying is when all parts of the tree are covered and kept covered with spray. Then the bugs and diseases

Spray for Peaches. Remember that the peaches must be sprayed every two weeks with lime-sulphur spray for the control of brown

Spraying Reduces Losses. Spraying reduces transit losses from brown rot of stone fruits, as well as orchard losses.

Be Careful in Cultivating. Do not cultivate deeply near fruit trees. Injured roots are apt to become discased.

Effective Fungicides. The fungicides which depend on sulphur for their action have been shown to be most effective in hot weather

Moving Literature. Alice-"Don't you think a cookery book is fuscinating?" Clara-"Yes indeed. It contains so many stirring incidents.

Pins in Abundance. There are approximately 10,000,000,-000 pins produced in this country every year, or about 100 pins per person.

A New Antique. English paper-"Antique, over 100 years old, oak sideboard, brand new."

friends to me—
A pearl pin't bust above a summer sea,
A cold green sunset over snow-waved fields.

The earthly incense that the furrow

THE TONIC RHUBARB

For jelly making the fall is the time to use the rhubarb, as the fresh growth in the spring

lacks pectin. Rhubarb Sher bet .- Soak one tablespoonful of gelatin in onefourth of a cupful of cold water un til softened. Make

a sirup with four cupfuls of rhebarb juice, two cupfuls of sugar, cook five ininutes, add the softened gelatin and the juice of two lemons. Stir well, cool and freeze Rhubarb Puffs.—Put two tablespoon-fuls of rhubarb in each of four pud-

ding cups that have been well buttered. Drop a spoonful of batter prepared by using a cupful of flour, a half cupful of milk, a teaspoonful of baking powder and a little salt. Put another spoonful of rhubarb and finish with a little batter, leaving room to rise. Place the cup. in a pan of bolling water, cover closely and steam fifteen minutes. Serve with the following sauce: Boll together one cup ful of sugar and two-thirds of a cupful of rhubarb juice until it hairs. Pour slowly over two well-beaten egg whites and Leat until thick. Serve over the puddings.

Rhubarb Sponge.-Soak two table spoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Scald a cupful of milk and dissolve one-third of a cupful of sugar in it. Pour the hot milk over the softened gelatin and stir until dissolved. Set the mixture in a cool place until it begins to stiffen, then beat well with an egg beater: add one cupful of rhubarb sauce and fold in the whites of two eggs beaten stiff. Turn the mixture into a mold that has been rinsed with cold water and chill. Serve the sponge with whipped cream.

Punch No. 2 .- Boll three-fourths of cupful of water with one and onehalf cupfuls of sugar for three mirutes, add a pint of green tea-twice the ordinary strength-and three plats of rhubarb juice, the juice of three oranges and one lemon. Chill and

# Nevie Maxwell WOODEN SHIPS HAVE "KNEES"

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In these days when thopper slang juggles with sayings like "the cat's pa-james" and "the bee's knees," how many boys and girls know anything about ships' knees. Ships' knees, however, are a fact and not a fancy. This is an exceedingly important itera in the construction of a wooden ship.

A ship knee is a right-angled wooden brace used to give strength to the framing, and is fashioned from the DESTROY CURRANT WORMS | natural crook of a tree formed by a heavy, shallow horizontal root and a section of the trank. Knees when finished are sometimes as much as six or seven feet high and many times are

four feet high. The tremendous impetus to wooden shipbuilding brought about by the war sawmill at Portland, Ore., designed exclusively for the finishing of ship knees. The timber preferred is secondgrowth Douglas fir, found growing in shallow soil, so that the roots turn off at right angles to the trunk and thus give the proper shape. The standardized wooden ship requires some two hundred knees of all sizes, while another type of wooden ship, also under construction, requires more than 160

knees.-American Forestry. Oxygen Gas Future Predicted. When the process of making oxygen from air becomes cheaper, it is predicted that an enormous demand for the gas will arise. Just as oxygen is now used for welding and other purposes in which great heat is desired, not gradually, but very speedily, so it will be required for smelting and a

hundred other purposes. Training a One-Man Dog. A one-man dog can be reared only as follows: Take a mere puppy; allow no one to play with it, much less pet it. If anyone comes near it have him use a small stick and whip the dogthen when he comes to you, you pet

plete confidence in you alone.-Adventure Magazine. Ghosts in Parliament House. The ghost of Guy Fawkes is not the only spook of the British house of commons. The most famous, as well as the most sinister ghost of St. Ste-It is certainly the best authenticated parliamentary specter, and it is said that on the day following each of its

appearances a member of the royal family has died Creosoted Timbers Last. Creosoted timbers are valued in Africa because they diminish the injury

due to moisture and the tropical sun,

and the ravages due to white ants and

Natural Reason. Mother (in reproof)-"Now, when I was young, girls never thought of doing the things they do today." Daughter-"Well, that's why they didn't do

Encouragement.

"But, papa, why take my debts so tragically? I assure you that by hard work, strict economy and the utmost self-deplat you will clear them off."

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# Sunday School

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 31

REVIEW

GOLDEN TEXT—The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor.— Luke 4:15. DEVOTIONAL READING-Psaim 28. PRIM/RY TOPIC-Favored Stories 0

he Quarter. JUNIOR TOPIC-Jesus Went About Doing Good,
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC
-How Jesus Ministered to the Particle How Jesus Ministered to the People.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
Some Characteristics of Jesus' Ministry.

Since all the lessons of the quarter save one are from Luke, and the central and unifying theme is Jesus faith. God had made a wonderful Christ, a profitable way to conduct covenant with him. He obeyed the the review, as suggested in Peloabet's Notes, would be to assign the following topics to the members of the as Ged's representative, a sample man class to make a brief report upon;

1. Christ's Mission to the World. 1. Christ's He pers and How He Used Them 3. Christ's Divine Power and How He Exercised It.

4. Christ's Methods of Teaching.
5. Christ's Love in Its Many Manifam'ne was God lifting His child of festations. 6. Christ's Courage and How He

7. Christ's Foes and His Dealings With Them. 8. Christ's Pity for Sinners

9. Christ's Passing Through Human His little children might learn lessons 10. Christ as a Missionary and an 11. Christ's Relation to the Father.

12. Christ's Preparation for the

Climax of His Life. Another way would be by summarizing eac's lesson, stating the outstanding vopic and teaching of each The following suggestions are offered:

Lesson 1. The birth of John the Baptist, which from the human standpoint was impossible, was announced to his father, Zacharias. For his unbelief he was smitten with dumbness. God expects of his servant unquestioned belief in what He promises,

Lesson 2. Jesus wes born in Bethle-hem just as the prophet had foretold some 700 years before, and at the age of twelve years he consciously en-tered into the services of God's house. Though conscious of His divine being wisidon, He lived a life of filial

Liston 3. John the Baptist's min-the responsibility for his provision stry vis a preparation for the com-upon the Omnipotent One who had led ag of Carlst. He feavlessly preached him to this famine-stricken country. stry was a preparation for the coming of Christ. He fearlessly preached repet care and proposition of full min to this famine-stricken country.

How like Abram we are—so ready to follow human indgment and turn aside to the world for help. We seek counsel of min instead of God. Why? Heaten the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. The purpose was to test the recitity of the incarnation. The result was complete victor, and demonstrated in the famine-stricken country.

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uttermost all who trus! lilm. Lesson 5. Isaiab foretold the gold-en age upon the eigh when Christ will reign.

"The eye of the Lord is higher that fear Him, that hope in His mer-cy, to deliver their soul from death and to keep them alive in famine."

Lesson 6. While Jesus was here He healed all kinds of diseases and cast out devils. He authenticated His mission and proved His power to forgive sins by miraculous deeds. Lesson 7. Jesus taught the dis-

ciples the principles which should govern to His kingdom. Only those who have been born from above can love their enemies. Lesson 8. While in Simon's house

at dinner, a woman who had been a notorious sinner anointed Jesus' feet and wiped them with her hair. The sinner's gratitude to Jesus for forgiveness is measured by the appreheusion of sins forgiven,

Lesson 9. Jesus went forth throughou: every city preaching the glad tidings of the Kingdom of God. The fact of salvation for sins through a crucified Redeemer is truly glad tidings.

Lesson 10. Jesus sent forth mis-sionaries with the realization of the big task before them, and with power to perform supernatural deeds to authenticate their mission. Those who realize the bigness of their task will earnestly pray that the Lord will send forth laborers into His harvest.

Lesson 11. Jesus' reply to the ques-tion of a certain lawyer, "Who is my neighbor?" shows that the ali-impertant consideration is not "Who is my neighbor?" but "How can I show that I am a neighbor?" Lesson 12. A certain rich man in

his perplexity over his prosperity decided to provide larger stores and settle down to a life of sensuous induithe animal. That gives the dog comgence. The one who lays up treasures on earth and is not rich toward God is a fool.

Consolation, Love, Faith, Hope, Life. May Consolation smile on every pain, and Love put her balm on every wound that life bears! May Falth strengthen you all in your unavoidable phens is the one called after Big Ben. trials and Hope whisper through all sorrows that this terrestrial life of ours is a mere shadow of the Life that never dies .- Mazzini. Charity Among Yourselves.

> stant mutual charity among yourselves, for charity covereth a multitude of sins .- I Peter 4:8. Daily Thought. There is no substitute for thorough-

But before all things have a con-

Charles Dickens. Staple Russian Product. Linseed oil, used in this country in paints, is one of the staple edible oils

going, ardent, sincere earnestness,-

Significance of Beards. Beards, in olden times, were the emblems of wisdom and plety,-May The Heavenly Guest.

If you open the door and let Christ in He will come as a courteous guest; He will take the space that you give to

And will leave you all the rest; If you crowd Him out of your largest

And give Him a corner small, If you scarcely remember that He is And speak of Him not at all-

Ah, then He may grieve when He sees your mind By the cares of the world possessed

When your feet have strayed and your soul is faint And your heart by grief oppressed; But He cannot comfort and lift and

And help as He longs to do-Where He sits apart in your House of Life-

For you have not asked Him to. Oh, make Him the Master of all you The Lord of your heart and soul;

Yield Him all your self for His dwell-And let Him take the whole; He will do for you, He will work with

He will reign in your life alone, And you'll find the blessing that you have missed

And the joy you have never known -Annie Johnson Flint, in Sunday tender spiritual years upon His knees and tenthing him that He is able to

Tradag Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of had colds may be had for a trifle?

The colored speaker who said in a prayer meeting, "I feels like I could say more in five minutes than I could do in a year," was not alone in his experience. There is a great amount of rapturous thought and high resolve that filters down very slowly into the stream of every-day living. It is easy to talk and to see fair visions of perfection, but it is hard to make the dreams come true. Nevertheless, the prayer-meeting moods and visions are

> Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Payorite.

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If one wants to do the work of an evil spirit he need not lure people into crime or tempt them to positive sin; he need only dishearten those who are trying to do right. Belittle the task of the workers, persuade those who toll that their efforts are faulty and futile and some ene else might do far better, make the life's endeavor look poor and useless and the poison has been injected. The discourager does Satan's work in the world, whether he intends it or not. Whoever steals heart and hope out of men leaves them crippled for usefulness. -Forward.

Ewing Bowen Embalmers.::::::

We are carrying to suit the trade, a full line of Caskets and Robes. was tried in a il points as we are, yet without sin." "Touched with a feel-We are also dealers in Flowers and Funeral designs. ing of our franchies," Christ is able All business will receive prompt

to succor us in the hour of need and attention day or night, Abram chose the path of compro-mise and lack of faith. This involved BUSINESS LOCATED AT FLOWER ST BERLIN, MD. ing his wife that would have cost his

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., of Berlin, Md., will be held at the Banking-House of Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co., Berlin, Md., on Wednesday, January 3rd, not cast us off, but brings m's back to 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the pu rpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as n. wy come before the meeting. William L. Holloway, Cashier.

Stockholders' Meeting.

by the placard that the peculiar thing about the color is that it is caused by Notice is hereby given that the annuthe presence of 7 per et at of copper.— Engineering and Mining ; Journal-Press. Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, ther an Va: An inventor has fa cluded a writing desk in a new adj astable reclining chair that also may be used as a bed.

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**OBJECTS TO TERM 'MASSACRE'** Insists That Custer's Last Fight Must Properly Be De-

scribed as a Battle.

Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., in the preface of a volume on "Indian Fights and Fighters," makes a marked distinction between the terms "massacre" and "battle," He says that every time a body of troops engaged in a fight with Indians and the troops were outnumbered or caught at a disadvantage, and the battle was continued until the troops were slaughtered, such an affair was popularly called a "massacre," as, for instance, "The Custer Massacre."

Mr. Brady believes this to be an unwarranted use of the term. Custer, the author points out, attacked the indians and fought desperately until he and his men were all killed. He calls a "battle" and not a "massacre." ben an Indian war party raided a set; lement or overwhelmed a train, or mur tered women and children, that, al meeting of the stockholders of the he th. 'pks, was a "massacre," The su-

"I wo wid like to ask if anyone ever Maryland, will be held in the bank building, on Monday, the lat day January,
1923, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors of said bank for the
ensuing year. John D. Henry, Cashier.

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but I have yet to read in history that the Persians 'massacred' the Greeks in that famous pass,"

Rush to Diamond Fields.

The biggest rush in the history of the Transvani alluvial diamond diggings has taken place at Kaalplaats, 50 miles from Johannesburg. Three thousand would be diggers formed a line 2,100 yards long. A proclamation having been read, a Union Jack was lowered, and the tong line of seekers after fortune moved off at the double over a thousand yards of green, undulating country. Young men and old, both British and Dutch, boys and women and girls, surged forward brandishing pegs. There was great excitement around the richest spot, but so vast was the diamond field that there were claims for all and to spare. Within n little while a thousand diggers had begun work with pick and shovel, and some excellent finds were made. So far, diantonds weighting 1,450 carais and valued at \$08,000 have been found

at Kaniplants. Good Device for City Vehicles. English inventors of a storage-bather lips, the memory of his face a he kneeled that day before her. meeting sent them off into fairyland. They could not be happy apart Man's Promise

By JOHN PALMER ទី៣៣៣៣០០០១១១១១១២០០០៣៣៣<u>០០</u>៩

Clara Bartow stood bolding the newspaper with its announcement in her hand, and in the half-minute that passed she saw it all in retrospect Francis and she were not to blame for having loved each other. They had been introduced by Esther Grey, a flighty little blonde who had a knack of getting hold of good-looking men, attracting them, and then losing their

Interest. Esther and Clara were friends so far as two such women could be friends-Clara, who was all depth and passion and sincerity, and Esther, who could never mean very much to anyone because she meant so little to herself.

Clara stood with her hand in that of Francis, and in that moment she knew that she had found her destiny. Amusing? If you will, but such things do exist. She knew beyond the shadow of a doubt that she would never care for any other man. She knew, too, that she could bring Francis to her feet with a word, a gesture, a glance.

That evening passed like a dream for both. It was next day that Esther explained things when she called. "My, you and Francis did seem taken with each other last night," she said. "I suppose you know he's mar-

Clura felt her heart sink. She could only stare dumbly into her friend's

"Yes, his wife's been incurably insane for years," said Esther. "She's in an institution. Violent, you know, at first, but now they say she sits all day in a sort of apathy. She doesn't know Francis. She may live forty years, but she's hopeless. She'll never know anybody again. Francis was heart-broken."

"He ought to-get a divorce," stammered Clara. "No, I don't mean that." She had blurted out the first idea that came into her head. She felt the telltale flush in her cheeks. "But how sad it is!"

"Very. And there's no divorce for that in this state. Besides, Francis believes it's his duty to wait on the chance that she may some day re-

Clara saw Francis several tinus

from each other. And then-the inevitable happened.

She was in his arms, "Darling, if you will be as my wife to me, I'll be just as true as if you really were my wife in law. She can never recover." Clara's struggle was a hard one, and Francis' pleadings did not make

it any the less formidable. All her instincts cried out to her to accept his offer, to find that happiness which could only exist for her in his arms. And it was not any respect for

moral laws or sodial conventions that finally decided her, but the thought of the poor weman in the asylum. She told him that they must part forever.

And even then he almost persuaded her to change her mind. Kneeling at her feet, sobbing, holding her hands. he begged her to reconsider. "My life without you will be in

possible," be said. But Clara would not yield. "Promise me one thing," he plended. "Will you be true to me as I will

be to you? For I can never care for any other woman. I shall never look at another." "I promise you," said Clara. "So long as I live I shall keep that promise, and walt for you. And, if we

are never to be anything to each other, I shall still be happy in the sacri-He swore, too. They decided, how ever, not to write to each other. That would have been unbearable. If ever he time came when Francis was free,

he was to come to her. That was And the years began to pass. They went slowly at first, then faster. Then they galloped. Clara had been twenty-five—now she was thirtyseven. She had refused several of-

fers of marriage. She had never seen him, but she often heard of him through her friend Esther. He was prospering. His wife was just the same. She would never be any better, and she might ive for years. He had asked after Clara once or twice. But as the years

passed he ceased to do so. Then one day Clara saw in the paper that his wife was dead. And a great flood of happiness filled her heart. And secretly she be-

gan buying little things-linens and laces, and things that a bride purchases. She was too shy to admit very much to herself. But the memory of Francis' kisses was still upon

Two or three weeks passed. Frands must be busy with preparations. He would soon come, perhaps that very day.

Then she read in the newspaper the account of his engagement to Esther

How It Works Out. "Where are you taking your hus-

"To the milliner's." "I wouldn't take my husband where there are so many pretty salesgirls." "Oh, I don't worry. In fact, those pretty salesgirls are of considerable help in getting him to pay \$60 for a

The "Yaller Dog" By MORRIS SCHULTZ 

It was not until they were too weak o continue working that the mining party discovered what was the matter with them. Blg Joe had been spltting blood all the morning.

"Guess I'll have to have them pesky teeth 'tended to in Dawson," he muttered, and collapsed on the tent floor. It was scurvy. All the five of them were affected, but not "Yaller Dog," the white man with a touch of the octoroon in blm, they said. This wasn't why they called him Yaller Dog. That name came after he had slunk out of the way when the party from Parrish's tried to jump the gold-

claim, and the bullets were whizzing

freely. The party from Parrish's de

cided to seek cooler regions; but "al-

ler Dog was a name that clung. Still, he was only a boy. "Guess you was plumb scairt, sonny," suggested Big Joe, laying a kindly hand on the fellow's shoulder. But no one trusted Yaller Dog after that.

And there they were sick with scurvy, all except Yaller Dog, whose colored blood must have told in his favor. He was not used to white nan's food anyway, Tom Leeson said

contemptuously. There they were, sixty miles from nowhere, with winter coming on, too sick to wield a pick, too sick to move. "I guess it's our finish, Tom," said Big Joe. "Unless one of us could git to Gray's store, and that's purty nigh

all is on the Dawson road. And there's a devil of a storm brewing." "Gray's got a sack of pertatles," said Jim Harrigan. "But what's the use

"Where's Yaller Dog?" asked some one. But Yaller Dog, seen in the tent afew m's utes before, had disappeared "Curse him. I guess our claim'il be his for the picking now," said Tom, "Oh, what's the sense of swearing?" muttered Big Joe. "You all knew what Yaller Dog was when that lot from

of thinking of it? I guess we'd better

rot here, rather 'n out in the snow."

Parrish's tried to jump our claim, Can't expect him to change his nature, can ye?" There was a pattering on the tent.

It had begun to snow.

The first mowstorm of the year in Alaska is ant to be as bad as any, It snowed three days and nights. The furious gale tore and battered at the tent. Inside, with snow heaped up about them, lay the five men, prostrate with the helplessness of scurvy. And outside, speeding toward Gray's, went Yaller Dog.

He was yellow, and he knew it. But that touch of Big Joe's hand on his shoulder had awakened something in him, something that beat down the thought of the gold claim that might

Late the second night Yaller Dog limped into Gray's store with his news. He slung the bag of potatoes over his shoulder, and was gone before old Gray, who had expected him to walt, could find his dogs. On he ran, covering the homeware

trail. The snow came down like a curtain, the wind roared, and his eyes were soon closed by reason of the fine particles of ice about the lids. On the way to Gray's, Yaller Dog had had certain land; arks to guide him; but these existed no longer. Everything was covered with the soft branket, into which his feet slipped deeper and

He struggled and fought with tenacity that had never been his. He was fighting his way by instinct against a gale that momentarily grew worse. Hours went by. The sacl upon bis shoulder weighed heavier than lead. The frozen potatoes deals him blows like bullets at every move

At last he could go no further Softly, insensibly, Yaller Dog slipped down in the powdery snow, He closed his eyes. Just one moment's sleep and then up and away again!

The barking of the dogs arouse the somnolent men in the tent, sleeping their lives away under their blankets. The arrival of Gray's sleigh awakened only a momentary interest in them. Gray bad his fire Ht before be shook them to their feet.

"Boys, this is better than potntoes," "It's the last bottle in the store." He poured out a generous half-cupful of line juice for each. "And there 'll be a rig along soon as the storm stops. By the way, where's Yaller Dog? "Twas he warned me. Ain't be with sour?

ap said: "I gaess we're most on'y we don't git found cut."

Radio on Motor Buses. Equipping motor buses with radio apparatus is a departure inaugurated by a transit company operating some 85 of these vehicles on the Pacific coast. This innovation is the result of the keen rivalry of the bus concerns to obtain for their respective lines the patronage of the thousands of tourists who annually visit the western states. That the venture is practical has been fully demonstrated by extensive experiments. Possessing only a two step radio short wave receiving outfit, the experimenters could hear concerts at a distance of 15 miles from the broadcasting station, and this despite the obvious necessity of employing a low antenna.-Popular Mechanics Magazina.

# LIVE STOCK FACTS

Idle Work Horse

The idle work horse will live through the winter and remain in good condition on roughage alone, if of good quality. Onehalf of the roughage should be composed of clover or alfalfa, while the other half may be corn stover and straw. If no legume hay is available and timothy and other carbohydrate roughages must be depended upon for the horse's feed, he should be given a small amount of oats, say from five to seven pounds a day, otherwise his strength and vitality will suffer. With these nonlegume roughages one should not feed corn in place of oats because the former lacks protein. While oats are not rich in this constituent, they are nevertheless much better than corn. Össsassassassassassassassas

FAVOR SMOOTH-TYPE MERINO

Will Produce Good Mutton Lamb Without Sacrificing Appreciably Fineness of Wool.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Sheep breeders of eastern Ohlo. vestern Pennsylvania, and the Pan-Handle section of West Virginia, are leaning more strongly to the smooth-type, broad-backed, Delaine Merino, which will produce a good mutton lamb without sacrificing appreciably the fineness of the wool. While the lambs carnets he most without sacrificing appreciably the fineness of the wool. lambs cannot be marketed so easily as those of the down breeds, says the United States Department of Agriculture, they are ready for market before they are a year old. In some cases the breeder walts until they are a year old, shears them, and then sells them in good flesh, thus getting a double

found that they usually can get a wool of longer staple and of less shrinkage with the smooth-type Merino ther



Smooth-Type Merino Ewo. with the wrinkled type, at the same time it has sufficient fineness to make a very salable woot. The choice lambs produced by these sheep, together with the gain in the length of staple and gain in net yield of clean wool, more than offset a slight sacrifice in fineness of wool, and promise to make the Delaine sheep more popular in most acctions than his wrinkled cousin.

PASTURE REQUIRED FOR HOGS Sufficient Grass for Sow and Her Lit ter Should Not Be Expensive to

the Farmer.

The economy of having plenty of meat, lard, sausage and other products from hogs seems not to have occurred their meat. But it is a fact in some communities very few hogs are raised. For best results pasture is required for enough pigs to be raised for ment mough to do the average farmer. But sufficient for a sow and her litter should not be very expensive. A small area of land fenced so the land may be sown to two or three different crops wiit go a long way toward furnishing economical pork for the farm home.

GIVE CATTLE GOOD SHELTER Windbreaks or Simple Sheds Are Better Than Nothing-Breeding

Herds Need Care.

Simple sheds or windbreaks of some kind are better than no shelter at all. Protect your breeding herds. The breeder who is ever fortified with the ecessary feed and shelter, enabling him to give the proper care to his cattle from the time the snow begins

to fly until all signs of frost have disappeared in the spring, never experiences the dread of an approaching winter.

Fall Flock Management. Autumn management of the flock is quite an outstanding part of the sheep raising business. Next year's profits will depend largely on the care and management from now until winter.

Successful Stockman.

A successful stockman must under stand feeding, breeding, buying and selling, as well as the science of crop

Ground Bone for Hogs. Experiments show ground bone fed ommendation: to growing pigs results in much stronger skeletons.

Ration for Work Horses. During the working season when performing heavy work horses need a iberal ration of grain and roughage.

Topography of the Air.

Explorations of the air have re vealed an astonishing definiteness of arrangement in its layers, although, of course, the details are continually changing. Ley, in England, has directed his studies of floating balloons to a solution of the question of the influence of the coography of the earth's surface on the state of the air above it. He finds, among other things, that the disturbances produced by hills and valleys are transmitted to many farmers, else more would raise | to an uncapectedly great elevation, affecting the lower and middle strata throughout. A general effect noticed is that the velocity of the wind, or of a current of air, is increased over a hill and diminished over a valley. It is thought that similar observations generally distributed, would provide a real topography of the air.

Perhaps Dick Knew How It Was. Dick is naturally curious. Seeing a inborer sitting outside on the curb enting his lunch, he inquired: "What you eating out here for, man? Ain't your mamma home?"-Chicago Trib

Artificial Fruits for Table. There is a man in a small village on the mountainside of northern Italy who carves from marble wonderfully natural fruits and tints them so skill fully and naturally that even horticulturists must inspect them closely to determine their artificiality.

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# Locals.

We wish all our readers a Happy New Year.

Mrs. Thomas R Bryde is seriously ill, in Baltimore.

Miss Mary Anderson celebrated her 50th birthday Wednesday. For Sale-Buick roadster Ap-

ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md.

ior. Inquire of Garfield Johnson. Mrs. E. M. Holland, For Sale-Grocery store; good location. Apply Berlin Advance.

Mrs. M. E. Vincent is home from days.

Miss Irma Vickers, wno has been ill for the past ten days, is much improved.

For Sale-Wall showcase, four doors, glass 18x42 inches. F. E. Konetzka.

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For Sale-Team heavy farm

Monday with his parents, at Mar- Philadelphia to make him a visit dela Springs.

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can Sloves Co., Berlin, Md. Attention is called to the Caivin B Taylor Banking Co. Christmas

Money Club ad on this page. Mr. and Mrs. John Fassitt, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Henry Fas. Farmers to Hold

Joseph Hollins is offering a reduction of 25 per cent on ladies' coats and dresses and men's over-

For Rent-My house and two acres of land on William Street. Also, large pullets for sale. Everett

phia, spent the past week with her those interested in the business afmother, Mrs. Davis, and with the fairs, as well as the farming interformer's son, Bert.

Everett Esham has purchased of H. O. Cropper his soda fountain, candy etc., the sale of which he will continue at the same stand.

Holland & Pruitt completed the new colored school building at Que. ponco, for which they recently recaived the contract, Thursday.

In casting about in search of an appropriate holiday present for an the meeting of the Accomac Farm in Berlin, Md. Fine residence and absent friend, why not give a year's Bureau held on the 29th of Decem- 19 acres of land. Apply to subscription to this newspaper?

The ladies of the Buckingham Church Circle will meet at the home ards improving their conditions, esof Mrs. Josiah Bethards, on the pecially with reference to cooperaevening of Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. tive buying of fertilizer and other All are cordially invited.

John, Henry and Miss Nellie Tingle, of Philadelphia, spent the Christmas holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Tingle, and brother, Clarence Tingle.

Sampson Coulbourn, of Philadelphia, spent the week with his grand- a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Coul- Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y. bourn, of St. Martin's, and brother, Webster Coulbourn, of Berlin.

Mrs. Joseph Hollins and little daughter, Elinor, left Christmas morning for Jacksonville; Fla., to spend several weeks with her daughters, Mrs. Bess's Edwards and Mrs. Souvemir Post Cards Mary Lassarow.

Miss Olive Strickland returned to Wilmington, Tuesday, after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Walter Cox. Her sister, Miss Grace, accompanied her on the return trip for the remainder of the week.

Days are beginning to lengther. For Sale-Gasoline boat. J. M.

Buy a phonograph for \$50 and spend the difference for records at Morgan Bros.

Wanted-10 women operators Jan. 1st, 1923; good wag is, steady

There will be no preaching service Sunday at the Methodist Church, owing to the illness of the pastor's

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Powell, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. Aonie Mr. E. W. McMaster,

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sharp, of Wilmington, have been guests of her parente, Mr. a d Mrs Theodore ers who have passed under your

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holland, of Philadelphia, have been spending For Sale-8 room house with cel- the week with his parents, Mr. and

Abe Hollins and son, Jesse, and Mr. Hollins' brother-in-law, Mr. cept this gift and use it as a con-Kaplan, of Brooklyn, N. Y., came stant reminder of our warm friend-Walston's for the Christmas holi- Thursday to sisit Joe Hollins and ship and esteem for you.

> Members of the Ladies Aid are equested to meet pext Wednesday with Mre. Lytle; those who can carry rags are asked to do so, to commence work on their new supply of

neral of their daughter, Mrs. Hamp- and prosperity in the New Year ton Vickers, on Monday accompanied their son, Wheatley Watson, to

News has reached us too late for a detailed account, of the death Thursday afternoon of Mrs. Martha Holloway. Funeral services will be For Rent-One spartment and held at the home Saturday after. rooms with board, opposite school. noon. Further particulars will be given next week.

> Mr. and Mrs. David E. Young, of mother, Mrs. Sewell Jones, of O-Mary land State School for the Deaf, is also spending her holidays with

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January 2nd, at two o'clock. This cash. farmers' meeting will be in contanction with the meeting of the Worcester County Farmers' Federation. FOR SALE-There will be numerous subjects of Mrs. Melissa Cathell, of Philadel- importance to be discussed and all BLACKSMITH SHOP ests of Worcester County, are urged to attend

Mr. C. C. Gelder, a member of the State Agricultural Society, will discuss the state program of work and explain the part our farmers have in the State Agricultural Society and in the National Farm Bureau Federation.

Several representatives from Worcester County in attendance to ber, will discuss the progress being made by the Accomac farmers towcommodities.

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Snow Hill, Md. December 20th, 1922.

Pocomoke City, Md

Dear Sir; The long line of teachmemory of your goodness, wish at mas holidays from Augusta Military ... is Christmas Season to express to Academy. you in smail measure their appre-

the Public School System of Worcester County.

Mr. and Mrs W. K Watson, of We all join in wishing you a Mer-Girdletree, after attending the fu- ry Christmas and health, happiness,

# Mrs. Hampton Vickers.

An unusually sad death occurred last Friday afternoon, when Mrr. Hampton Vickers, only 33 years of age, was called into eternity. She had been critically ill for the week 9,80 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B previous, at one time the report being circulated that she was dead.

Mrs. Vickers is survived by her 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Bristol, Pa , and Miss Reto Jarvis husband and seven children, rangare spending the bolidays with their ing in age from a daughter of six- 7.30 p. m. Evening Service and teen, to a boy only two weeks old; cean City. Miss Ruth Jones, from also, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer service. William K. Wa'so., of Girdletree, two brothers, Warrie, of Girdletzee, and Wheatley, of Philadelphia, and one sister, Mrs. Irving Merritt, of Berlin.

Funeral services were held at the hama Surday alternoor at 4 o'ol by Rev. J. Russ Il Verbiycke, and friends for their kine. interment was in Bucking ham Com. the illness and death of their wi

Her perents and other relatives and friends from Girdletree and Snow Hill, attended the funeral 10 and friends from Girdletree and Also, her brother, Wheatley Wat-

A meeting of farmers will be held kindly bring or send the amount at in the Court Room at Snow Hill on once; trade, if more convenient than

# AND CONTENTS.

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At five o'clock the guests, who ciation of your kindness in the past. Were Miss Elinor Powell, of We, therefore, beg that you will ac- Snow Hill, Miss Lydia Coates and McFadden Dick, of Salisbury, Miss Elizabeth McCabe, of Selbyville, Miss Nadine Farlow, Odlando Har-Not only teachers and pupils, rison Jr., Howen Quillin, of Berlin, but the parents whose problems were invited into the dining-room you shared will ever retain the most which was beautifully desorated, grateful feelings toward you, so that the color scheme being red and your name is intimately and indel- green. The favors were rather uibly interwoven into the history of nique in being a large peanut shell, suspended from chandelier with red ribbon, containing outs and a verse of poetry appropriate to the occasion, which was read and enjoyed by each guest. After spending a pleasant evening, they said goodnight, wishing Gunby's Christmas

# Buckingham Presbyterian Church J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

dinner came four times a year.

Taylor, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m. Divine Worship. Topic, "New Year's Psalm."

Sermon for the Old Year. You are cordially invited to thes

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ed from the kitchen. The feeding

method of this poultryman is to sent

ter the garbage on the grass in such quantities that the fowls will clean up

all the refuse. He rotates these feed-

ing spots in such a wry that no con-tamiration results. The outstanding

feature of the success of this poultry

man is centralized in his painsynking

selection of the garbage and the elip

ination of all objectionable material

also from the feeding of garbage to

small flock of turkey's is maintained

on this farm and the gobblers gobble

when garbage lunch time rolls around

The turkeys keenly relish the table

seraps and abandon tender grasshop

pers and succulent alfalfa in order

to scamper to the feeding spots when

A little girl had been taken to

church by her Aupt Helen. On re-

turning home her mother began to

cross-examine her as to what she had

"What hymn did you have, dear?

The little girl's memory failing her

for the moment, she turned inquir-

ingly to her aunt who whispered in

"Well, what was it?" her mother

"Sun of Aunt Helen's Soul" was the

her ear: "'Sun of My Soul,' dear."

reply that astonished her parent.

asked, a trifle impatiently.

he garbage wagon approaches.

she asked.

their way to a front line position

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# The Personable Young Man

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

"Bully good idea! Bully good idea!" Smith Taylor, genial proprietor of the popular Crystal Inn, slapped his thigh resoundingly. "The one great lack of summer resorts is unattached-and attractive-young fellows. It will be money in my pocket to hire some chap for the season, just to play guest, and who'd be the wiser?" He scratched his fringe of bair and put pencil to paper, with the following prompt re

"Wanted-Personable young may for pleasant and remunerative occupa tion. Must play golf and tennis and have snappy outfit of clothes. Apply,'

"Now, let's see if that doesn't fetch 'em!" he exclaimed triumphantly.

Fetch 'em it apparently did, for Tayfor received many replies, which he carefully sifted until but one remained, and that the most satisfactory, except in one particular, Percy Jones! Nope; that name simply wouldn't do-didn't fit the part he had mapped out for

"We'll fix that up, however," he decided easily, and wrote a long letter of explanation, terms of contract and so forth to the unfortunately christened young man, omitting, however, all mention of his name. "No use prejudicing him," thought Taylor. "He may be partial to what he's been called all his life. Time enough when he

Transportation to Crystal Inn is long and involved, necessitating many different kinds of conveyances. As a re-sult, guests arrive in bunches and the few moments after the arrival of the trl-weekly steamer are invariably busy ones, particularly the day before the Fourth. Smith Taylor, with a thouhampered by effusive greetings of old patrons, had but a moment to spare for the tall, broad-shouldered young man who swung down the gangplank and stood looking about for a moment in the midst of his bags.

"Clerk's got your room for you," cried Taylor, rushing up and grasping his hand. "Make yourself comfortable



Exchanged Confidences.

and, by the way," here he looked anxlously about, then straining on tiptoe, spoke in the other's ear. "If it's all the same to you, I'm going to change your name. You're Van Suydam. Curtis Van Suydam., 'S it all right?"

He was away before receiving an answer, but the young fellow was regarding his bustling figure with tolerant amusement. Sure he'd be Van Suydam. What odds? And certainly this strange and unaccustomed venture was proving interesting right from the start.

The interest did not slacken. That very evening Smith Taylor saw to it that, unobtrusively yet definitely, he met every one of the gay bevy of girls and attractive women who clustered on the broad verandas or strolled the shaded paths that bordered the lake.

That is, all but one. That particular girl, oddly enough, seemed to "Van Suydam" the most alluring of them all. Later he was to know her as Ellen Taylor, Smith Taylor's only, cherished daughter. And

Taylor was not minded to waste the attentions of an expensive experiment

Van Suydam's days became a round of pleasure. Much to his concealed amusement, Taylor tipped him off frequently as to which of the guests deserved especial consideration. "That Miss Alexander, now-she's a rich old girl, will stay on here for weeks if she likes it here. Humor her a bit, my boy, in the matter of tennis. Plays like a cow, of course, but- And that Watson girl-her people come every

Two things Van Suydam regretted. That he had so little time and energy to devote to what he considered his chief business in life, writing, and that by the very nature of things he saw o little of Ellen. Die proved strrigey elusive, and, for that very reason, all the more provocative. He gatuered, furthermore, that the one sure way to bring a frown to Smith Taylor's brow was to let him find them together. On the other hand, Taylor said nothing about the matter and Van Suydam resolved presently to pur-

sue Ellen more persistently. One week from the day of his ar-ival, Van Suydam sought out Taylor n the office, seeking him rather than the cierk, as Taylor attended personally to the cashing of checks.

"What's my account?" he asked pleasantly of Taylor, who was ripping oper an envelope. "I like to settle up weekly."

"You do, ch?" Taylor paused in the act of drawing out a letter and tegarded Van Suydam over his glasses. 'Well-let's see. I agreed to pay you twenty dollars a week and board, wasn't that 1t?" "Pay me?" said Van Suydam, "What

the deuce-" At that moment Taylor, who had glanced at his letter, sprang up sud-"Who

the devil are you?' he shouted. Van Suydam merely blinked. "You nean, who am I, really? I'm Curtis Van Suydam, to please you, but, as a matter of fact, I'm Barry Evans of Evanston, Ill.'

"Then what-listen here." Taylor rend the letter aloud, then glared at Van Suydam allas Evans, "Dear Sir: Started for your place out came down with measles en route. Impossible to accept your offer.

"Yours truly, "PERCY JONES." Van Suydam shook his head, "Means nothing in my young life," he said. "Came up here to get first-head ex-

of summer girls for a new novel promised my publishers in the fall. They consider me weak on delineation of the flapper type. You see, I've always spent my vacations in the north woods and dodged the sex completely. Didn't penetrate your scheme about change of name, but rather thought you recognized me and novelists were tabooo at your establishment. Rather pleased, personally, at incog-

Taylor was beginning to see light. "Thunderation!" he cried. "Well, I might have known you were too good to be true. Put it there!" and he held

Later 's rry and Ellen, out on the lake in a canoe, exchanged confidences. "Dad told me he'd hired you and it didn't seem fair, somehow, to the guests for you to be acting under false colors. I-I fried not to like

"You tried?" asked Barry gleefully. "Oh, Ellen won't you be my summer girl for niways?" "I'll-I'll try !" said Ellen, but Barry, catisfied arawhat he read in her lifted

glance, beached the came at the near

TURTLES CANNOT BE TAMED

Creature Aversion to Man Has Beer Found Too Deep-Seated to Be Eradicated.

The turtle has been called "the tiger of the reptile world," for it is well-nigh impossible to tasse him. One kind, the great snapping turtle, always has its jaws aggressively open, is quick as lightning in its novements, and can bite off a man's arm quite easily.

Even the common soft-shelled turtles, those that figure on the menu at hanquets, appear to recognize in man their natural enemy, and it is not eas; to pick one up without being bitten.

Tortoises, on the other hand, are quite affable creatures, and easily tamed. Even the gigantic land tortolses of the Galapagos Islands soon learn to distinguish between individuals.

Regarding these latter, survivals from a prohistoric age, Mr. Raymond L. Ditmars has much of interest to tell us in his book, "Reptiles of the

Their habits in love-making, for instance, are decidedly curious. The mate woos the female by stalking her in diminishing circles, from time to time approaching her, raising him-self as high as possible on his short legs, and then battering his shell ngninst bers with resounding thwacks. An crocodiles are dangerous, spiteful brutes. Those of the Nile are deliberate man-enters, often coming out of the water to attack humans, and the same holds good of many of the Indian varieties.

Even baby crocodiles are savage snapping if they are approached, and they are always unsafe to handle. Alligators, on the other hand, make approached boldly and captured by throwing a nesse around the laws. They apparently grow quite tame in

Apples Like Onions. An apple, an onion and a potato teste nike. It is necessary to see and smell them to detect the differ-

This is not a riddle but a fact stated by Dr. J. A. Hadtield in his lecture on "The Psychology of Feeding" at the Nations' food exhibition Another statement be made that will astonish most people is that we do not smell chloroform but only

The mind has a powerful influence on digestion, he said, and instanced the case of a man who became sick when he took milk simply because in his childhood he had been compelled to take medicine in it.



Affection Is Common Among Chickens and is Caused by an Extremely Small Mite.

Scaly leg of poultry is a common and well-known affection of chickens that sometimes causes affected birds to become worthless. It is caused by an extremely small mite that works in and under the crusts that form on Caraway or sulphur olntment will kill the pests. Scales form



Bad Case of Scaly Leg.

at the point of invasion of the insect, and under them the skin is irritated and bloody. Badly affected birds walk with difficulty, and may even lose a toe; later they become thin, lose their appetites and prove worth-

To treat scaly leg the feet and legs of affected fowls are held in warm water for several minutes, so that the crusts are softened and can be removed. A mite killer is then applied to the dry diseased surface. The following mixtures are recommended: 1. Oil of caranay, mixed in four times PROVERBS WHICH ONE QUOTES

People Naturally Are Apt to Use Those Which Relate to Their Businesses.

Did you ever notice how provincial and self-centered the world is? Why, we can't hold an ordinary conversation without some hint of our petty business affairs entering in. The very proverbs which we affect, the very bromides of speech to which we are subject, are all directly traceable to our particular every-day pursuits.

Having always suspected this to be true, I one day set about to prove 1. In my daily search for Judgelets, a gaging them in pleasant colloquy.

Here's the result : "I'm pleased to meet you," smiled

"Suit yourself," said the tailor. "That's right," agreed the traffic cop "And so forth," said the dressmaker. "That's a dirty shame," observed the

"That's the long and short of it," re torted the rural telegraph operator. "Try to keep a stiff upper lip," ad-

"Every little bit helps," philosophized

nished the barber. "Yes, I need it," protested the baker "I'm not very well posted on that," iltered the bookkeeper. "These words shall be my last," averred the cobbler .- Alfa Eugene Bye

Ask your growing chicks if they like clean, fresh water.

The loss from lice and mites is more than their weight in gold.

The growing chicks are calling for green feed. Give them plenty. High producing bens are often

edge-shaped with point in front, Nature stimulates in the spring, Man should help in the fall and win-

Have at least one nest for each six Keep plenty of straw in the

DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO LOVE

Gilbert Frankau Believes the Young Woman of Today is Not Capable of Self-Sacrifice.

You have to watch the modera dance to see the modern girl at her most self-revealing. Regard her carefully, this bepainted, bepowdered, bemanicured product of our heetle age, as she circles the ballroom, dances emotionally, but her emotions are for the rhythm and the music, not for the mere male, her partner. Even ir. a man's arms she is as nearly sex less as the ladies of the Lysistrata Gilbert Frankau writes in the Forum Regarding her thus, one cannot help answering the question which stand at the head of this article in the most emphatic negative. No! Give her all her good qualities, her poise, her efficiency, her intelligence and you will still be forced to adult that - Judging her superficially-the modern girl is not enpuble of a great and endur n love. To begin with, she is too selfistoo self-centered, too set on the pur suit of what she considers pleasure to abandon herself to that self-sai fice which is love at its hast then, perhaps, she is too a be

Myself, I am and have about her a strong supporter of the citil son tract in matrim ny. Matrim o after all, is however much sermental, middle-aged togers like m self may like to regard it as a but love affair-a legal undertaking An I think that it is high time for the young man of today to understanthat his legal undertaking when h marries a self-supporting or an tude purely and simply to housing her. The modern woman, you see, is somethin; more than a mere domesticated pet. She requires her leisures, her pleas ures and, more perhaps even than these, her full partnership rights.

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| 50 " "                | 13.25            | 9.95        |
| 50 " "                | 9.80             | 7.45        |
| Covered vegetable dis | shes, 1.10       | .65         |
| Small bowls,          | .15              | .10         |
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THINGS SEEN AND HEARD

Annapolis .- Sergt. H. C. Heffner, 40 years old, for several years drum H. Frost, whom he named as a commajor of the Naval Academy Band, died at the naval hospital here following a brief Illness of pneumonia, which developed from an attack of pleurisy. Surviving him are a widow and four children, who live at Homewood, near Annapolis.

Annapolis,-Major Edmund P. Duvall, a native of Annapolis, former prominent athlete at St. John's College, has been transferred to the retired list of the United States Army at his own request. With his family, he plans to go to Pinehurst, N. C., where he will devote a large part of his time to giving lessons in horse-

Hagerstown,-Five knights of Dixie Klan, Ku Klux, of this city, in regalia, entered the Salvation Army hall during services and presented the officers with \$21 for use in Christmas relief. Adjutant Bessle Humphreys had been notified that a delegation from a secret organization would visi- he meeting and was told not to be frightened when they appeared.

Baltimore.-Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge accepted an invitation to open the Charity Ball to be given for the benefit of the Union Memorial Hospital at the Lyric January 5. This announcement was made by Mrs. Eugene Levering general chairman of the ball committee. Other distinguished guests will include General Pershing, Governor Ritchie, Mayor Broening and many of the diplomatic set in Wash-

Baltimore,-"Modern religion with out the press would be impossible," the Rev. Robert Evans Browning. rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension, declared, speaking of "Pulpit and Press." Not only does the press create public opin ion and establish comity and friendship among peoples and nations," he said. "but it is responsible for the eradication of many abuses and wrongs and has been the promoter of countless uplifting causes."

that in the future he would consider punch boards as gambling devices, Magistrate Joseph L. Renft, in the Northwestern Police Court, dismissed Louis Hillman, 21 years old, who keeps a store at 2421 West North avenue, upon a charge of distributing gambling devices. According to the police, Hillman has been selling the punch boards to children. It was testifled that cash prizes were given those who punched the lucky number. Further distribution of the boards will bring a heavy fine, the magistrate

Easton .- At the meeting of the council here a motion was passed that the Mayor ask for the resignation of E. G. Kastenhuber, Jr., town engineer. William Whitby, a member of the council, stated that several matters have come to the attention of the body recently leading to the determination to request the resignation. The latest, Mr. Whitby states, was the charge of \$465 made by Mr. Kastenhuber for engineering services and in spection of curb and gutter on South Aurora street and North Washington street. A few weeks ago Mr. Kastenhuber preferred charges against Mr. Whithy, asking that his license as

Baltimore,-George E. Kieffner, Assistant United States District Attorney, who has handled most of the narcotic cases in the local Federal Cour during the last two years or more, said per cent, of the total criminal prosecutions before Judge Rose. "I do not believe there has been any marked increase in narcotic addicts since the dry laws went into effect," said Mr. Kieffner. "It is an argument of the wets that the use of parcotics has increased with the enforcement of the dry laws, and at the same time they say the dry laws are a failure because liquor is so easy to procure.'

Baltimore. - O'he nomination o Judge John C. Rose was confirmed by the Senate and he may enter upon his duties as Circuit Judge of the Fourth Circuit at any time. His pro motion leaves a vacancy on the dis trict bench which must be filled at an early day. Appreciating the importance of speedy action, the leaders of the local bar are concentrating their influence to insure the nomina tion of a man who is eminently qualified to fill the position. Almost every lawyer of any prominence is urging the appointment of Judge Morris A. Soper, and the pressure exerted is so great he cannot well afford to refuse to accept if the tender is made. It is understood that others who are seeking the appointment have strong political indorsements, but it is doubted that these will avail when the facts re squarely placed before the Presi lant and the Attorney General.

Would Scom Logical. If there he a paradise for virtues, here must be a hell for crimes,-

# STATE CAPITAL

Fulton Health Director

Dr. John S. Fulton, for many years secretary of the State Board of Health, will be the new Director of Health under the reorganization plan, Governor Ritchie announced.

His appointment is in accordance with a recommendation made to the Governor by Dr. William H. Welch, Dr. Lewellys F. Barker and Dr. Wade mittee to select a suitable candidate. Governor Ritchie, told the committee he wanted to make the selection non political and would appoint the man they recommended.

Members of the committee said they had exhausted the field of possible candidates and that Dr. Fulton was the best man available for the post.

The committee also recommended with Dr. Fulton, concurring, that a younger physician be selected by the new board of health to study the principal development of public health work in other States and to extend the work of the Maryland department along two lines. One of these is educational, that of bringing the department into closer relationship with the people. The other is a strengthening of county health organization, with as many county health officers as possible giving full time to work. The additional member of the department, it was suggested, should be employed as an assistant to the director or in some other capacity.

Governor Ritchie said he would reappoint the present personnel of the State Board of Health. The appointve members are Dr. Welch, president; Dr. Benjamin B. Perry, Dr. William W. Ford, Dr. E. F. Kelly and folley A. Blays. Dr. Fulton, Dr. C. Hamp-son Jones and Alexander Armstrong are members ex-officio.

The Governor talked with Dr. Barker later about naming him as one of the members of the Board of Walfare. Dr. Barker has not yet judicated whether he will be willing to zerve.

Appointment of Dr. Arthur P. Hering, secretary of the State Lunacy Commission, as Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, is regarded as likely. There is said to be little likelihood of anyone being found whom the Governor would regard as better qualified in this field.

Dr. Henry J. Berkley, Dr. J. Albert to the Mental Hygiene Board, it is understood. Two additional members will be appointed, the new board being

The State Tax Commission took steps preliminary to reassessing in a saves work in the the railroads in the State. The assessable basis is at present put at \$66, 000,000, including property in Balti more city.

Representatives of the Pennsyl vania, Baltimore and Ohio, and West ern Maryland Railroads, the Chesa peake and Potomac Telephone Com pany and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company met with the Commission in Chairman Bock's office and discussed the project.

Appeals taken from two assess ments, one in Baltimore county and the other in Harford county, have furnished the Commission with op portunity for action. The assess ments from which the appeals wer taken involve an increase of about

Assessments of railroad property said. Both the Tax Commission and the corporations desire a uniform system, and it is the institution of such a system which is now projected.

# Delays Clinic Decision.

Governor Ritchie has not yet been able to write his resume of the testimony taken in the Foster Clinic in vestigation.

The Governor has gone over all th estimony and took some of it with him to the Governors' conference at White Sulphur Springs with the view of putting his conclusions in writing while there, but did not find time do so.

The main question is whether Dr J. Hubert Wade should be continued as superintendent of Foster Clinic, which is a department of Spring The investigating committee advised that he be separated from the management of the clinic.

### Many Marylanders Favor Senator Ball's Park Act.

State and local associations have started a movement to urge upon Congress passage of the bill introduced by Senator Ball, of Delaware, last month, for the extension of parks and playgrounds of Washington into Maryland and Virginia.

Maryland organizations which are supporting the measure include the Southern Maryland Society, the membership of which is drawn largely from the regions affected; the City-Wide Congress, the Federation of Women's Clubs of Maryland and several local organizations of Prince George's and Montgomery counties.

Daily Thought, The man who can't and anything to do generally hunts with great caution.

WIN HONOR AND OPPORTUNITY

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care of cattle and sheep was included in their program. These boys and girls have won individual recognition of sheir work from the Junior committee for, on account of the distances be tween farm houses, it was too difficult

to organize group work for this honor. Then to the "Baby Beef Exhibit," the scouts went. There they saw the boys and girls who have raised the choicest beef from Maine to New Jer-

The state departments enjoyed the morning visits of the boys. Massachusetts had answers ready for every question that was asked about the logging and fishing industries. Vermoni taught the boys how maple sugar is made and just how the granite is cut. Maine had surprises in petato raising, lumber and game fishing. New Hampshire imparted to the scouts the are at present made in a manner far secret of growing rosy and juicy apfrom uniform, if not haphazard, it is ples and told them the reason why its dairy products have become so famous, and something of its reforestation work. From Rhode Island the scouts learned how textiles are made and how to judge the various kinds. Connecticut explained its industries and emphasized its agricultural products. New York, New Jersey, Penn-sylvania and Delaware had much to crowd into their mornings with the scouts regarding their respective man-ufacturers, agricultural and education-

al work. The livestock show, with its blooded stock assembled from overywhere in the United States, had a special at-

Then the farm mechanics. Scouts had an opportunity at this section of the fair for keen observation which they could follow up by scout ingenuity, when they reached home. Industries in the cities were not over-

looked. Candy making, for instance was explained to the scouts, and one large candy company gave an exclusive and satisfying demonstration for the boys. The making of jewelry, of heating plants, of various types of automo biles, and many other articles, And then the Perse show! Owner experts, jockeys were there, glad to show selected horses to the scouts and to tell how the horses are trained for racing and how they are brought to the height of perfection necessary to

win prizes for their owners. The slogan of the junior work com-mitree of the exposition in getting together this honor band of scouts was "As fine an exhibit of boys as of cattle and horses," and the scouts re plied, when hearing of the wonders they were to see, that the slogan was a real challenge, and they were out

Origin Lost In Antiquity.

Engagement Ring Mas Become Recognized In Stution

There wasn't much mance con-tected with the ring back in the second century, B. C., when woman lest began to flash it on the fourth finger of her left hand as a symbol of betrothat. The engagement ring originated as a "safety first" institution to hold fickle and forgetful man his first avowal of love until the wedding ceremony took place. As an ancient document reveals:

"There are many men who, for-getful of their plighted faith, defer the fulfillment of their nuprial con-tracts. Therefore there shall be a "There are many men who, forand a betrettal ring given and ne-

An old Crainn formula leads:
"I give to this sine as a sign of the marriage which his been promised between ve provided your father

gives 561 your marriage portion of a thougand reichialet."

During the Seventeenth century England chose to have the engageon the English women were them on their thumbs during the reign of George I, was because they were too arge to wear on any other finger. The old Hebrew betreinal rings were almost as large us trenips, including in their superstructure reproductions of Solomon's terrile or some other sacred building.

At one time the engagement ring consisted of three hoops looped together into what was known as a gimmel or puzzle ring. When the wedding took place one of these hoops was kiept by the bride, one given to the groom and the Card bestewed on an intimate friend who acted as witness to the ceremony.

# ALL SEEK ROYAL WARRANTS

How Restrictions Have Been Placed on Privilege That is Much Coveted in England.

The most important of all comme dal honors is the royal warrant, and naturally it is much coveted, says ondon Tit-Bits.

The first th ng a warrant holder has to learn is that his privileges are limited and what these limits are. A royal warrant of appointment to the king means that a holder of this document is entitled to use the royal arms over his shop and on his note paper.
He may not display the royal arms on a flag or use them as a trademark.
If he user them is his trade announcement in the user them is a very careful to use

the use of the word "royal" is not allowed without apocial permission.

How Gold Prospectors Work. Whether gold occurs as an alluvial deposit or in a "reef," it is traced by the prospector with the help of a gold "pan." This is a shallow van of

light sheet fron with dished sides. When "panning" for gold, the propecter places the sand, soil, or crushed rock into the pan, and adds water to wet the substance to be panned. Then, holding the pan in a tub or stream of water, he adds more water, and by a shaking motion works the heavy minerals to the bottom of the pan. By a lapping process he ejects the sand until there remains only concentrates, smong which the gold may be distin grished by its color and relative heavi-

There are rich gold reefs which shed gold very sparingly, and sometimes the gold is locked up in pyrite or other minerals, from which it is liberated by roasting or chemical treatment.

Choose for the trial a windy day when the air is free from rain or snow. Take a bright, clean handsaw or other polished metal object about two feet in length and having a straight edge. Hold the saw or metallic surface at right angles to the direction of the wind. Incline it at about 35 or 40 degrees to the horizon and with the back up, so that the moving air, in striking the surface will glance upward and flow over the edge of the metal, as water flows over a dam. Sight carefully along the edge of the metal, at a sharply defined object, and you will see the wind or air waves pouring over the edge in graceful curves.

Unusually Endowed With Legs. Following on the reports from On-tario of quadruped birds comes a story from Tawatinaw, Alberta, where a farmer has a four-legged chicken. The two extra legs in this case seem to have grown just at the end of the me and across each other just under the tail. It is a healthy bird and will eat and fight with the rest of the

Pig Retrieved Ring.

While digging potatoes a Prince Ed-ward island woman lost her wedding ng, which was too big. The pigs were then turned into the garden to root for the pointoes that were missed. When the hogs fattened and were tchered the woman's ring was found on one of the pig's teeth.

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"How-came Maggie?"

No answer, "You know better. There must have been a reason for your putting soap in the mashed potatoes. Possibly you were angry?

Maggie stayed on .- New York Eve-

ning Post. **GREATEST OF ALL QUESTIONS** 

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From the streets,

From the many windows, From orphan and foundling asy From the factories, From the squalld homes, And from the homeless places. From the windows of the schools He looks at us inquiringly, He, the future of the race He looks at us and through us, And far away Into the distant future, And sometimes in his eyes There is hope and cheer, And sometimes reproach, and sometimes despair.

He is not alone for his mother, Not alone for his father, But belongs to every one of us; He is the deepest concern of us all What shall be done for Everychild? -Frederick Peterson in the North American Review.

We had best stop and look at Every-

Use of Rays by Flowers. Do flowers use rays not visible to the human eye to attract insects to them? Certain insects can spot altraviolet light that cannot be seen by man, and some blossoms, in addition to their ordinary brilliant bues, vary in the kind of short light rays that they

Prof. F. K. Richtrayer of Cornell university told the Optical Society of America, meeting at the bureau of standards in Washington recently, that these invisible rays may guide pollencaring insects to the flowers in their search for honey. Glving signals in rays shorter than the deepest violet that we can see brings the flowers the pollen that is necessary to it in prolucing seed. Experiments made by Professor Richtmyer on Colorado flow-ers show that flowers apparently differ in their reflection of ultraviolet as much as in their visible colors.

Pathologists in the United States army service in Manila say that almost nine out of ten persons in the Philippines have hookworm infection The cases are not serious, but they lower the efficiency of the Fillpino worker and likewise reduce the powers of resistance against qualaria, tuberculosis and other allments. The army scientists are using carbon ter-rachloride as a specific against the Politeness Springe From Kindness.

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timer the usual dove to prisoners under the death minalty. They got to get rid of them was to hang them. It is a big job to unhook the hookworm, but science is going to do it. Give it time and practice. Los An-

Mongrel Dog's Devotion. The devotion of dogs was illustrated at a London hospital the other day. A little mongrel, coming from out a side street, placed dis paws on the hospital railings, and by whining and barking, attracted a large crowd, All efforts to make it go away were without success. After several minutes a young nurse appeared and gazed at the distressed creature. Then a smile spread over her features, and, gently picking up the dog, she took it into the hospital. It then turned out that the dog's master had been admitted into the hospital and his devoted pet

had followed him.

Discouraging Trap Stealing. A Busque sheep herder convicted of trap stealing in Lessen county, California, recently was fined \$100 and sen-tenced to jall for six months. The case was brought to trial and settled within four weeks. The field operations in predatory animal work conducted by the blological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture have been seriously interfered with by the stealing of traps, and it is believed that as a result of convictions and heavy sentences the nulsance will

Scottish Estates Being Sold. Enormous estates in Scotland are going under the hammer, due in many cases to the taxes that have followed the war. As many as 310 square miles of, forests, grouse moors said farms, with salmon and trout fishing, whole rivers and lochs, islands and mountains, and comfortable houses are offered for sale at the present time, including a large part of the Caledonian forest. Yacht anchorages and sea fishing are plentiful. The briefest statement of the game

bags on some of the properties, and

of the average takes of trout and

salmon, brings into strong relief the

fact that, like Scott's "Finnan had-dock," the sporting thus indicated "has a relish of a very peculiar and delicate flavor," inimitable elsewaere, Windmills in Place of Sails. Windmills to drive ships are the

product of the French inventions department, an official war agency that has been continued. These windmills are intended to enable countries with-out coal or oil fields to sail the seas without coal or petroleum. The power of the windmill is transmitted below decks, where it later appears at the propellers.-The Nation's Business.

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numbers. Wait not until you are sure

of an echo from a crowd. The fewer

To Thine Own Self Be True.

a good or bad construction on your

What Marriage Is.

First English Daily Paper.

Daily Courant, appeared in 1702 and

the first Sunday papers, the British

Gazette and the Dally Monitor, in

the baseball park .- Boston Transcript

Poor Opinion of Some Husbands.

a bit of work done," said a woman li

Future Nitrogen Consumption.

Deadly Poison From the Upas.

The smallest wound from an arrow

tipped with the poison taken from the

Be Ready for Opportunity.

man to be ready for his opportunity

Poor Humanity.

Some people hope for the best only under protest and are disappointed

Correct Measure of Man.

One Secret of Sucsess.

upas tree of Java is fatal.

when it comes,-Disraell.

when it happens.

man.-Carlyle.

The first English daily paper, the

Martin, "you are taken in."

rental for the meter and for the fix-

for it."-Hiawatha (Kan.) World.

lays, crows and blackbirds.

looks like narrow boards.

company.

change.

sidered by no means negligible.

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INDEPENDENT. REFORM.

## The New Year.

the year 1923. Mighty coming a peculiar dull color, and his eyes be-Tremendous social changes are im-

The past year in many respects small portion of meat.

If, as with the elephant, there is was a wonderful year in America. much fat with the meat, the natives of the country other than their We have forged forward along al. are likely to become extremely fit on most every line of material prog- three days of consecutive marching a ress. Nature has poured for us an kilangozi, or head porter, of mire who almost continuous stream of bless- was of slight bulld carried his mat, ings from her copious stores, and a tusk that weighed one hundred our commerce has caught up this and forty-eight pounds! The shortest treasure, distributing it throughout day was five hours, and some days this land and through the lands were very long indeed. For rations throughout the march he had two The dying year was a good year as much meat and elephant fat as he

to u- as a nation, and, though sor- cared for. His physical condition was magnificent throughout.-From the row came to many, there still was Youth's Companion. more of joy than sorrow, more of laughter than of tears. The echoes LAMENTS CHANGE IN FASHION of the great war have largely died away and we have definitely set to work to secure a lasting peace, and

rest, the message of Bolshevism- Newark from Hawall and the South these are the results of the war's Sea islands, brought a dismal tale of the ravages of fashion in those once reactions. These dangers will be guilleless and innocent regions. It's overcome by the sound sen-a and the Paris-born craze for long skirts, patriousm of our people. We are says Cap'n Dingle and his crew, Americans. And when that is said

citizens and to all those who are in Even ! neky Bill Fanning, optimist need. We hope to continu- to that he is, joined in the threnody. It strive for the attainment of the no- orman shed tears, he said, to see the blest individual and national ideals, girls all wadded up in straw and moss We would work in harmony with each other efficiently, so that the lands was be er than a Fourteenth cumulative result of our efforts shall street burlesque, but now it was duller lor in large when 1923 shall have than Teaneck .- New York Tribune. followed all the other years of do-

the live I, strived level suffere I, sian recognion? large one, to be best to the mosts of More on the loss of the jewels of the courts here's memory, then ment, known as the "Vatiennus," an have green and an fair of the unclas manuscript of the Fourth cenbrotherhood f en out the twi-

We wish you all a happy and a prosperous New Year.

companied by Mr and Mrs. Charles The action of the German govern-C. Smith and Mrs. George Pryor, their own money in small denominafrom near Salisbury, attended the tions recalls a somewhat similar state afternoon session of the dedicatory of affairs in the early years of George service of the new \$75,000 Baptist III in England. Church at Crisfield, Wednesday, coin in circulation was inadequate, The auditorium of this beautiful and tradesmer all over the country church has a seating capacity of issued tokens of their own which at-1,200. The dedicatory sermon was regal coinage. One manufacturer in preached by Rav. Russell-Conwell. Birmingham issued over 9,000,000 pen-D. D., LL. D., pastor of the Baptist nies and 3,500,000 half-pennies in the Temple, Philadelphia. The dedicatory prayer was offered by Rav. J. F. Rorex, pastor of the Baptist Church at Marion, Md. A good collection was taken in the afternoon. At night, Dr. Conwell delivered his famous address, "An Acre of Diamonds."

Notice the date on your label, (the date to which you are paid,) and if you are not paid at least up to date, please settle at once.

## WHY MEN BECOME CANNIBALS

Writer Asserts Cause Is Natural Craving for Meat Where There is a Scant Supply.

Why does man became a cannibal? Mr. W. D. M. Bell, a contributor to some interesting things about the ex-Bahr Aouk in Africa,

When they tahabit a stockless area, he says, they go for months without lesh, except of course for an occasional rat, mongoose or bird. In those circumstances the craving for meat lies dormant. If any nation in the naturally becomes intense and in my oinion is the cause of cannibalism.

When the people suddenly have alnost unlimited meat, as they do have when they kill an elephant or a hippopotamus, they simply gorge themselves. A man will eat from fifteen to twenty pounds in twenty-four hours. We stand upon the threshold of All night long he will eat and doze and doze again. As a result his skin turns completely recovered his natural appearance and is again full of energy. minent We can but dimly conjec- In a short time he wants his grain ture what may be the world's so- food again and if he has the choice cial complexion of the tomorrow. | will eat a large portion of grain to a

> that dlet. For example, for sixtypounds of native grain every day and

Captain Dingle Says Paris Dress Craze Has Hit South Sea Island Femininity, Too.

Capt. Charles Dingle of the freight-Our labor trouble, our social under Bay Port, which arrived in Port that has sophisticated the spicy isles. "They're wearin' them straw dresses

all right," explained Skip Slattery, No great the Now Y ar bravely, freighter, "but they're wearin' 'em hopefully. In the days to come we like a wine bottle useta be-from neck wish to live bother than we lived in to heels, you might say. Then they the days that are gone. We daire got a new-style petticoat made o' moss. Ob, it ain't like what it used to be of greater service to our fellow to be?"

was enough to make an old-time saillike that. Why, he could remember when putting in at some of those is-

# Loss Would be Irreparable

There is much curlosity and anxiety the ages. In our nones, in our to know what has become of the Imperial library at Petrograd. This od in the monastery of St. sengired by Tsar Alex-What has become of cument during the Rus-

the lass dusslan dynasty its destruction would be an irreparable act, even tury, found by Tischendorf in 1844 in

New Jersey's forests are being Fate. We shall not weak'y cower burned up at the rate of 70,000 acres balors any phontons of feat in the a year, which means not only that her salva to do our best to the work that land which should become a pubso res of ours. There are many There are 2,000,000 acres of forest woun is in the world to heat. Per- land in New Jersey almost within haps we may be able to do good to trucking distance of the greatest lumber market in the world, according to the estimate of the American Forestry that sooner or later the people of the state of New Jersey will awaken to the economic significance of the fact, but that the awakening may come too late.-Thrift Magazine

The editor of the Advance, so- When Merchants Coined Own Money.

In those da's the amount of copper tained almost equal standing with the course of a few years and the amount of "tokens" in circulation in 1780 outnumbered the genuine coine;c.

Dog's Bark Proved Expensive. The barking of a dog so dightened a flock of 2,000 sheep returning in the dark from the mountain pastures at d'Olsans, near Grenoble, Preney France, that they rushed over a ravine. The shepherd, in attempting to stop them, was dragged over with them, but was regard, though his condition was grave. Numbers of the sheep were killed

Greatest Fishing Stream. The Columbia river is the greatest. fishing stream in the world.

CHINA DEMANDS GOOD ROADS Oriental Country Awakes to the Necessity of Immediate Development

of Its Highways, A plea for good roads as a necessity for the proper development of "Country Life," thinks that the cause | China is made by the Oriental Motor is constant craving for meat in a land of Shanghal, which began publication where mostly grain abounds. He tells a year ago to encourage interest in motor use, Asking where the United traordinary diet of the natives of the States would have been if the good roads movement had not been earnestly supported throughout the coun-

try, the editor says: "Yet at this time of greatest development in the making of roads China world needs roads, good roads and national highways, it is China, Means of communication in the country are nadequate and medieval, transcon tinental travel is only possible by water at the rim of the country, while the great heart of the nation is still tation except the most primitive.

"China can never become a nation until her roads are developed. With them the penetration of the otterior, would mean a few hours or a few days by motor. The people of the interior would be brought into touch daily with motors and motorists from all ections of the nation. They would begin to realize that there are parts own province and city, and the great welding influence which would make China a nation united would begin."-

# UNWORTHY RULER OF ROME

History Accords Low Place to Commodus, Whom Fortune Capriciously Lifted to High Estate.

Commodus was a Roman emperor notorious for his cruel and voluptuous character. He was endowed with extraordinary strength, and often appeared in imitation of Hercules ressed in a lion's skin and armed with a club. To display his skill and trength in arms he appeared publicly in the amphitheater. As his oppovents were armed with weapons of the or lead, while he was encased by livepenetrable armor, he had naturally at easy victory on every occasion. For his amusement he cut asunder per put out their eyes, and mutilated

their noses, etc. Commodus was strangled by the gladiator Narcissus, who was hired to commit the deed by Marcia, the mistress of Commodus, who had tures, which were owned by the gas plotted with members of his official family, to put him out of the way When he died the senate declared him an enemy of the state, ordered his statues to be broken to pieces, and his name to be crased from all public Inscriptions.-Detroit News.

Searching for Shock. There are so many instances where speech and hearing have been restored by a severe rinck that there is a gen eral notion among deaf and dumis persons that their salvation rests in this direction. Consequently they are resorting to sirplane trips as a means of restoring their functions. The manager of the air station at Croydon England, reports that he is besieged with requests from these afflicted persons who are hopeful that an experience in midair might supply the necessary shock. The parents of an uf- conduct does not make you other than flicted child brought their offspring to you are,-Thomas a' Kempis. famous Codex Sinaiticus, which was, the station and made a request that the child be taken agoit with the idea most abcient manuscript of the Bible | the tonic effect upon the child there frame of mind and was delighted with her experience. It has been suggested that the trip aloft does not have the desired effect for the reason that the various experiences in the air are more or less expected and therefore the element of suddenness and shock

> Warren Stories. Warren is a Shelbyville boy five years old and fond of eating. One day he and another little boy were playing soldier, and were shooting oth men and women, when Warren ried out: "Don't shoot the women,

cuse they do the cooking." Warren's father was telling about ansacting some business matters with a woman and said: "She is so an English police court. ignorant, she doesn't know anything." Warren looked up and said: "Reckon she knows how to cook, don't she?" One day Warren's nurse was ready to give him a bath. She called to him come and he said: "Wait a minute." Again she asked why he didn't come and he replied:" "I am trying to make my minute as long as mom's." Indianapolls News.

Holland Restricts Flyers. Flying regulations of the Nether ands government provide that the ainimum altitude over closely inhabed areas is 400 meters (1,312 feet). All alreraft must always fly at such a height over towns or public gather ings as will permit of their landing outside of such areas in case of engine fallure. No trick flying may be indulged in above closely inhabited areas or public gath rings.

Waste Paper Money. A traveler recently returned from a trip through Austria had his cafe bill handed to him made out on the back of a ten-crown note. ' When the patron expressed his surprise at this unusual proceeding, the waiter told him that bank notes were cheaper than plain

Advertising Signs Barred. Preventing the national forests in California from being defaced with advertising signs, an order recently ssued by the district forester at San Francisco states that advertising signs in the 17 national forests of California must come down. Advertisement printed on rocks and trees are also to be effaced. According to the regu lations of the forest service of the United States Department of Agricul ture, such advertising is prohibited from all national forests without spe cial permits, which are seldom issued.

WILLIAM G. KERBIN, Solicitor.

### How many people know that the legal length of the meter in the United Trustee's Sale States is different from its legal ength in England? Such, however, is Of Valuable the case. In America it is 39.37 Inches; in England, 39.3700113. Of Real Estate. course, the difference is not large in itself, but still when computing great

able. In this day of accurate research By virtue of a decree of the Circuit thousandth, ten-thousandth, or mil Court of Worcester County, Maryland, lionth of an inch is ordinarily con sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th day of December, 1922, in a cause pending in said court, wherein John S. Gordy et al are complainants and Martin Man-And all as we've got to do is to uel et al are defendants, being No. trusten, Master Marner-to do the right thing as far as we know and to 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee trusten. For if us, as knows so fittle will offer for sale to the highest bidder can see a bit o' good and rights, we at public auction in front of Trader's may be sure as there's a good and a store at Stockton, Maryland, on right bigger nor what we know-I Saturday, January 13th, 1923, feel it i' my own inside as it must be

at II o'clock a. m., so.—Dolly Winthrop in George Ellot's sill the right, title, and interest of all the parties to the aforesaid cause in and to all that parcel of fand situated Objects close to the eye shut out on the left hand side of the county road much larger objects on the horizon; leading from Stockton to Welbourne in and splendors born only of earth the eighth election district of Worceseclipse the stars. So a man sometimes ter County, Maryland, and described as covers up the entire disc of eternity follows: beginning at a pine tree standent glories with a little shining dust. Kendall Fisher's land, thence rupring by and with the Kendall Fisher land or Ben Quinn, Indian, bought a flivver. line about east course to run of branch Head smashed, arm broken. He said: at marked black gum tree, thence run-"First mile too slow, took drink booze; ning by and with the run of said branch next mile faster, took another drink; and line of Charlotte Ward land about south course to marked black gum tree. then saw bridge in road, turned out thence running about west course to marked red oak tree standing on left | hand side of county road above named, ! thence running by and with county road warns against charging the crimes of about north course to the pine tree and the English sparrow to other members place of beginning, containing 51 acres of the sparrow family, which, although of land, more or less. It being the same essentially seed-eating, performs great real estate conveyed to Edward Manuel service in its raids on insects, as do by Grover N. Ward and wife by deed dated the 26th day of Octuber, 1921, and recorded among the land records of Worcester County in liber O. D. C. No. when painting fleors that have old- 41, folio 535. Taxes paid up to January 1st, 1923. Title papers at purchfusbioned wide boards a line is drawn

> TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth cash on day of sale, balance in six months, or all cash at option of purchaser. The credit portion to bear interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

# Ford Sales Record Broken

According to a statement issued by the Ford Motor Company, de liveries of Ford Cars and Trucks to the voices on the side of truth, the retail buyers during the month of more distinct and strong must be your November totalied 106,327. This own.—W. E. Chaoning. never before been approached by the Company at this season of the merked contrast to the devember but little away of them and less able to withstand them persistently.—Ex-

1921 retail delivery figures, which totalled elightly over 58,000 Cars and Tricks. For eight consecutive months,

terances of men, for whether they put beginning with April 1st, of this year, retail deliveries have exceeded 100,000 Ford Cars and Trucks sect month; the accumulated total for S "Marriage," said Wilks, "is like making a call. First you go to a-dore, was no other result. The child returned to the ground in a very happy name to a maid." "After that," said it is not unusual for Ford retail. sales to exceed the 100,000 mark during the spring and early summer months when the demand is at its peak, the manner in which business | has held up throughout the balance

of the year is without precedent, Credit for this remarkable show-"There's always more than one way of looking at a thing," said the small Company to the many improve ments which have lately been made on Ford Cars and particularly to the new low level of Ford prices, & recently put into effect. There new "All some husands are good for is to play with the children until you gef low prices not only broaden the field of prospective Ford purchasers but go still further in making the Ford Car the best value from the It has been estimated that in 1930 there will be a total consumption of 438,000 tons of inorganic nitrogen in it bas ever been.

Although the Ford factories have been operating at full capacity for the past eight months, sales have equalled production and judging from the unusual manner in which orders are coming in at this season of the year Ford dealers will be unable to accumulate an adequate tending school at Pittsville, i stock of cars during the winter spending the holidays at home. months for delivery next spring.

In the opinion of the Ford Motor Company, November sales are business trip to Salisbury, Thurs- Salisbury, Saturday. an indication that many prospective purchasers, realizing the ex-The degree of vision that dwells in a man is the correct measure of the ceptional value now being offered in Ford Cars, are beginning to antici- son, Ralph, were the guests of her day with Miss Rada Lewis, pate an unusual spring demand and parents, Mr. and Mrs Charlie Timare therefore placing orders during mone, of Whiton, Christmas Day. work for others are those who see that the fall and will continue to do so in doing so they are also working for disappointing delays in delivery later on. While this will relieve the situation to some extent, it is pointed out that the steadily increasing demand for Ford Cars is nevertheless sure to create an acute shortage as the season advances.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1855.

A. W. GLEASON.

(Real)

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Bold by all drugsies, Eq. Hall's Family Pills for constipation. .Accordingly, the Ford Sales Organization is urging prospective Ford purchasers to arrange for delivery during the winter months in order that the demand next spring will be relieved as far as possible.

# A Happy New Year To You.

We wish all our Friends and Patrons a Happy and Prosperous New

# Burbage, Powell and Company

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More than ordinary care has been given to the selection and execution of body designs. The pleasing proportion of line, refinement and distinction of Durant bodies are the result of excellence in taste and coachwork. Whether your selection is a Touring Car, Roadster, Sedan or Coupe you will take pride in owning a Durant Four. You will enjoy the dependability of its performance and the economy and ease with which it can be kept in perfect mechanical condition. The beauty of its well proportioned body-the comfort and convenience of its appointments-will prove a source of continuous satisou will appreciate that in every detail of its construc-on the Durant Four is touly "Just a Real Good Car." ASK FOR DEMONSTRATION



SPECIFICATIONS MOTOR: Four-cylinder, overhead valve. CYLINDERS: Cast en bloc with upper half of crank case; head detachable. OILING SYSTEM: Pump on motor side, pressure to all main bearings. Gauge on dash. CARBURETOR: Tille on, plain tube. ELECTRIC SYSTEM: Auto-Lite. IGNITION: Distributor and coil mounted on generator. CLUTCH: Single plate disc. TRANSMISSION: Standard, selective type, sliding gear. REAR AXLE: Three-quarter floating axles, shafts removable from hub. Timken tapered roller bearings. Spiral Sevel ring gear and pinion of chrome nickel steel. COOLING: Fan and centrifugal pump independently driven by crank shaft. GASOLINE SUPPLY: Vacuum feed.

# HENRY'S GARAGE

Authorized Agent For The DURANT and STAR CARS.

Opposite Atlantic Hotel,

standpoint of the retail buyer, that

# MT. PLEASANT.

Mr. and Mrs G. W. Brittingham spent Christmas Day with her moth-Mrs. Eliza Rayne.

Miss Mabel Rayne, who is at-Mrs. Willard Powell and Mr

and Mrs. Dorsey Massey made a

Mr and Mrs. Harvey Lewis and

Mr. and Mrs. Gariey McCabe and son, Linwood, of near Berlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rayne and children, Wilson, Irma and Dorothy Mae, of Salisbury, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rayne, Sun-

We are sorry to report Mrs. W. H. Lewis on the sick list. Mrs. C. F. Hammond and son,

Harry, made a business trip to Misses Rada Dennis and Elsie

Williams, of Friendship, spent Sun-

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IN FALL

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as If Conht



r plants are layered dire e parent plant, forming ach side of the parent r n is necessary for success of the ever-hearing variet ater is available it is a g

STROY CURRANT WORM

of Saw-Fly Can Be Controll y Good Spraying With Arsenate of Lead.

ant or gooseberry worms, while e larvae of the saw-fly, can i fled by spraying with arsenae f ounces in a gallon of water green may also be used to con the worms. The bushes shou rayed as soon as the worms a In case the worms do not com the fruit is ripening, white held should be substituted for the ar cal poisons, as it is non-poisone

RFECT WORK IN SPRAYING

roughness Does Not Mean Heav Application, but One That Covers All Sides.

There is another great essential for ccess in spraying besides timelines id that is thoroughness. Thorough iss does not necessarily mean heav pplications but a fine application the he fact is heavy applications ofte ause spray injury. A perfect job o are covered and kept covered with spray. Then the bugs and discuse have no chance.

Spray for Peaches. Remember that the peaches must b sprayed every two weeks with lime-su phur spray for the control of brow

Spraying Reduces Losses. Spraying reduces transit losses fro brown rot of stone fruits, as well orchard losses.

Be Careful in Cultivating. Do not cultivate deeply near fro trees. Injured coots are apt to

Effective Fungicides. The fungicides while depend on a phur for their action have been show to be most effective in bot weather

Moving Literature. Affect Don't you think a cook book is turning?" Clure-"I indeed. It contains so many stir

Pine in Abundance. They's are approximately 10,000,0 000 pins produced in this country e

year, or about 100 plus per person. A New Antique

English payer-"Aptique, ever years old, out sideboard, brand to Breten Trabscript.

The Life of Faith

Tested

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER

erience. They would understand this

Abram had been called to a life of

faith. God had made a wonderfu!

covenant with him. He obeyed the

call and became a ploneer in God's

land. Bry before he could be of value

as God's representative, a sample man

of falth, he must be tested. So the

alone but by every word that proceed

eth out of the mouth of 'God." The famine was God lifting Fils child of

and teaching him that He is able to

provide in the awful day of aunger

Ever since Abram's day God has found

It necessary to permit dire need to

come in the life of faith in order that

His little children might learn lessons

that only the schoolroom of His knee

Three lessons God would teach

1., To Trust Him Wholly, God called

Abram out of a life of self-confidence

to one of absolute dependence. He

left his old home and traveled to a

new land. The journey was unevert

ful except for the death of his father,

Terah. The presence of some of his

Abram had not fully obeyed God. He

may have thought so, but an experi-

is shut up to God, or still trusting in

What will Abram do? I can imagine

How like Abram we are-so ready

which the fate of the nation may hang

in the event of war, are tested. They

are constructed to meet certain re-

quirements. They will fire a shell

weighing 1,000 pounds 16 miles. By t

they may not do as expected, so threy

are proved. A much larger charge

of ammunition is used to see if they

will stand the test. Some may go to

places. How true of the man of faith.

He must be proved. Conduct under

stress and strain must be determined.

The genuineness of faith must be at-

tested beyond question. Biessed is

the trial of faith that acquaints us

with our weakness. It is 'more pre-cious than gold that periabeth."

ing is for a testimony."

helps others in need.

make a way of escape.

3., To Help Others Truly. "All test-

violently shaken in the devil's sleve

not only to separate the wheat from

the chaff, but in order that he might

strengthen the brethren. The lan-

guage of his epistles bears testimony

to what he learned in the sifting proc-

How heartening the words, "He

without sin," "Touched with a feel-

to succor us in the hour of need and

Abram chose the path of compro-

alse and lack of faith. This involved

him in deceit and falsehood concern-

ing his wife that would have cost his

life but for divine interposition. The

very peril he ran away from in-

Canaan awaited him with wide open

jaws in Egypt, but Got delivered un-

faithful, unbelieving Abram. "It we

What encouragement for foolish,

perverse, doubting disciples. Though

we turn our back upon Him He will

not cast us off, but brings us back to

the place of the altar and the tent-to

renewed confidence and fellowship

Birds With Copper Feathers.

In the bird house up at the north end

of the Zoological park in New York is

a cage of touracos, an African bird of

brilliantly colored plumage. In the

wings is a dash of red, and we are told

by the placard that the peculiar thin about the color is that (; is caused )

Deak Also Used for Bed.

chair that also may be used as

even as Abram. Chapter 13:1-4.

believe not, He abideth faithful

What we have experienced

"There was a fam-

ence must come to test whether I

through a famine in the land of His

could disclose.

human resources.

ine in the land."

promises:

tender spiritual years upon His unees

in China, India or

the Near East

has ever 'acked

food for a day

Has any of u

ever been really

hungry? But

gaunt, cruel fam

ine stared Abram

in the face, and

stood ready to de-

your him almos

as soon as D

stepped foot in

# Horticultural Hints

SET STRAWBERRIES IN FALL

Transplanting May Be Successfully Done in Autumn Months If Con-

ditions Are Right. Strawberries are generally transplanted in the spring of the year from runner plants which have set the preceding season, although if conditions are favorable they may be set in the fall months successfully. The manner in which these are transplated will depend upon the size of the field one expects to maintain and the method of cultivation or care best adapted to cal conditions. For small plantstions the single-matted row or the stool system of planting secures best results. There can be no doubt but that the stool system will secure a better quality of berries,

Transplanting by the stool system s accomplished by simply setting one plant in the row, preferably 18 inches each way. If a horse cultivator is to e used, the rows should be three feet apart, the plants 15 to 13 inches apart in the row. No runner plants are alowed to form, the runner shoots being pinched off as they appear. This system is probably not as productive in the case of the Senator Dunian, and ther common varieties.

In planting in the single-matted row system the plants are set about two feet apart in the row, the rows three feet apart. Each parent plant is allowed to mature from two to six runner plents. These are layered in line with the row between the parent plants. All other rupners should be

pinched off and not allowed to form. For field plantation on a large scale the double-matted row is recommended. Set the parent plants as before, but the rows four feet apart to permit easy cultivation, and allow six runner plants to form from each parent plant. Four of these runner plants are layered in line with the row, two on each side of the parent plant. The other



ideal Rows of Early Ozark Strawbe ries, One of the Best Extra Eearly

two runner plants are layered directly outside the parent plant, forming two rows on each side of the parent row Cultivation is necessary for success in the case of the ever-bearing varieties, and if water is available it is a good is an exceedingly important item in pan to irrigate throughout the fruit-

# TO DESTROY CURRANT WORMS

Larvae of Saw-Fly Can Be Controlled by Good Spraying With Arsenate of Lead.

Currant or gooseberry worms, which are the larvae of the saw-fly, can be controlled by spraying with arsenate of lead at the rate of one to one and a half ounces in a gallon of water. l'aris green may also be used to controi the worms. The bushes should be sprayed as soon as the worms appear. In case the worms do not come intil the fruit is ripening, white hellehave should be substituted for the arsenical poisons, as it is non-poisonous,

### PERFECT WORK IN SPRAYING Thoroughness Does Not Mean Heavy Application, but One That Covers All Sides

There is another great essential for success in spraying besides timeliness, and that is thoroughness. Thoroughness does not necessarily mean heavy applications but a fine application that entirely covers the tree on all sides. The fact is heavy applications often cause spray injury. A perfect job of spraying is when all parts of the tree are covered and kept covered with spray. Then the bugs and diseases have no chance.

Spray for Peaches. Remember that the peaches must be sprayed every two weeks with lime-sulphur spray for the control of brown

Spraying Reduces Losses. Spraying reduces transit losses from brown rot of stone fruits, as well as orchard losses,

Be Careful in Cultivating. Do not cultivate deeply near fruit trees. Injured roots are apt to be-

come diseased.

Effective Fungicides. The fungicides which depend on sulphur for their action have been shown to be most effective in hot weather

Moving Literature. Alice-"Don't you think a cookery book is fascinating?" Clara-"Yes, indeed. It contains so many stirring

Pins in Abundance. There are approximately 10,000,000,-000 pins produced in this country every year, or about 100 pins per person.

A New Antique. English paper-"Antique, over 100 years old, oak sideboard, brand new." -Boston Transcript.

These things I love, and they are friends to me—
A pearl pink east a ove a summer sea,
A cold green sunset over snow-waved The earthly incense that the furrow yields.

of cold water un-

THE TONIC RHUBARB

For jelly making the fall is the time use the rhubarb, as the fresh growth in the spring lacks Sectin. Rhubarb Sherbet.-Soak one tablespoonful of gelatin in onefourth of a cupful

til softened. Make a sirup with four cupfuls or rhubarb juice, two cupfuls of sugar, cook five minutes, add the softened gelatin and the juice of two lemons. Stir well,

Rhubarb Puffs .- Put two tablespoor fuls of rhubarh in each of four pudding cups that have been well buttered. Drop a spoonful of batter prepared by using a cupful of flour, s half cupful of milk, a teaspoonful of baking powder and a little salt. Put in another spoonful of rhubarb and anish with a little batter, leaving room to rise. Place the cups in a pan of poiling water, cover closely and steam fifteen minutes. Serve with the following sauce: Boll together one cup ful of sugar and two-thirds of a cupful of rhubarb juice until it hairs. Pour slowly over two well-beaten egg whites and beat until thick. Serve over the puddings.

Rhubarb Sponge,-Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Scald a cupful of milk and dissolve one-third of a cupful of sugar in it. Pour the hot milk over the softened gelatin and stir until dissolved. Set the mixture in a cool place until it begins to stiffen, then beat well with an egg beater; add one cupful of rhubarb sauce and fold in the whites of two eggs beaten stiff. Turn the mixture into a mold that has been rinsed with cold water and chill. Serve the sponge with

Punch No. 2.-Boll three-fourths of cupful of water with one and onehalf cupfuls of sugar for three minutes, add a pint of green tea-twice the ordinary strength-and three pints of rhubarb juice, the juice of three oranges and one lemon. Chill and

# Neceie Maxwell

WOODEN SHIPS HAVE "KNEES" light Angle Timber Brace, Important

Part of Vessel, Named for Fuman Leg Joint. In these days when flapper sizing juggles with sayings like "the cat's paamas" and "be bee's knees," how many boys and girls know anything sbout khips' knees. Ships' knees, how ever, are a fact and not a fancy. This

A ship knee is a right-angled wooden brace used to give strength to the framing, and is fashioned from the natural crook of a tree formed by heavy, shallow horizontal root and a section of the trunk. Knees when finished are sometimes as much as six or seven feet high and many times are

four feet high. The tremendous impetus to wooden shipbuilding brought about by the war has resulted in the establishment of a sawmill at Portland, Ore., designed exclusively for the finishing of ship knees. The timber preferred is secondgrowth Douglas fir, found growing in shallow soil, so that the roots turn off at right angles to the trunk and thus give the proper shape. The standardized wooden ship requires some two hundred knees of all sizes, while another type of wooden ship, also under construction, requires more than 160 knees.-American Forestry.

Oxygen Gas Future Predicted. When the process of making oxygen from air becomes cheaper, it is predicted that an enormous demand for the gas will arise. Just as oxygen is now used for welding and other purposes in which great heat is desired, not gradually, but very speedily, so it will be required for smelting and a hundred other purposes.

Training a One-Man Dog. A one-man dog can be reared only as follows: Take a mere puppy; allow no one to play with it, much less pet it. If anyone comes near it have him use a small stick and whip the dogthen when he comes to you, you pet the animal. That gives the dog complete confidence in you alone.-Adventure Magazine.

Ghosts in Parliament House. The ghost of Guy Fawkes is not the only spook of the British house of commons. The most famous, as well as the most sinister ghost of St. Stephens is the one called after Big Ben. It is certainly the best authenticated parliamentary specter, and it is said that on the day following each of its appearances a member of the royal family has died

Creosoted Timbers Last. Creosoted timbers are valued in Africa because they diminish the injury due to moisture and the tropical sun, and the ravages due to white ants and

Natural Reason. Mother (in reproof)-"Now, when was young, girls never thought of do-ing the things they do today." Daughter-"Well, that's why they didn't do

self-denial you will clear them off."

Encouragement. "But, papa, why take my debts so tragically? I assure you that by hard work, strict economy and the utmost

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School esson

tor of Evening Classes, Moody Bible Institute, Chicage, TEXT—There was a famine in the land. Genesis 12:6. How little we know of such an ex

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 31

REVIEW

GOLDEN TEXT-The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath ancinted DEVOTIONAL READING-Psaim 98.
PRIMARY TOPIC-Favored Stories of

the Quarter JUNIOR TOPIC-Jesus Went About Doing Good.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC

How Jesus Ministered to the People.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC

Since all the lessons of the quarter save one are from Luke, and the central and bulfying theme is Jesus Christ, a profitable way to conduct the review, as suggested in Peloubet's Notes, would be to assign the following topics to the members of the class to make a brief report upon: 1. Christ's Mission to the World.

2. Christ's Helpers and How He Used Them. 3. Christ's Divine Power and How He Exercised It.

4. Christ's Methods of Teaching. 5. Christ's Love in Its Many Manifestations. 6. Christ's Courage and How He

Showed It. 7. Christ's Foes and His Dealings With Them.

8. Christ's Pity for Sincers. 9. Christ's Passing Through Human

10. Christ as a Missionary and an Organizer. 11. Christ's Relation to the Father. 12. Christ's Preparation for the Climax of His Life.

Another way would be by summarlzing each lesson, stating the outstanding topic and teaching of each The following ruggestions

are offered: Lesson 1. The birth of John the Baptist, which from the human standpoint was impossible, was announced to his father, Zacharias. For his unbelief he was smitten with dumbness. God expects of his servant unquestioned belief in what He promises

Lesson 2. Jesus was born in Bethleem just as the prophet had foretold some 700 years before, and at the age of twelve years he consciously entered into the services of God's house. Though conscious of His divine being and mission. He lived a life of filial

stry was a preparation for the coming of Christ. He fearlessly preached him to this famine-stricken country. repentance and pronounced judgment upon the impenitent. Though a mighty to follow human judgment and turn preacher, he humbly declared that Christ was immeasurably greater counsel of men instead of God, Why? Because it is so rough a for to trust preacher, he humbly declared that Christ was immeasurably greater

then blusser.

1. 26200 1. Jenus Christ after the parm of the the purpose was to test the parlyzed with fest when son devil. The purpose was to test the parlyzed with fest when son reality of the incarnation. The re- unusual happens (?) in our Co salt was complete victory-a demon- Oh, to learn to trust God in the famstration of His ability to save to the ine, in the dark, in the storm. uttermost all who trust Him.

Lesson 5. Isaiah foretold the gold-en age upon the earth when Christ cy, to deliver their soul from death will reign.

and to keep them alive in furaine." healed all kinds of diseases and cast mission and proved His power to for-give sins by miraculous deeds. we believe the Word of God, that from opium and other harmful drugs. give sins by miraculous deeds. form. Our intentions are sincere, but Lesson 7. Jesus taught the dis-

ciples the principles which should they must be proved. At Sandy Hook govern in His kingdom. Only those who have been born from above can grounds. There the great guns upon love their enemies.

Lesson 8. While in Simon's house at dinner, a woman who had been a notorious sinner anointed Jesus' feet and wiped them with her hair. The sinner's gratitude to Jesus for forgiveness is measured by the appreension of sins forgiven. Lesson 9. Jesus went forth through-

out every city preaching the glad tidings of the Kingdom of God. The fact of salvation for sins through a crucified Redeemer is truly glad tidings. Lesson 10. Jesus sent forth mis-

sionaries with the realization of the big task before them, and with power to perform supernatural deeds to authenticate their mission. Those who realize the bigness of their task will earnestly pray that the Lord will send forth laborers into His harvest. Lesson 11. Jesus' reply to the question of a cartain lawyer, "Who is my neighbor?" shows that the all-important consideration is not "Who is my neighbor?" but "How can I show that

I am a neighbor?" Lesson 12. A certain rich man in his perplexity over his prosperty decided to provide larger stores and settle down to a life of sensuous indulgence. The one who lays up treasures on earth and is not rich toward God is a fool.

Consolation, Love, Faith, Hope, Life. May Consolation smile on every wound that life bears! May Faith strengthen you all in your unavoidable trials and Hope whisper through all sorrows that this terrestrial life of ours is a mere shadow of the Life that never dies .- Mazzini.

Charity Among Yourselves. But before all things have a constant mutual charity among yourselves, for charity covereth a multitude of sins.-I Peter 4:8.

There is no substitute for thoroughgoing, ardent, sincere earnesiness,-Charles Dickens,

Staple Russian Product. Linseed oil, used in this country in paints, is one of the staple edible oils the presence of 7 per cent of copper. of Russin.

Significance of Beards. Beards, in olden times, were the emblems of wisdom and plety.-May caulay.

The Heavenly Guest.

If you open the door and let Christ in He will come as a courteous guest; He will take the space that you give to

And will leave you all the rest; If you crowd Him out of your largest And give Him a corner small,

If you scarcely remember that He is there And speak of Him not at all-

Ah, then He may gride when He sees your mind By the cares of the world possessed, When your feet have strayed and your

soul is faint And your heart by grief oppressed; But He cannot comfort and lift and

And help as He longs to do-Where He sits apart in your House o Life-For you have not asked Him to

Oh, make Him the Master of all yo have, The Lord of your heart and soul; Yield Him all your self for His dwell-

ing-place And let Him take the whole; He will do for you, He will work with

famine came in the very place of which God had led him. God procest-He will reign in your life alone, ted him to suffer hunger to teach him And you'll find the blessing that you that "man shall not live by bread have missed

And the joy you have never known. -Annie Johnson Flint, in Sunday chool Times.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract severe colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality nukes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of relatives in the caravan suggests that ad colds may be had for a trifle?

The colored speaker who said in prayer meeting, "I feels like I could say more in five minutes than I could do in a year," was not a he talked it over with Sarah and Lot, Why not move to Egypt? Just the thing. Was God consulted? No. Abram acted upon the rule of the ok! lone in his experience. There is : great amount of rapturous thought and high resolve that filters down life-sight and sense. Had he trusted God wholly, he would have thre wn the responsibility for his provision very slowly into the stream of every-day living. It is easy to talk upon the Omnipotent One who had led and to see fair visions of perfection, but it is hard to make the dreams come true. Never(holess, the prayer-meeting moods and visions are not useless. - E. isoted.

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If one wants to do the work of an evil spirit he need not lure people into crime or tempt them to positive sin; he need only dishearten those who are trying to do right. Belittle the task of the workers, persuade those who toil that their efforts are faulty and futile and some one else might do far better, make the life's endeavor look poor and useless and the poison has been injected. The discourager does Satan's work in the world, whether he intends it or not. Whoover steals heart and hope out of men leaves them crippled for usefulness. -Forward.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

al meeting of 'the stockholders of the Exchange & B avings Bank of Berlin, Maryland, will the held in the bank build-Notice is here by given that the annu-Maryland, wil the held in the bank building, on Mondray, the lat day January.

1923, at 2 p. z ... for the purpotatof electric there is a say one were killed. The results from overhead wires of electric? I here were exactly the same at those from overhead wires of street-car ensuing year. Jolan D. Henry, Cashier. of the battle of the Little Rig Morn. Engineering and Mining Journal-Pre as. An inventor has included a wi sting deak in a new adjustable rec sining

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ONJECTS TO TERM 'MASSACRE' Author Insists That Custer's Last Fight Must Properly Be De-

Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., in the preface of a volume on "Indian Fights and Fighters," makes a marked distinction between the terms "mas-sacre" and "battle." He says that every time a body of troops engaged in a fight with Indians and the troops were outnumbered or caught at a disadvantage, and the battle was continued until the troops were slaughtered, such an affair was popularly called a "massacre," as, for instance, "The Custer Massacre,"

Mr. Brady believes this to be an unwarranted use of the term. Custer, the author points out, attacked the In-dians and fought desperately until he and his man piere all killed. He calls it a "battle" and hot a "massacre," When an Indian war party raided a ettlement or overwhelmed a train, or merdered women and children, that,

but I have yet to read in history that the Persians 'massacred' the Greeks in that famous pass."

Rush to Diamond Fields. The biggest rush in the history of the Transvani alluvial diamond diggings has taken place at Knalplaats, 50 miles from Johanneaburg. Three thousand would-be diggers formed a line 2,100 yards long. A proclamation having been read, a Union Jack was lowered, and the long line of seekers after fortune moved off at the double over a thousand yards of green, undutating country. Young men and old, both British and Dutch, boys and women and girls, surged forward brandishing pegs. There was great excitement around the richest spot, but so vast was the diamond field that there were claims for all and to spare. Within a little while a thousand diggers had begun work with pick and shovel, and some excellent finds were made. So far, diamonds weighing 1,450 carata and valued at \$68,000 have been found at Knapplants.

Good Device for City Vehicles. English inventors of a storage-batof thinking of it? I guess we'd better

"Where's Yaller Dog?" asked some

one. But Yaller Dog, seen in the tent

"Curse film. I guess our claim'il be

his for the picking now," said Tom

"Oh, what's the sense of swearing?"

mattered Big Joe. "You all knew what

Yaller Dog was when that lot from

Parrish's tried to jump our claim.

Can't expect him to change his nature

There was a pattering on the test

The first snowstorm of the year I

Alaska is apt to be as bad as any

It snowed three days and nights. The

furious gale tore and battered at the

tent. Inside, with snow heaped up

about them, lay the five men, pros-trate with the helplessness of scurvy.

And outside, speeding toward Gray's,

He was yellow, and he knew it. But

that touch of Blg Joe's hand on his

shoulder had awakened something in

thought of the gold claim that might

Late the second night Valler Dog

limped into Gray's store with his

news. He slung the bag of potatoes

over his shoulder, and was gone be

to wait, could find his dogs.

fore old Gray, who had expected him

On he ran, covering the homeward

trail. The snow came down like a cur-

tain, the wind roared, and his eyes

were soon closed by reason of the fine

the way to Gray's, Yaller Dog had had

certain landmarks to guide him; but

these existed no longer, Everything

was covered with the soft blanket, in

to which his feet slipped deeper and

He struggled and fought with a

tenacity that had never been his. He

was fighting his way by instinct

against a gale that momentarily grew

worse. Hours went by, The sack

upon his shoulder weighed heavier

then bail. The frozen potatoes dealt

him lilows like bullets at every move

At last he could go ne further,

Softly, insensibly, Yaller Dog slipped

down in the powdery snow. He closed

his eyes. Just one moment's sleep

Ine barking of the dogs arouse

the somnolent men in the tent, sleep

ing their lives away under their blankets. The arrival of Gray's sleigh

awakened only a momentary interest in them. Gray had his fire lit before

"Boys, tide is better than potatoes,"

half-cupful of the juice for each.

"And there 'll be a r'g along soon as the storm stops. By the way, where's Yaller Dog? "Twas he warned me.

"Aln't seen him," said hig Jo

we don't git found cut."

Radio on Motor Buses.

Equipping, motor buses with radio

apparatus is a departure maugurated by a transit company operating some

85 of these vehicles on the Pacific

comst. This innovation is the result of the keen rivalry of the bus con-

cerns to obtain for their respective

of tourists who annually visit the western states. That the venture is

practical has been fully demonstrated

ing only a two step radio short wave

receiving outfit, the experimenters

could hear concerts at a distance of

15 rulles from the broadcasting sta

tion, and this despite the obvious ne-

cessity of employing a low antenna .-

LIVE STOCK

**FACTS** 

Idle Work Horse

The !dle work horse will live

through the winter and remain

in good condition on roughage

alone, if of good quality. One-

half of the roughage should be

composed of clover or alfalfa,

while the other half may be corn

stover and straw. If no legume

hay is available and timothy and

other carbohydrate roughages

must be depended upon for the

horse's feed, he should be given

a small amount of oats, say from

five to seven pounds a day, oth-

erwise his strength and vitality

will suffer. With these non-

legume roughages one should

not feed corn in place of oats be-

cause the former lacks protein.

While oats are not rich in this

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Fineness of Wool.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Sheep breeders of eastern Ohio,

western Pennsylvanic, and the Pan-Handle section of West Virginia, are

leaning more strongly to the smooth-

ype, broad-backed, Delaine Merino,

which will produce a good mutton

lamb without sacrifleing appreciably the fineness of the wool. While the

lambs cannot be marketed so easily as those of the down breeds, says the

United States Department of Agricul-

ture, they are ready for market before

they are a year old. In some cases

the breeder waits until they are a year

in good fiesh, thus getting a double

old, shears them, and then sells them

Shearmen in those sections have

constituent, they are neverthe

less much better than corn.

by extensive experiments.

Popular Mechanics Magazina

lines the patronage of the thousands

ay checked an oath.

"If's the last bottle in the stea" He paured out a generous

and then up and away again!

he shook them to their feet.

Ain't be with you!

It had begun to snow.

went Yaller Dog.

here been his.

can ye?"

a few minu'es before, had disappeared.

rot here, rather 'n out in the snow."

# Man's Promise By JOHN PALMER

(©. 1922, Western Newspaper Union.)

Clara Bartow stood holding the newspaper with its announcement in her hand, and in the half-minute that It any the less formidable. All her inpassed she saw it all in retrospect. Francis and she were not to blame for having loved each other. They could only exist for her in his arms. had been introduced by Esther Grey, a flighty little blonde who had a knack

of getting hold of good-looking men, attracting them, and then losing their Esther and Clara were friends so far as two such women could be

friends-Clara, who was all depth and passion and sincerity, and Esther, who could never mean very much to anyone because she meant so little to Clara stood with her hand in that

of Francis, and in that moment she knew that she had found her destiny. Amusing? If you will, but such things do exist. She knew beyond the shadow of a doubt that she would never care for any other man. She knew, too, that she could bring Francls to her feet with a word, a gesture, a glance.

That evening passed like a dream for both. It was next day that Esther explained things when she called. "My, you and Francis did seem taken with each other last night," she

said. "I suppose you know he's mar-Clara felt ber heart sink. She could

only stare dumbly into her friend's-"Yes, his wife's been incurably insane for years," said Esther. "She's

in an institution. Violent, you know, at first, but now they say she cits all day in a sort of apathy. She doesn't know Francis. She may live forty years, but she's hopeless. She'll never know anybody again. Francis was heart-broken." "He ought to-get a divorce," stam-

mered Clara. "No, I don't mean that." She had blurted out the first idea that came into her head. She felt the telltale flush in her cheeks. "But how sad It is!"

"Very. And there's no divorce for that in this state. Besides, Francis believes it's his duty to walt on the chance that she may some day re-

meeting sent them off into fairy-land. They could not be happy apart from each other. And then-the inevitable happened

She was in his arms, "Darling, if you will be as my wife to me, I'll be just as true as if you really were my wife in law. She can never recover." Clara's struggle was a hard one. and Francis' pleadings did not make stincts cried out to her to accept his offet, to find that happiness which

And it was not any respect for moral laws or social conventions that finally decided her, but the thought of the poor weman in the asylum. She told alm that they must part

And even then he almost persuaded

her to change her mind. Kneeling at her feet, sobbing, holding her hands. he begged her to reconsider. "My life without you will be impossible," he said. But Clara would

not yield. "Promise me one thing," he pleaded. "Will you be true to me as I will be to you? For I can never care for

any other woman. I shall never look at another." "I promise you," said Clara. "So long as I live I shall keep that prom-

ise, and wait for you. And, if we are never to be anything to each other, I shall still be happy in the sacri-He swore, too. They decided, how-

ever, not to write to each other. That would have been unbearable. If ever the time came when Francis was free, he was to come to her. That was

And the years began to pass. They went slowly at first, then faster. Then they galloped. Clara had been twenty-five-uow she was thirtyseven. She had refused several offers of marriage.

She had never seen him, but she often heard of him through her friend Esther. He was prospering. His wife was just the same. She would never be any better, and she might live for years. He had asked after Clara once or twice. But as the years passed he ceased to do so. Then one day Clara saw in the pa-

per that his wife was dead. And a great flood of happiness filled her heart. And secretly she began buying little things-linens and laces, and things that a bride pur-chases. She was too shy to admit

be kneeled that day before her. Two or three weeks passed. Fran-

is must be busy with preparations He would soon come, perhaps that very day. Then she read in the newspaper th account of his engagement to Esther

How It Works Out.

"Where are you taking your hus-

"To the milliper's." "I wouldn't take my husband where there are so many pretty salesgirls."

"Oh, I don't worry. In fact, those pretty salesgirls are of considerable help in getting him to pay \$60 for a

> The "Yaller Dog" By MORRIS SCHULTZ

Semmonomonomonomos

(©, 1922, Western Newspaper Union.) It was not until they were too weak o continue working that the mining party discovered what was the matter with them. Blg Joe had been spitting blood all the morning. "Guess I'll have to have them pesky

eeth 'tended to in Dawson," he muttered, and collapsed on the tent floor. It was scurvy. All the five of them were affected, but not "Yaller Dog," he white man with a touch of the octoroon in him, they said. This wasn't why they called him Yaller Dog. That name came after he had dunk out of the way when the party from Parrish's tried to jump the goldclaim, and the bullets were whizzing freely. The party from Parrish's de cided to seek cooler regions; but Yaller Dog was a name that clung.

Still, he was only a boy. "Guess you was plumb scairt, sonny," suggested Big Joe, laying a kindly hand on the cellow's shoulder. But no one trusted Yaller Dog after that,

And there they were sick with scurvy, all except Valler Dog, whose colored blood must have told in his favor. He was not used to white man's food anyway, Tom Leeson said contemptuously.

There they were, sixty miles from nowhere, with winter coming on, too sick to wield a pick, too sick to move. "I guess it's our finish, Tom," said very much to herself. But the mem- Big Joe. "Unless one of us could git ory of Francis' kisses has atill upon to Gray's store, and that's purity nigh

found that they usually can get a wool forty miles on the Dawson road. And there's a devil of a storm browing." "Gray's got a sack of pertaties," said with the smooth-type Merino ther Jim Harrigan. "But what's the use

Smooth-Type Merino Ewe. with the wrinkled type, at the sam time it has sufficient fineness to make a very salable wool. The choice lambs produced by these sheep, together with the gain in the length of staple and gain in net yield of clean wool, more than offset a slight sacrifice in fineness of wool, and promise to make the Delaine sheep more popular in most sections than his wrinkled cousin,

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# Locals.

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Mrs. Thomas h. Bryde is seriously ill, in Baltimore.

Miss Mary Anderson celebrated her 90th birthday Wednesday.

For Sale-Buick roadster. Ap-

ply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md. For Sale-8 room house with cellar. Inquire of Garfield Johnson.

For Sale-Grocery store; good Mrs. M. E. Vincent is home from

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Joseph Hollins is offering a 10 duction of 25 per cent on ladies' coats and dresses and men's over-

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The ladies of the Buckingham Church Circle will meet at the home ards improving their conditions, esof Mrs. Josiah Bethards, on the pecially with reference to cooperaevening of Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. All are cordially invited.

John, Henry and Miss Nellie Tingle, of Philadelphia, spent the Christmas holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Tingle, lain's Tablets, during the past three and brother, Clarence Tingle.

Sampson Coulbourn, of Philadelphia, spent the week with his grand-a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Coul- Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y. bourn, of St. Martin's, and brother, Webster Coulbourn, of Berlin.

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Lays are beginning to lengthen. For Sale-Gasoline boat. J. M.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Powell, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. Annie Mr. E. W. McMaster,

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sharp, of Wilmington, love been guests of her

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holland, of Philadelphia, have been spending this Christmas Sesson to express to Academy. the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Holland.

location. Apply Berlin Advance. Mr. Hollins' brother-in-law, Mr. cept this gift and use it as a con-Walston's for the Christmas holi- Thursday to visit Joe Hollins and ship and esteem for you.

> Members of the Ladies Aid are equested to meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Lytle; those who can carry rags are asked to do so, to commence work on their new supply of

neral of their daughter, Mrs. Hamp- and presperity in the New Year. ton Vickece, on Monday accompan-Walter Bradley spent Sunday and iel their son, Wheatley Watson, to

News has reached us too late for a detailed account, of the death Thursday afternoon of Mrs. Martha Holloway. Funeral services will be For Rent-One spartment and held at the home Saturday after, rooms with board, opposite school. noon. Further particulars will be had been critically ili for the week 9.30 a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. given next week.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Young, of starting Dec. 27th. Calvin B. Tay- Bristol, Pa , and Miss Reta Jarvin hurband and seven children, rangmother, Mrs. Sewell Jones, of O- teen, to a trey only two weeks old; cean City. Miss Ruth Jones, from gleo, by Aer parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tuesday, 7.30 p. m., Prayer service.

When You Are Constipated.

To incure a healthy action of the the bowels, without unpleasant effects, etery. but banish that dull, stupid feeling, that often accompanies constipation.

Big Meeting.

January 2nd, at two o'clock. This cash. For Rent-My house and two farmers' meeting will be in conjuncacres of land on William Street, tion with the meeting of the Worces-Also, large pullets for sale. Everett ter County Farmers' Federation. There will be numerous subjects of Mrs. Melissa Cathell, of Philadel- importance to be discussed and all ests of Worcester County, are urged

to attend Mr. C. C. Gelder, a member of discuss the state program of work and explain the part our farmers have in the State Agricultural Socinew colored school building at Que. ety and in the National Farm Bureau Federation.

Several representatives from Worcester County in attendance to bar, will discuss the progress being made by the Accomac farmers towtive buying of fertilizer and other commodities.

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Worcester County Schoolteachers Present Christmas Gift to Ex-School Superintendent.

The school - teachers of Worcester County presented E. W. Mc-Jan. 1st, 1923; good wages, strady Master, on Christmas Eve, with a handsome silver water service as a slight expression of the esteem in which he is held by them. Accom-Sunday at the Methodist Church, panying the gift was the following owing to the illness of the pastor's letter signed by a number of the teachers acting as a committee:

Snow Hill, Md. December 20th, 1932.

Pocomoke City, Md. Dear Sir;

The long line of teachparents, Mr. a d Mrs Theodore ers who have passed under your kindly supervison and care, and who will ever cherish the warmest memory of your goodness, wish at mas holidays from Augusta Military you in small measure their appreclution of your kindness in the past. Abe Hollins and son, Jesse, and Wo, therefore, big that you will ac-Kaplan, of Brooklyn. N. Y., came stant reminder of our warm friend-

> Not only teachers and pupils, but the parents whose problems you shared will ever retain the most which was beautifully decorated, the Public School System of Worcester County.

Mr. and Mrs W. K Watson, of We all join in wishing you a Mer-Sirdletree, after attending the fu- ry Christmas and health, happiness,

# Mrs. Hampton Vickers.

An unusually sad death occurred last Friday afternoon, when stre. Hampton Vickers, only 33 years of age, was called into eternity. She previous, at one time the report being circulated that she was dead.

Mrs. Vickers is survived by her are spending the holidays with their log it age from a daughter of six- 7.30 p. m. Evening Service and Maryland State School for the Doaf, William K. Watson, of Girdletree, is also spending her holidays with two brothers, Warrie, of Girdletree, and Wheatley, of Philadelphia, and one sister, Mrs. Irving Merritt, of

Funeral services were held at the er, take two of Chamberlain's Table by Rev. J. Russell Verbry Can, and Iricods for their kind not only cause a gentle movement of interment was in Buckingham Cent the illness and death of their wife

> Her parents and other relatives and friends from Girdletre; and Snow Hill, attended the funeral Also, her brother, Wheatley Waton, of Philadelphia.

If you owe us for the Advance-A meeting of farmers will be held kindly bring or send the amount at in the Court Room at Snow Hill on once; trade, if more convenient than

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gunby gave course dinner on Dec. 26th for Powell, who is home for the Christ-

At five o'clock the guests, who were Miss Elinor Powell, of Snow Hill, Miss Lydia Coates and McFadden Dick, of Salisbury, Miss Elizabeth McCabe, of Selbyville, Mizs Nadine Farlow, Ollando Harrison Jr , Bowen Quillin, of Berlin, were 'mvite1' into the dining-room grateful feelings toward you, so that the color scheme being red and your name is intimately and indel- green. The favors were rather uibly interwoven into the history of nique in 'a ng a large peanut shell, suspended from chandelier with red ribbon, containing nuts and a verse of postry appropriate to the occasion, which was read and enjoyed by each guest. After spending a pleasant evening, they said goodnight, wishing Gunby's Christmas dinner came four times a year.

# Buckingham Presbyterian Church

J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister. Taylor, Superintendent. 10.45 a. m. Divine Worship. 6.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

Sermon for the Old Year. You are cordially invited to these

Topic, "New Year's Psalm."

Card Of Thanks

# The Public.

Realizing the condition of the coal trade, knowing the supply of anthracite will not be sufficient to give 100% to all who want it, at the right price, we have placed in our yard two cars of the best soft coal obtainable, also two cars of Semi-Anthracite, screened to nut size. We do this so we will be in position to furnish our trade something to keep them warm, in addition to our monthly allotment of Anthracits.

We will be pleased to have your orders for the above mentioned coals and according to reports from the best authorities, you will be pleased with the Semi-Anthracite. We believe by this time the public is aware of the position in which the coal dealer is placed and we asgure you that if you exercise a little patience and are willing to cooperate with us, we will be able to take care of your wants and give you something to keep you warm during the cold weather.

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# The Personable Young Man

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

Bully good idea! Bully good idea! Smith Taylor, genial proprietor of the popular Crystal Inn, slapped his thigh resoundingly. "The one great lack of summer resorts is unattached-and attractive-young fellows. It will be money in my pocket to hire some charfor the season, just to play guest, and who'd be the wiser?" He scratched his fringe of hair and put pencil to paper, with the following prompt re-

"Wanted-Personable young man for pleasant and remunerative occupation. Must play golf and tennis and have snappy outfit of clothes. Apply,'

"Now, let's see If that doesn't fetch 'em!" he exclaimed triump antly.

Fetch 'em it apparently did, for Tay lor received many replies, which he carefully sifted until but one remained and that the most satisfactory, except in one particular, Percy Jones! None, that name simply wouldn't do-didn't fit the part he had mapped out for the applicant.

"We'll fix that up, however," he de cided easily, and wrote a long letter of explanation, terms of contract and so forth to the unfortunately christened young man, omitting, however, all mention of his name. "No use prejudicing him," thought Taylor. "He may be partial to what he's been called all his life. Time enough when he

Transportation to Crystal Inn is long and involved, necessitating many different kinds of conveyances. As a result, guests arrive in bunches and the ture was proving interesting right few moments after the arrival of the tri-weekly steamer are invariably busy ones, particularly the day before the Fourth, Smith Taylor, with a thousand and one details to attend to, hampered by effusive greetings of old patrons, had but a moment to spare for the tall, broad-shouldered young man who awung down the gangplank and stood looking about for a moment in the midst of his bags,

"Clerk's got your room for you," cried Taylor, rushing up and grasping his hand, "Make yourself comfortable



Exchanged Confidences.

and, by the way," here he looked anxlously about, then siraining on tiptoe, spoke in the other's ear. "If it's all the same to you, I'm going to change your name. You're Van Suydam, Cur-

tis Van Suydam. 'S it all right?" He was away before receiving an answer, but the young fellow was regarding his bustling figure with tolerant amusement. Sure he'd be Van Suydam. What odds? And certainly this strange and unaccustomed ver

from the start. The interest did not slacken. That very evening Smith Taylor saw to it that, unobtrusively yet definitely, he met every one of the gay bevy of girls and attractive women who clustered on the broad verandas or strolled the shaded paths that bordered the lake.

That is, all but one. That particular girl, oddly enough, seemed to "Van Suydam" the most al-luring of them all. Later he was to know her as Ellen Taylor, Smith Taylor's only, cherished daughter. And

attentions of an expensive experiment on his own child.

Van Suydam's days became a round f pleasure. Much to his concealed musement, Taylor tipped him off fre quently as to which of the guests de erved especial consideration. "That Miss Alexander, now-she's a rich old girl, will stay on here for weeks if she likes it here. Humor her a bit, my boy, in the matter of tennis. Plays lke a cow, of course, but- And that 'atson girl-her people come every enr-

Two tidings Van Suydam regretted That he had so little time and energy to devote to what he considered bis chief business in life, writing, and that by the very nature of things he saw so little of Ellen. She proved strangely elusive, and, for that very reason, all the more provocative. He gathered, furthermore, that the one sure way to bring a frown to Smith Tayor's brow was to let him find them ogether. On the other hand, Taylor said nothing about the matter and Var Suydam resolved presently to pursue Ellen more persistently.

One week from the day of his arival, Van Suydam sought out Taylor n the office, seeking him rather than he clerk, as Taylor attended personally to the cashing of checks.

"What's my account?" he asked pleasantly of Taylor, who was ripping open an envelope. "I fike to settle up

"You do, ch?" Taylor paused in the act of drawing out a letter and regarded Van Suydam over his glasses, 'Well-let's see. I agreed to pay you twenty dollars a week and board, wasn't that it?"

"Pay me?" said Van Suydam, "What At that moment Taylor, who had glanced at his letter, sprang up sud-

"Who the devil are you?" he shouted. Van Suydam merely blinked. "You mean, who am I, really? I'm Curtis Van Suydam, to please you, but, as a matter of fact, I'm Barry Evans of

"Then what-listen here." Taylor read the letter aloud, then glared at Van Suydam allas Evans. "Dear Sir: Started for your place

but came down with measles en route, Impossible to accept your offer. "Yours truly,

"PERCY JONES." Van Suydam shook his head. "Means nothing in my young life," he said. get first-hand ex-

novel promised my publishers in the fall. They consider me weak on deof potash, 20 grains; and lard or vas eline, half an ounce. Some poultrylineation of the flapper type. You see, men have used a mixture of one part I've always spent my vacations in the north woods and dodged the sex completely. Didn't penetrate your scheme of the affected fowls are dipped in about change of name, but rather thought you recognized me and novelists were tabooo at your establishment, Rather pleased, personally, at in og-

as much lard or vaseline; or 2, flow

ers of sulphur, one dram; carbonate

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eraps and abandon tender grasshop

pers and succulent alfalfa in order

A little girl her been taken to church by her Aunt Helen. On re-

cross-examine her as to what she had

she asked.

her ear:

"What bymn did you have, dear

The little girl's memory falling he

for the moment, she turned inquir-ingly to her aunt who whispered in

"Well, what was it?" her mother

"'Sun of My Soul,' dear."

a garbage wagon approaches.

scamper to the feeding spots when

fattening cockerels and old hens.

the feathers are not wet.

Taylor was beginning to see light. "Thundaration" he cried. "Well, I might have known you were too good to be true. Put it there!" and he held out a plump hand.

Later Earry and Ellen, out on the lake in a canoe, exchanged confidences. "Dad told me be'd hired you and it didn't seem fair, somehow, to the guests for you to be acting under false colors. I-I tried not to like

"You tr'ed?" asked Barry gleefully, "Oh, Ellen won't you be my summer

"I H-Fil try?" said Ellen, but Barry, entished at what he read in her lifted glance, beached the came at the near

# TURTLES CANNOT BE TAMED

Creaturet' Aversion to Man Has Been Found Too Deep-Seated to De Eradicated.

The turtle ans been called "the tiger of the veptile world," for it is well-nigh appossible to tame him. One kmd, the great snapping turtle always has its laws aggressively open. Is quick as lightning in its movements, and can bite off a man's prin quite ensity.

turtles, those that figure on the monu at banquets, appear to recognize in man their natural enemy, and it is not easy to pick one up without being

Tottolses, on the other hand, are quite effable creatures, and easily turning home her mother began to tamed. Even the gigantic land tortolses of the Galapagos Islands soon learn to distinguish between indi-

Regarding these latter, survivals from a prehistoric age, Mr. Raymond L. Ditmars has much of interest to tell vs in his book, "Reptiles of the World."

Their habits in love-making, for ju stance, are decidedly curious, woos the female by stalking her in diminishing circles, from time to time approaching her, raising himself as high as possible on his short legs, and then battering his shell against hers with resounding thwacks. All crocodiles are dangerous, spiteful brutes. Those of the Nile are deliberate man-caters, often coming out of the water to attack bumans, and the same holds good of many of the Indian varieties.

Even baby crocodiles are savage, snapping if they are approached, and they are always unsafe to handle.

Alligators, on the other hand, make a great show of ferocity, but may be approached boldly and captured by throwing a noose around the jaws. They apparently grow quite tame in

Apples Like Onions,

An apple, an onion and a potato taste alike. It is necessary to see and smell them to detect the differ-

This is not a riddle but a fact stated by Dr. J. A. Hadfield in his lecture on "The Psychology of Feeding" at the Nations' food exhibition. This is not a riddle but a fact Another statement be made that will astonish most people in that we do not smell chloroform but only

n digestion, he said, and histanced the case of a man who became sick when he took milk simply because in his childhood he had been pelled to take medicine in it.



TREATMENT FOR SCALY LEGS

Affection is Common Among Chickens and is Caused by an Extremely Small Mite.

Scaly leg of poultry is a commo and well-known affection of chickens that sometimes causes affected birds to become worthiess. It is caused by an extremely small mite that works In and under the crusts that form on the legs. Caraway or sulphur olnt ment will kill the pests. Scales form



Bad Case of Scaly Leg.

the point of invasion of the insect, and under them the skin is irritated and bleery. Badly affected birds walk with difficulty, and may even lose a toe; later they become thin, lose the'r appetites and prove worth-

of affected fowls are held in warm water for several minutes, so that the crusts are softened and can be removed. A mite killer is then applied to the dry diseased surface. The fol-lowing mixtures are recommended: 1. Oil of careway, mixed in four times

PROVERBS WHICH ONE QUOTES

People Naturally Are Apt to Use Those Which Relate to Their Businesses.

Did you ever notice how provincial and self-centered the world is? Why, we can't hold an ordinary conversation without some hint of our petty business affairs entering in. The very proverbs which we affect, the very bromides of speech to which we are subject, are all directly traceable to our particular every-day pursuits.

Having always suspected this to be true, I one day set about to prove it. In my daily search for Judgelets, I made the rounds of all my friends, engaging them in pleasant colloquy. Here's the result :

"I'm pleased to meet you," swiled the butcher.

"Suit yourself," said the tailor. "That's right," agreed the traffic cop. "And so forth," said the dressmaker.

"That's a dirty shame," observed the "Every little bit helps," philosophized the carpenter.

"That's the long and short of it," retorted the rural telegraph operator, "Try to keep a stiff upper lip," admonished the barber.

"Yes, I need it," protested the baker "I'm not very well posted on that," faltered the bookkeeper. "These words shall be my last," averred the cobbler.-Alfa Eugene Bye



Ask your growing chicks if they like clean, fresh water,

The loss from lice and mites is more than their weight in gett.

The growing chicks are calling for green feed. Give them plenty.

High producing hens are often wedge-shaped with point in front. Nature stimulates in the spring. Man should help in the fall and win-

asked, a trifle impatiently. "Sun of Aunt Helen's Soul" was the Have at least one nest for each six reply that astonished her parent. Keep plenty of straw in the

DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO LOVE

Gilbert Frankau Believes the Young Woman of Today is Not Capable of Self-Sacrifice.

You have to watch the moderdance to see the modern girl at her most self-revealing. Regard her carefully, this bepainted, bepowdered, bemanicured product of our hectic age, as she circles the ballroom. dances emotionally, but her emotions are for the rhythm and the music, not for the mere male, her partner. Even in a man's arms she is as nearly sexless as the ladies of the Lysistrata. Gilbert Frankau writes in the Forum Regarding her thus, one cannot help answering the question which stands at the head of this article in the most emphatic negative. No! Give ber all her good qualities, her poise, her efficiency, her intelligence and you will still be forced to admit that-judging her superficially-the modern girl is not capable of a great and enduring love. To begin with, she is too selfish, too self-centered, too set on the pur suit of what she considers pleasure. to abandon herself to that self-sacrifice which is love at its best. And

then, perhaps, she is too wise. Myself, I am and have always been strong supporter of the civil con tract in marrimony. Matrimony after all, is-bowever much sentimental, middle aged fogeys like my self may like to regard it as a pur love affair-a legal undertaking. Au-I think that it is high time for the young man of today to understanthat his legal undertaking when be marries a self-supporting or an inpendent young woman is not confined purely and simply to housing her. The modern woman, you see, is something more than a mere domesticated pet She requires her leisures, her pleas ures and, more perhaps even than these, her full partnership rights.

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THINGS SEEN AND HEARD

Annapolis.-Sergt, H. C. Heffner, 40 years old, for several years drum major of the Naral Academy Band, died at the naval hospital here fol-lowing a brief liness of pneumonis, which developed from an attack of pleurisy. Surviving him are a widow and four children, who live at Homewood, near Annapolis.

Annapolis .- Major Edmund P. Duvall, a native of Annapolis, former prominent athlete at St. John's College, has been transferred to the retired list of the United States Army at his own request. With his family, he plans to go to Pinehurat, N. C., where he will devote a large part of his time to giving lessons in horse-

Hagerstown.—Five knights of Dixie Klan, Ku Klux, of this city, in regalis entered the Salvation Army half during services and presented the officers with \$21 for use in Christmas relief. Adjutant Bessle Humphreys had been notified that a delegation from a secret organization would visit the meeting and was told not to be frightened when they appeared.

Coolidge accepted an invitation to open the Charity Ball to be given for the benefit of the Union Memorial Hospital at the Lyric January 5. This anuncement was made by Mrs. Eugene Levering general chairman of the bail committee, Other distinguished guests will include General Pershing, Gov-ernor Ritchie, Mayor Broening and nany of the d'alorsaife set in Wash-

Baltimore. — Warning shopkeepers that in the future he would consider punch boards as gambling devices, Magistrate Joseph L. Ranft, in the Northwestern Police Court, dismissed keeps a store at 2421 West North avenue, upon a charge of distributing gambling devices. According to the police, Hillman has been selling the punch boards to children. It was testified that cash prizes were given those who punched the lucky number. Further distribution of the boards will bring a heavy fine, the magistrate

Easton.-At the meeting of the council here a motion was passed that the Mayor ask for the resignation of E. G. Kastenhuber, Jr., town engineer. William Whitby, a member of the council, stated that several matters have come to the attention of the body recently leading to the determination to request the resignation. The latest, Mr. Whitby states, was the charge of \$465 made by Mr. Kastenhuber for engineering services and inspection of curb and gutter on South Aurora street and North Washington street. A few weeks ago Mr. Kastenhuber preferred charges against Mr. Whithy, asking that his license as

Baltimore.-George E. Kieffner, As ney, who has handled most of the nar cotic cases in the local Federal Court during the last two years or more, said these cases constitute from 25 to 30 per cent. of the total criminal prosecu tions, before Judge Kose. "I do no believe there has been any marked in crease in narcotic addicts since the dry laws went into effect," said Mr. Kieffner. "It is an argument of the wets that the use of narcotics has increased with the enforcement of the dry laws and at the same time they say the dry laws are a failure because liquor is so easy to procure.'

Baltimore. - The nomination o Judge John C. Rose was confirmed by the Senate and he may enter upon his duties as Circuit Judge of the Fourth Circuit at any time. His promution leaves a vacancy on the dis-trict bench which must be filled at an early day. Appreciating the im portance of speedy action, the leaders of the local bar are concentrating their influence to insure the nominafled to fill the position. Almost every lawyer of any prominence is urging the appointment of Judge Morris A. Soper, and the pressure exerted is so great he cannot well afford to refuse to accept if the tenter is made. It ts understood that others who are secking the appointment have strong political indorsements, but it is doubted that these will avail when the facts are squarely placed before the President and the Attorney General.

Would Seem Logical,
If there be a paradise for virtues there must be a hell for erimes.

# STATE CAPITAL

Fulten Health Director.

Dr. John 5. Pulton, for many year secretary of the State Board of Healt will be the new Director of Heal under the reorganization plan, Go ernor Ritchie ancounced.

His appointment is in accords with a recommendation made to Governor by Dr. William H. We Dr. Lewellys F. Parker and Dr. W. H. Prost, whom he named as a c mitten to select a suitable candid Governor Ritchie told the commithe wanted to make the selection; political and waste the selection; political and would appoint the they recommended. Members of the committee said

had exhausted the field of po-candidates and that Dr. Fulton

candidates and that Dr. Fulton the best man available for the po The committee also racemmer with Dr. Fulton, concurring the younger physician be selected by naw board of health to study the cipal development of public in work in other States and to an the work of the Maryland departs the work of the Maryland departs. along two lines. One of these cational, that of bringing the ment into closer relationship v people. The other is a stre of county health organization, many county health officers as giving full time to work. The tional member of the departme was suggested, should be emplo an assistant to the director or it other capacity,

Governor Ritchie said he we appoint the present person, State Board of Health. Th ive members ur Dr. Weich, pr. Dr. Benjamin B. Perry, Dr. W. Ford, Dr. E. F. Kelly and A. Biaya. Dr. Fulton, Dr. C. son Jones and Alexander Are

Railroad Property To Be Reass The State Tax Commission took

steps preliminary to reassessing in a systematic manner the property of all the ratiroads in the State. The assessable basis is at present put at \$66,-000,000, tacluding property in Baltimore city,

Representatives of the Pennsylvania, Baltimore and Ohio, and Western Maryland Railroads, the Chess peake and Potomac Telephone Con-Telegraph Company met with the Co.-mission in Chairman Bock's of-

Ace and discussed the project. Appeals taken from two assess ments, one in Baltimore county and the other in Harford county, have furnished the Commission with or portunity for action. The assess ments, from which the appeals were taken, involve an increase of about

Assessments of railroad property are at present made in a manner far from unform, if not hapkasard, it is said. Noth the Tax Corimission and the corporations desire s uniform system, and it is the institution of such a system which is now projected.

# Delays Clinio Decision.

Governor Ritchie has not yet been able to write his resume of the testimony taken in the Foster Clinic in

The Covernor has gone over all the testimony and took some of it with him to the Governors' conference at White Sulphur Springs with the view of putting his conclusions in writing while there, but did not find time to

The main question is whether Dr. J. Hubert Wade should be continued as superintendent of Foster Clinic which is a department of Spring Grove. The investigating committee advised that he be separated from the management of the clinic.

### Many Marylanders Favor Senstor Bell's Park Act.

State and local associations have started a movement to urge upon Con gress passage of the bill introduced by Senator Ball, of Delaware, last month, for the exempton of parks and play-grounds of Washington into Maryland

and Virginia.

Maryland organizations which are supporting the measure include the Southern Maryland Society, the mem-bership of which is drawn largely from the regions affected; the City-Wide Congress, the Federation of Women's Clubs of Maryland and several local organizations of Prince George's and

Dally Thought. do generally hunts with great caution.

care of cattle and sheep was included in their program. These boys and girls have won individual recognition of their work from the Junior committee

for, on account of the distances between farm houses, it was too difficult to organize group work for this honor.

Then to the "Buby Beef Exhibit," the scouts went. There they saw the boys and girls who have raised the childrent beef from Maine to New Jer-

The state departments anjoyed the The state decayiments enjoyed the morning viate of the boys. Massachusetts hat answers ready for every question that was asked about the logging and fishing industries. Vermont taught the boys how maple sugar is made and just how the granite is cut. Maine had surprises in potato raising, lumber and game fishing. New Hampshire imparted to the coouts the secret of growing row and juicy spples and told them the reason why its dairy products have become so famous, and something of its veforesfis dairy products have become so famous, and something of its veforestation work. From Rhode Island the scouts learned how testiles are made and how to judge the various kinds. Connecticut explained its industries and emphasized its agricultural products. New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware had much to crowd into their marginas with the crowd into their mornings with the scoats regarding their respective man-nfacturers, agricultural and education-

The livestock show, with its blostock assembled from everywhere in the United States, had a special at-traction for the boys.

Then the farm mechanics. Scouts had an opportunity at this section of the fair for keen observation which they could follow up by acout ingenui-ty, when they reached home.

Industries in the cities were not over-looked. Canay making, for instance, was explained to the scouts, and one

was explained to the scouts and one farge candy company gave an exclusive and satisfying demonstration for the boys. The making of jewelry, of heating plants, or various types of automobiles, and many other articles.

And then the Barto show! Owners, experts, lockeys were there, glad to show celected herees to the scouts and to tair how the horses are trained for racing and how they are brought to the height of perfection necessary to win prizes for their owners.

The sloran of the junior work committee of the exposition in getting together this honor band of scouts was "as the an exhibit of boys as of tattle and horses," and the scouts replied, when hearthy of the wonders they were to see, that the sloran was a rest challenge, and they were out to win.

# Engagement Ring Has Become Recognized Institution

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nected with the ring back in the Second century, R. C., when woman first began to fleat it on the fourth figer of her left hand as a symbol of jetrothal. The engagement ring or mated as a "safety first" institution to hold fickle and forgetful man to also argain from the time he made his first avowal of love until the wedding ceremony took place. As an ancient document reveals;

"There are many men who, forgetful of their plighten faith, defer the faidliment of their purplish contracts. Therefore there lakely be a saleaux declaration before witnesses and a betrothal ring given and ac-

thousand retituters."
During the Berenteenth century England chose to have the engagement ring adorn the thum). The reason why English women wore them on their thumbs during the reign of George I, was because they were too large to went on any other finger. The old Hebrey betrothat rings were almost as large as turning, including in their superstructure reproductions of Solomon's temple or some other

At one time the engagement ring consisted of three hoops looped to the ring consisted of three hoops looped to the ring of the ring. When the redding took place one of these hoops was kept by I helde, one given to the groom and the third bestowed on a islimate friend who acted as witness to the ceremony.

# ALL SEEK ROYAL WARRANTS

Restrictions Hand Been Placed on Privilege That is Much Coveted in England.

stance, it is no uncommon thing to see them printed on a poster at election time, or used as an inn sign. Even the use of the word "royal" is not allowed without special permission.

espector with the help of a gold This is a shallow pan of ight sheet iron with dished sides. When "panning" for gold, the presector places the sand, soil, or crush rock into the pan, and adds water to vet the substance to be panned. The wet the substance to be panned. The holding the pan in a tub or stream of water, he adds more water, and by a shaking mytion works the heavy minerals to the bottom of the par. By a lapping process he ejects are sand until there remains only incentrates, salong which the gold may be distinguished by its color and salotine bear.

ruished by its color and relative heavi-There are rich gold roefs which shed gold very sparingly, and sometimes the gold is locked up in pyrite or other nerals, from which it is liberated by rousting or chemical treatment.

How to See the Wind. when the air is free from rain or now. Take a bright, clean handsaw or other polished metal object about two feet in length and having a stringht edge. Hold the saw or me-tallic surface at right angles to the direction of the wind. Incline it at about 35 or 40 degrees to the horizon and with the back up, so that the moving air, in striking the spince will glance upward and ficy over the edge of the metal, as water flows your a dam. Sight carefully along the edge of the metal, at a sharply defined object, and you will see the wind or air waves pouring over the edge in grace-

Unusually Endowed With Legs.
Following on the reports from Onario of quadruped birds comes a
tory from Tawatinaw, Alberty, where
farmer has a four-legged chicken.
The two extra legs in this case soom have grown just at the end of the ackbone and across each other just will eat and fight with the rest of the

Pig Retrieved Ring. While digging potatoes a Prince EG-were island woman lost her weaping ring, which was too rig. The pign were than trieved lam the garden to root for the polatoes that were missel. When the hozs fattened and were butchered the woran's ring was found on one of the pig's teeth.

Politeness Springs From Kindusss.

Rest politeness beging in Kindusss.

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HAD WEARIED OF OLD SINS nply Had to Have Something New to Confess, and She Contrived It.

The cook had committed a capital lense. No matter what. Let us as potatoes; and 1st it go at that. It was a sad daty to dismiss an other-wise fine cour in those days when there is dearly sooks, but soap in the mashed pothers was going too far. So the mistre is of the bo

Maggie stayed on.-New York Eve

**GREATEST OF ALL QUESTIONS** Now, as Ever, World Must Give Consideration to the Problem of

the Child. Everychild looks at us inquiringly. From the streets. From the many windows. From orphan and foundling as;

From the squ'lld homes, And from the homeless places. From the windows of the schools He looks at us inquiringly. He, the future of the race, He looks at us and through us, And far away Joto the distant future, And sometimes in his eyes There is hope and cheer, And sometimes reproach, And sometimes despair.

We had best stop and look at Every He is not alone for his mother, Not alone for his father, But belongs to every one of us He is the deepest concern of us all. What shall be done for Everychild? -Frederick Peterson in the North

American Review. Use of Rays by Flowers. Do flowers use rays not visible to

the human eye to attract insects to them? Certain insects can spot ultraviolet light that cannot be seen by man, and some blossoms, in addition to their ordinary brilliant hues, vary in the kind of short light rays that they

university told the Optical Society of America, meeting at the bureau of standards in Washington recently, that these invisible rays may guide pollenstandards in Washington recently, that these invisible rays may guide pollen bearing insects to the flowers in their search for honey. Glying signals in rays shorter than the deepest violet that we can see brings the flowers the pollen that is necessary to it in producing seed. Experiments made by Professor Richimyer on Colorado flowers and sea fishing are pleatiful.

The briefest statement of the game fing their reflection of ultraviolet as made as in their reflection of ultraviolet as an angel as in their viels colors. much as in their visible colors.

Unhooking the Hookworm.

Pathologists in the United States army service in Monila say that almost nine out of ten persons in the Philippines have hookworm intection. The cases are not serious, but they leave the efficiency of the Filipino worker and likewise reduce the powers of resistance against mularin, tuberculosis and other niments. The army accordists are using curbon intrachloride as a specific against the parasite. This is powerful stuff, but, if chamically pure, seems to be safe. Unhooking the Hookworm.

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times the usual dose to prisoners under the death penalty. They got so spry and boisterous that the only way to get rid of them was to hang them It is a big job to unhook the hook-worm, but science is going to do it. Give it time and practice.-Los An-

Mongre! Dog's Devotion. The devotion of dogs was illustrated at a London hospital the other day.

A little mongrel, coming from out a side street, placed its paws on the hospital railings, and by whining and barking attracted a large crowd, All efforts to make it go away were without svccess. After several minutes a young nurse appeared and gazed at the distressed creature. Then a smile spread over her features, and, gently picking up the dog, she took it into the hospital. It then turned out that the dog's master had been admitted into the hospital and his devoted pet

had followed him. Discouraging Trap Stealing.

A Basque sheep herder convicted of two stealing in Lessen county, California. nh, recently was fined \$100 and sentenced to jail for six months. The case was brought to trial and settled within four weeks. The field operations in predatory animal work conducted by the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture have been seriously interfered with by the stealing of traps, and it is believed that as a result of convictions and heavy sentences the nuisance will be lessened.

Scottish Estates Being Sold. Enormous estates in Scotland are cases to the taxes that have followed the war. As many as 310 square miles of forests, grouse moors and

salmon, brings into strong relief the fact that, like Scott's "Finnan had-dock," the sporting thus indicated "han a relish of a very peculiar and delicate fixues," inimitable elsewhere.

Windmills in Place of Galle. Windmills in Place of Salls.

Windmills to drive ships are the product of the French inventions department, an official war agency that has been continued. These windmills are intended to enable countries with any one of the first to sail the seasons. out coal or oil fields to sail the sons

Longth of Meters Differs. How many people know that legal length of the meter in the U

States is different from its

length in England? Such, hower

the fase. In America it is inches; in England, 30.3700113.

course, the difference is not larg

Itself, but still when computing g distances it might become cons

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a thousandth, ten-thousandth, or

lionth of an inch is ordinarily

The Certainty of Good.

Error Made by Some.

Sequence, Ben Quinn, Indian, bought a flivver.

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# The New Year.

We stand upon the threshold of the year 1923 Mighty coming Tremendous social changes are imminent We can but dimly conjecture what may be the world's social complexion of the tomorrow.

The past year in many respects was a wonderful year in America We have forged forward along almost every line of material prog that diet. For example, for sixtyress. Nature has poured for us an kilangozi, or head porter, of mine who almost continuous stream of bless- was of slight bulld carried his mat, ings from her copious stores, and and a tusk that weighed one hundred our commerce has caught up this and forty-eight pounds! The shortest treasure, distributing it throughout day was five hours, and some days this land and through the lands were v . long indeed. For rations through ut the march he had two

to ne as a nation, and, though sor- cared for. His physical condition was row came to many, there still was Youth's Companion. more of joy than sorrow, more of laughter than of tears. The edines of the great war have largely died away and we have definitely set to work to secure a lasting peace, and

Our labor trouble, our social unrest, the menace of Bolshevism- | Newark from Hawaii and the South these are the results of the war's reactions. These dangers will be overcome by the sound sense and the Paris-born craze for long skirts, pairiotism of our people. We are says Cap'n Dingle and his crew, that has sophisticated the spicy isles. Americans. And when that is said

hopefully. In the days to come we like a wine bottle usets be-from neck wish to live better than we lived in to heels, you might say. Then they the days that are gone. We daire got a new-style petticoat made o' moss. Oh, it ain't like what it used to be of greater service to our le low to be!"

need: We hope to continue to strive for the attainment of the noblest individual and national ideals, girls all wadded up in straw and moss We would work in harmony with the that. Why, he could remember when putting in at some of those is each other efficiently, so that the lands was better than a Fourteenth cumulative result of our efforts shall street buriesque, but now it was duller loom large when 1923 shall have than Teaneck,—New York Tribune. the wider, robber vision.

have live I, strived love 1 suffice t. t est et raite. And e ere greeks the lass Bussian dynasty its destrucas with so ilver happy face. At though there is mother similar docuhottong age and so fed a on the unclai manuscript of the Fourth century, found by Tischendorf in 1844 in brotherhood of core at the twi- the same mountery.

Fate. We shall not weakly cower burned up at the rate of 70,000 acres hadors any plantages of feating the a year, which means not only that her near unknown Las no highly re- area of growing forests is being resolve to do our he t in the works that land which should become a pubour hands find to do. Let foole lie asset of great value is being conlaugh at these same, positiont re verted into a public liability of unwounds in the world to heal. Per- tand in New Jersey almost within haps we may be able to do good to trucking distance of the greatest lumothers bearing hurts and so heal

We wish you all a hap; y and a prosperous New Year.

Contributed.

companied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Smith and Mrs. George Pryor, their own money in small denominafrom near Salisbury, attended the tions recalls a somewhat similar state afternoon session of the dedicatory of affairs in the early years of George service of the new \$75,000 Baptist, Church at Crisfield, Wednesday, coin in circulation was inadequate, The auditorium of this beautiful and tradesmen all over the country church has a sesting capacity of 1,200. The dedicatory sermon was preached by Rev. Russell Conwell, D. D., LL. D., pastor of the Baptist Temple, Philadelphia. The dedicatory prayer was offered by Rev. J. F. Rorex, pastor of the Baptist Church at Marion, Md. A good collection was taken in the afternoon. At night, Dr. Conwell delivered his dark from the mountain pastures at famous address, "An Acre of Diamonda."

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# WHY MEN BECOME CANNIBALS

Writer Asserts Cause Is Natural Craving for Meat Where There is a Scant Supply.

Why does mer became a cannibal? Mr. W. D. M. Bell, a contributor to "Country Life," thinks that the cause is constant craving for meat in a land where mostly grain abounds. He tells some interesting things about the ex-Bahr Aouk in Africa.

When they inhabit a stockless area, he says, they go for months without flesh, except of course for an occasional rat, morgoose or bird. In those circumstances the craving for meat naturally becomes intense and in my opinion is the cause of cannibalism.

When the people suddenly have almost unlimited meat, as they do have when they kill an elephant or a hippopotamus, they simply gorge them-selves. A man will eat from fifteen to twenty pounds in twenty-four hours. All night long he will eat and doze and doze again. As a result his skin turns a pecairar dull color, and his eyes beevents cast their shadows before, come yellow. On the third day he has completely recovered his natural appearance and is again full of energy. In a short time he wants his grain food again and if he has the choice will eat a large portion of grain to a small portion of meat.

If, as with the elephant, there is much fat with the meat, the natives are likely to become extremely fit on pour's of native grain every day and The dying year was a good year as much meat and elepant fat as he magnificent throughout.-From the

LAMENTS CHANGE IN FASHION Captain Dingle Says Paris Dress Craze Has Hit South Sea Island Femininity, Too.

Capt. Charles Dingle of the freight er Bay Port, which arrived in Port Sea islands, brought a dismal tale of the ravages of fashion in those once guilleless and innocent regions. It's

"They're wearin' them straw dresses all right," explained Skip Slattery, We great the New Year brilvely, freighter, "but they're wearin' 'em

Even 'nicky Inil Facining, optimise that he is, joined in the threnody. It

Loss Would be Irreparable There is much curlosity and anxiety to know what has become of the famous Codex Sinuiticus, which was, before the Russian revolution, in the states, we wish to do and be a' Imperial theory at Petrograd. This manuscript of the Bible Mount Sinul, whence Its equired by Tsar Alex-What has become of "ument during the Rus-

the loss of the jewels of tion would be an irreparable act, even ment, annually, then ment, answer as the "Vaticanus," ru

New Jersey's forests are being sightly and embarrassing proportions. There are 2,000,000 acres of forest ber market in the world, according to the estimate of the American Forestry association, which offers the opinion that sooner or later the people of the state of New Jersey will awaken to the economic significance of the fact, but that the awakening may come too late.-Thrift Magazine.

The editor of the Advance, so- When Merchants Coined Own Money. The action of the German govern-ment in allowing certain firms to print

> III in England. In those days the amount of copper issued tokens of their own which attained almost equal standing with the regal coinnge. One manufacturer in Hirmingham issued over 9,000,000 pennies and 3,500,000 half-pennies in the course of a few years and the amount of "tokens" in circulation in 1780 cutnumbered the genuine coinage.

Dog's Bark Proved Expensive. The barking of a dog so frightened a flock of 2,000 sheep returning in the Freney d'Oisans, near Grenoble, France, that they rushed over a The shepherd, in attempting to stop them, was drugged over with them, but was rescued, though his condition was grave. Numbers of the sheep.

were killed The Columbia river is the greates fishing stream in the world.

## CHINA DEMANDS GOOD ROADS

Oriental Country Awakes to the Neces sity of Immediate Development of Its Highways,

A plea for good roads as a necessity for the pront, development of China is made by the Oriental Motor of Shanghal, which began publication a year ago to encourage interest in motor use. Asking where the United trac.dinary dig: of the natives of the States would have been if the good roads movement had not been earnestly supported throughout the coun-

try, the editor says: "Yet at this time of greatest development in the making of roads China lies dormant. If any nation in the world needs ronds, good ronds and national highways, it is China, Means of communication in the country are inadequate and medieval, transcontinental travel is only possible by water at the rim of the country, while the great heart of the nation is still inaccessible to any mode of transportation except the most primitive.

"China can never become a ration until her roads are developed. With them the penetration of the interior, for commerce and pleasure, would mean a few hours or a few days by motor. The people of the interior would be brought into touch daily with motors and motorists from al sections of the nation. Thee would begin to realize that there are parts of the country other than they own province and city, and the great welding influence which would make China a nation united would begin."-New York Times.

# UNWORTHY RULER OF ROME

History Accords Low Place to Commo dus, Whom Fortune Capriciously Lifted to High Estate.

Commodus was a Roman emperor notorious for his cruel and voluptu-ous character. He was endowed with extraordinary strength, and often appeared in imitation of Hercules dressed in a lion's skin and armed with a club. To display his skill and strength in arms he appeared publicly in the amphitheater. As his opporents were armed with weapons of tin or lead, while he was encased in Impenetrable armor, he had naturally an easy victory on every occasion. For his amusement he cut asunder per-sons, put out their eyes, and mutilated their nones, etc.

Commodus was strangled by the gladiator Narcissus, who was hired to commit the deed by Marcia, the mistress of Commodus, who had plotted with members of his official family, to put him out of the we; When he died the senate declared lan an enemy of the state, ordered his statues to be broken to pieces, and his name to be erased from all public inscriptions,-Detroit News.

by a sever-acce that there is a gen-eral notion among deaf and dumb pa-sons that their salvation rests in this direction. Consequently they are resorting to airplane trips as a means of restoring their functions. The manager of the air station at Croydon, England, reports that he is besieged with requests from these afflicted persons who are hopeful that an experience in midair might supply the necessary shock. The parents of an afflicted child brought their offspring to you are.-Thomas at Kempis. the station and made a request that the child be taken aloft with the idea of possibly curing her, but aside from the tonic effect upon the child there was no other result. The child returned to the ground in a very happy frame of mind and was delighted with her experience. It has been suggested that the trip aloft does not have the desired effect for the reason that the various experiences in the air are more or less expected and therefore the element of suddenness and shock are lacking.

### Warren Stories. Warren is a Shelbyville boy five years old and fond of eating. One day he and another little boy were playing soldler, and were shooting both men and women, when Warren

cried out: "Don't shoot the women,

cause they do the cooking"

Warren's father was telling about transacting some business matters with a woman and said: "She is so ignorant, she doesn't know anything. Warren looked up and said: "Reckon she knows how to co ... don't she?" One day Warren's nurse was ready to give him a bath. She called to him to come and he said: "Wait a min-Again she asked why he didn't come and he replied: "I am trying to make my minute as long as mom's." -Indianapolis News.

### Holland Restricts Flyers. Flying regulations of the Nether lands government provide that the minimum sititude over closely inhabited areas is 400 meters (1.312 feet). All alreadt must always fly at such a height over towns or public gather ings as will permit of their landing outside of such areas in case of engine failure. No trick flying may be

### areas or public gatherings. Waste Paper Money.

indulged in above closely inhabited

A traveler recently returned from a trip, through Austria had his cafe bill handed to him made out on the back of it ten-crown note. When the patron expressed his surprise at this unusua proceeding, the waiter told him that bank notes were cheaper than plain

Advertising Signs Barred. Preventing the national forests in California from being defaced with advertising signs, an order recently saued by the district forester at San Francisco states that advertising stens in the 17 national forests of Califor nia must come down. Advertisements printed on rocks and trees are also to be effaced. According to the regu tations of the forest service of the ture, such advertising is prohibited from all national forests without spe cial permits, which are seldom issued.

### WILLIAM G. KERBIN, Solicitor.

# Trustee's Sale Of Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Worcester County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, passed on the 11th day of December, 1922, in a cause pend ing in said court, wherein John S. Gordy And all as we've got to do is trusten, Master Marner—to do t right thing as far as we know and et al are complainants and Martin Manuel et al are defendants, being No. 3223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee right thing as far as we know and 13223 Chancery, the undersigned trustee trusten. For it us, as knows so litt will offer for sale to the highest bidder can see a bit o' good and rights, wat public auction in front of Trader's may be sure as there's a good and attore at Stockton, Maryland, on right bigger nor what we know— Saturday, January 13th, 1923, zeel it I' my own inside as it must be Saturday, January 13th, 1923,

so.—Dol'y Winthrop in George Ellot's little right, title, and interest of air e parties to the afgresaid cause in more, a all that marcel of land situated Objects close to the eye shut out a Disleft had side of the county road much larger objects on the horizon: The from Stockton to Welbourne in and splendors born only of earth is the lection district of Worces-eclipse the stars. So a man sometimed by Comby, Moryland, and described as covers up the entire disc of coulty blows heginning at a pine tree standing on the left land side of the county ent glories with a little shining data. ad above names and on the line of endall Fisher's back, thence running and with the Kendall Fisher land or ne about east course to run of branch Head smashed, arm broken. He said: market block gum tree, thence run-"First mile too slow, took drink booze; ag by and with the run of said branch next mile faster, took another drink; 6 the ci Charlotte Ward, land about last mile very fast, took another crink. then saw bridge in road, turned out for it."—Hinwatha (Kan.) World. tence running about west course to risked red oak tree standing on left had side of county road above named, tence running by and with county road about north course to the pine tree and and north course to the pine tree and side of th The United States biological Survey warns against charging the crimes of p.ce of beginning, containing 51 acres bland, more or less. It being the same the English sparrow to other members of the sparrow family, which, although casentially seed eating, performs great service in fix raids on insects, as do jays, crows and klackbirds.

of the English sparrow to other included in the Edward Manuel of Carlos in the Edward Manuel by Grover W. Ward and wife by deed jays, crows and klackbirds. am recorded among the land records of Wrecester County in liber O. D. C. No. 41, elio 535. Taxes paid up to Januar 1st, 1923. Title papers at purchase's expense. A good effect may be achieved if when pairting ficors that have old-fashloned wide boards 2 line is drawn through the certier of each board with a lead pencil before putting on the varnish, when you il have a floor which looks like wares board with

TERMS OF SALE: Cie-fourth cash on day of sale, balane in six months, or all cash at option of ourchaser. The credit portion to bea interest and to be secured to the satifaction of the trustee. stahed in New York city in 1825, the price was \$10 a thousand cubic feet.

William G. Kerbin, Trustee.

# Ford Sales Record Broken

Walt not the True.

Walt not the saw are tacked by the Ford Motor Company, do by the Ford Cars and Trucks to the voices of the saw as truth the voices of the saw as truth to more distinct and saving must be your November totalled 106,827. This own as the same true of the same t is a new high sales record that has

unter themselves after a gentle but very powerful manner, so that we are but little were of them and less able to withstand them persistently.—Extotalled alightly over 58,000 Cars 3 and Tracke.

it is not unusual for Ford real &

sales to exceed the 100,000 mark

but go still further in making the

Ford Car the best value from the

Although the Ford factories have

been operating at full capacity for

the past eight months, sales bave

equalled production and judging

from the unusual manner in which

orders are coming in at this season

of the year Ford dealers will be un-

able to accumulate an adequate

In the opinion of the Ford Mo-

tor Company, November sales are

an indication that many prospec-

live purchasers, realizing the ex-

ceptional value now being offered in

Ford Cars, are beginning to antici-

the fall and will continue to do so

later on. While this will relieve

the situation to some extent, it is

pointed out that the steadily in-

creasing demand for Ford Cars is

nevertheless sure to create an acute;

Accordingly, the Ford Sales Or-

ganization is urging prospective

Ford purchasers to arrange for de-

livery during the winter months in

order that the demand next spring

will be relieved as far as possible.

shortage as the season advances.

months for delivery next spring.

it has ever been.

Let not your peace rest on the ut-terances of men, for whether they put a good or had construction to your a good or bad construction on you year, reiail deliveries have exceeded 100,000 Ford Cars and Trucks each conduct does not make you other than month; the accumulated total for the first eleven months of 1922 be- 3 "Marriage," said Wilks, "Is like making approximately 1,200,000 ing a call. First you go to a-dore, While the Company points out that

then you ring a belle, and give your name to a maid." "After that," said Martin, "you are taken in." First English Daily Paper. The first English daily paper, the Daily Courant, appeared in 1702 and the first Sunday papers, the British Gazette and the Dally Monitor, in

To Thine Own Self Be True.

during the spring and early summer months when the demand is at its peak, the manner in which business has held up throughout the balance of the year is without precedent.

Credit for this remarkable showing is attributed by the Ford Motor "There's always more than one way of looking at a thing," said the small Company to the many improve boy as he shinned up the pole outside ments which have lately been made Proving It.

on Ford Cars and particularly to the new low level of Ford prices, recently put into effect. These new low prices not only broaden the field of prospective Ford purchasers Poor Opinion of Some Husbands. "All some husands are good for is to play with the children until you get a bit of work done," said a women in an English police court.

Future Nitrogen Consumption. It has been estimated that in 1936 Ford Car the best value from the there will be a total consumption of standpoint of the retail buyer, that 438,000 tons of inorganic nitrogen in this country.

Deadly Polson From the Upas. The smallest wound from an arrow tipped with the poison taken from the upas tree of Java is fatal.

Be Ready for Opportunity. The secret of success in life is for man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes,-Disraeil. Poor Humanity.

Some people hope for the best only under protest and are disappointed when it happens. Correct Measure of Man.

The degree of vision that dwells in man is the correct measure of the man .- Carlyle.

One Secret of Sucaess. These who succeed best when they work for others are those who see that in doing so they are also working for

State of Ohlo, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, 25.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senie. partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Tole &, County and State aforesaid, and that caid firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRUP DOLLARS for each and every case of Calarric that cannot be cired by the use of HALL'S CATARKH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHEMEY.
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A. W. GLEARON.
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SPECIFICATIONS MOTOR: Four cylinder, overhead vaive. CYLINDERS: Cast en bloc with opper half of crank case; head detachable. OILING SYSTEM: Pump on motor side, pressure to all main bearings. Gauge on dash. CARBURETOR: Tillotson, plain tube. ELECTRIC SYSTEM: Auto-Lite. ISNITION: Distributor and commonted on generator. CLUTCH: Single plate disc. TRANS-MISSION: Standard, selective type, sliding gear. REAR AXLE: Three-quarter floating axles, shafts removable from hub. Timken tapered roller bearings. Spiral beyel ring gear and minon of tapered roller bearings. Spiral bevel ring gear and pinion of chrome nickel steel. COOLING: Fan and centrifugal pump inde-pesdently driven by crank shaft. GASOLINE SUPPLY: Vacuum

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# MT. PLEASANT.

Mr. and Mrs G. W. Brittingham spent Christmas Day with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Rayne.

Miss Mabel Rayne, who is at- day. tending school at Pittsville, is stock of cars during the winter spending the holidays at home.

> Mrs. Willard Powell and Mr and Mrs. Porsey Massey made a business trip to Salisbury, Thurs- Salisbury, Saturday. day of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Hervey Lewis and son, Ralph, were the guests of her day with Miss Rada Lewis. pate an unusual spring demand and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Timare therefore placing orders during mons, of Whiton, Christmas Day, Local Subscriptions to Advance \$1

Mr. and Mrs. Garley McCabe and son, Linwood, of near Berlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rayne and children, Wilson, Irma and Dorothy Mae, of Salisbury, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rayne, Sun-

We are sorry to report Mrs. W. H. Lewis on the sick list.

Mrs. C. F. Hammond and son, Harry, made a business trip to

Misses Rada Dennis and Elsie Williams, of Frieudship, spent Sun-

throughout the winter to avoid disappointing delays in delivery Be Sure your Subscription Is Paid to Date, And Help US To Meet Our Obligations.

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# Horticultural Hints

SET STRAWBERRIES IN FALL

Transplanting May Be Successfully Done in Autumn Months If Conditions Are Right.

Strawlerries are generally transplanted in the spring of the year from runner plants which have set the pre ceding season, although if conditions are favorable they may be set in the fall months successfully. The manner in which these are transplated will depend upon the size of the field one expects to maintain and the method of cultivation or care best adapted to local conditions. For small plantations the single-matted row or the stool system of planting secures best results. There can be no doubt but that the stool system will secure a better quality of berries

Transplanting by the stool system is accomplished by simply setting one plant in the row, preferably 18 inches each way. If a horse cultivator is to be used, the rows should be three feet apart, the plants 15 to 18 inches apart In the row. No runner plants are allowed to form, the runner shoots he ing pinched off as they appear. This system is probably not as productive to the case of the Senator Dunlap, and other common varieties. In planting in the single-matted row

system the plants are set about two

feet apart in the row, the rows three

feet apart. Each parent plant is allowed to mature from two to six runner plants. These are layered in line with the row between the parent plants. All other runners should be pinched off and not allowed to form. For field plantation on a large scale the double-matted row is recommended. Set the parent plants as before, but the rows four feet apart to permit easy cultivation, and allow six runner plants to form from each parent plant. Four of these runner plants are layered in line with the row, two on each side of the parent plant. The other



ideal Rows of Early Ozark Strawber-ries, One of the Best Extra Ecarly

two runner plants are tayered directly rows on each side of the parent row. Cultivation is necessary for success in the case of the ever-bearing varieties, and if water is available it is a good is an exceedingly important item in plan to irrigate throughout the fruit. the construction of a wooden ship.

# TO DESTROY CURRANT WORMS

Larvae of Saw-Fly Can Be Controlled by Good Spraying With Arsenate of Lead.

Current or gooseberry worms, which are the larvae of the saw-fly, can be controlled by spraying with arsenate of lead at the rate of one to one and a half ounces in a gallon of water. Paris green may also be used to control the worms. The bushes should be sprayed as soon as the worms appear. In case the worms do not come until the fruit is ripening, white hellebore should be substituted for the arsenical poisons, as it is non-poisonous,

# PERFECT WORK IN SPRAYING

Thoroughness Does Not Mean Heavy Application, but One That Covers All Sides.

There is another great essential for success in spraying besides timeliness and that is thoroughness. Thoroughness does not necessarily mean heavy applications but a fine application that entirely covers the tree on all sides. The fact is heavy applications often cause spray injury. A perfect job of spraying is when all parts of the tree are covered and kept covered with spray. Then the bugs and diseases have no c ance,

Spray for Peaches. Remember that the peaches must be sprayed every two weeks with lime-sulphur spray for the control of brown

Spraying Reduces Losses. Spraying reduces transit lossen from brown rot of stone fruits, as well as orchard losses.

Be Careful in Cultivating. Do not cultivate decay near fruit trees. Injured roots are not to be come diseased.

Effective Fungicides. The fungicides which depend on sulphur for their action have been shown to be most effective in hot weather.

Moving Literature. -"Don't you think a cookery book is fascinating?" Clara-"Yes, indeed. It contains so many stirring

Pins in Abundance. There are approximately 10,000,000,-000 pins produced in this country every

year, or about 100 plns per percen. A New Antique. English paper—"Antique, over 100 years old, oak sideboard, brand new."

-Boston Transcript.

These things I love, and they are A pearl pink east above a summer sea.
A cold green sunset over snow-waved The earthly incense that the furrow yields.

W. P. Eaton.

THE TONIC RHUBARB For Jelly making the fall is the time

ise the rhubarb, as the fresh growth in the spring lacks pectip. Rhubarb Sherbet .- Soak one tablespoonful or gelatin in onefourth of a cupful

of cold water un til softened. Make a sirup with four cupfuls of rhubarb juice, two cupfuls of sugar, cook five minutes, add the softened gelatin and the juice of two lemons. Stir well,

cool and freeze. Rhubarb Puffs.—Put two tablespoo tois of rhubarb in each of four pudding cups that have been well buttered. Drop a spoonful of batter prepared by using a cupful of flour, a half cupful of milk, a 'easpoonful of baking powder and a little salt. Put in another spoonful of rhubarb and fluish with a little batter, leaving room to rise. Place the cups in a pan of boiling water, cover closely and steam fifteen minutes. Serve with the following sauce: Boll together one cupful of sugar and two-thirds of a cupful of rhubarb juice until it hairs. Pour slowly over two well-beaten egg whites and beat until thick. Serve over the

Rhubarb Sponge.-Soak two table spoonfuls of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Scald a cupful of milk and dissolve one-third of a cupful of sugar in it. Pour the hot milk over the softened gelatin and stir until dissolved. Set the mixture in a cool place until it begins to stiffon, then beat well with an egg beater; add one cupful of rhubarb sauce and fold in the whites of two eggs beaten stiff. Turn the mixture into a mold that has been rinsed with cold water and chill. Serve the sponge with whipped cream.

Punch No. 2.-Boll three-fourths of cupful of water with one and onehalf cupfuls of sugar for three minntes, add a pint of green tea-twice the ordinary strength—and three pints of rhubarb juice, the juice of three oranges and one lemon. Chill and

# Neceie Maxwell

WOODEN SHIPS HAVE "KNEES"

Right Angle Timber Brace, Important Part of Vossel, Named for Human Leg Joint.

In these days when flapper sistering gles with sayings like "the care lamas" and "the bea's knees," how many boys and girls knees, how anything about ships' knees. Ships' knees, how ever, are a fact and not a fancy. This

A ship knee is a right-angled wooden bruce used to give strength to the framing, and is fashioned from the natural crook of a tree formed by a heavy, shallow horizontal root and a section of the trunk. Knees when finished are sometimes as much as six or seven feet high and many times are four feet high.

The tremendous impetus to wooden shiphuliding brought about by the war has resulted in the establishment of a sawmill at Portland, Ore., designed exclusively for the finishing of ship knees. The timber preferred is secondgrowth Douglas fir, found growing in shallow soil, so that the roots turn off at right angles to the trunk and thus give the proper shape. The standardized wooden ship requires some two hundred knees of all sizes, while another type of wooden ship, also under construction, requires more than 160 knees .- American Forestry.

Oxygen Gas Future Predicted. When the process of making oxygen from air becomes cheaper, it is predicted that an enormous demand for the gas will arise. Just as oxygen is now used for welding and other purposes in which great heat is desired, not gradually, but very speedily, so it will be required for smelting and a hundred other purposes.

Training a One-Man Dog.

A one-man dog can be reared only as follows: Take a mere puppy; allow no one to play with it, much less pet it. If anyone comes near it have him use a small stick and whip the dogthen when he comes to you, you pet the animal. That gives the dog complete confidence in you alone.-Adventure Magazine.

Ghosts in Parliament House. The ghost of Guy Fawkes is not the only spook of the British house of commons. The most famous, as well as the most sinister ghost of St. Stephens is the one called after Big Ben. It is certainly the best authenticated parliamentary specter, and it is said that on the day following each of its appearances a member of the royal family has died.

Creosoted Timbers Last. Creosoted timbers are valued in Africa because they diminish the injury

due to meisture and the tropical sun

and the ravages due to white ants and Natural Resson. Mother (in reproof)-"Now, when was young, girls never thought of doing the things they do today." Daughter-"Well, than's why they didn't do

"But, pape, why take my debts so tragically? I assure you that by hard work, strict economy and the utmost self-denial you will clear them off,"

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# JundayJchoo Lesson

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 31

REVIEW

GOLDEN TEXT—The Spirit of Lord is upon me, because he bath ano me to preach the sospel to the po Lord is upon me, because he hath anoi me to preach the sospel to the po Luke 4:15.

DEVOTIONAL READING—Pealm PRIMARY TOPIC—Favored Storie

the Quarter.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Went About ing Good.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TO How Jesus Ministered to the Peopl YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TO Some Characteristics of Jesus' Mini-

save one are from Luke, and the tral and unifying theme is Je Christ, a profitable way to conthe review, as suggested in Peloul Notes, would be to assign the fol

ing topics to the members of class to make a brief report upon.

1. Christ's Mission to the Work 2. Christ's Helpers and How Used Them.

3. Christ's Divine Power and By He Exercised It.
4. Christ's Methods of Teaching

Showed It. 7. Christ's Foes and His Dealigs Ever since Abram's day God has for

8. Christ's Pity for Sinners, 9. Christ's Parking Through Husan His little children might fearn lesson Experience.

10. Christ as a Missionary and an 11. Christ's Relation to the Faher. 12. Christ's Preparation for the Climax of His Life.

Another way would be by surizing each lesson, stating the standing topic and teaching of each The following ruggestions lesson. Lesson 1. The birth of John the Baptist, which from the human standpoint was impossible, was announced to his father, Zacharias. For hs unbelief he was smitten with dum ness.

God expects of his servant unques-tioned bellef in what He prombes. Lesson 2. Jesus was born in Bethlehem just as the prophet had forefold What will Abram do? I can imagine some 700 years before, and at the age he talked it over with Sarah and Lot. of twelve years he consciously en-tered into the services of God's house. Though conscious of His divine being and mission, He lived a life of filial life

istry was a preparation for the com-ing of Christ. He fearlessly preached him to this famine-stricken country. repentance and prongueed indement. How like Abram we are—so ready upon the impenitent. There is mighty to follow human indement and turn

Striken of head of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. The purpose was to test the reality of the incarnation. The result was complete victory—a demonstration of His ability to save to the stration of His ability to save to the local stration of His ability to save to the local stration of His ability to save to the local strategy of the Lord is spon them Lesson 5. Isaiah foretold the gold- that fear Him, that hop

will reign. Lesson 6. While Jesus was here He healed all kinds of diseases and cast life of faith begins in a confession that mission and proved His power to for-

give sins by miraculous deeds.. Lesson 7. Jesus taught the disciples the principles which should govern in His kingdom. Only those who have been born from above can ove their enemies.

Lesson 8. While in Simon's house at dinner, a woman who had been a notorious sinner anointed Jesus' feet and wiped them with her hair. sinner's gratitude to Jesus for for-giveness is measured by the appreension of sins forgiven.

Lesson 9. Jesus went forth throughout every city preaching the glad tidings of the Kingdom of God. The fact of salvation for sins through a crucifled Redeemer is truly glad tidings. Lesson 10. Jesus sent forth mis-

sionaries with the realization of the big task before them, and with power to perform supernatural deeds to authenticate their mission. Those who realize the bigness of their task will earnestly pray that the Lord will send forth laborers into His harvest. Lesson 11. Jesus' reply to the question of a certain lawyer, "Who is my neighbor?" shows that the all-important consideration is not "Who is my

Lesson 12. A certain rich man in his perplexity over his prosperity decided to provide larger stores and settle down to a life of sensuous indulgence. The one who lays up trensures on earth and is not rich toward God is a fool.

neighbor?" but "How can I show that

am a neighbor?"

Consolation, Love, Faith, Hope, Life. May Consolation smile on every pain, and Love put her balm on every wound that life bears! May Faith strengthen you all in your unavoidable trials and Hope whisper through all sorrows that this terrestrial life of ours is a mere shadow of the Life that never dies.-Mazzini.

Charity Among Yourselves. But before all things have a constant mutual charity among yourselves, for charlty covereth a multitude of sins .- I Peter 4:8.

Daily Thought.
There is no substitute for thoroughgoing, ardent, sincere earnestness.— Charles Dickens,

Staple Russian Product. Linseed oil, used in this country in paints, is one of the staple edible oils

Significance of Beards. Beards, in olden times, were the caulay.

The Life of Faith Tested

By REV. J. R. SCHAFFER

TEXT-There was a famine in the land

How little we know of such an ex erience. They would understand this in China, India or



faith. God had made a wonderful covenant with him. He obeyed the call and became a pioneer in God's land. But before he could be of value e as God's representative, a sample man of faith, he must be tested. So the famine crme in the very place to which God had led him. God persaitted him to suffer hunger to teach him that "man shall not live by bread alone but by every word that proceed eth out of the mouth of God." The 5. Christ's Love in Its Many Mai- famine was God lifting His child of estations.

6. Christ's Courage and How le and teaching him that He is able to provide in the awful day of ...unger it necessary to permit dire need to come in the life of faith in order that

> could disclose. Three lessons God would teach, through a famine in the land of His

that only the schoolroom of His knee

1. To Trust him Wholly. God called Abram out of a life ? self-confidence to one of absolute dependence. He left his old home and traveled to a new land. The journey was unevent Terah. The presence of some of his relatives in the caravan suggests that Abram had not fully obeyed God. He may have thought so, but an experience must come to test whether he is shut up to God, or still trusting in human resources. "There was a fumine in the fand."

Why not move to Egypt? Just the thing. Was God consulted? No. Abram acted upon the rule of the old

"The eye of the Lord is upon them

and to keep them alle in famine." 2. To Know Ou/selves Fully. The we believe the Word of God, that what He has promised, He will perform. Our intentions are sincere, but they must be proved. At Sandy Hook the War department has its proving grounds. There the great guns upon which the fate of the nation may hang in the event of war, are tested. They are constructed to meet certain requirements. They will fire a shell weighing 1,000 pounds 16 miles. But they may not do as expected, so they are proved. A much larger charge of ammunition is used to see if they will stand the test. Some may go to pleces. How true of the man of fait h. He must be proved. Conduct under stress and strain must be determined. The genuineness of faith must be atwith our weakness. It is "more pre-cious than gold that perisheth."

3.. To Help Others Truly. "All ten" ing is for a testimony." Peter wo as violently shaken in the devil's sie ve not only to separate the wheat fr on the chaff, but in order that he w ight strengthen the brethren. The language of his epistles bears test mony to what he learned in the sifting ; process. What we have exps rienced helps others in need. How heartening the was ds. "He

was tried in all points as w , are, yet without sin." "Touched we then feeling of our infirmities," Cr cist is able to succor us in the hour of need and make a way of escape.

Abram chose the rest is of compro-mise and lack of falsh. This involved him in deceit and fair chood concerning his wife that wow at have cost his life but for divine in terposition. The very peril he rais away from in Canaan awaited his a with wide open jaws in Egypt, bus Gor delivered unfaithful, unbellew ng Abram. "If we believe not, He abideth faithful.

What encous igement for foolish, perverse, doubs ing disciples. Though we turn our a ack upon Him He will not cast us of f, but brings us back to the place of the alter and the tent—to renewed and indence and fellowship even as As ram. Chapter 13:1-2.

Bind a With Copper Feathers.
In the bird house up at the north end f the I cological park in New York is a cage of touraces, an African bird of brilling atly colored plumage. In the wings is a dash of red, and we are told by to the placard that the peculiar thing and ut the color is that it is caused by the presence of 7 per cent of copper presence of 7 per cent of copper.-

Deck Also Used for Bed. An inventor has included a writing desk in a new adjustable reclining

The Heavenly Guest.

If you open the door and let Christ in. He will come as a courteous guest; He will take the space that you give to

And will leave you all the rest; If you crowd Him out of your largest

And give Him a corner small,

If you scarcely remember that He is there And speak of Him not at all-

Ah, then He may grieve when He sees your mind By the cares of the world possessed When your feet have strayed and your soul is faint

And your heart by grief oppressed; But He cannot comfort and lift and And help as He longs to do-

Where He sits apart in your House of For you have not asked Him to.

Oh, make Him the Master of all you have. The Lord of your heart and soul; Yield Him all your self for His dwell

ing-place And let Him take the whole; He will do for you, He will work with

He will reign in your life alone, Ard you'll find the blessing that you have missed

And the Joy you have nover known. -Annie Johnson Flint, in Sunday School Times.

Taking Desperate Chances,

It is true that many contract severe lds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding attack and paves the way for the more serious disases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds may be had for a trifle?

The colored speaker who said in prayer meeting, "I feels like I could say more in five minutes than I could do in a year," was not a lone in his experience. There is a great amount of rapturous thought and high resolve that filters down very slowly into the stream of every-day living. It is easy to talk and to see her visions of perfection, but it is hand to make the dreams nome true. Nevertheless, the prey-per-necking moods and visions are not useless. Heleoted.

Char beriain's Cough Remede

the Mother's Pavorite. The soothing and healing propert es of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and effect-ual cures yave made it a favorite with copie everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of young children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief and is free

from opium and other harmful drugs. If one wants to do the work of an evil spirit he need not lure people into crime or tempt them to positive sin; he need only dishearten tlaose who are trying to do right. Belittle the task of the workers, persuade those who toll that their efforts are faulty and futile and some one else might do far better, make the life's endeavor look poor and useless and the poison has been injected. The discourager does Satested beyond question. Blessend is trin's work in the world, whether the trial of faith that acquaints us 'oe intends it or not. Whoever tun's work in the world, whether steals heart and hope out of men leaves them crippled for usefulness. -- Forward.

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William L. Helloway, Cashier,

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is he reby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Exchange & Savings Bank of Berlin, Maryland, wi II he held in the bank build-

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**OBJECTS TO TERM 'MASSACRE'** 

Author Insists That Custer's Last Fight Must Properly Be Described as a Battle.

Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., in the preface of a volume en "Indian Fights and Fighters," makes a marked distinction between the terms "mas-sacre" and "battle." He says that every time a body of troops engaged in a fight with Indians and the troops were outnumbered or caught at a dis-advantage, and the battle was contimued until the troops were slaugh-tered, such an hilair was popularly called a "massacre," as, for instance,

The Currer Massacre."

Mr. Brady believes this to be an unwarranted use of the term. Custer, the author points out, attacked the Indians and fought desperately until he and his men were all killed. He calls it a "battle" and not a "massacre."

When an Indian war party raided a text of the college of the settlement or overwhelmed a train, or murdered women and children, that,

he thinks, was a "massacre." The au-ther says: "I would like to ask if anyone ever ing, on Mond ay, the lat day January. Int? The Greeks fought there until ing, on Mond ay, the 1st day January.

Ine? The Greeks fought there until equipped it with poles with which it all save one were killed. The results can renew its charge of electricity on nine directors of said bank for the there were exactly the pape as those from overhead wires of street car ensuing year. John D. Henry, Gasher. of the battle of the Little Big Horn, there is a second of the little Big Horn, there is a second of the little Big Horn.

but I have yet to rend in history that the Persians 'massacred' the Greeks in that famous pass."

Rush to Diamond Fields. The biggest rush in the history of the Transvasi alluvial diamond de-gings has taken place at Knalpiacte 50 miles from Johannesburg. Thre-thousand would-be diggers formed a line 2,100 yards long. A proclamation having been read, a Union Jack was lowered, and the long line of scekers after fortune moved off at the double over a thousand yards of green, undulating country. Young men and old, both liridish and Dutch, boys and women and girls, surged forward brandishing pegs. There was great excitement around the richest spot, but so vast was the diamond field that there were some excellent finds were made. So far, diamends weighing 1,450 carats and valued at \$68,000 have been found at Kasipisats.

Good Device for City Vehicles,

forty in an on the Dawson road.

there's a devil of a storm brewl

Jim Harrigan. "But what's the

of thinking of it? I guess we'd be

rot here, rather 'n out in the snow

"Where's Yadler Dog?" asked se

one. But Yaller Dog, seen in the t a few minutes before, had disappea

his for the picking now," said To

muttered Big Joe, "You all knew w

"Curse him. I guess our claim'll

"Oh, what's the sense of swearing

Yaller Dog was when that lot fro

Parrish's tried to jump our clair

Can't expect him to change his natur

There was a pattering on the ter

The first snowstorm of the year

Alaska is apt to be as bad as any

It snowed three days and nights. The furious gale tore and battered at the

tent. Inside, with snow heeped up about them, lay the five men, pros-trate with the helplessness of scurvy. and outside, speeding toward Gray's,

He was yellow, and he knew it. But

that touch of Big Joe's and on his shoulder had awakens, something in him, something that best down the

thought of the gold claim that might

Late the second light Yaller Dog limped into Gray's store with his news. He slung are ong of potatoes over his shoulder, and was gone before old Gray, who had expected him to wait, could find his dogs.

On he ran, covering the bomeward

trail. The snow came down like a cur-

tain, the wind roared, and his eyes were soon closed by reason of the fine particles of ice about the lids. On the way to Gray's, Yaller Dog had had

certain landmarks to guide him; but these existed no longer. Everything was covered with the soft blanket, in-

o which his feet slipped deeper an

He strugged and fought with a tenacity that had never been his. He

was fighting his way by instinc

against a gale that promentarily grew

worse, Hours went by, The sack upon his shoulder weighed heavier

Lan lead. The frozen potatoes dealt tim blows like bullets at every move

At last he could go no further Softly, insensibly, Yaller Dog slipped down in the powdery snow. He closed

bls eyes. Just one moment's sleep

The barking of the dogs aroused

the somnolent men in the tent, sleep

ing their lives away under their blankets. The arrival of Gray's sleigh awakened only a momentary interest in them. Gray had his fire lit before he shook them to their feet. "Boys, this is better than potatoes," "It's the last bottle in the

he said. "It's the last bottle in the stora," He poured out of generous half-cupful of that juice for the half-cupful of that juice for the storm stops. By the way, where so yeller the? "Twas he way, ed me. Ain't he with you?"

"Ain't ween him," said Big Joe

boys," he said. "I guess we're most

Radio on Motor Buses Equipping motor buses with radio apparatus is a departure inaugurated by a transit company operating some 85 of these vehicles on the Pacific coast. This innovation is the result of the keen rivalry of the bus concerns to obtain for their respective lines the patronage of the thousands

of tourists who annually visit the

ing only a two step radio short wave

receiving outfit, the experimenters

could hear concer's at a distance of

15 miles from the broadcasting sta-

tion, and this despite the obvious ne-

Popular Mechanics Magazina.

cessity of employing a low antenna,-

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FACTS

Idle Work Horse

The idle work horse will live

through the winter and remain

in good condition on roughage

alone, if of good quality. One-half of the roughage should be composed of clover or alfalfa,

while the other half may be corn

stover and straw. If no legume

hay is available and timothy and

other carbohydrate roughages

must be depended upon for the

horse's feed, he should be given

a small amount of oats, say from

five to seven pounds a day, oth-

erwise his strength and vitality

will suffer. With these non-

legume roughages one should

not feed corn in place of oats be-cause the former lacks protein.

western states. That the venture is practical has been fully demonstrated by extensive experiments. Possess

of us yaller one way or and on'y we don't git found out."

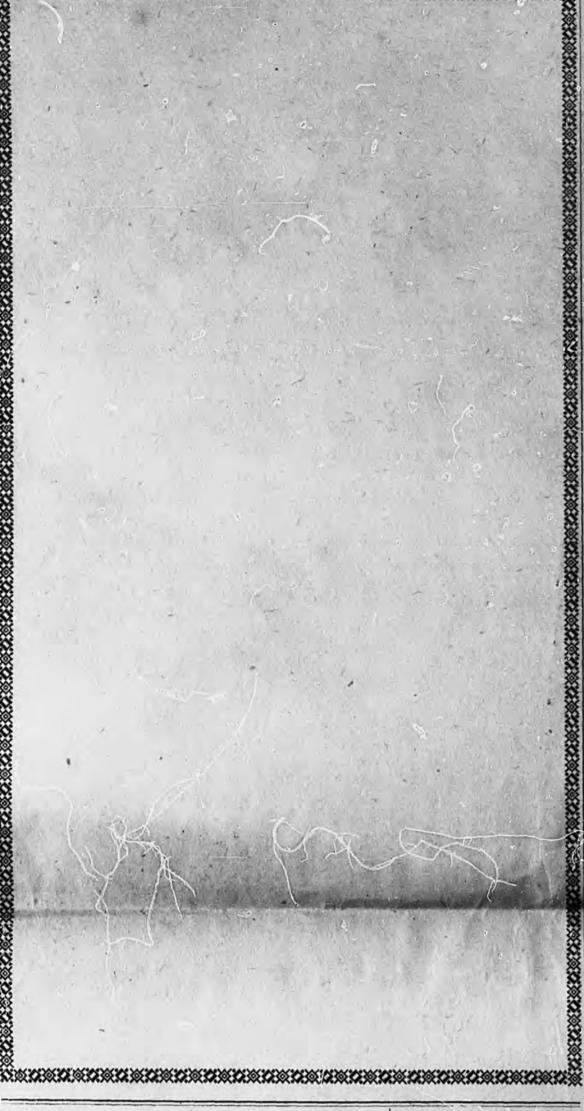
and then up and away again!

It had begun to snow.

went Yaller Dog.

can ye?"

"Gray's got a sack of pertatles,"



gunnium and the was always the same. Each

# Man's Promise By JOHN PALMER

Sammanna and managamannis Clara Bartow stood bolding the newspaper with its announcement in her hand, and in the half-minute that

passed she saw it all in retrospect. Francis and she were not to blame for having loved each other. They had been introduced by Esther Grey, a flighty little blonde who had a knack of getting hold of good-looking men, attracting them, and then losing their

Estler and Clara were friends so far as two such women could be friends-Clara, who was all depth and passion and sincerity, and Esther, who could never mean very much to anyone because she meant so little to

Clara stood with her band in that of Francis, and in that moment she knew that she had found her destiny Amusing? If you will, but such things do exist. She knew beyond the shadow of a doubt that she would never care for any other man. She knew, too, that she could bring Francis to her feet with a word, a gesture,

That evening passed like a dream for both. It was next day that Eather explained things when she called.

"My, you and Francis did seem taken with each other last night," she said. "I suppose you know he's married?"

Clara felt her heart sink. She could only stare dumbly into her friend's

"Yes, his wife's been incurably in sane for years," said Eather. "She's in an institution. Violent, you know, at first, but now they say she sits all day in a sort of apathy. She doeso't know Francis. She may live forty, years, but she's hopeless. She'll never know anybody again. Francis was heart-broken.

"He ought to—get a divorce," stam-mered Clara, "No. I don't mean that." She had biurted out the first idea that came into her head. She felt the telltale flush in her cheeks. "But how sad it is!"

"Very. And there's no divorce for that in this state. Besides, Francis believes it's his duty to wait on the chance that she may some day re-

Clara saw Francis several times.

meeting sent them off into fuiryiand. They could not be happy apart from each other. And then-the inevitable happened.

She was in his arms, "Darling, if you will be as my wife to me. I'll be just as true as if you really were my wife in law. She can never recover." Clara's struggle was a hard one, and Francis' pleadings did not make it any the less formidable. All her instincts cried out to her to accept his offer, to find that happiness which

could only exist for her in his arms. And it was not any respect for moral laws or social conventions that finally decided her, but the thought of the poor weman in the asylum. She told him that they must part forever.

And even then he almost persuaded her to change her mind. Kneeling at her feet, sobbing, holding her hands. he begged her to reconsider.

"My life without you will be impossible," he said. But Clara would not yield.

"Promise me one thing," he pleaded. "Will you be true to me as I will be to you? For I can never care for any other woman. I shall never look at another."

"I promise you," said Clara, "So long as I live I shall keep that promise, and wait for you. And, if we are never to be anything to each other, I shall still be happy in the sacri-

He swore, too. They decided, how ever, not to write to each other. That would have been unbearable. If ever the time came when Francis was free, he was to come to her. That was

And the years began to pass. They went slowly at first, then faster. Then they gulloped. Clara had been twenty-five—now she was thirty-seven. She had refused several of

fers of marriage. She had never seen him, but she often heard of him through her friend Esther. He was prospering. His wife was just the same. She would never be any better, and she might ive for years. He had asked after Clara once or twice. But an the years

passed he ceased to do so.

Then one day Clara saw to the pa-per that his wife was dead.

And a great flood of happiness filled her heart. And secretly she be-gan buying little things—linens and laces, and things that a bride pur-chases. She was too shy to admit very much to berself. But the mem-ory of Francis' bloses was still upon

her lips, the memory of his face as

he kneeled that day before her. Two or three weeks passed. From cls must be busy with preparations. He would soon come, perhaps that

very day. Then she read in the newspaper the account of his engagement to Esther

How It Works Out.

"Where are you taking your hus-

"To the milliner's."

"I wouldn't take my husband where there are so many pretty salesgirls?" "Oh, I don't worry. In fact, those pretty salesgirls are of considerable help in getting him to pay \$00 for a

The "Yaller Dog" By MORRIS SCHULTZ

It was not until they were too weal to continue working that the mining party discovered what was the matter with them. Big Joe had been spitting blood all the morning.
"Guess I'll have to have them pesky

teeth 'tended to in Dawson," he muttered, and collapsed on the tent floor, It was scurvy. All the five of them were affected, but not "Yaller Dog," the white man with a touch of the octoroon in him," they said. wasn't why they called him Yaller Dog. That name came after he had slunk out of the way when the party from Parrish's tried to jump the goldclaim, and the bullets were whizzing freely. The party from Parrish's de

cided to seek cooler regions; but Yaller Dog was a name that clung. Still, he was only a boy. "Guess you was plumb scalet, sonny," suggested Big Joe, laying a kindly hand on the fellow's shoulder. But no one trusted Yaller Dog after that.

And there they were sick with scurvy, all except Valler Dog, whose colored blood somet have the in his favor. He was not used to white man's food anyway, Tom Leeson said

There they were, sixty miles from nowhere, with winter coming on, too sick to wield a pick, too sick to move. "I guess it's our finish, Tom," said Big Joe. "Unless one of us could git to Gray's store, and that's purty nigh

found that they usually can get a wool of longer staple and of less shrinkage with the smooth-type Merino then

Smooth-Type Merino Ewe. ith the wrinkled type, at the same me it has sufficient fineness to make very salable wool. The choice lambs uced by these sheep, together with e gain in the length of staple and in in net yield of clean wool, more an offset a slight sacrifice in finenes wool, and promise to make the laine sheep more popular in most tions than his wrinkled cousin.

**ASTURE REQUIRED FOR HOGS** ficient Grass for Sow and Her Litter Should Not Be Expensive to

the Farmer. The economy of having plenty of at, lard, sausage and other products im hogs seems not to have occurred many farmers, else more would raise in meat. But it is a fact in some munities very few hogs are raised. or best results pasture is required enough pigs to be raised for meat igh to do the average farmer. But cleat for a sow and her litter shold not be very expensive. A small are of land fenced so the land may be in to two or three different crops will go a long way toward furnishing economical pork for the farm home.

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Topography of the Air. Explorations of the air have re-

venled an asconishing definiteness of arrangement in its layers, although, of course, the details are continually changing. Ley, in England, has directed his studies of floating balloons to a solution of the question of the influence of the topography of the earth's surface on the state of the air above it. He finds, among other things, that the disturbances produced by hills and valleys are transmitted to an unexpectedly great elevation affecting the lower and middle strata throughout. A general effect noticed is that the velocity of the wind, or of a current of air, is increased over a bill and diminished over a valley. It is thought that similar observations, generally distributed, would provide n real topography of the air.

Perhaps Dick Knew How It Was. Dick is naturally curious. Seeing a laborer sitting outside on the curb eating his lunch, he inquired: "What you eatlag out here for, man? Ain't your mamma home?"-Chicago Trib

Artificial Fruits for Table. There is a man in a small village on the mountainside of northern Italy who carves from marble wonderfully natural fruits and tints them so skillfully and natorally that even hortlculturists must inspect them closely to determine their artificiality.

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For Sale-Buick roadsier Apply to J. T. Horsey, Berlin, Md.

For Sale-8 room house with cel-

lar. Inquire of Garfield Johnson. For Sale-Grocery store; good

location. Apply Berlin Advance. Mrs. M. E. Vincent is home from

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can Stores Co., Berlin, Md. Attention is called to the Calvin B. Taylor Banking Co. Christmas

Money Club a'l on this page. Mr. and Mrs. John Fassitt, of

Wilmington, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Henry Fas. Farmers to Hold

Joseph Hollins is offering a reduction of 25 per cent on ladies coats and dresses and men's overcoats.

For Rent-My house and two acres of land on William Street.

phia, spent the past week with her those interested in the business afmother, Mrs. Davis, and with the fairs, as well as the farming interformer's son, Bert.

Everett Esham has purchased of to attend H. O. Cropper bis soda fountain, candy etc., the sale of which he will the State Agricultural Society, will continue at the same stand.

Holland & Pruitt completed the naw colored school building at Que. ponco, for which they recently recaived the contract, Thursday.

In casting about in search of an Worcester County in attendance to appropriate holiday present for an the meeting of the Accomac Farm absent friend, why not give a year's Bureau held on the 29th of Decem- 19 acres of land. Apply to subscription to this newspaper?

Church Circle will meet at the home ards improving their conditions, esof Mrs. Josiah Bethards, on the pecially with reference to cooperaevening of Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. tive buying of fertilizer and other All are cordially invited

John, Henry and Miss Nellie Tingle, of Philadelphia, spent the Christmas holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Tingle, and brother, Clarence Tingle.

Sampson Coulbourn, of Philadelphia, spent the week with his grand- a word in praise of them," writes Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Coul- Laura M. Hoyt, Rockport, N. Y. bourn, of St. Martin's, and brother, Webster Coulbourn, of Berlin,

Mrs. Joseph Hollins and little daughter, Elinor, left Christmas morning for Jacksonville, Fla., to spend several weeks with her daughters, Mrs. Bessie Edwards and Mrs. Souvenir Post Cards Mary Lassarow.

Miss Olive Strickland returned to Wilmington, Tuesday, after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Walter Cox. Her sister, Miss Grace, accompanied her on the return trip for the remainder of the week.

For Sale -- Gasoline boat, J.-M.

Buy a phonograph for \$50 and spend the difference for records a Morgan Bros.

Wanted-10 women operators work. Berlin Veneer Works.

There will be no prembing service Sunday at the Methodist Church, owing to the illness of the pestor's

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Powell, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. Annie Mr. E. W. Mc Master,

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sharp, of Wilmington, lave been guests of her parents, Mr. a d Mrs Theodore ers who have passed under your Wimbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holland, of Philadelphia, have been spending the week with in sparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Holland.

Abe Hollins and son, Jesse, and Mr. Hollins' brother-in-law, Mr. Kaplan, of Brooklyn, N. Y., came Walston's for the Christmas holi- Thursday to visit Joe Hollins and ship and esteem for you.

> Members of the Ladies Aid are requested to meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Lytle; those who can carry rugs are asked to do so; to commence work on their new supply of

Mr. and Mrs W K Watson, of Girdletree, after attending the fu- ry Christmas and health, happiness, neral of their daughter, Mrs. Hamp- and prosperity in the New Year ton Vickers, on Monday accompan-Walter Bradle, spant Sunday and jed their son, Wheatley Watson, to Monday with his parents, at Mar- Philadelphia to make him a visit

News has reached us too lite for a detailed account, of the death Thursday afternoon of Mrs. Martha Holloway. Funeral services will be For Rent-One spartment and held at the home Saturday after. rooms with board, opposite school. | room. Further particulars will be given next week.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Young, of her parents.

To insure a healthy action of the bowels and correct disorders of the liver, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They will not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, without unpleasant effects. but banish that dull, stupid feeling, that often accompanies constipation.

Big Meeting

in the Court Room at Snow Hill on once; trade, if more convenient than January 2nd, at two o'clock. This cash. farmers' meeting will be in conjunction with the meeting of the Worces-Also, large puliets for sale. Everett ter County Farmers' Federation. There will be numerous subjects of ests of Worcester County, are urged

Mr. C. C. Gelder, a member of discuss the state program of work and explain the part our farmers have in the State Agricultural Society and in the National Farm Bureau Federation.

Several representatives from ber, will discuss the progress being The ladies of the Buckingham made by the Accomac farmers towcommodities.

Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends

Chamberlain's Tablets. "I have frequently used Chamberlain's Tablets, during the past three years, and have found them splendid for headache and bilious attacks. I am only too pleased, at any time, to speak

OF BERLIN AND VICINITY. I CENT EACH. TOP SALE AT THIS OFFICE

Days are beginning to lengthen. Worcester County Schoolteachers Present Christmas Gift to Ex-Schoo' Superintendent.

> The school - teachers of Worcester County presented E. W. Mc-Master, on Christmas Eve, with a handsome silver water service as a slight expression of the esteem in which he is held by them. Accompanying the gift was the following letter signed by a number of the teachers acting as a committee:

Snow Hill, Md. December 20th, 1922.

Pocomoke City, Md.

Dear Sir; The long line of leachkindly surervison and care, and who will ever cherish the warmest memory of your goodness, wish at mas holidys from Augusta Military this Christmas Season to express to you in small measure their appreciation of your kindness in the past. We, therefore, beg that you will accept this gift and use it as a constant reminder of our warm friend-

Not only teachers and pupils, out the parents those problems grateful feelings toward you, so that the coll. the Public School System of Worces-

ter County. We all join in wishing you a Mer. of post y appropriate to the occa-

# Mrs. Hampton Vickers.

An unusually sad death occurred last Friday alternoon, when Mrr. Hampton Vickers, trily 33 years of age, was called into eternity. She had been critically ill for the week | 9.30 previous, at one Sale the report being circulated that she was dead.

starting Dec. 27th. Calvin B. Tay- Bristol, Pa, and Miss Reta Jarvis husband and seven abildren, range Mrs. Vickers is survived by her 6.30 are spending the holidays with their ing in sge from a daughter of six- 7,30 p. or. Evening Service and mother, Mrs. Sewell Jones, of O- teen, to a boy only two weeks old; cean City. Miss Ruth Jones, from also, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thesday, 7,30 p. m., Prayer service. Maryland State School for the Deaf, William K. Watson, of Girdlettee, You are cordially invited to these is also spending her bolidays with two brothers, Warrie, of Girdletree, services. and Wheatley, of Philadelphia, and one sister, Mrs. Irving Merritt, of

Funeral services were tred at th home Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, interment was in Buckingham Cem- the illness and death of their wife

Her parents and other relatives and friends from Girdletree and I Snow Hill, attended the funeral Also, her brother, Wheatley Waton, of Philadelphia.

If you owe us for the Advance-A meeting of farmers will be held kindly bring or send the amount at

# FOR SALE-Mrs. Melissa Cathell, of Philaiel- importance to be discussed and all BLACKSMITH SHOP AND CONTENTS.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gunby gave course diner on Dec, 16th for a o is home for the Christ-Powell,

At five i clock the guests, who were Me Elinor Powell, of Snow Hil Mire Lydia Coates and McFadde Dick, of Salisbury, Miss Elizabeth McCabe, of Selbyville, Miss Name Farlow, Orlando Harrison Jr. Rowen Quillin, of Berlin, were in tel into the dining-room you shared will ever retain the most which was beautifully decorated, scheme being red and your name is mitimately and indel. greer. The favors were rather uibly interwove a loto the history of nique it being a large peanut shell, suspend d com chandelier with red ribbon, containing outs and a vers

sion, roich was read and enjoyed a guest. After spending a pleasent evening, they said goodnight, wishing Gunby's Christmas

# Buck ngham Presbyterian Church J. Russell Verbrycke, Minister.

done came four times a year.

a. m. Bible School, Calvin B. T.ylor, Superintendent,

10.45 s. m. Divine Worship.

Card Of Thanks by Rev. J. Russell Verbricke, and friends for their kindness during

Realizing the condition of the saltrade, knowing the supply of inthracite will not be sufficient to ive 100% to all who want it, at the right price, we have placed in our yard two cars of the best soft coal obtainable, also two cars of Semi-Anthracite, screened to nut size. We do this so we will be in sosition to furnish our trade somehing to keep them warm, in addition to our monthly allotment of

We will be pleased to have your orders for the above mentioned coals and according to reports from the best authorities, you will be

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The Personable Young Man

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

"Bully good idea! Bully good idea!" Smith Taylor, genial proprietor of the popular Crystal Inn, slapped his thigh resoundingly. "The one great lack of summer resorts is unattached-and attractive-young fellows. It will be money in my pocket to hire some chap for the season, just to play guest, and who'd be the wiser?" He scratched his fringe of hair and put pencil to paper, with the following prompt re-

"Wanted-Personable young man for pleasant and remunerative occupation. Must play golf and tennis and have snappy outfit of clothes. Apply,

"Now, let's see if that doesn't fetch 'em!" he exclaimed triumphantly.

Fetch 'em it apparently did, for Taylor received many replies, which he carefully sifted until but one remained, and that the most satisfactory, except in one particular, Percy Jones! Nope; that name simply wouldn't do-didn't fit the part he had mapped out for the applicant.

"We'll fix that up, however," he decided easily, and wrote a long letter of explanation, terms of contract and so forth to the unfortunately christened young man, omitting, however, all mention of his name, "No use prejudicing him," thought Taylor. "He may be partial to what he's been called all his life. Time enough when he gets here."

Transportation to Crystal Inn is long and involved, necessitating many different kinds of conveyances. As a result, guests arrive in bunches and the few moments after the arrival of the tri-weekly steamer are invariably busy ones, particularly the day before the Fourth. Smith Taylor, with a thousand and one details to attend to, hampered by effusive greetings of old patrons, had but a moment to spare for the tall, broad-shouldered young man who swung down the gangplank and stood looking about for a moment in the midst of his bags.

"Clerk's got your room for you," cried Taylor, rushing up and grasping his hand. "Make yourself comfortable



Exchanged Confidences.

and, by the way," here he looked anxlously about, then straining on tiptoe, spoke in the other's ear. "If it's all the same to you, I'm going to change your name. You're Van Suydam, Cur-tis Van Suydam. 'S it all right?" He was away before receiving an

answer, but the young fellow was regarding his bustling figure with tolerant amusement. Sure he'd be Van Suydam. What odds? And certainly this strange and unaccustomed venture was proving interesting right from the start.

The interest did not slacken. That very evening Smith Taylor saw to it that, unobtrusively yet definitely, he met every one of the gay bevy of girls and attractive women who clustered on the broad verandas or strolled the shaded paths that bordered the lake.

That is, all but one.

That particular girl, oddly enough, seemed to "Van Suydam" the most alluring of them all. Later he was to know her as Ellen Taylor, Smith Taylor's only, cherished daughter. And

Taylor was not minded to waste the attentions of an expensive experiment

n his own child. Van Suydam's days became a round of pleasure. Much to his concealed musement, Taylor tipped him off fre quently as to which of the guests de served especial consideration. "That Miss Alexander, now—she's a rich old girl, will stay on here for weeks if she likes it here. Humor her a bit, my ooy, in the matter of tennis. Plays like a cow, of course, but- And that Watson girl-her people come every

genr-Two things Yan Suydam regretted. That he had so little time and energy to devote to what he considered his chief business in life, writing, and that by the very nature of things he saw so little of Ellen. She proved strangeelusive, and, for that very reason, all the more provocative. He gathered, furthermore, that the one sure way to bring a frown to Smith Tayor's brow was to let him find them ogether. On the other hand, Taylor said aothing about the matter and Van Suydam resolved presently to pur-

sue Ellen more persistently. One week from the day of his arival, Van Suydam sought out Taylor in the office, seeking him rather than the clerk, as Taylor attended personally to the cashing of checks.

"What's my account?" he asked pleasantly of Taylor, who was ripping open an envelope. "I like to settle up

"You do, eh?" Taylor paused in the act of drawing out a letter and legarded Van Suydam over his glasses. "Well-let's see. I agreed to pay you twenty dollars a week and board, wasn't that it?

"Pay me?" seld Van Suydam, "What At that moment Taylor, who had glanced at his letter, spring up sud-"Who the devil are you?" he

shouted. Van Suydam merely blinked. "You mean, who am I, really? I'm Curtis Van Suydam, to please you, but, as a matter of fact, I'm Barry Evans of Evanston, III."

"Then what-listen here," Taylor read the letter aloud, then glared at Van Suydam alins Evans. "Dear Sir: Started for your place but came down with measles en route,

impossible to necept your oner. "Yours truly, "PERCY JONES." Van Suydam shook his head, "Means nothing in my young life," he said. "Came up here to get first-band ex-

lovel promised my ishers in the weak on defall. They consider lineation of the flappe ype. You see, I've always spent my cations in the north woods and door the sex completely. Didn't penetr your scheme about change of name but rather but rather thought you recognized e and novel-ists were tubooc at you stablishment. Mather pleased, persony, at incog-

Taylor was beginning o see light. "Thunderation!" he beat. "Well, I might have known you are too good might have known you to be true. Put it there and he held out a plump hand.

Later Barry and Elienout on the

archange confidences

"Dad told me he'd hir didn't seem fair, some didn' seem fair, somew, to the guests for you to be sing under false colors. I—I tried of to like

"You dried?" asked Barrigleefully "Ob. Elles, wen't you be summer girl for always?"

"I'll-I'll try!" said Ellen at Barry entiated at what he read in er lifted si cave and came to her si

TURTLES CANNOT BETAMED Creatures' Aversion to Man Jas Beer Found Too Deep-Seatd

The purtle has been en d "the tiger of the reptile world," or it is well-nigh impossible to tame im. One kind, the great scappin tortle, tways has its jaws agressively open, is quick as lightning in its novements, and can blte off

to Be Eradicated.

arm quite easily. the common soft-helled turtles, those that figure on the menu at tanquets, appear to recognize in man their natural enemy, and it is not easy to pick one up without being

Tortoises, on the other ham are quite influble creatures, and asily tamed. Even the gigantic land tortoises of the Galapagos Islands earn to distinguish between

Eggarding these latter, survivals from a prebistoric age, Mr. Raymond L. Ditmars has much of interest to vs in his book, "Reptiles of the

Their habits in love-making, for in-stance, are decidedly curious. The male woos the female by stalking her n diminishing circles, from time to time approaching her, raising him-self as high as possible on his short legs, and then battering his shell igalist hers with resounding thwacks All crocodiles are dangerous, spiteful brutes. Those of the Nile are deerate man-enters, often coming out of the water to attack humans, and the same holds good of many of the Indian varieties.

Even baby crocodiles are savage, napping if they are approached, and bey are always unsafe to handle. gators, on the other hand, make

Apples Like Onlons. apple, an onion and a potato allke. It is necessary to see and smell them to detect the differ-

This is not a riddle but a fact stated by Dr. J. A. Hadfield in his eture on "The Psychology of Feeding" at the Nations' food exhibition. Another statement be made that will astonish most people is that we do not smell chloroform but only taste it.

The mind has a powerful influence on disestion, be said, and instanced the case of a man who became sick when he took milk simply because in his childhood he had been compelled to take medicine in it.



and Is Caused by an Ex-tremely Small Mite.

Scaly leg of poultry is a common and well-known affection of chickens that sometimes causes affected birds an extremely small mite that works in and under the crusts that form on the legs. Ceraway or sulphur ointment will kill the pests. Scales form



Bad Case of Scaly Log.

the point of invasion of the insect, and under them the skin is irritated and bloody. Badly affected birds walk with difficulty, and may even lose a toe; later they become thin, lose their appetites and prove worth-

To treat scaly leg the feet and legs of affected fowls are held in warm water for several minutes, so that the crusts are softened and can be removed. A mite killer is then applied to the dry diseased surface. The following mixtures are recommended: 1. Of of caraway, mixed in four times

as much lard or vaseline; or 2, flow ers of sulphur, one dram; carbonate of potash, 20 grains; and lard or vas eline, half an ounce. Some poultry men have used a mixture of one part of kerosene and two parts of raw linseed oil with speedy effect. The legs of the affected fowls are dipped in this mixture, care being taken that the feathers are not wet.

GARBAGE FED SUCCESSFULLY District of Columbia Poultry Farm

Reports Excellent Results From

Waste Material.

A poultry farm in the District of Columbia which handles about 1,000 fowls reports excellent results from the use of well-selected garbage. This material is hauled twice a day and fed to the birds about ten o'clock in the morning and again during the middle of the afternoon so that the table scraps are fed fresh only two or three hours after they are discard ed from the kitchen. The feeding method of this poultryman is to scatter the garbage on the grass in such quantities that the fowls will clean up all the refuse. He rotates these feeding spots in such a way that no contamination results. The outstanding cature of the success of this poultry nan is centralized in his painstaking selection of the garbage and the elimination of all objectionable material

Profitable - returns have resulted also from the feeding of garbage to fattening cockerels and old hens. A small flock of turkeys is maintained on this farm and the gobbiers gobble their way to a front line position when garbage lunch time rolls around The turkeys keenly relish the table scraps and abandon tender grass pers and succulent alfalfa in or ka to scamper to the feeding spots when be garbage wagon approaches.

A little girl had been taken to church by her Aunt Helen. On returning home her mother began to cross-examine her as to what she had

"What hymn did you have, dear? The little girl's memory failing her for the moment, she turned inquir-ingly to her aunt who whispered in

her ear: "'Sun of My Soul,' dear."
"Well, what was it?" her mother asked, a trifle impatiently. "Sun of Aunt Helen's Soul" was the reply that astonished her parent.

PROVERBS WHICH ONE QUOTES People Naturally Are Apt to Use Those Which Relate to Their Businesses.

Did you ever notice how provincial and self-centered the world is? Why, we can't hold an ordinary conversation without some hint of our petty business affairs entering in. The very proverbs which we affect, the very bromides of speech to which we are subject, are all directly traceable to our particular

every-day pursuits.

Having always suspected this to be true, I one day set about to prove it. In my daily search for Judgelets, I made the rounds of all my friends, engaging them in pleasant colloquy.

Here's the result: "I'm pleased to meet you," smiled the butcher.

"Suit yourself," said the tailor. "That's right," agreed the traffic cop.
"And so forth," said the dressmaker. "That's a dirty shame," observed the

"Every little bit helps," philosophized the carpenter.

"That's the long and short of it," retorted the rural telegraph operator. "Try to keep a stiff upper lip," ad monished the barber.

"Yes, I need it," protested the baker "I'm not very well posted on that," faltered the bookkeeper.

"These words shall be my last," averred the cobbler.—Alfa Eugene Bye



Ask your growing chicks if they like clenn, fresh water.

The loss from lice and mites is more than their weight in gold.

The growing chicks are calling for green feed. Give them plenty.

High producing hens are often wedge-shaped with point in front. Nature stimulates in the spring.

Man should help in the fall and win-Have at least one nest for each six hens. Keep plenty of straw in the

DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO LOVE

Gilbert Frankau Selieves the Young Woman of Today is Not Capable of Self-Sacrifice.

You have to watch the modern dance to see the modern girl at her most self-revealing. Regard her carefully, this bepainted, bepowdered, bemanicured product of our hectic age, as she circles the ballroom. dances emotionally, but her emotions are for the rhythm and the music, not for the mere male, her pariner. Even in a man's arms she is as nearly sexless as the ladies of the Lysistrata. Gilbert Frankau writes in the Forum Regarding her thus, one cannot help answering the question which stands at the head of this article to the mos emphatic negative. No! Give her alher good qualities, her poise, her ef ficiency, her intelligence and you will still be forced to admit that - jud, he her superficially-the modera not capable of a great and enduring love. To begin with, she is too seifish too self-centered, too set on the pur suit of what she considers ple to abandon herself to that fice which is love at its best. An then, perhaps, she is low

Myself, I am and have always a strong supporter of the mental, maddle-age t fogeys like my self may like to regard it as a pu love affair-a legal undertaking. An I think that it is high time for the young man of today to understand that his legal undertaking when be marries a self-supporting or an independent young woman is not confined purely and simply to housing her. The modern woman, you see, is something more than a mere domesticated pet She requires her leisures, her pleas ures and, more perhaps even than these, her full partnership rights.

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| 100 " "             | 29.65           | 22.65       |
| 50 " "              | 13.25           | 9.95        |
| 50 " "              | 9.80            | 7.45        |
| Covered vegetable   | dishes, 1.10    | .65         |
| Small bowls,        | .15             | .10         |
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|                     |                 |             |

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