

## GETTING READY FOR THE PRIMARY BATTLE

Next Tuesday Will Decide The Fate Of The Anxious Ones Running.

CONTESTING CANDIDATES ARE BUSY THESE DAYS.

Every Section Of The County Is Being Visited And The Voters Imparted To Support Their Cause At Next Tuesday's Contest.

Before another issue of The Wicomico News appears on the streets, the Primary contest for the nomination on the Democratic ticket as well as one contest on the Republican ticket will have been fought out at the polls. For more than half the offices on the Democratic ticket, there will be no contest, but the fight will be sharp and severe for the nominations of State Senator, County Treasurer, and County Commissioners. There are also two candidates for Sheriff and the friends of each of the aspirants are working extremely hard for their favorite. The real fight however, will be for the two big places on the ticket of State Senator and County Treasurer. For the past ten days, Col. Disharoon and Mr. Williams as well as Mr. David J. Ward and Mr. Harry Dennis have been visiting every section of Wicomico County and during Fair Week they had the opportunity of meeting many hundreds of the voters at the Fair Ground and lost an opportunity to seek the support of their friends.

There seems to have been a decided change in views of many of the voters of Wicomico County on the question of a Bond issue and if this question was up for settlement at the coming primary election, there is little doubt but that the voters would approve the plans for issuing Bonds for permanent improvements in the country. They now begin to realize that it is impossible to carry on the necessary improvements in this community on the old plan of making the taxpayers pay for them year by year as the are made, the tax bills being so heavy as to cause alarm among the voters.

The system of voting in the primary election is practically the same as at the General elections held in November. The old plan of using envelopes has been done away with and an official ballot is furnished at the voting booths to all those who desire to participate in the election. When a voter enters a booth, he calls out his name and the Registration judges locate him on the registration books, where his Party affiliations are noted. If he be a Democrat, he is given a white ballot. If a Republican, a blue ballot, and he must retire to one of the booths and in secret mark his ballot and hand it to the Judge at the ballot box. The ballots are practically the same as used in the General Election except there is no coupon attached to same. Only those who are affiliated on the registration book as Democrats or Republicans have a right to vote in the primaries and voters should take care in preparing the ballots not to mark too many names in each group. For Senator, the cross mark should be placed opposite only one name; for County Treasurer, opposite one name; for Sheriff, opposite one name, and for County Commissioners, opposite three names. Do not use a red or blue pencil to mark the ballot but use the pencils you will find in the voting booths which are the regulation ballot markers. Tickets which come out of the box marked with red or blue pencils will not be counted.

The Corrupt Practices Act covers primary elections as well as General Elections and it is a serious offense punished by a severe penalty for any one who offers inducements to any voters to induce them to vote on the day of the primary, and no electioneering is allowed within 100 feet of the polls. The ballot is simple and anyone of ordinary intelligence should be capable of preparing his ballot without assistance as it is only necessary to make six cross-marks on the primary ballot to vote the full ticket. As there is only one contest in the Republican ranks for County Treasurer, it is not likely that there will be a very heavy vote polled by that Party.

It is reported on the streets that the Republican Organization will call together a mass meeting of the voters some time in the early part of September and a ticket will be named at this meeting for all the offices on the ticket.

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## THE NEWS A 20-PAGE PAPER BECAUSE OF ADVERTISING

Management Now Working Out A Plan To Enlarge The Paper.

The Wicomico News appears this week as a 20-page paper, caused by a pressing demand for advertising space from our patrons and even though the paper has been increased by four pages for this week, we were still unable to meet the demands on our advertising columns and some customers were forced to wait until next week to get additional advertising space which they so much desired. It is not the purpose of the management to continue the publication of a 20-page paper weekly, but we have under advisement a plan for increasing the size of the News at a very early date so as to accommodate our customers, and we hope that they will not get impatient because of our inability to always provide them with the enlarged advertising space which they desire. The ever increasing circulation of the News of course is the real reason why our advertising patronage is in such great demand, but we have almost reached our facility for enlarging the number of pages of our journal and we have therefore determined to make some additions in the size of the pages in order to meet the demands which are weekly growing more pressing on this journal.

## THE SQUIRREL SEASON OPENED LAST MONDAY

Will Close In Most Of The Counties October First.

LICENSES REQUIRED TO HUNT THIS KIND GAME.

Misunderstanding About The Dove Season—Federal Law Protects These Birds—Reed and Rail Bird Season Opens September 1.

The Conservation Commission of Maryland has just issued the following circular in regard to open season for squirrels, doves and railbirds.

The Squirrel Season.

The Squirrel season for the State of Maryland in most of the counties opens on Monday, August 26, and closes again on October 1st. Anne Arundel, Talbot, Charles, Prince George's and Calvert Counties, do not open their Squirrel Season until November 10, and closes December 24. Dorchester County opens their season, September 1 to January 1. All persons hunting for Squirrels on Monday or after will be required to have their license, and the Deputy Wardens are instructed to arrest any person found hunting without a license, and take them immediately before a Justice of the Peace where they will undoubtedly be fined \$15.00 and costs.

The Dove Season.

There seems to be some misunderstanding throughout the State as to the opening of the Dove season. The State Law opens the season on Doves on August 15, but the Federal Government has included the Dove in the list of Migratory birds this season, and does not permit their killing in the State of Maryland, until the first day of September; although persons shooting Doves between August 15 and September 1 are not liable under the State Law, they would subject themselves to prosecution by the Federal authorities. United States Deputy Game Wardens have brought to trial 125 cases and secured conviction in over 100, under the Treaty provisions with Canada and Great Britain. The remaining number of these cases are either pending or there was a lack of evidence to convict.

Reed and Rail Bird Season.

The season for Reed Birds and Rail Birds opens September 1. The reports as to these birds are that they have arrived in considerable numbers and that shooting will be good. License of course is necessary, and the bag limit on each bird is 50 per day. Chief Deputy Warden, Talbot Denmead will be on hand with one of the District Deputies on the marshes of the Patuxent River on August 31, and the following days to see that all hunters have their licenses. It is therefore, advisable to get the license before starting on this trip.

—Col. A. W. W. Woodcock, the Republican candidate for Comptroller, campaigned in Montgomery county, Thursday and Friday with the other Republican candidates on the State ticket.

## SOMETHING MUST BE DONE WITH TRAFFIC ON MAIN AND DOCK STS.

Conditions Have Now Grown To A Danger Point Where The Mayor And Council Must Act.

THE PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES HAS FAR OUTGROWN THE ACCOMMODATIONS OF THESE STREETS AND THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL SHOULD MAKE EAST MAIN STREET AVAILABLE BY IMPROVING THE THOROUGHFARE WITH STONE AND OIL.

The crowded condition of a portion of Division, Main and Dock Streets has become so dangerous to this community that the Mayor and Council should take some decisive action at once to relieve the situation. Two years ago a traffic ordinance was passed by the Council at which time no cars were allowed to park on the South side of Main Street, but within the past year this ordinance seems to have been thrown to the winds and Main Street is now so congested with the line of cars on both sides from Division Street to the bridge and from Dock to Camden Street as to make travel on these streets absolutely dangerous alike to pedestrians and to vehicles and automobiles of all kinds. The growth of the automobile and the truck in this city has increased so rapidly in the past year or two as to make it almost impossible to handle the traffic at all on our streets and unless the Mayor and Council take some action to make the streets clear of automobiles, the traffic will be impossible to do business at all on our thoroughfares.

It is said the police department has been lenient with the parkers of automobiles on Main, Division and Dock Streets because of the complaints of merchants that unless the country people are allowed to park their cars conveniently, they would not come here to deal, but this excuse we do not believe to be in safety and in conformity with the regulations of our street traffic, and if all automobiles were forced from Main, Dock and Division Streets no one would complain and everybody would be treated fairly. If the automobile continues to grow and the trucks continue to increase in this city for the list to such objections as this, it past two and the Mayor and Council listen to such objections as this, it would simply mean that the streets will be so blocked as to render it impossible to transact business of any kind, so the matter might as well be settled now as hereafter, and the only way to settle it is to settle it right and do it immediately.

The Mayor and Council should have East Main Street put in proper repair by having the bed of the street rolled and covered with stone and heavy oil from Division Street to the railroad bridge giving the entire section over to the parking of automobiles, and this would be sufficient space to give the country people an opportunity to park their cars and as far as residents of the city are concerned they could very easily do without parking the cars on the streets at night or during the day by keeping them on their own premises or on some of the side streets which are more convenient to them than the country people.

There could not be found a finer parking space in the city than East Main Street and it would cost the Mayor and Council a comparatively small sum of money to improve this street with stone and oil and make it a perfectly good street for parking purposes. This should be done first and then an ordinance should be passed, and strictly enforced, that no cars can be left for a space of more than 10 minutes on either Division Street, South of Church Street; Main Street from Division to the pivot bridge; Dock Street, from Main Street to Camden Street; and the intersection of Main, Mill and West Church Streets. If this ordinance was lived strictly up to, it would relieve Salisbury of its present congestion and give everybody an opportunity to attend to business with much more comfort and safety.

The conditions prevailing in this city last Saturday night and for that matter, almost every night, is not only dangerous but it is almost criminal. There was not an inch of space on Main Street where a pedestrian could cross which was not filled with automobiles and both sides were equally as congested with only enough space for one automobile to traverse up and down the thoroughfare and think what might have happened had a fire started and the Department been forced to get through this congested section of the city is beyond comprehension. Certainly it is that many would have been killed or injured and the city has no right to take such chances as it is now taking by absolutely disregarding all traffic arrangements and regulations, and the merchant has no right to make such demands on the police department as to allow the streets to stand congested as they have been congested for the past six months.

The answer has always been that you must provide some place for the people to park their cars or they will not come to the city. The solution to this parking proposition is mentioned above and as East Main Street is not now being used for traffic only to a very limited degree, it could very easily be set aside as a parking space for cars and it would accommodate several hundred of them if they were forced to park their cars with the rear wheels to the curb and not lengthways as they do now on Main Street. This matter has been brought to the attention of the Mayor and Council several times by the News and we had hoped that conditions would be better but as a matter of fact, they are growing worse daily and something heroic should be done at once to correct this great blunder on the part of the traffic arrangements of this city.

Medical Society Held Meeting Monday Evening  
Interesting Talk Given By Dr. John M. Elderlice.  
The Wicomico Medical Society met at the Business Men's Association Rooms Monday evening, Sept. 1. This reorganized Society and was helpful to the doctors. Dr. John M. Elderlice gave an interesting talk on "My Experiences in the Army," and Dr. Dick delivered a most interesting lecture on appendicitis, using his own cases as a foundation for his talk. The physicians signed the contract regarding the raise in prices and a large fine will be imposed upon the Doctor that cuts the prices was agreed upon. Several heated discussions took place regarding the increased rates, but it was finally decided that \$2.00 per day visit and \$3 per night visit were to be absolutely adhered to. Several of the physicians practicing in rural districts thought the increase was more than the people could afford, but after considering the increased cost of everything a doctor uses the objections were removed. The rates fixed are to be issued at once and each physician will have a signed agreement hanging in his office so that he may be protected from criticism by his patients.

## COSQUAY GUERNSEYS SELL AT VERY HIGH FIGURES

Two Registered Cows Bring Nearly Seven Thousand Dollars.

Two registered Guernsey cows from the lot of six recently sold by "Cosquay Faarm," Hebron, Md., to "Oaks Farm," Cohasset, Mass., have just been reported sold to the world-renowned singer John McCormack, who is just starting a choice herd of Guernseys at his country home not far from New York City, for the high price of \$7500.00.

These cows were sold on their merit as individuals and we feel the price is not worthy, for as yet only a very limited number of Guernseys have been sold at these prices.

It again demonstrates the quality of product that can be grown in Old Wicomico with intelligent application. These cows were bred and raised by B. Frank Adkins, Cosquay Farm, Hebron, Md. The herd remaining now numbers around 40 and it is the intention of the breeder to get together as choice a herd as can be found in the country.

The attention of the hundreds of people traveling the State road daily between Salisbury and Hebron is attracted to the herd of beautiful Guernseys grazing on Cosquay Farm, but few realize that from this herd two cows have sold for nearly seven thousand dollars. But it is true. Mr. Adkins expects to dispose of other high-priced cows from this herd in a short time.

## BONUS PAYMENTS FOR POSTAL EMPLOYEES

Despite Burleson's Objections Congress Will Pass The Bill.

EVERYBODY RECOGNIZES THE JUSTICE OF THE DEMAND.

Postal Employees Are About Poorest Paid Workers In The United States And Congress Is Doing Right In Coming To Their Relief.

A high cost of living bonus of \$150 a year for practically all employees of the postal service was agreed upon by the House Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads last week.

The action, which means an additional expenditure of \$40,000,000 annually, was taken over the protest of the Post Office Department, which claimed that the increased salaries would impose an unnecessary burden upon the public. About 250,000 employees will be affected.

The bonus will be paid in monthly installments, under the bill reported to the House by Chairman Steenerson, Minnesota and was made retroactive to July 1, of this year. Higher wages were also allowed for temporary employees by increasing the minimum wage for this work from 40 to 60 cents an hour. The only limitations of the bonus is that the salaries of third-class postmasters shall not be increased to more than \$2000 a year and fourth-class postmaster to more than \$1000.

Members of the committee denied that the veiled threats of strikes by leaders of the employees caused the increase, but claimed that the extra pay was necessary because Postmaster General Burleson has refused to allow increases that would meet the increased cost of living.

The bill reported out last week is considered but a temporary measure to bridge over the present period of high prices, until definite legislation can be framed to meet the needs of postal employees after conditions again become somewhat nearer normal.

The employees have demanded increases of from 35 to 40 per cent in their testimony before various Congressional Committees, but a blanket proposal to increase all wages in the service 35 per cent, was voted down by the committee last week.

Republican leaders have planned to give the bill a preferential place on the legislative calendar, and it probably will be brought to a vote within the next two weeks.

First Assistant Postmaster General, John C. Koons, wrote to the committee strongly protesting against the increases, claiming that the department could not grant it unless higher rates were allowed or additional appropriations from the Treasury were authorized.

—Mr. Frank Ferine announces the marriage of his daughter Marian to Mr. A. C. Plympton on Saturday, August 22, at Salisbury, Rev. E. L. Shipley officiating.

## WICOMICO CO. SCHOOLS OPENED ON TUESDAY

Several New Faces Seen In The Ranks And Many Changes.

SOME PLACES STILL UNFILLED BY SUPERINTENDENT.

Teachers Had A Rally Meeting Here On Monday To Arouse Interest In Public School Work—Large Attendance All Over County.

The public schools of Wicomico County opened on Tuesday and all indications point to the largest attendance ever enrolled in the county. On Monday the teachers held a meeting in Salisbury, the object of which was to arouse school spirit.

County Superintendent Bennett announces the appointment of the following teachers:

Riverton—Lillian English. Mardela—T. P. Blunt, Blanche Owens, Lula E. Bounds. Athol—Berkley H. James, Lula E. Wright.

Double Mills—Lucy B. Bailey. Quantico—Florence Bounds, Lettie Mae Lowe.

Royal Oak—Blanche Heath. Green Hill—Alice Robertson. Porter's Mill—Alma Dykes.

Cherry Walk—Winifred Brinsfield. Tysackin—Sadie M. Insley. Wetupquin—Mabel Heath.

White Haven—Virgil W. Lankford, Naomi C. Taylor. Smith's—Mrs. Garlie E. Dennis. Farlow's—Mrs. Myra Cordrey.

Melson's—Ruth E. Figs. Parsonsburg—Alma Willing, Edith Shockley.

Hearn's—Mrs. Roy Holloway. Pittsville—Thos. H. Truitt, May Hamblin, Mattie L. Truitt, Nellie Truitt.

Deer Branch—(To be supplied). Leonard's—Hester Bounds. Gordy's—Lola Lowe Figs.

Walston's—Maude Brown. Riley's—Gertrude Hamblin. Parker's—Mae Parsons.

Hammond—Agnes M. Brittingham. Freeny's—Amanda Downing. Wango—E. Grace Wimbrow.

Powell—Amelia F. Donaway. Powellville—Lee T. Pilchard, Mrs. E. Ragains.

Allen's—Lira L. Messick, Mildred Whelan.

Collins' Wharf—Edith Pusey. Morris—Alice M. Pollitt.

Shad Point—Mildred Parker. Brick Kiln—Ruth N. Wimbrow.

Siloam—Frances Harvey. Fook's—Earle Johnson.

Oakland—Mildred Dykes. Mt. Holly—Ruth M. Dykes.

Phillips—Mrs. Eva K. Powell. Mt. Herman—Addie Parsons.

Johnson's—Maude Pryor. Fruitland—Pauline Nelson, Pauline Ryall, Nellie G. Fisher.

Rockwalkin—Nellie Marshall. Dorman's—Olive Howard.

Sharptown—Paul Phillips. Emma Caulk, Edwin McIntosh, Pauline Howard, Mary E. Mann, Mary E. Cooper, Mattie M. Twilley.

Delmar—Clarence H. Cordrey, Nell Wilson, Maryon Farrer, Hettie F. Lowe, Ethel T. Jones, Louise Hastings, Lottie Hearn, Edna L. Disharoon, Viola Townsend, Mildred A. Parker.

William's—Ada Parks. Bivale—Mary R. Larmore, E. Helen Burton.

Nanticoke—C. Allen Carlson, Natalie M. Robinson, Gladys Pettit, Mildred L. Insley, Margaret A. Travers.

Green Branch—Effie Baker. Quakason—Elsie P. Baker.

Willards—Rosa C. Jones, Ruth W. Richardson, Gladys Rayne.

Mt. Pleasant—A. Mae Parker. Friendship—Mattie E. Parker.

Hebron—Margaret Waller, Elsie V. Larmore, Mamie Morris, Maude B. Bennett.

Pusey—Ruby F. Hayman. New Spring Hill—Elsie E. Howard.

Wicomico High—R. Lee Clark, Nellie F. Hill, Alma Lankford, E. Vaughn Jacobs, Emily I. Dashiell, Mrs. Maude Toulson, Alice Killiam, James Parsons, Ida Morris, Dorothy Mitchell, Mrs. Helen A. Fooks, Mary Wilson, May V. Powell, Mary M. Dryden, Ruth Powell, Catharine Gunby.

Salisbury Grammar—Mrs. Ella Lee Betts, Nina G. Venables, Nellie L. Smith, Elsie Hearn, Pearl Phillips. A. May Reddish.

Central Primary—Alice Toadvine, Elizabeth W. Woodcock, Mildred Dougherty, Arietta Smith.

Camden Primary—May C. Hill, Mary E. Toadvine, E. Edna Windsor, Georgia M. Reddish, Mabel E. Waller, Elizabeth Davis, Josephine Porter, Nancy H. Smith, Belle J. Smith.

East Salisbury—Mamie Hastings, Gertrude Killiam, Edna A. Wilkins, Minnie E. Anderson, Agnes May Todd, Frances P. Hopkins.

Upton Street—Edna Owens.

K. of P. To Open Fall Session.

Salisbury Lodge No. 56 Knights of Pythias will hold a social session at the Castle in this city Wednesday evening of next week September 10th at which time a reception will be given for all the members and their lady friends. This will mark the opening of the fall session of the Lodge and every member is earnestly requested to be present and bring with him his wife, sister, mother or sweetheart, as the occasion will be one long to be remembered in the annals of the Lodge.



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## THE CITY AUTHORITIES SHOULD ACT AT ONCE.

In another column of this issue we have offered a suggestion by which we believe the congestion on some of our principal streets on account of the automobile traffic could be removed and we hope that our Mayor and Council will take up this matter and give the public some speedy action on it. Every one recognizes the great danger to which the pedestrians as well as the traffic drivers of this city are subject in the present congested condition of Division, Main and Dock Streets from the parking of automobiles on all these thoroughfares and the situation grows daily worse, until it has become a menace to human life on these principal streets especially on Saturdays and other busy days.

The suggestion we offer that East Main Street be stoned and oiled from Division Street to the Railroad bridge would cost the city comparatively a small sum of money but it would relieve the situation as a place to park automobiles for some time to come. The News recognizes the fact that the merchants are extremely anxious to have cars stop as near their doors as possible but every front door is not available to the automobilist and it would be equally as fair to one merchant as to another if an ordinance was passed to take every automobile away from these streets and allow parking only on East Main Street which might be selected away from the congested business section. As noted in this article, there are so many automobiles parked on these streets that it is almost impossible to get a machine through between them, and the danger resulting from this congested situation in case of fire or any excitement is so alarming that the Mayor and Council should take action at once to do away with it.

Public safety is one of the greatest responsibilities of the municipality, as injuries received by residents of a community on the public thoroughfares are always followed with a suit against the municipality and in about 99 cases out of 100 the municipality gets a verdict rendered against it and has the bill to pay. Just what would happen on Main Street, for instance, if we had a big fire some day or night when the streets were filled with standing automobiles and not sufficient space to drive the fire engine thru the street is hard to imagine and yet the city would be held responsible for the accidents occurring on such an occasion and everybody would be quick to criticize the Mayor and Council for their negligence in allowing such a condition to exist. Therefore, not only should they take some strong action at once, to save the city from such entanglements which might arise but also to save their own reputations as guardians of public safety.

The News has on very many occasions called the attention of our Mayor to these conditions as we felt it our plain duty to bring the matter to public attention, and to date, we are sorry to say, that there seems to be no attention paid to the matter or else the Mayor and Council have been overpersuaded by the merchants to allow these abuses to continue. Whatever has been the cause for allowing the city ordinances to drop into disuse, we do not know, but we say frankly, it is a serious mistake and blunder which should be corrected immediately and any further delay in the matter will be at the expense of the reputation of our city authorities and would seem like courting danger for the inhabitants of this community.

## HAVE THE LABOR UNIONS GONE TOO FAR?

The answer of President Wilson to the demands of the shop men operating on the railway lines of the United States in which he gives some very good advice to these several thousand workmen that this is not the time to further increase wages because of the effort being made to reduce living costs, seems to have struck the big interests of the country as well as the average citizen with its soundness and firmness, and there is a general belief that the labor unions have overstepped the lines in trying to force a higher wage scale at this particular time. When President Wilson came to the rescue of the railroad employees at the time the Adamson Bill was put through, there was great apprehension by all employers of labor that the President had allied himself too closely to organized labor, and many expected that he would fall for this new demand on the part of the Labor Union, but his decisive answer to the leaders of these various labor organizations that they had practically reached the line of demarkation and that further demands were unreasonable and unfair, strikes the country as being the answer of a man who has made a thorough study of the situation. The heads of these labor unions have probably gone the limit and there seems to be a determined stand among big employers at the present time not to be carried off their feet by any threats or unreasonable demands, and this whole thing may result in the shutting down of large operations for a time to see whether the employers or the employees can best stand idleness in these times of high living costs. There is little doubt but that the business interests of this country will stand behind President Wilson in his determination to help lower the cost of living and that his view point that wage scales have about reached the peak will have the indorsement of most of the large industries of the United States.

## A NEW RICHMOND IN THE POLITICAL FIELD.

News comes that a new party is being formed in the United States to be known as the National Labor Party, a call having been issued for a Convention to meet in Chicago on November 22nd for the purpose of promulgating the principles of the new organization. From the preliminary reports it is certain that this new party will be in opposition to both the old Democratic and Republican organizations and will have behind it several hundred thousand laborers throughout the United States.

Max Hayes who seems to be the big chief of this new movement says in part as follows:

"We hold that the formation of a national labor party has not only become expedient, but imperative. The hopeless bankruptcy of the dominant political parties and their utter inability to function in the interests of the people in the present crisis, and to meet the profound economic and social problems that now portend, make it self-evident that the people must take the reins of government in their own hands if grave consequences resulting from our social evolution and the lack of understanding among those intrusted with public affairs are to be avoided and this country is to be made safe for justice and democracy."

"Organizations selecting delegates shall subscribe to the plan for the formation of a political party of hand and brain workers, based on political, industrial and social democracy, embodying the following:

"Restoration of all civil liberties.  
"The national ownership and democratic management of the means of transportation and communication, mines, finance and all other monopolies and natural resources.  
"The abolition of excessive land ownership, and holding land out of use for speculative purposes."

One of those issued by the soviet council of Russia at the time of the revolution in that country, and this movement throughout the United States may have a very depressing effect on both the old Party organizations if it is fortunate enough to get thoroughly organized.

## MANY VARIETIES OF SMITH

No Name in the Language is More Common or Has More Familiar Derivations.

The defendant at Bloomsbury County court who, although British born, announced his pride in the name of Schmidt, shares a feeling common to other bearers of that name or its variants. Professor Mahaffy has discovered that a man named Smith lived under Ptolemy III 227 B. C., so that members of "the great Fabrician family, whether crisped into Smith, smoothed into Smyth, or smidged into Smijth," show a long line of ancestors. When some years ago an American, Telsmon Cuyler Smith, took steps to drop his third name, the application was opposed by his fellow-citizen, John Smith, who engaged counsel to fight the change and called upon other Smiths to support him. "Why should the opposition be thus narrowed?" asked a writer in the New York World. "Why not seek also the help of every Smiths, Smyth, Smythe, Smit, Smed, Smid, Smidt, Smeed, Smedes, Smits, Smitt, Schmid, Schmidt, Schmith, Schmitt, Schmedes and Schmitz? Why bar the derivative Smithsons, Smitherses, Smeatons and Smedleys?"—London Mail.

## NATURE DEALS IN OPPOSITES

Explanation of Fact That No Two of Any Species Are Found Precisely Alike.

All countenances, all forms, all created beings, are not only different from each other in their classes, races and kinds, but are also individually distinct.

Each being differs from every other being of its species. However generally known, it is a truth the most important to our purpose, and necessary to repeat, that, "There is no rose perfectly similar to another rose, no egg to an egg, no eel to an eel, no lion to a lion, no eagle to an eagle, no man to a man."

Confining this proposition to man only, it is the first, the most profound, most secure, and unshaken foundation stone of physiognomy that, however intimate the analogy and similarity of the innumerable forms of men, no two men can be found who, brought together, and accurately compared, will not appear to be very remarkably different.—John Lavater.

## GIVES LINCOLN THIRD PLACE

Both Jackson and Johnson Began Life Destitute and Friendless, Says Watterson.

Abraham Lincoln, the rail splitter who worked his way from a log cabin to the White House, must take third place among the nation's self-made presidents, remarks Henry Watterson in the Saturday Evening Post. Despite his hardships he did not have to overcome the obstacles that confronted either Andrew Jackson or Andrew Johnson.

"Much has been written about Lincoln's humble birth," says Colonel Watterson, "but Johnson was equally friendless and penniless and started as a poor tailor in a rustic village, while Jackson at sixteen was a prisoner of war, liberated from the British pen at Charleston without a relative, a friend or a dollar in the world, having to make his way upward through the most aristocratic community of the country and the time."

"The Hanks family were not paupers. Lincoln had a wise and helpful stepmother. He was scarcely worse off than other young fellows of his neighborhood, first in Indiana, then in Illinois. On this side justice has never been rendered Jackson and Johnson. In the case of Jackson the circumstance was forgotten, while Johnson too often dwelt on it and made capital out of it."

## GENTLEMEN IN THE GARDEN

Many Just Now at Work That is Happy Combination of Pleasure and Profit.

"There are no ancient gentlemen but gardeners," said Shakespeare. One might challenge this sentence these days by putting modern in place of ancient; for all the gentlemen are now doing some gardening of their own. If a person would look

into the back yards, from now on, he would see very many gentlemen happily at work, enjoying a quiet diligence and a sweet communion with nature. In fact, the best field for a gentleman is in the back yard spading, planting seed, pulling weeds and hoeing. That work coincides with the soul as happily as the song of a bird. Then to watch things grow and to join one's smile with that of the morning, while the promise of nature unfolds itself, that is solid delight. And what joy when something gets up, to part it from the earth and carry it in triumph to the kitchen. There is nothing so proud in all the grand achievements of the age as this.—Ohio State Journal.

## PROTECTING FIREMEN.

Some investigator abroad has been giving some attention to the investigation of the best means of protecting persons, such as firemen, who are compelled to work about furnaces. The conclusion arrived at was that the most effective device is to fix immediately behind the furnace door a narrow, oblong nozzle, through which cold air is blown upward, thus interposing a screen of relatively cool air between door and furnace. This arrangement is to give adequate protection to the worker, and has the incidental advantage when the doors of the furnace are opened the escape of flame is checked.

## LOST BY A PEN.

Grease-Paynt—That property man tells me he lost a fortune when the armistice was signed.

Footnote—Howzzat?

Grease-Paynt—Why, he had just invented a full set of collapsible rubber meals for stage-eating purposes when the food restrictions were pulled off.

—Mr. Van G. Pusey of Mt. Vernon district, Somerset county, and brother of B. Ray Pusey, of Salisbury, died suddenly Monday night, aged 27 years.

## OFFICIAL LIST

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## Judges and Clerks

OF ELECTION

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS FOR WICOMICO COUNTY.

Salisbury, Md., July 18th, 1919.  
The Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico County having selected and appointed the following named persons to be Judges and Clerks in the several voting districts of Wicomico County hereby give notice of name and address of each person so selected, and also the political party which the Supervisors intend each person to represent. The law makes it the duty of Supervisors to examine into any complaint which may be made in writing against persons so selected, and to remove any such person whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable.

W. E. SHEPPARD, President.  
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W. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

Barren Creek District No. 1—Lease J. Wright, Dem., Judge, Mardela; Peter Graham, Rep., Judge, Abhol; Edgar Venables, Dem., Clerk, Mardela; Geo. F. Waller, Rep., Clerk, Mardela.

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Pittsburg District No. 4—Clarence C. Davis, Dem., Judge; Chas. G. Bouden, Rep., Judge, Pittsville; James A. Davis, Dem., Clerk, Pittsville; R. B. Parsons, Rep., Clerk, Pittsville.

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Dennis District No. 6—Raymond Burbage, Dem., Judge, Powellville; King Powell, Rep., Judge, Powellville; Edward Williams, Dem., Clerk, Powellville; E. C. H. Adkins, Rep., Clerk, Powellville.

Trappe District No. 7—John Kibbille, Dem., Judge, Salisbury; R. D. Noah White, Rep., Judge, Allen; L. A. Smith, Dem., Clerk, Salisbury; R. D. Eddy Taylor, Rep., Clerk, Eden, R. D.

Nutter District No. 8—Marion S. Busella, Dem., Judge, Salisbury; Larry J. Toadvine, Rep., Judge, Salisbury; John W. Jones, Rep., Clerk, Salisbury.

Salisbury District No. 9—Sterling Smyth, Dem., Judge, Salisbury; A. F. Benjamin, Rep., Judge, Salisbury; E. T. Holloway, Dem., Clerk, Salisbury; Archie McDaniel, Rep., Clerk, Salisbury.

Sharptown District No. 10—J. A. Wright, Dem., Judge, Mardela; Geo. T. Owens, Rep., Judge, Sharptown; C. E. Knowles, Dem., Clerk, Sharptown; J. W. Covington, Rep., Clerk, Sharptown.

Delmar District No. 11—Dem., Judge, Delmar; J. T. Wilson, Rep., Judge, Delmar; Clarence Sturgis, Dem., Clerk, Delmar; A. L. Parker, Rep., Clerk, Delmar.

Nanticoke District No. 12—Ira J. Dolby, Dem., Judge, Nanticoke; G. L. Mesick, Rep., Judge, Nanticoke; L. J. Wilkins, Dem., Clerk, Bivalve; M. F. Mesick, Rep., Clerk, Nanticoke.

Camden District No. 13—J. Walter Brewington, Dem., Judge, Salisbury; Peter Bouda, Rep., Judge, Salisbury; L. Lee Laws, Dem., Clerk, Salisbury; Arthur F. Atkinson, Rep., Clerk, Salisbury.

Willards District No. 14—William H. Brittingham, Dem., Judge, Willards; Francis S. Richardson, Rep., Judge, Willards; Cyrus Knabe, Dem., Clerk, Willards; John T. Jones, Rep., Clerk, Willards.

Hebron District No. 15—Isaac T. Winkrow, Dem., Judge, Hebron; Garfield Howard, Rep., Judge, Hebron; E. S. Edwards, Dem., Clerk, Hebron; J. A. Phillips, Rep., Clerk, Hebron.

The Board will meet in their office beginning 1, 1919, to hear any complaint against the appointment of the above Judges and Clerks.

## Notice of Nominations

In compliance with the Election Laws of the State of Maryland, we cause to be published herewith, a list of candidates for nomination by the Democratic and Republican parties in the Primary Election to be held in Wicomico County, Maryland, on Monday, the 8th day of September, 1919, as certified to and filed with this Board, together with a facsimile of the official ballot to be used in said Primary Election.

WM. E. SHEPPARD,  
C. LEE GILLIS,  
WM. M. DAY,

Supervisors of Election for Wicomico County, Md.

WM. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

## Sample Democratic Ballot

FOR STATE SENATOR  
(VOTE FOR ONE)

CHARLES R. DISHAROON

ELMER C. WILLIAMS

FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
(VOTE FOR ONE)

HARRY DENNIS

DAVID J. WARD

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
(VOTE FOR THREE)

WEBSTER L. ENGLISH

THEODORE S. HEARN

GEORGE W. F. INSLEY

MANLES K. MORRIS

EUGENE M. OLIPHANT

WILLIAM SCOTT PARKER

H. LEE POWELL

FOR SHERIFF  
(VOTE FOR ONE)

WILLIAM W. LARMORE

GEORGE E. SULLIVAN

## Sample Republican Ballot

FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
(VOTE FOR ONE)

PETER BOUNDS

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Arise more from

## EYE TROUBLES

Than from any other cause

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CONTINENTAL LIFE.



# SIDELIGHTS ON THE BIG FAIR HELD IN THIS CITY LAST WEEK

Most Successful Meeting Of The Wicomico Fair Association  
Since Its Organization Many Years Ago.

THE WEATHER WAS MADE TO ORDER AND THE PEOPLE GATHERED FROM ALL QUARTERS OF THE PENINSULA NOT ONLY TO SEE THE FAIR BUT TO VISIT SALISBURY, THE METROPOLIS OF THE EASTERN SHORE AND EVERYBODY WAS SATISFIED AND HAPPY.

The Wicomico County Fair Association has had some measure of success in several years of its history, but nothing ever approached the success of last week. In the first place, it seemed as if the weather was made to order for the occasion, being cool and pleasant during the day with a shower almost every night, making the track in perfect condition and the ground free from dust, which has been such an annoyance in past years. Starting in three weeks ago, the Mayor and Council had most of the streets of the city oiled and stoned and the County Commissioners looked after that section of the road leading from the City Limits to the Fair Grounds so that there was comparatively no dust during the week notwithstanding the tremendous amount of traffic which used the road. Every day was a big day from the beginning to the end, but on Thursday the crowd at the Grounds and in the city of Salisbury was beyond the fondest hopes of the Fair management. It would not be exaggerating to say that on Thursday at least 3,000 automobiles were parked within the grounds and on the roads leading to it and on the streets in this city and the attendance was estimated at over 15,000 people, the gate receipts running far in excess of any previous year in the history of the Association.

The races were the best ever scheduled on this track and some very fast time was made every day and especially on Tuesday and Friday. Those who love horse racing had their full amount of pleasure while the thousands who went to the Fair to see the exhibits and enjoy the intercourse with their neighbors were also happy every day. The management can be congratulated on the splendid way in which all the arrangements were made and the ease in which the whole thing proceeded. There was an absence of the usual rough side shows and few gambling devices were seen, although occasionally one who was hunting such pleasures could find tucked away some wheel of fortune or some other way to try his luck, but gambling was not indulged in to any great extent.

The exhibits of live stock at this meeting were the greatest ever seen in Wicomico County. The Homestead Dairy had a herd of 40 animals consisting of the finest breeds of cattle on this big ranch many of which have the blue ribbons attached to their pedigrees and a bunch of the very finest breed of hogs ever seen at the Ground. Mr. Benjamin A. Johnson, who is one of the well-known breeders of fine hogs in this section, also had an exhibit which was the admiration of everyone who saw them and many blue ribbon specimens could also be found in Mr. Johnson's selection. Other cattle breeders and hog raisers as well as some sheep raisers had some exhibits of live stock which was a revelation to many visitors who are not in the habit of connecting live stock with the agricultural life of Wicomico, but we are glad to say that our people are now getting to be among the best breeders of Maryland and in a few more years will be able to show a collection of the finest animals put on exhibition anywhere in Maryland.

The fancy work and needle department in the main exhibition hall was really an exhibition of art which would have attracted attention in a very much larger community than this. The ladies of Wicomico, many of whom have the reputation of doing the finest needle work in the country made a special point to have an exhibit this year which would be in keeping with that of any Fair Association on the Peninsula and it is certain that they accomplished their desire. It would, indeed, be a pleasure to give some description of many of these pieces of handiwork, but for the ordinary country editor to attempt to describe the fancy needle work at this fair would really be a travesty on our part and we pass the matter up by saying the efforts of the women of Wicomico County could not be excelled anywhere else in this country. The same thing might be said of the exhibits of breads, pies, sweet meats and other household articles, including the most beautiful preserves and jellies ever noted here. The farmers who brought their

products to the fair could well feel proud of having produced specimens of agricultural art which we feel sure would have taken first prize anywhere in the world. This portion of the exhibition was not as large as it would have been but for the fact that the annual exhibit at the armory, which takes place in the fall, kept many from bringing some of their finest productions to the Fair at this time.

The exhibitions of the flying machines daily was one of the most attractive features of the Fair. These flying men did all kinds of stunts, morning, noon and evening and the whirr of the aeroplanes would be heard over the city in every direction and thousands of our inhabitants were highly entertained by the stunts which the flyers gave in their various dangerous features over the city. Many of our people took occasion to make flights in the flying machine and some of them give thrilling accounts of their experiences going up for the first time. Each passenger was charged \$10.00 for the pleasure of risking his life and during the week quite a number took advantage of the occasion to get a real taste of 20th century locomotion. The motorcycle races on several of the days was among the most exciting events and attracted a great deal of attention. Some of the riders were most daring and really furnished great amusement for the big audience. The management had placed the mid-way attractions all under one concern known as the American Shows which brought about 20 different attractions for the Mid-way some of which were exceptionally good and of course some others which were only ordinary, but for the most part the shows were clean and there could be no objections raised to them as vulgarity was entirely cut out by the management from all the exhibitions.

One of the notable attractions at the Fair was the exhibit of E. S. Adkins & Company of this city, who occupied a large booth where they had erected a miniature farm scene with all the attractions of an up-to-date home, bungalows and other houses laid out in attractive form and this Company gave away each day a \$10 bill as an attraction to visitors. On Thursday more than 2700 people visited this booth and were entertained by the five-minute speakers who set forth the advantages of new farm buildings, silos and other improvements which the farmer should have if he desires to keep the boys and girls at home during these extraordinary days. The exhibition of farm machinery by several of our largest concerns took up practically the west portion of the ground and was a most attractive exhibition, every kind of farm machinery known to the trade was exhibited and the advantages of improved farm machinery to lessen the labor costs on the plantation was shown the people. The automobile exhibits were great and attracted much attention and it is said that many orders for automobiles, trucks and tractors were placed during the week of the fair by those having exhibits at the Ground.

## TWO WELL-KNOWN CITIZENS OF DELMAR PASSED AWAY

Josiah Adkins And Isaac N. Wootten  
Died Last Week.

Josiah Adkins, a retired farmer died at his home on Elizabeth street, Delmar, Wednesday evening after an illness of several months. He leaves a widow and son, Grover C. Adkins and a daughter, Mrs. Oscar Holloway. After retiring from his farm, Mr. Adkins made his home in Salisbury for a short time, but subsequently came to Delmar and purchased a home on Elizabeth street. Funeral services were conducted at the home Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment in Hastings Cemetery near town.

Isaac Nutter Wootten.

Mr. Isaac Nutter Wootten, aged 84, years, died Monday night, August 25, in Delmar. Mr. Wootten was well-known in Delmar and was staying at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Martha Records, when death occurred. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Nettie Wootten, and 11 children: Edward Wootten, of near Pepper Box; Tom Wootten, of Berlin; Mrs. Mary Farlow, of

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Willards; Isaac Wootten, of Salisbury; Mrs. Annie Carey, of Cross Roads; Henry and Dallas Wootten, of near Whitesville; Herman, Raymond and Earl Wootten of near Millsboro, and Mrs. Martha Records of Delmar. He also leaves 39 grandchildren.

## DELMAR NEWS. (Too Late for Last Week.)

Farmers in lower Delaware are unable to estimate the extent of damage to their corn, buckwheat, apple, peach and pear crops as a result of the heavy rain and wind storm which swept this section of the State last week. It is believed the tomato crop, which heretofore had been cut short because of plant diseases and drought, probably reducing the anticipated yield fifty per cent, will be further cut by more than 25 per cent. Most of the growers in this section of Sussex county believe the yield will only be one fourth what they expected. Hundreds of acres of low land are covered with water from six to ten inches deep. Consumers, however, are basing their hope on a supply for the winter because of the greatly increased acreage, for it is believed that the increase over some previous years, notwithstanding the loss which is expected from the recent rain, plant diseases and drought, will equal the output of normal years.

Two small farms sold within the past few days show the rapid rise of farm lands in this section. A 30-acre tract belonging to William Allen, between Seaford and Bridgeville, was purchased by Paul Truitt for \$5,000, and a 60-acre tract adjoining it was sold to George Adams by Mrs. Anna Allen, for \$6,000. A few years back this land could have been bought at about one-half what it sold for a few days ago.

One of the most enjoyable family reunions that ever occurred in lower Sussex took place a few days ago, when Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lank

celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at their home in Broad Creek hundred. Mr. Lank is a son of the late Levin Lank, and the old homestead has been in possession of the Lank family for more than a hundred years. Here Mr. Lank took his bride, Miss Julia Graham, daughter of the late William Graham, and they have lived there continuously. Of their marriage eight children were born, five of whom are living, and all were present except one son, Edward Lank of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Freeny, formerly of Delmar, now of Baltimore, have announced the engagement of their daughter Helen Ralph to Mr. Raymond Harris Clark of Baltimore. Miss Freeny is very well known to the younger set in Delmar, having made her summer residence here for years. Mr. Clark is a progressive young business man having recently established an engraving and printing corporation in the Waverly section of Baltimore. No definite date has been set for the wedding as yet.

Farmers in the western section of the county, in the vicinity of Delmar, are loading the thousands of baskets of apples that were blown off the trees by the storm on Wednesday and shipping them so that they may be converted into vinegar. It is stated that an offer of \$1 a 100 pounds has been made.

Hundreds of people on Thursday observed what is known in Sussex county as "Big Thursday" at Bowler's, Broadkin, Prime Hook, and Slaughter Beaches and Oak Orchard, on the Indian River. This is an occasion when people from all parts of the State meet at the popular watering places for a good time and to greet old friends who have been separated from them for years.

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## Are All The Statements Proven By Facts?

Editors, Wicomico News,

Gentlemen:—The immortal Lincoln never made a truer statement when he said that "you can fool part of the people all the time, all of the people part of the time, but you cannot fool all the people all the time." In an advertisement published in your paper last week over the signature of Mr. Elmer C. Williams giving what he calls his platform in seeking the nomination on the Democratic ticket for State Senator, he made the very rash statement that had all the laws which he offered in Annapolis while a member of the General Assembly been passed, he would have saved the taxpayers more than \$10,000 a year. Now, the records do show that Mr. Williams aided in the passage of two bills at least while he was in Annapolis, but the same records fail to show wherein the passage of these bills have saved the taxpayers any money, but on the other hand, one at least has been a very expensive proposition to the people who really pay the taxes in Wicomico.

If our memory serves us correctly, one of the first Bills which Mr. Williams rushed to pass after he had arrived at the State Capitol was House Bill No. 52 bearing date of January 17, 1918, which appears to be a measure to clear the way for the City Council of Salisbury to open a street to a large acreage of his private property located in Camden, this city, and there is no evidence to show that the enforcement of this Bill would have resulted in saving any money to the taxpayers of the city of Salisbury, but on the contrary it might be a very expensive proposition, with the result that any advantage to be obtained by the operations of this law would undoubtedly benefit Mr. Williams much more than anyone else. So much for Bill No. 1.

Another measure offered by Mr. Charles W. Bennett, Republican member of the Legislature and supported by Mr. Williams was an Act compelling an audit of the books of the School Board of Wicomico County. This audit was made by expert accountants brought here from Baltimore and cost the taxpayers of Wicomico County OVER SEVENTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS of good money which might have been expended in building a mile of good dirt road in Nutter's, Trappe, Nanticoke, Tyaskin, Willard or some other district in the county where the public would have gotten some benefit from the expenditure. The audit was made but as far as the public has been able to find out, not a single discrepancy of any moment was discovered, not a single transaction found which could in any way be construed as dishonest and in fact, it was simply a waste of public money which should have been used to a better purpose. So Bill No. 2 shows conclusively that instead of saving \$10,000 a year to taxpayers, this Bill alone took \$1700 out of their pockets and squandered it to no advantage. While this Bill originated from Republican sources, it received the hearty support of Mr. Williams to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Now, we have not in mind all the measures which Mr. Williams claims to have offered which would have saved the taxpayers \$10,000 a year but taking the two bills which he helped to get thru the Legislature as a sample, we say without hesitation that if all the measures offered by Mr. Williams had been passed, and if many of them were of the character of these two, the Lord help the taxpayers of Wicomico County from this kind of legislation.

How Mr. Williams proposes to build all the by-roads in Wicomico while at the same time, striking from the State books certain laws which bring in more than \$100,000 a year to the Treasury, and reduce the tax rate, is a piece of financial ledgerdom which the average citizen and taxpayer cannot get plain in his mind.

TAXPAYER.

## WANTED!

Married man on Delcastle Farms. The work is done by men from the County Workhouse on the honor system, and we want a man to help look after them; should understand all kinds of farm work and machinery, a knowledge of dairy cattle and dairying would also help. Applicant need not necessarily be entirely able-bodied providing he has a good head. A returned army man who is able to get around over a big farm could do it even though he were otherwise disabled. Wages \$70 per month, a splendid house with modern improvements, milk, garden, potatoes, wood and the privilege of keeping a few chickens. Apply to

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Menominee Trucks, all sizes. If interested, address:

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Sept. 4-11.

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## THE "RING" Versus THE PEOPLE

To the Taxpayers and Voters of Wicomico County:

Gentlemen:—For your information, I want to say that there is a general idea that the present Senatorial fight is a fight between the local "political ring" and the people. I would also remind you that this is a very busy season for the professional "political liar," and, in order to allay the report that I am in favor of woman suffrage, I want to say that I do not believe there is sufficient demand for woman suffrage in this County to justify any representative of the people voting for it at the present time. When I have been placed in a position to represent the people of this County, I have always tried to represent the MAJORITY, and I shall not vary from this rule in the future. So I warn you to watch out for this "political liar."

I would also remind you that certain politicians have resorted to almost every tactic to get me out of the political path. They have tried to force me to pay taxes on property I NEVER owned, on property owned by about a dozen other people, on property for more than EIGHT years after I had sold it, and my home has been advertised to recover taxes already paid and for which I can produce receipts. Libel suits have been filed against me amounting to \$40,000.00 (although no one has been damaged FORTY CENTS), one of which was by Mayor Jones, who is one of the present members of the DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE of this County. I understand that my opponents are claiming credit for the building of a portion of the Nanticoke Road, but the fact is that this road is being built under an act introduced and passed in the last Legislature by myself, and in the Senate by Senator Bennett.

As you are aware, both Col. Charles R. Disharoon and myself seek to represent you in the next Senate of Maryland; and, in this connection, I desire to say that Col. Disharoon is a fine, polished gentleman, a good business man and a most estimable citizen; I like him. But, since we ask to become your servant, we are subject to an examination at your hands before you award either of us our diploma. This being true, I invite Col. Disharoon's reference to my public acts, and I feel it my duty to the taxpayers to refer to his. Col. Disharoon has twice represented this County in the Legislature, and I challenge him to show that he attempted to do ONE-TENTH as much for the taxpayers BOTH times as I tried to do at the last session. I believe the records will show that NO legislature, in the history of the State of Maryland, ever created more Boards, more Commissions, more high salaried and more low salaried useless jobs, than did the session of 1914 of which HE was a member, and I challenge him to show that he did not support and vote for ALL those measures. That session created the State Tax Commission, which, from the taxpayers standpoint, is the most obnoxious and the most expensive piece of legislation ever enacted in this State. It requires well on to ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND dollars annually to pay the salaries and other expenses of that commission, to say nothing of the expense of a local tax assessor paid by each of the respective counties of this State. That commission practically robs our County Commissioners of all taxing powers, thus placing it in the hands of a few "kid-glove" fellows in Baltimore City, to say how your property and mine shall be assessed. One of their first acts was to order a new assessment in the Counties, and exempt Baltimore City from said assessment. A bill was introduced in the last legislature to abolish that whole commission, and it was my greatest pleasure to vote "YES" on that bill.

Col. Disharoon is said to be one of the LARGEST stockholders in the Salisbury Realty Co., and, largely through HIS efforts, well on to ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND dollars of Wicomico taxpayers' money has been spent MAINLY to benefit HIS company. While a candidate for the legislature in 1913, he issued a public statement in which he objected to this County being bonded to pay for the draw-bridges and leaving the impression that he objected to the taxpayers paying for the bridges, yet AT THAT SAME TIME he petitioned the War Department to compel our County Commissioners to build the bridges (at the taxpayers expense), telling the Department that "There is an immediate demand for shipping facilities on the river between Division Street and the Railroad, etc." He also wrote a letter to the War Department urging the building of the bridges in which he said, "This water-way is already dredged out and only awaits the conversion of two stationary bridges into draw bridges to complete this great improvement in the shipping facilities. The need is pressing and the demands of commerce is immediate. We hope you will call upon the County Commissioners of Wicomico County to remove these obstructions as soon as it can be done." It is said that Col. Disharoon's company has received only ONE vessel load of lumber above the Division St. bridge and that NOTHING ELSE has ever been landed on that part of the river. It is also said that, due to rust, etc. for want of use, that bridge had to be recently repaired before it could be raised AT ALL. Was the "need pressing" and "the demands of commerce immediate"? It is generally known that Col. Disharoon's Realty Co. has received substantial aid from the Government, County, and City; and many people are now wondering what aid they are wanting from the State of Maryland.

Many of my friends have said that Col. Disharoon is the most vulnerable candidate that the "political ring" could have placed before me, that he has held practically a life membership in the very local political family that has done the many things objectionable to our people, and which has resulted in placing a TWO DOLLAR tax rate upon us, which rate is 15% HIGHER than the next HIGHEST county in this State.

Are you satisfied with conditions that have existed in the past, or do you want a change? Personally, I am tired and disgusted with the extravagant expenditure of the people's money and I favor a change; and, if nominated and elected, I will do all in my power to bring about a change in many respects. Of course, the politicians are fighting me, partly because I cannot keep a dollar in your pocket and let them have it too, and partly because I WEAR MY OWN COLLAR. They will have their "workers" at every polling place in this County next Monday, and I respectfully ask you whom they will be working for. I want to remind you that they will NOT be working for you, and, if you want a change, I advise you to take a day off and go to the polls yourself and stay there ALL DAY and work for YOURSELF by seeing that your neighbors and your friends vote for the best interests of the taxpayers. This is your opportunity to show your interest and protect your rights, will you do it or will you neglect YOUR business?

Why, my friends, they say they will spend TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS to defeat me next Monday, and I say that when they defeat ME they also defeat YOU as taxpayers. Will you be defeated, or will you go to the polls and stay there ALL DAY and see that MONEY nor anything else robs you of your rights as citizens and taxpayers.

Now, my friends, I make this last appeal to you in all sincerity and I pledge you that, if nominated and elected, I will guard your EVERY interest in the next Senate of Maryland. All I ask is, STAND BY ME AND I'LL STAND BY YOU.

Yours very respectfully,

ELMER C. WILLIAMS.

Salisbury, Md., Sept. 1st, 1919.

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## A Protest From A Prominent Citizen

Mr. W. F. Allen, One of the Largest Taxpayers of Wicomico County, Gives Some Interesting Information and Enters A Protest Against The Expressions by Mr. Elmer C. Williams in His Advertisement of Last Week "When Will the People Be Considered?"

Salisbury, Maryland, April 16th, 1919.

Editors of the Wicomico News,  
Salisbury, Maryland.

Gentlemen:—

In your issue of last week there appeared an article marked "Advertisement" and headed "When will the people be considered?", from the pen of Honorable Elmer C. Williams, a member of the House of Delegates from Wicomico County in the General Assembly of 1918, and a Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County at the present time.

I do not know what were Mr. Williams' motives in writing the advertisement but regardless of whether it is an expression of dissatisfaction with conditions in general, whether it is a personal attack upon some of our County officials, or whether it is a political shaft aimed at the body of some possible adversary, he has gone too far in his conclusions and accusations. In effect, it is a serious reflection upon representative government and if permitted to pass unchallenged is bound to result in the loss of public confidence in our governmental institutions at a time when that confidence should be firmer and more unshaken than ever before in our history. The tendency to Bolshevism and Anarchy is alarming, and nothing contributes more to that tendency than a mistaken loss of confidence in their governments by those who are not informed of the true state of public affairs. To retain that which we love against unjust criticism with no apparent reason, I deem it the duty of all citizens to speak frankly and with the conviction that truth carries.

In respect to the charges made by Mr. Williams this duty is even greater than ordinarily because of the positions of trust and responsibility he is occupying in this County. He is a member of the Legislature of Maryland, a representative of our County, subject to duty at any time Governor Harrington sees fit to call that body into extra session, while at the same time HE IS A DEPUTY CLERK of the Circuit Court for this County, daily assisting in the functioning of that tribunal. To the uninformed, the dignity and responsibility of THESE TWO OFFICES, WHICH HE IS OCCUPYING AT THE SAME TIME, AN UNUSUAL SITUATION IN ITSELF, will lend more weight to his words and writings than to those of someone with less confidence reposed in him by our people.

There is no such condition in our County as Mr. Williams describes. Our officials are honest and endeavoring to do their respective duties to the best of their several abilities, which abilities are by no means inferior. To illustrate, a recent audit of the books of our School Board, covering the past fifteen years, and at a cost to the County of \$1750.00, disclosed a mistake of less than One Dollar (\$1.00), a remarkable achievement in accuracy and a splendid testimonial to the honest and able manner in which the County's money has been handled during all those years. To my mind, Mr. Williams' charges in last week's News are as baseless as was his demand for this audit some two years ago.

As a further evidence that Mr. Williams' charges should not be taken seriously, I consider it necessary to inform the general public of his position as a taxpayer. I am not opposed to a "Taxpayers' League." In fact, if any good can be accomplished by the organization of such a body no good citizen should stand in the way of it. However, it would seem that the foundation of a "League of Taxpayers" IS THE PAYMENT OF TAXES BY ITS MEMBERS, and the purposes sought to be accomplished by it are honest and judicious expenditures of the public funds, thus raised, by those entrusted with the management of our government. It is hard to conceive how Mr. Williams can consistently and conscientiously advocate such a league when HE is, at the same time, ATTEMPTING TO REPUDIATE THE TAXES DUE WICOMICO COUNTY from him for the years 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, an attempt never before made in the history of Wicomico County.

It is an absolute and unqualified fact that there is now on the docket of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, a case instituted by Mr. Williams against our County Treasurer, in which Mr. Williams is seeking to prevent the Treasurer from collecting unpaid taxes due Wicomico County from Mr. Williams for the years 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, because Mr. Williams contends these taxes are out of date and uncollectible by the law of limitations.

Here, in part, is the language used by Mr. Williams in setting up his tax repudiation, and contained in a paper filed in our Court and signed by him and his attorneys and sworn to by him before the Clerk of the Circuit Court:

"(5) Your orator (Mr. Williams) is further advised that all taxes due Wicomico County levied before June, 1915, are barred by limitations by the statute of the State of Maryland, being Section 88, Article 81, Volume 2 of the Annotated or Bagby's Code of the Laws of Maryland, . . . that is to say, for the taxes levied in June of the years 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, and your orator is advised that he is entitled to plead in bar of the right of recovery of said taxes levied for the County of Wicomico for the years 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, aforesaid, Section 88, Article 81, Volume 2 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and he does hereby specially plead in bar of recovery by the said Daniel B. Cannon, Treasurer, of any taxes for the said years 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, levied by the County Commissioners of said Wicomico County FOR WICOMICO COUNTY, and HE DOES HEREBY RELY ON THE BAR OF LIMITATIONS provided by the State of Maryland under Section 88, Article 81 as aforesaid for a complete defense to the right of recovery of the same."

If anyone doubts the correctness of this statement of facts or the accuracy of the quotation they may verify both by applying in person at the Clerk's Office, Salisbury, where are filed and open to inspection by the general public, all papers in the case.

I neither harbor any animosity towards Mr. Williams nor resent any of his aspirations, whatever they may be, and I do not for one moment intend this to be construed as a personal attack upon him. On the other hand, he is our fellow-townsmen and friend, but—nevertheless, first and foremost, I am a grateful citizen of this County, I have spent my life here. I have gained some degree of success, as has also Mr. Williams, under the administration of public affairs by the same government which exists today, and I do consider his letter to be a serious blow at that government, and one likely to bring about most deplorable results. For that reason alone, I feel entirely justified in letting the people of our County know that Mr. Williams is occupying TWO OFFICES in the administration he attempts to discredit, and, at the same time, he is undertaking TO REPUDIATE AND AVOID PAYMENT OF THE VERY TAXES which he, at such length, seeks to appear to be so deeply interested in the conservation of.

The war is over and as individuals and as citizens we are confronted with the problems of reconstruction and readjustment with all of their complexities. These problems will never be successfully encountered if citizens fail to recognize the full measure of their duties, and that helpful co-operation and constructive unity in public and private affairs alone can win, while a spirit of distrust of our public servants and harsh, unjust and destructive criticism of all our institutions can only result in ruin to this, the greatest of nations.

As a matter of general public interest I ask that you place this letter in as conspicuous a position in your paper as was devoted to Mr. Williams' letter.

Very respectfully,

W. F. ALLEN.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1919

**LOCAL AFFAIRS.**

—Mrs. Herold's school will open Monday morning, September 22nd.

—Miss Frances Price is enjoying a visit to friends in Stone Harbor, N. J.

—Seaford walloped Mardela on the latter's grounds Tuesday afternoon, score 10 to 0.

—Mr. Claude C. Dorman is spending his vacation with friends at Buck Hill Falls, Pa.

—Miss Ada Costello, of Yonkers, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Plympton, of Salisbury.

—Mr. R. Lee Waller, of Annapolis, spent two or three days in Salisbury last week attending the Fair.

—Mrs. Harry Mayer of Dover, has been a guest for several days at the Ellegood home on North Division St.

—Miss Willie Clark of Oxford, Ala., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Hastings at their home on N. Division St.

—Miss Edith Hastings of Wilmington, Del., spent the week-end with Misses Rachel and Bernice Wright, near Salisbury.

—Miss Mollie Phillips and Miss Roberta Phillips, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Miss Sallie Elzey.

—Miss S. M. Twilley and Miss Margaret O. Disharoon are attending the retail millinery openings in Philadelphia this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. White and daughter, Edna, of Philadelphia were among the visitors attending the Fair last week.

—Miss Alma Truitt has returned to her home in Salisbury, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland, in Powellville.

—Miss Nellie Sheppard, who has been spending the summer months in Chautauqua, New York, has returned to her home on Park Street.

—Miss Helen Callaway and Miss May Driscoll have returned from a pleasant visit to Wilmington, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

—The Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, reports that hog cholera exists on the premises of J. M. Insley, near Quantico.

—Mrs. Martha J. Hastings, aged 71 years, died at her home near Broad Creek a few days ago. Deceased was the mother of Wm. E. Hastings, of Sharptown.

—The bridge at Cod Creek Mill on the Laurel-Sharptown road which was closed to traffic on account of a washout, has been repaired and is now open for traffic.

—Capt. Noah Bradford of Chincoteague, died Saturday at the Salisbury Hospital. He was about 56 years old. He is survived by two daughters and one son.

—Dr. R. Finley Gayle, Jr., son of former Presiding Elder R. F. Gayle of Salisbury, was married a few days ago to Miss Elizabeth Cole, of Raleigh, N. C.

—Clayton C. Callaway, son of Mr. W. F. Callaway, left last week for Wilmington, Del., where he will take a general business course at the Beacon College.

—Miss Katherine Tilghman and Mr. Edward O'Neill have returned to Baltimore after spending several days as guests of Miss Tilghman's parents at Salisbury and at Ocean City.

—Mr. Erwin L. Malone, of Cleveland, O., spent the week-end with Mr. Claude C. Dorman in Salisbury, and accompanied Mr. Dorman to Buck Hill Falls, Pa., for a ten-days' outing.

—Mrs. Theodore Hudson and children, of near Salisbury, and Mrs. Mattie Johnson Todd have been visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnson, in Snow Hill.

—Colonel and Mrs. Charles T. LeVine, Jr., and sons, and Mrs. Levin Dorman motored to Philadelphia and are spending some time at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

—Mr. Wm. A. King of Philadelphia, is on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Jno. T. Ellis, High St. "Al" is a printer and expert pressman, having served as an apprentice in Salisbury several years ago.

—Usual services will be held in Division St. Baptist Church next Sunday. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m., his topic being "Reaching Forth." The evening topic will be "Retreating to Win."

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Douglass left in their automobile for Philadelphia, Friday, after a very pleasant visit to Salisbury. They were accompanied by Mrs. Douglass' father ex-State's Attorney G. W. Bell.

—Miss Anna Larmore and Mr. William Larmore and family who have been spending the past two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Larmore, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Charles E. Moore, and her son Dr. C. Howard Moore, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levin W. Dorman at their country home, "Cedarhurst," on the Spring Hill Road, returned last week to their home in Philadelphia.

—The Rt. Rev. William Forbes Adams, D. D., Bishop of Eastern, will visit the Spring Hill Parishes on Sunday, September 7th. He will be at St. Paul's, Spring Hill, at 3 p. m. and at St. Phillip's, Quantico, at 8.30, in the evening.

—Mrs. Williamanna Whayland, wife of John W. Whayland, of Allen, passed quietly away Aug. 26. Mrs. Whayland had been in poor health for quite a while and her death was not unexpected. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. Herbert Elzey, of Allen.

—A picnic will be held on the lawn of the Methodist Protestant Church of Quantico, next Saturday, Sept. 6th, at 7.30 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend and a good time is assured to all. On account of the weather conditions this picnic was postponed from Saturday last.

—The members and friends of Sioam Lodge No. 69, Independent Order Mechanics, will hold a picnic on Sioam Camp-ground, Friday evening, September 5. The general public is invited to attend and enjoy the occasion and partake of a splendid supper. Proceeds for the benefit of the Lodge.

—Mrs. A. C. Riley has returned to Snow Hill from Salisbury, where she underwent treatment at the Peninsula General Hospital. As a result of the treatment, she has been greatly benefited. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Bessie Riley, who has been visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Mr. Richard Jones of Pine Bluff, Ark., arrived in Salisbury, Thursday, and joined his wife and two children who have been spending the summer with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dennis, Walnut St. Mr. Jones will spend about two weeks here and the family will accompany him home.

—Salisbury Lodge No. 56, Knights of Pythias will begin holding regular meetings on Wednesday evening, Sept. 3rd, at 8 p. m., after suspension of meetings during the warm weather. This meeting will be a gala affair, as speakers of prominence and all members and their wives or best girls will enliven the occasion. Refreshments will be served.

—Mrs. Alice C. Adkins and Miss Carrie Adkins have returned from a two months stay in northern Vermont. They also visited the White mountains Ausable Chasm and Montpelier, returning through Lakes Champlain and George visiting Glens Falls, Saratoga Springs, Albany, New York and Philadelphia.

—At a special meeting of the stockholders of The Farmers Supply Company on Saturday, August 30th, a resolution was adopted authorizing Arthur E. Williams, Esq., to take legal steps for a dissolution of that Company, and requesting his appointment as receiver to close up its affairs. The Company is said to be perfectly solvent.

—Rev. Dr. Cone and wife, who spent the month of August at Somers, N. Y., are expected to reach Salisbury today. Dr. Cone announces that services will be resumed in St. Peter's Church next Sunday: 7.30, Holy Communion; 11 a. m., the Right Rev. William F. Adams, D. D., Bishop of this Diocese will preach; 8 p. m., every service with sermon by the Rector.

—Sunday, Sept. 7th, at Bivalve charge, the following service will be held: Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.; Preaching at 10.30 by Pastor on the subject, "The Lonely Path." Singing by Brother Keifer Hall and wife. Communion of Lord's Supper at Oak Grove Church. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching by Pastor, Communion Service at 3 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will sing. Bivalve 7.30 Song service. Preaching at 8 p. m. by Pastor. Sabbath School at 9.30 a. m.

ject, "Facing a Calamity." Special music.—H. E. Norris, Pastor.

—Mr. Marion S. Huston, who for several years was City Collector and Clerk to the Mayor and Council of this city has accepted a clerical position with the Jackson Bros. Company at Fairmount, N. C. Mr. Huston resigned from the Clerkship to the Council when he entered the Army. He is a son of Mr. George Huston who is a member of the Jackson Bros. corporation.

—Mrs. Lucy M. Phillips, wife of Mr. John A. Phillips, fireman instructor, N. Y. P. & N. R. R. Company, Southern Division, of Salisbury, Md., departed this life August 25, leaving husband; two daughters, Ruth, age 17, Eileen, age 3, and one son, Howard age 7, to mourn their loss. Her remains were laid away in Hebron Cemetery, Wednesday afternoon, August 27. Rev. W. P. Taylor, of Grace M. E. Church, officiated.

—Hon. C. C. Magruder, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, spent two or three days in Salisbury last week and had the pleasure of meeting many people attending the Fair. Clerk Magruder is a candidate for renomination on the Democratic State ticket and will have no opposition in the primaries. Mr. Magruder was accompanied by his wife, who seemed to enjoy the political tour of the Eastern Shore as well as did her distinguished husband.

**CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.**

Important Business Transacted At Meeting Monday Evening.

At a meeting of the City Council Monday evening, W. F. Bounds was ordered to put the pavement on Walnut St. in front of O. B. Cooper's residence in good condition.

At a previous meeting of the Council the following ordinance was read for the first time:

An ordinance to change the name of a Street in the City of Salisbury, now known as Cemetery street to Commerce Street, beginning at the intersection of the East line of East Church, North of the property known as the Eastern Shore Laundry, and extending in an Easterly direction to the City limits.

An ordinance providing for grading of a Street in the City of Salisbury, known as Gordon Street, extending from Lake Street in a westerly direction to Delaware Ave. was introduced and read for the first time. Section 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and Council of Salisbury That Gordon Street, in the City of Salisbury, the beginning for the South line of the same being upon the West side of Lake Street, a distance of three hundred, fifty four and six tenths (354.6) feet from the South line of West Isabella Street, in a direction from the last mentioned point, South eleven degrees, fifty-three minutes West, and extending forty feet in width a distance of eleven hundred and thirty-seven feet, more or less, in a direction South, eighty-four degrees and fifty-four minutes West to the Easterly line of Delaware Avenue, be graded in accordance with the plans and specifications of said grade made by Peter S. Shockley, on August 18th, 1919, and now on file in the office of the said Mayor and Council.

**ULMAN-COHN WEDDING**  
CELEBRATED WEDSDY. NOON

One Of Largest Weddings Ever Held Here Solemnized At Ulman Home.

A wedding of interest took place in this city Wednesday at noon when Miss Sarah Ulman, daughter of Mrs. Caroline Ulman and the late Simon Ulman was married at the Ulman home on East Church Street. The bride was attired in white embroidered net trimmed with satin, and carried a shower bouquet of Lily of the Valley and roses and was attended by her sister, Mrs. A. L. Barker of Bridgeton, N. J. as Matron of Honor. She was given away by her brother, Mr. Harry Ulman of Wilkesbarre, Pa., and her two little nieces of Washington were flower girls.

The groom, Mr. Sol Cohn of Marion, Pa., was attended by Mr. Anthony Schwartz of Marion, Pa., as his best man. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the Peninsula Hotel by Caterer Phillips to the wedding party which consisted of about 75 invited guests, relatives and friends of the Ulman family and of the groom's family from Wilkesbarre, Pa., Washington, Baltimore, Bridgeport, N. J., Atlantic City, and other parts of Pennsylvania.

The wedding was a very elaborate one, the Ulman home being beautifully decorated for the occasion. The wedding march was rendered by Mrs. Frank Ulman and during the ceremony, Mrs. William Feldman sang the beautiful solo, "O Promise Me." The happy couple with many of the invited guests left on the afternoon express for Atlantic City, and after spending a few days there, will tour through New England on their honeymoon trip.

Miss Ulman is well known to the people of Salisbury as she grew up here from a little girl and has always been a favorite with a large circle of friends in Salisbury, the Ulman family being among our prominent citizens for more than 40 years, and she carries away with her the best wishes of many of our people.

**Mr. Scott One Of The Honor Men.**

At the 60th Anniversary of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States held in New York for one week, 1105 of the more than 8,000 agents of the Company qualified to attend the Convention held by the Company. The qualified delegate agents had to sell at least \$100,000 of insurance in the previous year. Of the 1105 who qualified with this much insurance to their credit, 252 of the agents were found to have sold more than a quarter of a million dollars of life insurance for the 12 months. Of this number who reached the grand total, Mr. James J. Scott, the local agent of this city was one, and he was a member of the Convention held for the week. Many important matters were brought up before the various meetings held each day at the Waldorf Hotel and the Convention was one of the most important gatherings of life insurance agents ever held in this country.

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The millinery section is a true gallery of the fashions—original, correct, varied and moderately priced.



## Sale of Hosery

Just being a special that we picked up from a New York jobber.

It is a gauze lisle hose for women, in black only, seam up the back, can be had in all sizes.

We may mention that these hose are slightly imperfect—but we have been unable to find a single pair where the imperfection amounts to anything.

Their real value is 65c—they will be sold for 40c.

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### SILKS

The war gave American silk weavers and printers an opportunity to show their mettle—their initiative—their artistry of design and color.

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Witness the lines that we have collected for our customers, for their Fall usage.

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Clever ideas in designing are to be seen on all sides and in this popular fashion section we have something to show you that is exclusive with us.

Important shipments of cases comprising some of the most attractive of moderately priced fashions which are among our recent New York buying engagements, have just arrived.

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## MARYLAND NEWS IN BRIEF

LATEST HAPPENINGS IN ALL SECTIONS—SERVED IN BRIEF FORM FOR QUICK READING.

Charles L. Crothers, formerly in the employ of a Baltimore broker, has been appointed cashier of the Rising Sun branch of Elkton Banking and Trust Co., which opened for business September 1.

While working in his canning factory at Church Creek, Saturday, Mr. J. Roland Stewart got his right arm caught in a piece of machinery, and before the machine could be stopped his arm was quite badly crushed.

The two ferry boats purchased recently by the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Ferry Line, to ply between Bay Shore and Rock Hall, arrived at Sparrow's Point from New York Monday. The ferries are 190 feet long and 65 feet beam, and can carry, in addition to passengers, about 60 loaded trucks or automobiles on each trip across the bay.

In a letter to the editor of the Baltimore Methodist, Mrs. Arthur B. Bibbins suggests the establishment at Braddock Heights of a mountain Chautauqua or a training-school for Methodist church workers, and Dr. Heisse asks for expressions of sentiment from his readers. Mrs. Bibbins is, as Dr. Heisse says, "widely known for her unusual success in the realm of historic research, and especially helpful to Methodism in her eager and tireless studies in early Methodism."

While Edward Stahorn and family were attending the funeral of Mrs. Stahorn's father, near Kemblesville, a thief entered his house near Fair Hill and stole a gold watch, suit of clothes and other valuables. He also visited the stable and drove off with a horse and buggy. Sheriff McAllister overtook the team near Perryville, where a young man giving his name as Walter Caarr was trying to trade the horse to Joseph P. Wright. He was landed in Elkton jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Mrs. Bibbins, whose great grandparents were workers in the Methodist Society at Middletown, has been active in the investigations of the past few years that have daily proved that Strawbridge was the pioneer

of Methodism in American, and not Barbara Heck in New York. The old log meeting-house on Sam's creek, not far from Braddock Heights, was the first Methodist house of worship in the Colonies, and not the John St. loft of New York city. In Asbury's time Sergt. Lawrence Everhart taught a class at Middletown.

Some discussion has arisen recently concerning the election of the successor of the late Thomas E. Kerr, as County Treasurer, of Dorchester county. The law, creating the office of County Treasurer, provides that in the event of the office becoming vacant, the Board of County Commissioners shall elect a successor to fill out the remainder of the unexpired term. Only one name has been mentioned in connection with this vacancy thus far, that being the name of Mr. George A. Thompson, Jr., of Hurlock, who was defeated two years ago.

The 23rd annual reunion of the Maryland Association of Ohio was held at "Hills and Dales," Dayton, Ohio, on August 21. Descendants of Maryland families were at the meeting from Preble, Darke, Clark, Green, Miami and Montgomery counties. A picnic dinner was served at noon to nearly 500 persons. Judge U. S. Martin gave an eloquent address, which featured Maryland's early history as one of the original 13 colonies, an unpaid tribute to Francis Scott Key, the famous Marylander who wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner." "Maryland, My Maryland," was one of the songs rendered by Mrs. C. G. Paul. The next annual meeting will be held at Springfield, Ohio.

Gov. Emerson C. Harrington announced the appointment of A. Bowdler Robinson, of Church Creek, as the successor of the late W. Alvin Linthicum, on the Board of County Commissioners of Dorchester county. The appointment made will hold until the election in November, that is, for about three months. The new appointee is a native of Church Creek district, is a brother of the late W. Lake Robinson, and is regarded as a careful and conservative business

man. He is intensely interested in roads and has had many years practical experience in the handling of roads and bridges.

Politeness costs nothing; it is worth much. Take a stroll along one of our local streets, and you will meet certain people who never fail of a courteous greeting. As you pass them by they leave in your mind a feeling of wholesome friendliness and brotherly love. You instinctively extend them the courtesy of a kind thought and a friendly greeting in return. The two of you are adding yet another ray of sunshine to the community life. And many little rays make a most pleasing whole. Try it yourself uninterrupted for a week and then analyze your feelings. You will be surprised at the result.—Havre de Grace Republican.

Maryland is especially rich in its religious associations. It became known as the "Land of the Sanctuary" from the Roman Catholic settlement of St. Mary's. The first mass in the New World was celebrated in the Potomac. On the lower Eastern Shore, Francis Makemie established the first Presbyterian congregation, and from his labors grew the organization of the denomination in the Colonies. The Quaker meeting-house on the Tred Avon dates back to the beginning of the worship of the Friends in America. The Protestant Episcopal Church of America was named in Chestertown. The Methodist Episcopal Church was organized in Baltimore, at Lovely Lane Meeting-House. The Methodist Protestant Church had its genesis on the Eastern Shore, and the earliest records of the Church of the Brethren and of other denominations are found in Western Maryland.

**Tomatoes Selling For \$1 Per Basket.**  
Tomatoes are selling in the open market for \$1 a basket, or just three times more than the local contract price. This condition is unusual however, on account of the greatly reduced acreage and the short crop due to unfavorable weather conditions. The farmers are responsible for the reduced acreage due to their organization.

For any itching skin trouble, piles, eczema, salt rheum, hives, itch, scald head herpes scabies Doan's Ointment is highly recommended. 60c a box at all drug stores.—Adv.

## CHILDREN HURT BY RECKLESS DRIVERS OF VIRGINIA CAR

Two Children Badly Injured At Moore's Corner By Two Va. Men.

One of the most dastardly outrages ever committed on a community happened at Moore's corner on the State highway to Princess Anne last Friday, when a large seven passenger touring car bearing a Virginia license and operated and driven by two young men going at a terrific rate ran down a dearborn wagon in which there was two small children on their way to Fruitland. The dearborn was struck near the rear wheels and overturned throwing the children to the hard road breaking the leg of one of them and otherwise injuring the child in other portions of its body and badly bruising and lacerating the second child. Mrs. May Truitt who was sitting on her porch ran to the road to the assistance of the children as the automobile did not stop after the accident.

Arriving at the scene of the collision, Mrs. Truitt saw the young men stop the car down the road, look back, laugh and wave their hands and then dash away at a terrific speed, not seeming to care whether or not they had killed the children or how much damage they had done. When the story reached Salisbury, the people who heard it were so exasperated that a description of the car was ascertained but unfortunately, the car was going at such a terrific speed that Mrs. Truitt was unable to get the number of the license although she tried very hard to do so. Some of our citizens however, have a description of the car and will endeavor to locate the culprits and if they are successful and the men are brought here for trial, it is very certain they will get the full limit of the law even though it be a penitentiary sentence.

Such recklessness as this is what keeps the public aroused on the subject of the automobile and the license of such desperate characters should by all means be taken from them and never again reinstated. When young men have no more feeling than to run down children on the road and injure them probably for life, they should be locked up somewhere as enemies of mankind, and it is such cases as this which causes the Justices to be so hard on automobilists who often get in slight trouble without any intention of breaking the law.

## POWELLVILLE PASTOR CALLED TO BALTIMORE CHURCH

Evangelist Lynch Receives Call To Large Church.

Rev. J. H. Lynch, pastor of Powellville M. P. Circuit, has received a call to be pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, the largest independent Church in Baltimore. Mr. Lynch has not accepted the call at this writing.

Rev. Lynch has returned from Baltimore, where he was engaged in evangelistic work for two weeks. He reports a number of conversions. His success as an evangelist has been wonderful for several years, and the people of Powellville Circuit are loath to part with him.

Mr. Lynch filled his appointments Sunday, August 31st as follows: Mt.

Olive, in the morning and Powellville, in the evening. The subject was, "The Pay I Get That is Better Than Gold." Large congregations were present at both churches.

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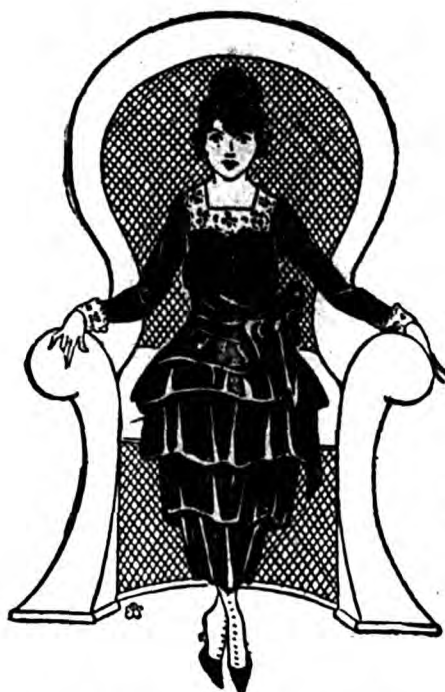
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## DOINGS THROUGHOUT OLD SUSSEX COUNTY

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Farmer Breaks Arm In A Runaway  
—To Pay Part Of Road Cost—  
Death Due To Paralysis—Strange  
Bird Caught In Swamp.

Because of the numerous washouts in Sussex county, caused by the recent heavy storms, the authorities have been compelled to spend thousands of dollars rebuilding timber bridges and installing culverts.

The road from the du Pont Boulevard into Dagsboro will be repaired in a short time with slag. Three years ago a slag road was built at this point at a cost of several hundred dollars, and since its construction little has been spent for repairing it.

Lima beans are scarce and a number of farmers have not had a Lima bean to eat this season yet. One farmer said he had planted 500 hills and thus far has not gathered a bean. They say if the frost keeps off late the prospects will be good, as the vine snow have blossoms.

Thomas Kinder, a farmer living near Bridgeville, narrowly escaped death, when the harness on a pair of horses, as driving broke, causing the pole to drag on the ground. The horses broke away from the dearborn, when it struck a telephone pole, throwing Mr. Kinder to the ground, breaking his left arm and causing bruises and a few cuts. The horses were caught before further damage.

W. W. Knowles of Wilmington administrator and brother of the late Dr. Jacob C. Knowles, sold the real estate at Seaford, Saturday at public sale, of his deceased brother. The sale amounted to nearly \$20,000. The home of the late physician, on High street, was sold to Captain George Elsey, of Bethel, for \$6,500. Captain Elsey also purchased the Peach Blossom farm, near town, 54 acres, for \$7,000. Two tracts of timber land, eight miles from Seaford, were sold to Frank Wright of Federalburg, Md., for \$6,400, and the old homestead of Dr. Knowles' father, near Galestown, was purchased by Ira Larimore, a nephew of the late doctor, for \$850.

Land owners along the public road from the farm of ex-Representative Harlan E. Phillips to Owen's Store, in Little Creek hundred, appeared before the Levy Court, Tuesday afternoon and offered to pay one-third the cost of constructing a gravel road. The proposition was accepted and within the next few weeks the work will be started. A few months ago several of the farmers in the district banded together and paid one-third the cost of building a stretch of road leading into Delmar.

Samuel James Thomison, Laurel's oldest fruit and produce broker and one of the best known business men of lower Delaware and well-known by commission men in most of the cities east of St. Louis, died at his home in Laurel Friday morning. Just a week ago, while he was dressing to go to a baseball game after his usual afternoon nap, Mr. Thomison was stricken with paralysis, and did not fully regain consciousness. Mr. Thomison was 68 years old and practically all his life was spent in Laurel. In politics he was a Republican, but was never particularly active.

A strange bird, supposed to have been blown in by the recent storms, was captured in a forest between Seaford and Bridgeville, Saturday, by Pietro Cerene, an Italian boss on the Seaford-Bridgeville State Highway. The bird weighs about 10 pounds and measures about three feet from tip to tip of its wings. Its head resembles that of an owl at first glance, but on closer examination traces of a monkey are found. The bird has a grey and brown back and in some spots looks like a peacock. The breast of the bird is speckled white and its wings near the ends are speckled. Urias Taylor, who owns the bird now, will have it killed and mounted.

Cider mills in Sussex county are kept busy turning out the juice that is to "make lower Delaware famous" since contracts are being made, it is said, in the western part of the county for large shipments to New York City and other places. The average Sussex countian who has a large supply of apples an despecially windfalls care little about what disposition is to be made of the cider after it leaves his possession, so long as he is able to

realize good money from the product. With hundreds of barrels already made and stored in barns and the mills daily turning out thousands of gallons of the "previous juice," the demand is exceeding the supply. Town folk are anxious to obtain it, but most of the farmers are disposed at this time to keep it, and if thirsty ones desire to get a gallon it costs them from 50 cents to \$1 a gallon.

## DISHARON NAMED FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Former Native Of Wicomico On Ticket In Somerset.

Because of a poor state of health, Mr. Michael A. Somers of Lawson's District, selected by the Democratic nominating committee as a candidate for County Commissioner early in the month, has found it impossible to make the fight and has retired from the ticket.

The vacancy was promptly filled by the State Central Committee, which selected Mr. Joseph W. Disharoon, a prominent business man of Crisfield. Mr. Disharoon was born in Wicomico county, his parents being well-known residents. Mr. Disharoon has been prominent in the business life of Somerset County for more than 30 years.

## Serious Accident To Trainman.

Mr. Marion Lecates, of Delmar, an employee of the Delaware Division, while shifting cars at Seaford Friday morning, had the misfortune to get both legs crushed. He was rushed to the Peninsula General Hospital at Salisbury by a special train, where he received treatment.

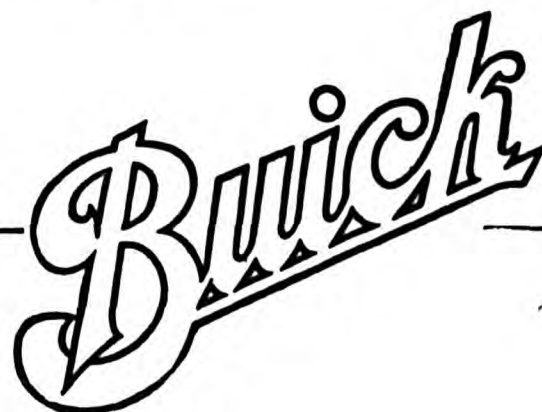
## The Best Advertisement.

The best advertisement any merchant can have is a satisfied customer. No greater recommendation can be given an article than the following by E. B. Milburn, Prop., Guion Drug Store, Guion, Ark. "We have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for years and have always found that it gives perfect satisfaction."—Advt.



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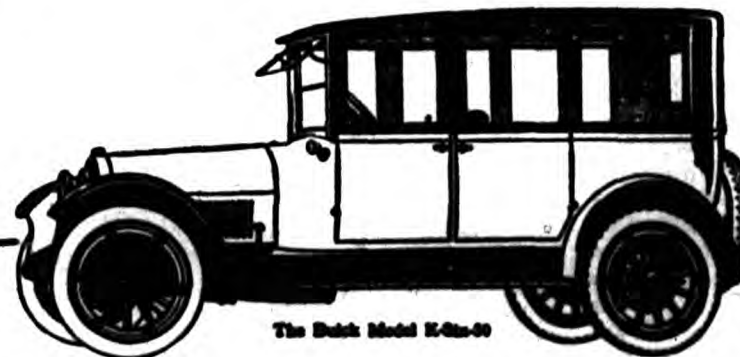


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Silk shades on rollers afford privacy or shut out a too ardent sun. Ventilation is controlled by the adjustable windows and windshield, the door windows being fitted with patent handles for raising or lowering them. Suitable lights give interior illumination. Lowered seats give greater riding comfort.



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1919

## SHARPTOWN.

Mrs. Minnie Windsor, wife of Hiram Windsor, died Thursday afternoon after a brief illness, at the age of 50 years. She leaves besides her husband, one son James and two daughters, Miss Ethel and Mrs. W. Dunn. Ralph Windsor, a son, died in France October last from wounds received in battle. Capt. Frank C. Robinson of Baltimore is a brother and Mrs. Martha Williams of Cape Charles is a sister. Her remains were interred on Sunday afternoon in Taylor Cemetery, funeral service in M. E. Church by Rev. John W. Prettyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Twilley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Bennett of Maryland Springs were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Covington have returned from a week's stay at Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Covington are home from Chester, Pa.

Miss Belle Caulk has returned to LaPlata accompanied by her sister, Miss Bertie.

Dr. L. L. Gordy has opened an office in the Phillips Block in the center of the business interests of the town.

Mrs. Pearl Smith of Salisbury is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Moon.

Dr. Arthur Wright of Baltimore is visiting his sister, Mrs. Berkeley James.

Mrs. Nora Twilley has returned home from Norfolk where she has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Moore.

Rev. E. W. Simms lost an automobile early Sunday by fire. He put his car in the garage near the parsonage at 10:30 and at 1:30 Frank Gootee was passing near and saw fire in the garage. He hastily called Rev. Simms and they sounded the alarm and managed by the use of hoe and rake to pull the car out of the garage into the street where all the upper part of the car was consumed. The tires, wheels, engine and lower gear were but slightly damaged. The garage was damaged, but was not a total loss, the metal ceiling prevented the spread of the flames until the bucket brigade got on the scene. The timely discovery of the fire and the quick response of the people saved the parsonage and perhaps the church and other nearby buildings.

Misses Mildred and May Owens have just returned from an extended trip to Philadelphia, Camden and Chester.

Miss Maryon Farrer of Mansfield, domestic science teacher in Sharptown High School arrived Sunday.

The burial of Mrs. Minnie Windsor on Sunday afternoon was largely attended.

## GETTING READY FOR THE PRIMARY BATTLE

(Continued From Page One).

cept the one voted for next Tuesday. Up to the present time, the Republican Party has not been embarrassed by many candidates appearing in the field and it is thought the task will be an easy one to make up the ticket within the next few days. At the one day registration held last Monday, quite a sprinkling of young voters appeared at the various voting precincts to have their names placed on the books, and this will entitle these new voters to participate in the Primaries next Tuesday. Up to the present time, the contest in the Democratic Party has gone along with comparatively little feeling on the part of the various candidates, and the leaders are hopeful that after the ticket is nominated, the Party will be able to give a solid support to the successful candidates.

—Mrs. Luther Ingalls and children spent the week end visiting relatives in Virginia.

# EXTENSION SERVICE, MARYLAND STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

In Co-operation With The U. S. Department Of Agriculture  
Active Operations On The Shore.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY FOR OUR PEOPLE TO HAVE THE ADVANTAGES OF EXPERT KNOWLEDGE AND ADVICE ON THE GRADING OF GRAIN WHICH ALL FARMERS SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF—DATES OF VARIOUS MEETINGS.

Farmers' Grain to be graded by the Federal Grain Supervisor at Hurlock, Md., on Thursday, Sept. 4th at 1:30 to 4 o'clock p. m., in cooperation with the Extension Service of the Maryland State College, the Federal Grain Supervisor of Baltimore, Mr. Harold Anderson, will give a demonstration in wheat grading, bringing the apparatus from his laboratory. Mr. F. W. Oldenburg from the Extension Service will have on hand mounted samples, show bottles and charts and other material in regard to Maryland wheats.

This demonstration has been planned in order that farmers, county grain buyers, millers and other persons interested may have opportunity to familiarize themselves with the correct method of grading wheat under Federal Standards.

At this demonstration, Mr. Anderson will have a fully equipped set of appliances and machines, such as are used by the licensed grain inspectors in the large cities of the Federal Grain Supervisors. Samples of wheat will be handled in the same way as in actual inspection to show how the grades are determined. Some simpler and less expensive apparatus, which has been suggested by the U. S. Department of Agriculture as suitable to apply Federal grades at country points, will also be shown.

In order to make the demonstration thoroughly practical, farmers are invited to bring samples of their grain to the demonstration in order that such samples may be graded.

A formal demonstration will be made during the afternoon exactly as it would be in the office of any inspection department in the large markets. Besides the grain grading equipment, type trays showing classes, grades, and varieties of wheat will be shown and publications of the U. S. Department of Agriculture relating to grain and grain grading will be distributed.

The importance of these demonstrations has been emphasized because the U. S. Grain Corporation is requiring the proper application of the Federal Grades by country buyers in order to properly reflect the guaranteed price schedule to the local points, and to insure a premium grade for premium quality wheat. The object of the demonstration is to enable local wheat buyers to be fully informed as to the requirements of the official grades in order that they may correctly apply them and that the farmer be properly informed as to the grade requirements in order that he may know whether his grain has been correctly graded by the country buyer.

At the same time there will be on display, mounted samples, show bottles, charts showing the comparative yields of Maryland wheats, and Mr. F. W. Oldenburg, Extension Agronomist from the State College with the help of County Agent will endeavor to answer any questions in regard to seed wheat, especially the source of the same for this year.

Demonstrations in Grain Standardization. Schedule of Meetings, Sept. 1 to 8. 1:30 to 4:00 each afternoon.

Saturday, Aug. 30, Eklo, Baltimore county.

Monday, Sept. 1, Bel Air, Harford County.

Tuesday, Sept. 2, Elkton, Cecil Co.

Wednesday, Sept. 3, Chestertown, Kent and Queen Anne County.

Thursday, Sept. 4, Hurlock, Talbot, Dorchester, Caroline, and other Eastern Shore Counties.

Friday, Sept. 5, Upper Marlboro, Prince George, Anne Arundel, Charles St. Marys, Calvert.

Saturday, Sept. 6, Rockville, Montgomery County.

Monday, Sept. 8, Ellicott City, Howard County.

To Pay B. C. & A. Coupons.

Information was received by a Baltimore banking house Thursday that the coupons due September 1 on the bonds of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company will be paid when due. The message said the money for the purpose had been placed with the Pennsylvania Railroad by the Federal Railroad Administration.

—Following an operation for appendicitis at the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Miss Anna Mitchell, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Burton Mitchell, of Seafood, died a few days ago.

## TO ORGANIZE POST OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

Those Who Served In The Army Or Navy Eligible To Membership.

A meeting to organize a post of the American Legion will be held at the office of Woodcock & Webb on Saturday evening next, September 6th, at 7:30 p. m. Every man who served in the Army or Navy during the last war is eligible for membership in the American Legion. The purpose of the Legion is best expressed in a telegram from President Wilson, dated July 12th, 1919, as follows:

"I am happy to have this opportunity to address a word of greeting and comradeship to the men who have served in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps and are now banding themselves together to preserve the splendid traditions of that service. I have had a chance to see these men on land and on sea, at home and abroad. The spirit of their service was as splendid as its success, and the continuation of that spirit in The American Legion will make it always an inspiration to the full performance of high and difficult duties."

Posts of the Legion are being formed in every State in the Union. It is distinctly non-political in character and has been endorsed not only by President Wilson but by Secretary of War Baker, Secretary of Navy Daniels, General Pershing, General March, Admiral Sims, Major-General Barnett, Lord Northcliffe, Former President Taft, the Grand Army of the Republic, the Confederate War Veterans and the Spanish War Veterans. The State of New York already has 130 posts and posts are being organized in every State. The total number is now 1500. The soldiers and sailors of Wicomico County ought not to fail to organize a local post and thus be represented in this great organization. The meeting on Saturday night will be of brief duration and is of a preliminary nature. It is called by A. W. W. Woodcock, L. Claude Bailey and Alexander T. Grier, and it is earnestly hoped that the attendance will be large.

## "JOHN BULL AND UNCLE SAM"

Interesting Lecture To Be Delivered During Chautauqua Week.

The best description that has ever been written of American political and social life was penned by an Englishman, Lord Bryce.

It is said that the most faithful and interesting word picture that has ever been painted of British politics and society was done by an American, Frederick William Wile.

Wile's "Explaining the Britishers" is to Englishmen what Bryce's "American Commonwealth" is to Americans.

The great need of the world to-day is that the various nations shall better understand each other.

When Director Pearson of the Chautauqua Association went to Europe this spring for Chautauqua speakers he had one guiding principle to determine his choice. He wanted the man who could best interpret for Americans the purpose and spirit of the lands across the sea. He wanted a man who knew intimately the customs, thought, and ideals of the Old World and who was able also to explain them, in an interesting way, to the people of the New World.

In securing Frederick William Wile his choice was especially fortunate. His American birth and early life here as well as his later intermittent visits to this country enable him to clearly understand and sympathize with the American viewpoint. On the other hand, his residence of nearly 20 years on the continent and in England have given him a thorough knowledge of European life.

In his lecture, "John Bull and Uncle Sam," Mr. Wile will forge another link in the unbreakable chain which binds together the two countries, England and America.

Hear this interesting lecture Chautauqua week, Sept. 8-14.

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# BEACON BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES

Eleventh Year Opens With Large Number Of Students.

The local college opened on Monday for its eleventh year in Salisbury, with a large number of students entering all departments. The college has been a success since its opening in 1909, and its name has become known to almost every family on the peninsula. The prospects of the college are very bright for the coming year.

Miss Anna B. Wright, a member of the faculty of the local college, is visiting relatives and friends in the northern part of Pennsylvania.

Miss Ruth Dobson, of this city, a graduate of the local college, has accepted a position with the Standard Motor Company at their branch office in this city.

Master Hospital Sergeant Joel L. Gordy was a visitor at the college last week. Sergeant Gordy, a former student, entered the army in 1914, and has risen rapidly to his present rank, the highest non-commissioned office in the Medical Corps. Sergeant Gordy has been stationed at Empire, Canal Zone, Panama, until recently, when he was transferred to Newport News, Va. At Newport News, Sergeant Gordy was in charge of an important office in the Medical Corps, having charge of a staff of 30 assistants. Upon the completion of his present enlistment in 1920, Sergeant Gordy is planning to begin the study of civil engineering in a western university.

Mr. Raymond G. Bunting, of Selbyville, Del., entered the local college to prepare for a secretarial position. Raymond is the fourth son of Mr. G. E. Bunting to enter this college since 1915.

Mr. Darcy O. Bennett, of Maryland Springs, has accepted a position with the Preston Hardware and Auto Company at Preston, Md.

## INFORMATION FOR CONTRACTORS.

Scaled proposals, addressed to the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, and endorsed "Proposals for building a section of State Aid Highway in Wicomico County" as follows: Contract No. 412, Salisbury-Snow Hill Road, 1.03 mile. Contract No. 522, Salisbury-Nantuxet Road, 1.07 mile. Each section to be Concrete, 15 feet width of pavement, will be received by the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, at their office in the Court House at Salisbury, Md., until 12 o'clock noon, of the twenty-third day of September, 1919, and at that time and place will be publicly opened and read.

All bids must be made upon blank forms to be obtained of the State Roads Commission, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Md., must give the prices proposed both in writing and in figures and must be signed by the bidder, with his address.

Each bid is to be accompanied by a certified check for Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), payable to the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, said check to be returned to the bidder unless he fails to execute the contract should it be awarded to him. The successful bidder will be required to give bond and comply with the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

Plans can be seen and forms of specification and contract may be obtained on cash payment of One Dollar (\$1.00) at the office of the State Roads Commission, Baltimore, Md.

The County Commissioners of Wicomico County reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

By order of the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, Maryland.  
MARION N. NELSON, President.  
H. M. CLARK, Roads Engineer.  
Sept. 4-31.

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## Don't Sell Your Liberty Bonds To Outsiders ring Them To This Bank

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## FARMERS AND TRUCKERS SHOULD ORGANIZE A PRODUCE EXCHANGE

Interview From Prominent Truckers Shows How The Fruit Buyers Take Advantage Of The Situation.

IF THESE STATEMENTS BE TRUE, THEN THERE IS GREATER NECESSITY FOR OUR TRUCKERS ORGANIZING THEMSELVES FOR PROTECTION—BY GETTING TOGETHER THE FARMER WILL ADD LARGELY TO HIS PROFITS ON HIS CROPS FOR ANOTHER SEASON.

The article published in the last issue of the News criticizing the manner in which the truckers and fruit growers of this section for the most part packed their cantaloupes for market, one of the largest growers of cantaloupes came to the News office Saturday and took issue with the editors regarding some of the statements made in that article, and while not denying that for the most part, the story was a true one, he demurred to all the facts because he said that the melon growers were forced because of a combination among the buyers to rush their fruit to market at the very earliest moment or else get nothing for the crop. Speaking of this whole subject he said:

"I grant what you say in the News regarding the carelessness of the farmers and the fruit growers in harvesting many of their crops and especially in shipping their cantaloupes before the fruit has had the opportunity to properly mature, but if you will make as close a study of this whole situation as I have, you will find that the truckers have been driven in a large degree by the buyers who come to Salisbury each year to buy cantaloupe crops from the growers. If you had noted during the past three weeks the attitude of these fruit buyers towards the farmer you would see that unless the farmer had rushed his fruit to market at the very earliest possible moment when prices in the city were so high the buyers had to pay a respectable price or the farmers would have shipped the fruits themselves, you will readily see that this was necessary to save their output. During the last three weeks when the very finest cantaloupes grown in this country were brought to this market, these buyers getting together in some kind of a combination have forced the farmers to take as little as 40 to 75 cents for fruit which it is currently reported and we believe is a fact, was sold by these same buyers in the large cities by the carload at prices ranging from \$2.25 to \$3.65 per carrier. Showing you what the attitude towards the grower has been from these buyers who should be willing to give the trucker a fair remuneration on his labor.

"I believe I am stating the truth when I say that in hundreds of cases, these cantaloupe buyers have been able to clear up as much as \$700 to \$800 on car of melons bought right at the B. C. & A. depot in this city and that when they cleared as little as \$300 a car, they talked of getting out of the business and letting the farmer ship his goods. Now, the farmer would have been far better off to have shipped every cantaloupe provided there had been some organization among them earlier in the season by which a committee composed of a few truckers who had the experience to handle the entire crop for the Wicomico farmers.

"My proposition is that the truckers of Wicomico County should organize themselves into a produce exchange on the same lines of the Virginia corporation or the Peninsula corporation at Pocomoke City. We have plenty of men here who possess the ability to organize and develop the exchange to such an extent as to be able to set aside these fruit buyers entirely and have all our produce shipped under the direct management of the Exchange. As the stock of this corporation would be entirely owned by the farmers, they would not only get far better prices for their produce, but they would also get a splendid return on their investment. The Virginia Produce Exchange earns as much as 60 per cent. annually, but the business is run on such a fine basis as to insure the truckers of the two Eastern Shore counties of Virginia the highest possible prices for their produce and all they have to do is to deliver every day to the shipping point designated by the Exchange and the rest of the proposition is attended to by the managers of the Exchange. Not only is this true regarding the shipment

of the produce but this same exchange looks after the purchase of all the seed for the crop and the farmers and truckers get the advantage of buying their seed at wholesale prices through the Exchange and on every transaction, which the Exchange makes, the farmers themselves participate in the profits. Just why our farmers have not banded together before to protect themselves against what many of us believe to be unfair treatment from the fruit buyers, I cannot understand. Every other line of trade in the world seems to be combining and why the farmer should not get into the game for self-protection is unexplainable unless it be that they are afraid to trust each other. I am in favor of starting at once the organization of a Produce Exchange in this community and it really should be done through the Grangers, as this organization knows the entire situation and could be of great aid in getting together the proper men, take the matter up and have the whole proposition worked out during the winter months and be ready by the Spring to aid the farmers by selling them their seed and in otherwise effecting an organization for next year's crop which I believe would save to the truckers of Wicomico County hundreds of thousands of dollars which they would receive but from the unfair treatment of the men who come here and buy our produce at practically their own figures."

The interview of this farmer and trucker who had had considerable experience in the shipping of all kinds of produce from this market should certainly receive the best thought of the truckers of Wicomico County because he brings out some facts which are very important to the tillers of the soil. There is no doubt that in many cases, the produce buyers take all the advantages which is coming to them in the trade, as they consider this their business and of course, buy their produce at the very smallest price possible. It would be an easy matter to organize every section of Wicomico County into one exchange with headquarters in this city and we feel assured that after the organization gets in good working trim that the returns to the farmers would be of a much larger size than they have been heretofore.

### CHRISTIAN ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE PLANNED

To Be Held In Aabury Church, Salisbury, Sept. 30.

An important set-up meeting was held in Aabury Methodist Episcopal Church, Salisbury, Friday morning to plan for a Christian Activities Conference to be held in the same church Tuesday, Sept. 30th. These conferences are being promoted by the various young people's departments of the church under the direction of Rev. J. McK. Kelley, pastor of First Church, York, Pa., who is the Life Service representative for the Washington Area. The conference will be attended by the young people from the Salisbury District. Rev. Milton McCann, Smyrna, Del., Supt. of Sunday School work for the Wilmington Conference, is in charge of publicity.

Those attending the set-up meeting were: Rev. J. T. Herson, and Rev. W. P. Taylor, of Salisbury; Rev. Leonard Jackson, Princess Anne; Rev. L. E. Poole, Snow Hill; Rev. V. E. Hills, Pocomoke City; Rev. J. W. Jones, Cape Charles, Va.; Rev. G. E. Sterling, Fairmount.

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**OUR PEOPLE WAKING UP TO THEIR PAST FOLLIES.**

All Are Now Beginning To Recognize That The Only Way To Get Improvements Is By A Bond Issue And Not By Annual Tax Levies.

At a meeting held at the County Commissioners' office last week the final arrangements for the building of a mile of stone road in Nutter's District were completed and it is understood that the work will be started at once. This piece of road will be constructed at the end of the present shell road and will add much to the convenience of the residents of that section of the county and will probably be the beginning of an improved highway between Salisbury and Snow Hill and later on the road will probably be extended along the old route through Nutter's District, which for years has been one of the worst places of road in the county. With a little more intelligent consideration on the subject of road building, through bonding the county instead of trying to build these roads from the tax levy, there will be little difficulty in providing not only for the good people of Nutter's District but for various other districts in Wicomico County where road improvement is very badly needed. If the people and taxpayers will work in harmony on this very important subject, there should be little difficulty within a few years of having practically all the main highways in Wicomico County constructed of concrete or some other permanent material which will insure good roads for all time to come.

It is our belief that the voters and taxpayers of Wicomico are awaking to the fact that they have been very much fooled in this matter of bonding the county for permanent improvement, and that they are now beginning to see that the only enlightened way in which to construct roads is by the same method which is being pursued in more progressive communities where no attempt is made to build highways or school houses from the annual tax levy because of the burden it places on the taxpayers every year but that our people are now realizing that there has been a serious mistake made here in not voting to bond the county several years ago when these improvements could have been made at a much less expense and we would now have had the roads and a lower tax rate than we have at the present time.

Sometimes the taxpayers allow themselves to be fooled by some little petty politician who, playing to the galleries, tries to make the people believe that he is their saviour, when as a matter of fact, in most cases, he is a drawback and a detriment to the community by the propaganda which he spreads around solely in his own interest but trying to hide behind the film of a public benefactor, he is able to fool some people into believing the false doctrines which he puts out. Wicomico County people have had a taste of this kind of experience but they are now beginning to realize that for the most part, it has been merely the harpings of the agitator who generally has his own advancement much more at heart than the interests of the people.

If the bonding bill which was up before the last session of the Legislature had been passed and ratified by the voters at a special election, this road in Nutter's District and various other highways in the county could have been constructed at an average cost of \$20,000 per mile instead of the taxpayers and the county now having to pay about \$30,000 to \$35,000 per mile for the same work, and in the meantime, the rate here instead of being \$2.00 per hundred would have been not to exceed \$1.40 if indeed it had been that much. Other sections of Wicomico which have been waiting for several years to get road improvements are also alive to the fact that the people generally had been fooled in this whole matter and we believe there will be practically no trouble in passing the right kind of a bond issue which contains a referendum allowing the people to vote on same when this question again comes up. In this connection, we might cite the experience of the people of Delmar district, where they have had to wait two years longer to get a proper schoolhouse in which to house their children because of the defeat of the bonding bill in the last session of the Legislature than they would have waited had this bill been passed as it should have been, as one of the specific items of this Bill was the amount of money set aside for the building of this schoolhouse.

And after all, while our experience has been costly, it will probably be a good lesson to the people not to be "them."—Adv.

carried off their feet by the howling of men pretending to be public benefactors but who are in reality generally seeking an office for themselves or their friends and who have their own selfish ends more at heart than the public good.

## NANTICOKE NEWS.

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Miss Hannah Collier returned home Sunday morning from a two weeks visit to Baltimore.

Several young people of Nanticoke attended a party at the home of Mr. Virgil and Miss Una Covington, near White Haven, last Thursday evening. Mrs. William Travers and William Travers, Jr., Mr. Mr. Marvin E. Cox, Miss Mary and Virginia Travers, motored to Ocean City Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Ennis of Fruitland is visiting Mrs. W. B. Cox of Nanticoke. Quite a number of the young folks of Nanticoke have been attending Deals Island camp during the past week.

Mr. Walter Catlin met with an accident last week while cranking his car it kicked him causing quite a painful bruise on the knee.

Mrs. Annie V. Moore of Mt. Vernon returned home yesterday. She has been spending a few days with relatives at Nanticoke.

Mr. Lorana White, Mr. Franklin Messick and family spent Sunday afternoon at Laurel camp and Sunday evening at Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Evans of Nanticoke gave a dinner at their home in honor of the soldier boys who have returned home from over seas. Among those present were, Mr. Arthur Somers, Miss Edna Dashiell, Messrs. Jennings Somers, Marvin E. Cox, Raleigh Douglas, Edward Travers, Misses Lucy Bloodsworth, Ida Jester, Elsie Larmore, Hannah Collier.

Mr. Lloyd Larmore, Miss Margaret Travers, Mr. Edward Travers and Miss Mary Larmore spent Sunday at Ocean City.

Mrs. Horace H. Cox has returned home from a few days visit to relatives at Fishing Creek.

The oystermen of Nanticoke are expecting to do good business this year as there was a good quantity of seed oysters left on the rocks last season and there is no reason why they should not bring a good price as every other kind of sea food is bringing a high price.

Dr. and Mrs. Warner have relatives visiting them from Pennsylvania. They all spent Sunday at Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. Levin Walter spent Sunday at Ocean City.

## SHARPTOWN NEWS.

(Too Late for last week.)

Wildy D. Gravenor, national treasurer, John W. Hastings of El Dorado, and Harland E. Phillips of Delmar are attending a meeting of the national body of the U. A. Men this week in Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Florence Graves of Baltimore is the guest of Mrs. Julia A. Ellis.

A "Welcome Home" in the nature of a surprise party was given on Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Fletcher to Claud Owens who has just returned home from a year's service in France. More than one hundred guests gathered on the beautiful lawn to offer him the welcome hand and expressions of gratitude on his safe return. The lawn was artistically decorated with flags, bunting and Japanese lanterns. A large part of the decorations were brought by Mr. Owens from Mjainsville, France, which had been used at the dedication of General Pershing's Stadium. At a late hour and amid much hilarity refreshments were served, after which the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Owens an unbroken wedded life of bliss.

On Thursday of last week Prof. Walter J. Huffington, State supervisor of colored schools and Prof. C. J. Holloway of Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, were here and accompanied by L. T. Cooper, member of County Board of Education made an inspection of the new school building being erected by Gravenor Brothers, contractors, for the colored people of the district. Prof. Holloway represents the extension department of the Rosenwald Fund to which the resident colored people made application for five hundred dollars to aid in the erection of their building. The building was approved and when completed will be the finest colored school building in the State outside of the cities.

Mrs. Ellen J. Waller is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Sindall, Baltimore.

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## Avoid Use Of Canning Powders.

In some communities there is a widespread use of canning powder. Both boric and salicylic acid are bought from druggists for this purpose. Large quantities of these acids are also sold at a high price under fanciful canning compound names. The United States Department of Agriculture warns against the use of any preserving powder or canning compound. Their use encourages careless and uncleanly work and their

excessive use may be attended with serious effects upon digestion and health. It is entirely practicable to "put up" fruits and vegetables so that they will keep indefinitely by processing the products with heat. There is no reason for risk by the use of canning powders.

## H. W. Perdue Sells Farm.

H. W. Perdue, one of Indiantown's progressive farmers, has sold his farm to Herman Givens of Salisbury.

Mr. Perdue reserved, however, that portion of his farm that he purchased from George Hayward, and also a portion of the woodland lying between his farm and the Diahroon land. The purchase price is said to be \$9,000. It is understood that Mr. Perdue will build on the cleared land reserved from the sale.

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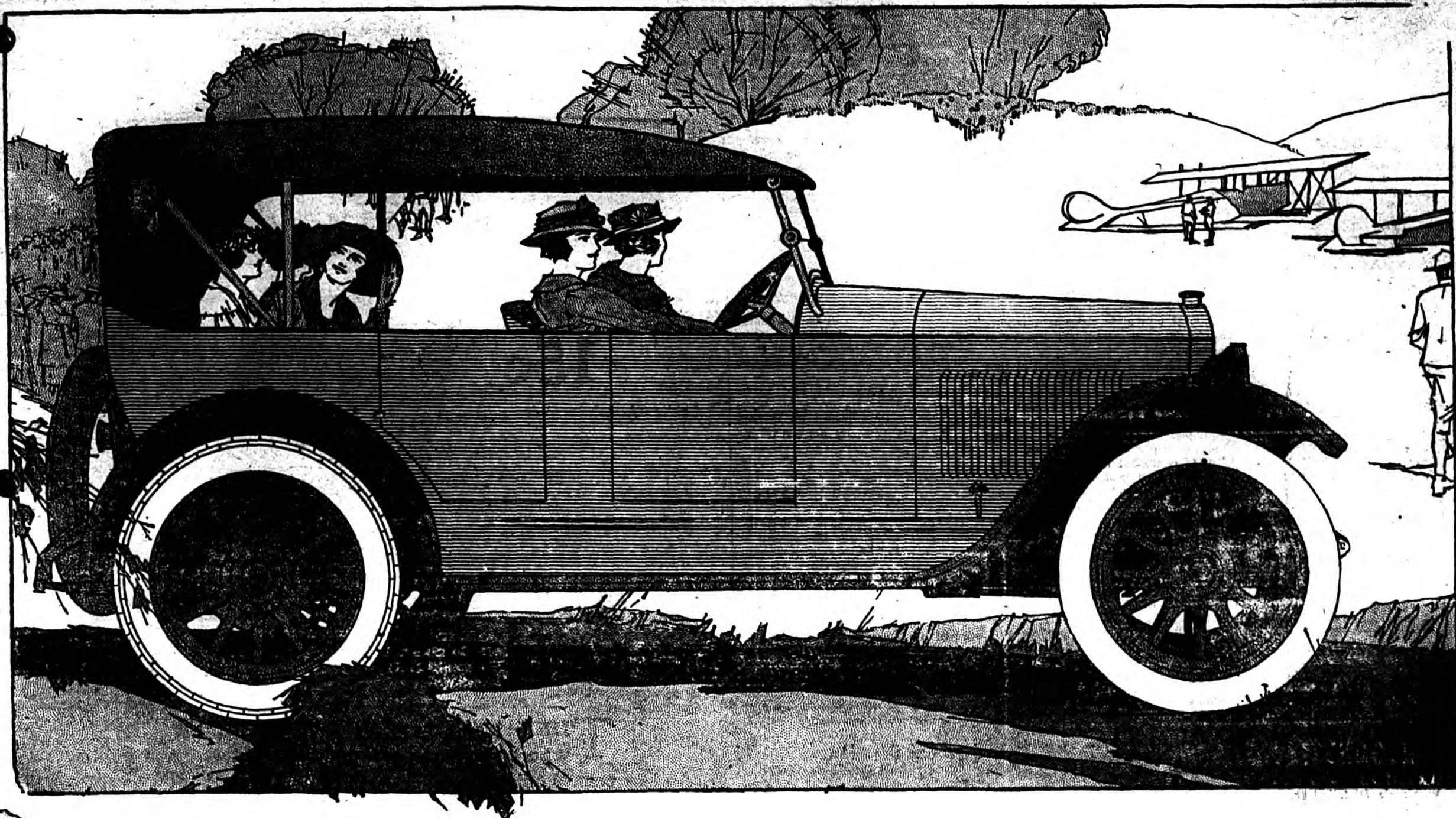
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## R. R. FIREMEN ASK WAGE RAISE

Roads Also Required by Demands to Provide New Locomotive Equipment.

**WOULD COST \$200,000,000.**

Overtime Rates Fixed by 300 Brotherhood Chairmen—Automatic Stokers and Coal Passers Included in Demands.

Cleveland—A 35 to 55 per cent. increase in wages is demanded for 117,000 firemen and hostlers on railroads in the United States and Canada in a wage scale adopted before adjournment by 300 general chairmen of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

Another demand to be presented to the director general of railroads is that all coal burning locomotives in road service weighing 200,000 pounds and more shall be equipped with mechanical stokers and that two firemen shall be employed on all such locomotives until they are so equipped.

About half of the 80,000 engines in the United States will come under this proposal, only about 5,000 of which are equipped with mechanical stokers at present.

In addition a demand is made that all coal burning locomotives of less than that weight shall be equipped with mechanical coal passers and that all coal burning locomotives shall be equipped with power grate shakers and automatic fire door openers.

It is estimated it would cost \$200,000,000 to equip locomotives in the United States with the devices demanded.

The more important sections of the report of the wage committee as adopted follow:

Rates of pay for firemen and helpers in passenger service, \$8.50 a day of 100 miles or less, except when Mallet engines are used, when \$7.20 shall be paid.

Overtime in passenger service will be computed on the present basis at a speed of 20 miles an hour.

Firemen in freight service on engines weighing less than 200,000 pounds, \$8.51 a day; on engines weighing over 200,000 pounds, \$6.80 a day of 100 miles or less; overtime to be computed on basis of speed of twelve and a half miles an hour.

Firemen and helpers employed in local or way freight service, mixed trains, mine runs and other service, minimum pay of 50 cents for each 100 miles or less, in addition to the through freight rates.

Firemen employed on helper, pusher, transfer work, wreck, construction, snow plow, circus, milk and all other trains in unclassified service to be paid through freight rates, according to class of engine used.

Firemen employed on Mallet engines in all service, except yard service, \$7.20 a day for 100 miles or less.

Firemen and helpers employed in yard service, \$6.50 a day of eight hours or less, except when Mallet engines are used, when rate of \$8.80 shall be paid.

Time and one-half for overtime in all classes of service, which will apply when men are used on Sundays or holidays.

Inside hostlers, \$6.80 a day; outside hostlers, \$7.20 a day, and hostlers' helpers, \$6.50 a day, eight hours or less to constitute a day's work. Time and one-half for all time work in excess of eight hours.

Another working condition demanded is that on railroads where firemen are required to clean locomotives they shall be relieved of such work and that firemen shall be relieved of removing tools or supplies, loading coal, filling lubricators, etc.

"The firemen on locomotives handling the preponderance of traffic will receive under our proposition a wage increase of about 50 per cent.," said Timothy Shea, acting president of the brotherhood.

"If our full demands are granted it will hardly restore pre-war conditions, considering the present purchasing power of the dollar. Since 1913 the wages of firemen have been increased approximately 50 per cent., and it is a matter of record that the cost of living during that time has increased 100 per cent. The wage increases to firemen since 1913 have been entirely wiped out by the increased cost of living."

Washington.—Demands of American railroad firemen and hostlers for increased wages and changed working conditions, as outlined in a wage scale adopted at Cleveland by the general chairmen of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, probably will be considered along with the demands of other railroad workers, railroad administration officials said.

### CROPS GOOD IN EUROPE.

Austria, Soviet Russia, Ukraine, Report Banner Yield.

London.—Jugo-Slavia, the Ukraine, Austria, Bohemia and Soviet Russia are reported to have banner crops. Much grain is rotting in Austria because of scarcity of coal for harvesting work.

It is reported that the non-Bolshevik Ukrainians have invited the Poles to help them capture Kiev, promising to pay them with crops the Bolsheviks might get otherwise.

## RAIDS YIELD VAST HOARDS OF FOOD

Federal Agents Take Enormous Contraband Stocks in Cleveland, Detroit and St. Louis.

**AUTHORITY OF ATTY GENERAL**

Meat, Butter, Sugar and Eggs Included in Provisions Seized—10,460,000 Eggs and 300,000 Pounds of Butter Labeled in Detroit.

St. Louis.—Deputy United States marshals seized the following foodstuffs in storage at the Booth Cold Storage Company's warehouse:

419,917 pounds creamery butter.  
21,209 pounds stock butter.  
11,887 pounds limburger cheese.  
23,046 pounds other cheese.  
2,096 cases eggs, 80 dozen to the case.  
32,207 pounds frozen eggs.  
1,478,124 pounds frozen poultry.  
2,968,161 pounds beef.  
5,068,345 pounds frozen pork.  
11,933 pounds lamb.  
24,757 pounds mutton.  
987,746 pounds dried salt pork.  
1,251,352 pounds pickled pork.  
855,595 pounds lard.

The seizure was made on the charge that the owners had kept the foodstuffs in storage for more than three months for the purpose of increasing the price.

Eighteen million eggs said to be in 4 in cold storage in a St. Louis warehouse will be seized by District Attorney Hensley, he announced today.

**10,000,000 EGGS ARE SEIZED IN DETROIT**

Detroit.—A libel was filed here under the Lever act for the seizure of over ten million eggs held in storage by the Rock Island Butter Company, of Toledo, and A. F. Thibodeau & Company, of Detroit, United States District Attorney Kinnane announced. Michigan has no statute limiting storage of foodstuffs, but Mr. Kinnane declared an investigation will be made looking to proceedings against the owners under the state's anti-trust laws. Permission will be sought of the department of justice to place the eggs on the market immediately.

**BIG STOCK OF SUGAR SEIZED IN CANTON.**

Cleveland.—J. C. Breitenstein, assistant United States district attorney for northern Ohio, announced that a libel had been filed for seizure and condemnation of 200,000 pounds of sugar belonging to the C. D. Kenay Company, of Baltimore, and held in storage by the Canton Storage and Transfer Company at Canton, Ohio.

Deputy Sheriff T. E. Walsh, of Cleveland, seized the sugar. E. E. Wertz, United States district attorney, will ask Judge Westenhaver in federal court here to adjudge the sugar hoarded and order it condemned. If such order is made the sugar will be sold by the government and the proceeds, less the cost of seizure, turned over to the owners.

**MILLION EGGS TAKEN IN NASHVILLE RAID.**

Nashville.—Nearly a million eggs were seized by the federal authorities here at the cold storage plant of Noel & Company. The eggs, which were the property of Alloway Brothers, local produce dealers, were declared by the district attorney to constitute a supply largely in excess of the reasonable requirements of business.

**STOP RETAIL BUYING. ADVICE TO PUBLIC.**

New York.—"Restrict your corner store purchases to bare necessities; give the dealer who has been extorting big profits a vacation."

Such in effect is the advice given to all housewives in the city by the fair price committee, named by the federal food administration when it was organized in the chamber of commerce.

**U. S. SENATE APPROVES PALMER.**

Investigators Dismiss Charges of Unfairness Against Attorney General.

Washington.—By unanimous vote the Senate Judiciary Committee reported favorably the nomination of A. Mitchell Palmer to be attorney general. Mr. Palmer is holding the office under a recess appointment.

Opposition to Palmer came about through charges that he had been unfair in his conduct of the office of the alien custodian. A subcommittee was appointed to investigate.

### DUTCH ARM AGAINST REDS.

Burgher Guards Composed of Citizens Ready to Act.

Sgravenhage, Holland.—In order to be prepared against revolutionary undertakings 1,600 towns and villages in Holland have formed burgher guards consisting of citizens who are armed and trained with the object of defending public buildings and private property.

Many of these burgher guards are subsidized by municipalities, although they pay their own expenses.

A well-known resident of Vienna, a frequent visitor to Salisbury, remarked to a News reporter last Thursday that he had never seen farm lands around Vienna sell higher than at the present time. He referred especially to the sale of the Wm. J. Layton farm of 252 acres which sold for \$24,500. He further remarked: "New high records are also being set for Dorchester bank stock. Ten shares of the capital stock of the Eastern Shore Trust Company were purchased by Mr. Gay L. Webster for \$236 per share. Only recently five shares of the capital stock of the National Bank of Cambridge sold for \$225 per share. The last previous sale of the stock was at \$200, the sales yesterday being a marked increase."

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## UNCLE SAM BACK ON THE WARPATH



After finishing his job across the water Uncle Sam is now after the profiteers and others who are responsible for the high cost of living. His sword is keen and he is shielded with a strong device.

## WORKING AND SAVING WILL REDUCE PRICES

Governor of Federal Reserve Board  
Tells How Living Expenses May Be  
Cut Down.—Why Everything Went  
Up.

What is the best way to reduce the high cost of living?

"Work and save" is the answer given by the Federal Reserve Board in a letter written by its governor, W. P. 3. Harding, to the Banking Committee of the United States senate. The committee had under consideration the proposal to reduce the volume of money in circulation. Governor Harding opposes this plan, holding that it will not afford the relief expected.

"The Federal Reserve Board believes," says Governor Harding in his letter, "that any currency legislation at this time is unnecessary and undesirable, and would suggest that whether viewed from an economic or financial standpoint, the remedy for the present situation is the same, namely, to work and to save; to work regularly and efficiently in order to produce and distribute the largest possible volume of commodities, and to exercise reasonable economies in order that money, goods and services may be devoted primarily to the liquidation of debt and to the satisfaction to the demand for necessities, rather than to indulgence in extravagances or the gratification of the desire for luxuries."

During the last two years there has undoubtedly taken place a certain amount of credit expansion, Governor Harding shows, and this in the circumstances connected with the financing of the war was inevitable. But it will be corrected as the securities issued by the government for war purposes are gradually absorbed by investors. This expansion of credit is equal to the difference, Governor Harding says, between the total war expenditures of the government and the total amounts raised by the government through the medium of taxation and from the sale of its bonds and other obligations so far as they were paid for out of the savings of the people. He does not believe that any reliable estimate of this difference can be made, but he is positive that, whatever it is, it will be gradually absorbed through future savings for the reason that banks are lending and may always be expected to lend freely on the government bonds deposited as collateral.

The principal cause of price advances just before and during the period of the war was the need of the governments of the allied nations for all kinds of commodities and for immediate delivery in large volume, and the "competition of this buying by governments with purchases by private individuals who failed to contract their expenditures at a rate commensurate with the growing expenditures of these governments."

One of the features of the post-war period, through which the nation is now passing and which has been marked by rising prices, is the general relaxation of war-time practice of personal economy. This has resulted in an increased demand for food and clothing and other commodities by many persons who during the war practiced a more or less rigid economy in their personal purchases. Also, it must be borne in mind that they are not only buying at market prices but are buying in competition with the export demand. In addition, largely increased wages and incomes during the last five years have developed a demand for many commodities which are not of real necessity. This naturally has diverted labor and raw and manufactured materials from essentials to non-essentials, contributing no small part to the trend of increasing costs.

## TELLS HOW OTHER PEOPLE GET AHEAD

Pamphlet Issued by U. S. Treasury  
Answers Question "How Can I  
Save Money."

As an answer to the question, "How Can I Save Money?" the Savings Division of the Treasury Department has compiled an interesting and helpful pamphlet entitled "How Other People Get Ahead."

For individuals and families whose incomes are less than \$5,000 a year this pamphlet offers a number of enlightening suggestions as to the disbursement of incomes of various amounts from \$15 a week upward. Not only does the material furnish a ready answer to the problem of expenses, but it affords an authentic source of information as to living costs. The figures were compiled from records of official government investigations into the several subjects and may be regarded as up to date and accurate.

This material makes possible a new attack in the movement to make thrift a national characteristic and to foster the habit of "Save First—Spend Afterward." It will interest people in saving more money by showing them how much other people find it possible to save and also by showing them how they can cut down the cost of living comparing their costs with average costs at the same income.

The Savings Division suggests that an excellent way to drive home the truths of the budget system is to have the schedules discussed at school and taken home by the children for consideration by the families. Another method is to organize a house-to-house canvass through committees of women who will bring the budgets to the attention of families and secure their agreement to study their own situation.

Saving and spending budgets have been prepared to meet local conditions at a number of points, and much interest in the application of the budgets to the campaign is being manifested in sections of the country where the National Thrift Campaign is being carried out successfully.

## LEPERS SET SPLENDID EXAMPLE IN SAVINGS

Colony of Unfortunates in Faraway  
Hawaii Buys War Savings Stamps  
At \$62 Per Capita.

Recent reports from Honolulu contain an interesting and unusual lesson in thrift which may be considered a record for the states to attempt. Sales of War Savings and Thrift Stamps among the inmates of the Ponikese Island Leper Colony during July amounted to \$62 per capita. Altogether 32 purchasers of these securities took a total of \$1,984 of stamps.

When it is considered that this amount is far more than the per capita quota for the United States it is apparent that the optimism of these lepers, despite their station in life, is little less than remarkable.

Up to date the total sales of War Savings and Thrift Stamps in Hawaii is more than \$2,000,000, or more than "\$20,000 in excess of its quota."

The faith that moves mountains is the faith that gets a steam shovel instead of an old hoe. Labor saving is what you want. It means money saving, too, for War Savings Stamps.

Spend a little less than you earn—it's a sure road to success. Put your savings in War Savings Stamps.

Thrift helped to win the war. It will enable us to enjoy the fruits of victory also.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT.**—I am a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the decision of the voters of the Democratic party of Wicomico County at the primary election, September 8th, 1919. If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to give the taxpayers and citizens of this County full information regarding the receipts and expenditures of the Treasurer's office by quarterly or oftener published statements.

DAVID J. WARD.

#### TO THE DEMOCRATS OF WICOMICO COUNTY:

At the solicitation of many friends in Tynah and Nantuxco districts, I have decided to present my name to the Democratic voters of Wicomico County as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner subject to the Democratic primaries. If I am so fortunate as to be nominated and elected by the people of this county, I pledge myself to give my best thought and action to the important office and endeavor to serve the whole people irrespective of location or section. I believe I have had sufficient business experience to be of service to the people in this capacity.

ADOLPHUS J. WHITE,

July 30, 1919.

Tynah District.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**—To the Democratic Voters of Wicomico County: I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff, subject to the Democratic Primary. If successful I promise to give the office my best personal attention.

GEORGE E. SULLIVAN,

July 24-25.

Salisbury, Md.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT OF CANDIDACY.

Having a desire to be elected County Commissioner of Wicomico County I submit my name as a candidate for the same, subject to approval by the Democrats of the county. I am fully aware of the great responsibility of the position, but in view of the ever increasing tax rate the Commissioners should be pledged to a policy of economy, to which I heartily subscribe myself and upon which I pledge I ask all Democrats to support me.

Faithfully yours,

THEODORE S. HEARN.

#### TO THE DEMOCRATS OF WICOMICO COUNTY:

I take this method of announcing to the Democrats of Wicomico County that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff subject to the Democratic primaries, and I ask all my friends in the county to give me their support for this office. I have had sufficient experience to handle the work of the office in a way which I believe will be satisfactory to the people of the whole county and I will appreciate any help which the people of the districts can give me, and promise to pay strict attention to the duties of the place in case I am elected.

Aug. 7-21.

Salisbury District.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT OF CANDIDACY.

After mature consideration of the urgency of my friends and many unsolicited offers of support from those citizens of Wicomico County with whom I am less well acquainted, I have decided to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner at the coming primaries. If nominated and elected I pledge myself to work untiringly for the best interests of our County and to do everything compatible with the public welfare to reduce the high tax rate which exists at this time. In my judgment our County is not always getting value received for the money it collects from the taxpayers. Such a deplorable condition can be checked and changed if the Board will practice reasonable economy and insist upon the efficiency demanded in private enterprise. Upon that platform I submit my candidacy to the Democratic voters of our County.

WEBSTER L. ENGLISH,

Riverton, Md.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

Being a candidate for the office of County Treasurer I take this means of notifying the Democrats of Wicomico and asking them for their support. If elected I will assure you that the office will be conducted on a business basis. The books as well as anything else in said office will be open to the public for inspection at all times, and a statement will be published every three months, so that every man who pays taxes will see just where his money goes.

Thanking you for your support, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

HARRY DENNIS.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having been importuned by many friends on the Western side of the county to allow the use of my name for County Commissioner in the Democratic Primary, I have consented to run, and I ask the support of Democrats in all sections of the county. I promise, if elected, to give my best attention to this very important office. In an effort to lower the tax rate and to administer the affairs of the county in an economical manner.

GEO. W. F. INSLEY,

Nantuxco District.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Commissioner, Wicomico County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries. Policies:—Strict economy, a close oversight of expenditures and a rigid return to lower taxes along conservative lines. If nominated and elected, I shall devote my best attention to these matters.

H. LEE POWELL,

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Salisbury, Md.

## On The Job

When you want to think hard and straight, the familiar feel of your favorite pipe and haze of good tobacco smoke seem to cut you off from the rest of the world and let your mind work the way it should. The pipe that never interrupts, nor takes your mind off your work is the

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Let's look a minute at this man Bradford—this great scholar—and man of the world—and see what he has done. After spending eighteen years as a University student and University Chancellor, he decided to enter the University of the Universe and attempt to translate Life instead of Latin. He says that he would rather know men than trees, and while it is a great thing to associate twenty-five adjectives with the noun in Greek, and twenty-five adverbs with the verb in Hebrew, it is a better thing to associate fifty men in the task of making the community better.

Winter before last he lectured in twenty-four states of the Union and last winter he spent in Australia. This summer he comes to your Chautauqua platform with a new message, entitled "Suncrowned Manhood." This lecture affords him ample scope for his big ideas and far reaching purposes. He presents his dynamic philosophy of life in a striking way.

He resembles William Jennings Bryan not only in appearance but also in eloquence. Hear him the first night of your Chautauqua.

#### AT CHAUTAUQUA



RAEHEL GARWOOD WHITE  
"Polly" in "Polly of the Circus."

#### AT CHAUTAUQUA



ROSS CRANE

Ross Crane will give this year at Chautauqua his new community-building lecture, "Dollars and Sense For Your Town." Mr. Crane is known to all Chautauquans. He will please more than ever before in this new type of lecture. His illustrated program points out the possibilities of artistic town development in a way which enlists the support of all. Hear him on the second evening at Chautauqua.

#### INTERESTING CHAUTAUQUA FIGURES

- 1 PURPOSE—The best interests of all the people, all the time.
- 2 CONTINENTS have Chautauquas,—Australia and North America.
- 4 COUNTRIES have Chautauquas,—Alaska, Australia, Canada and the United States.
- 48 STATES in the Union have Chautauquas—every State.
- 20,000 TOWNS have Chautauquas and Lyceum courses.
- 500,000 GUARANTORS underwrite Chautauquas and Lyceum courses.
- 8,500,000 PEOPLE are season ticket holders.
- 20,000,000 PEOPLE attend Chautauquas and Lyceum courses every year.

#### INTERESTING FIGURES ABOUT THE CHAUTAUQUA ASSOCIATION OF PENNSYLVANIA

- In 1912 we had 41 Chautauqua towns in 4 States.  
In 1913 we had 103 Chautauqua towns in 7 States.  
In 1914 we had 218 Chautauqua towns in 13 States.  
In 1915 we had 250 Chautauqua towns in 13 States.  
In 1916 we had 280 Chautauqua towns in 13 States.  
In 1917 we had 387 Chautauqua towns in 13 States.  
In 1918 we had 420 Chautauqua towns in 14 States and Canada.

#### UNTHRIFT OF SICKNESS.

A group of clubwomen laughed recently when told by Miss Helen Grimes, president of the Congress of Women's Clubs of Western Pennsylvania, that it was wicked to be sick. Miss Grimes was talking on thrift, and said that sickness was a most unthrifty habit, which could generally be avoided by an intelligent observance of the simple laws of health, including proper rest, and that most of our sickness comes from overeating, overfatigue or some other indiscretion which we could have avoided. The idea is not a new one. Goethe declared it a crime to be sick.

#### STRETCHING IT.

"What kind of a big fish was it Wombat caught?"

"Must have been an accordion fish."

"Huh?"

"Anyhow, he gets his hands further apart every time he shows how long it was."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

#### TRUE.

"I see a New Yorker says he will move to Europe if the United States goes dry."

"That kind of a fellow is the kind which made prohibition necessary."

#### READY TO TREAT.

Government Inspector—Any alcohol on your premises?

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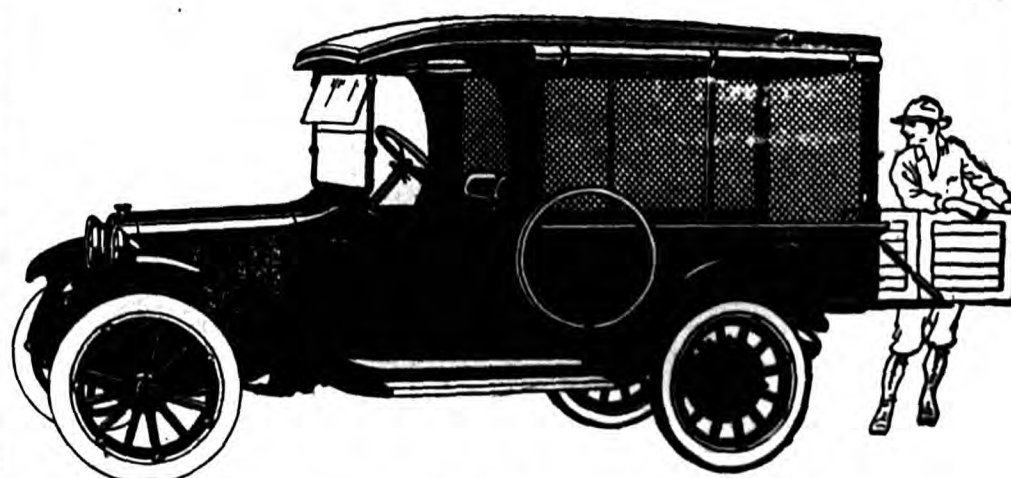
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## Mortgagee's Sale

### VALUABLE FARM

IN PARSONS DISTRICT.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Linus Edward Gordy to M. Estelle Powell, dated July 15th, 1918, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County, in Liber J. C. K. No. 106, Folio 290, default having been made in said mortgage, I will offer for sale at Public Auction in front of the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, on

**Saturday, September 6, 1919**

at 2 o'clock P. M., all that farm, tract and parcel of land situated in Parsons District, Wicomico County, Maryland, on the County road leading from Delmar by way of old Union Church to Williams' Mill, commonly known as the "Gordy Road," being a portion of the home farm of the late B. B. Gordy, containing

### Thirty-Seven Acres of Land

more or less, being a portion of same property conveyed to Gordy by Clayton G. Parker, executor, of B. B. Gordy, where the said L. E. Gordy now resides, more fully described in said mortgage. This property is improved by a

### Large Two-Story Dwelling

barns and other buildings. The land is in good state of cultivation and well located. There is also considerable timber on said tract. Also a lot or parcel of land situated in said District, County and State, which was conveyed to the said L. E. Gordy by Elmore Gordy, containing one and one-fourth acre, adjoining the first above described property, and more fully described in said deed from Elmore Gordy, and which is improved by a good two-story dwelling and situated on a private road leading from said County Road northward to a County Road known as the "Line Road."

Terms of sale cash on day of sale. Title papers at the expense of the purchaser.

JAY WILLIAMS,

Attorney named in said mortgage.

## Valuable Farm

—AND—

### TIMBER FOR SALE

The undersigned offers for sale the "Bennett Farm," located on the State Road between Salisbury and Mardela, only 1 1/2 miles from the town of Hebron, with 1,000 inhabitants, on the B. & A. Railroad. State Road runs by farm into Hebron. This farm contains

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Has a mill on tract. The farm is improved by a good 7-room Dwelling, with a new medium size Barn.

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ORDER NISI.

Majorie R. Gullett, et al. vs. Mary E. Kratz, et al.

No. 2823 Chancery, in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland.

Ordered that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and made and reported by Frederick W. C. Webb, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twenty-second day of September, next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper printed in said Wicomico County, once in each of three successive weeks before the fifteenth day of September, next. The report states the amount of sale to be three hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00).

J. CLAYTON KELLY, Clerk.

True Copy, Test: J. Clayton Kelly, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

SALLIE B. FRENEY,

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

15th day of February, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 12th day of August, 1919.

JOSUUA L. FRENEY,

Administrator.

Test: J. W. Dashiell, Register of Wills.

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

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

15th day of February, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 12th day of August, 1919.

C. EDGAR LAWS,

Executor.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

CARR HANDY,

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

15th day of February, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of August, 1919.

CHAS. HANDY,

Administrator, c. t. c.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

DEWITT J. PRYOR,

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

15th day of February, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 13th day of August, 1919.

JOSEPHINE PRYOR,

Executrix.

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I offer for sale my house and lot and vacant lot adjoining located on William Street in Salisbury. The residence is a large six-room building and bath, with ample porches and good size lawn. Dwelling has all modern improvements and is located on one of the most elevated sections of the city. The vacant lot will make a most desirable site for a residence. For terms apply to

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Aug. 14-St.

## TAFT OUTLINES LEAGUE PLAN

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MANY ARE CONFUSED BY PRESENT DEBATE

Danger That People Will Lose Sight of Basic Principles During Discussion of Complicated Details and Technicalities.

(By ex-President William H. Taft.)

The plan for a League of Nations is based on a few simple principles, which are not hard to understand when lifted out of the morass of technical discussion and freed from legal and diplomatic language. As the one authority best able to present these points without partisan bias, ex-President Taft has been asked to put the league idea into a few plain words for the benefit of millions of Americans who desire a better understanding of the plan but find themselves confused by the debate in the United States Senate. In response to this request he has written the following article.

### Purpose of the League.

The chief purpose of the League of Nations is to keep the world in a state of peace. Another way of expressing it is to say that the league is designed to prevent wars.

We have just finished the greatest, which is to say the most horrible, of all conflicts between nations. We have won a glorious victory. But that victory will be wasted unless this war has made the nations ready to put aside their differences and co-operate to end war forever.

It is not enough, however, to provide for the prevention of wars and the settlement of disputes after they have arisen. We must foresee causes of trouble and remove them before they have reached an acute stage. Hence there must be provision for frequent consultations of members of the league for exchange of information for agreement on common policies and for the gradual formation of rules of international law which at present are uncertain and incomplete.

The representatives of the great free nations which won the war have met at Paris and, after long consultation, have drawn an agreement which they believe will accomplish these ends. At the very least it will set in motion great changes which will result in universal benefit to all mankind. This agreement is called the Covenant of the League of Nations and it is a part of the peace treaty.

There will be no league worth talking about, however, unless the United States is a member. The decision as to whether the United States shall join rests with our Senate. The Senators, chosen by the people, will in the end vote as the people desire. For this reason the people themselves will decide whether or not the United States will join the league. In this question every citizen should have a voice. He or she can express opinion either by writing direct to Senators by letters to the newspapers, by speeches in his lodge or local union or in conversation with friends.

### Methods of Maintaining Peace.

Since the prime object of the League of Nations is to preserve peace—and to reap the benefits of peace—let us see how the league will operate to accomplish that purpose.

In the first place it will seek to remove the main causes of war. By the formation of an international court it will create a means for the peaceful settlement of disputes between nations. Then it will seek to compel the nations to make use of this court. This is nothing more nor less than an application of the rules and customs governing private individuals in civil and communities to the relations between nations.

Secondly, the League will seek to remove a great temptation to war by the general agreement to reduce the size of armies and navies. This will halt the race for military and naval supremacy which was largely responsible for the war just ended. The amount of armament any nation may maintain will be strictly defined. Thus it will be impossible for one country to overwhelm its neighbor by unexpected attack, in the way that Germany crushed Belgium and would have crushed France had not the other democratic nations gone to her aid. The idea is that each country may keep an army and navy large enough to enable it to fulfill its responsibilities as a member of the League, but no larger. The United States, for example, probably would be expected to keep a check on Mexico and the state of constant turmoil in that country would be taken into consideration in deciding how large an army we should need.

The third important safeguard which the League will set up is a system of penalties. This will make an outlaw of any nation or group of nations which goes to war in violation of the rules of the League. The out-

lawed nation will be boycotted by all the other members of the League and will find itself cut off from both business and social communication with the rest of the world.

How It Will Prevent Wars. It is not claimed that the League of Nations will do away with war altogether. Every possible provision that human intelligence can devise will be made to settle international disputes peacefully. But should all these measures fail and two nations go to war, this is what will happen:

If both parties to the dispute have observed the rules of the League, the other nations will stand back and let them fight it out. War under such circumstances is difficult to imagine, however, because before the angry nations will be allowed to fight in accordance with the rules of the League, so much time must elapse that in all probability their anger will cool and they will reach an amicable understanding.

What we have to fear is that some nation will go to war in defiance of the League, and every precaution has been taken to suppress such a nation by the immediate use of the united power of the other nations. If international boycott failed to bring her to terms she would have to face a combined international army and navy. The founders of the League believe that the mere possibility of such a situation will prevent any nation from violating its agreement. Does anyone think that Germany would have begun war five years ago if she had known that nearly all the other great powers would combine against her?

Doing the World's Work. In addition to settling international disputes peacefully the League of Nations will provide means for doing much of the world's work more systematically and effectively than can be done now when each nation is working only for itself. The people you know best and like best are those who work with you on the same job. It will be the same way with the nations of the future. The more they work together, the sooner they will come to understand and like each other.

For example, the League will establish an international organization for the bettering of labor conditions in different countries, for the protection of women and children and the native inhabitants of civilized and semi-civilized countries. One of Germany's greatest crimes has been her barbarous treatment of the helpless people in some of her colonies. One of the chief tasks of the League will be to look after peoples that are not strong enough to protect themselves.

The League will appoint commissions to take charge of various international undertakings so that they may be carried on, not for the benefit of any one nation, but for the benefit of the whole world. Provision will be made for promotion of fair and equal trade conditions.

These are only a few of the benefits the world will derive from the League. As time goes on we shall find more and more tasks at which the nations can work in common and a greater number of opportunities to remove causes which stir up jealousies and animosities between races and peoples.

Objections Answered. Of course we cannot hope to make the great changes such as the League of Nations will bring about without opposition. Fortunately the war has taught us the great advantages of international co-operation. It was only by good team work that the free liberty loving nations were able to win Germany.

The treaty which the United States Senate is debating obligates the members of the proposed League to protect one another against attack from enemies outside their own boundaries bent upon conquest. Although this agreement (Article X of the Covenant) is vital to any arrangement which seeks to prevent war, it has been attacked on the ground that it would draw the United States into wars in various parts of the world and force us to send our boys to fight in quarrels which did not concern us.

We should remember, however, that the main purpose of Article X is to frighten nations tempted to wars of conquest from yielding to the temptation, by the certainty that they will be crushed if they begin such a war by a universal boycott and a union of forces of the world against them. If a big war breaks out again, the United States will be forced to take part in it whether we have a League of Nations or not. We tried hard enough to keep out of the war with Germany but found we couldn't.

A little war contrary to the League rules could be handled by the powers close at hand. Certainly it would not be necessary to send American troops to suppress an uprising in the Balkans when prompt action by the armies of Italy or some other nearby powerful nation could suppress the fracas before American troops could even get started.

Great Gain for Small Loss. We had to make many sacrifices to win the last war and we made them willingly because we knew they were worth while. It will be the same in a smaller degree with a League of Nations. When men form a business partnership each one has to make concessions to the views and opinions of the other members of the firm. When we enter the League of Nations we may have to give up certain privileges, but the losses will be small compared with the profits. The United States will not have to sacrifice her independence or right to make her own decisions.

The council, the chief governing body of the League, cannot take action without unanimous decision of its members and since the United States will have a representative in the Council our interest will be protected there. We hear it said that the League is formed for the benefit of Great Britain or Japan or some other nation. This is not true. All the nations will gain by it, not only the great nations such as the United States, Great Britain, France, Japan and Italy, but the little nations which in the past have been oppressed by their big neighbors. The international court will give an opportunity for the settlement of old grievances which have long troubled the peoples of the world.

It has been said that the League will interfere with the Monroe Doctrine, but the League Covenant expressly protects this Doctrine. In fact, through the Covenant the Monroe Doctrine receives recognition throughout the world and its principles become forever established.

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Sept. 4-St.

## NOTICE OF Primary Election

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Wicomico County belonging to or voting with either the Democratic or Republican Party that a Primary Election will be held in the various Election Districts of said County on

**Monday, September 8th, 1919**

For the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: Governor, Comptroller, Attorney-General, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, State Senator, three members of the Legislature, State's Attorney, County Treasurer, three County Delegates, one Judge of the Orphans' Court, Sheriff, one member of the State Central Committee, four Delegates to the State Convention. The Polls Open at 8 A. M. and close at 6 P. M.

Except in Districts Numbers Four, Pittsburg; Five, Parsons; and Eleven, Delmar, in each of which the polls will be open from 4 A. M. to 6 P. M.)

THE VOTING PLACES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

No. 1. BARREN CREEK DISTRICT—At the election house in the town of Mardela Springs.  
No. 2. QUANTICO DISTRICT—At the store house of J. M. Jones in the town of Quantico.  
No. 3. TYASKIN DISTRICT—At the School House at Deep Branch.  
No. 4. PITTSBURG DISTRICT—At the office of E. T. Shockey in the town of Pittsburg.  
No. 5. PARSONS DISTRICT—At the election house on Water Street, Salisbury.  
No. 6. DENNIS DISTRICT—At the store of H. P. Morris in the town of Fowellsville.  
No. 7. THRAPPE DISTRICT—At the election house on Walnut Street, in Thrappe.  
No. 8. NUTTERS DISTRICT—At the election house in Nutters District.  
No. 9. SALISBURY DISTRICT—At the new election house on Chapel Ave., Salisbury.  
No. 10. SHARPSTOWN DISTRICT—At the new election house in Sharpstown.  
No. 11. DELMAR DISTRICT—At the new election house in the town of Delmar.  
No. 12. NANTICOKE DISTRICT—At the Knights of Pythias Hall in the town of Nanticoke.  
No. 13. CAMDEN DISTRICT—At the new election house on Upton Street, Salisbury.  
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tion at 6 p. m., bringing M. E. Sir Lee  
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from many sections of the United  
States.

Division No. 1, Knights Templar of  
Pennsylvania, will escort the Grand  
Master and Staff to their headquar-  
ters at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.  
8 p. m. First display of the perma-  
nent flood lighting of Independence  
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Conclave including the flood lighting  
of the Parkway and south Broad  
street, begins at the same hour.

All visiting Grand and subordinate  
Commanderies to be met at the sev-  
eral railway stations during the day  
and escorted to their headquarters.  
9 p. m. Informal reception by the  
Grand Master at the Bellevue-Strat-  
ford.

**Sunday, September 7th.**  
11 a. m. Divine services at Arch St.  
M. E. Church, Broad and Arch streets  
to be attended by the Grand Master,  
his Staff and members of the Grand  
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Morning and afternoon. All Phila-  
delphia and many visiting Grand and  
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ing Commanderies and escort them to  
their headquarters. Informal  
sight-seeing tours for all visitors dur-  
ing the day.

**Monday, September 8th.**  
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ing Commanderies and escort them to  
their headquarters.

Morning. For the visitors already  
in the city, sight-seeing tours to all  
points of historical, commercial and  
industrial interest in and about the  
city.

3 p. m. Independence Square, ad-  
joining historic Independence Hall,  
official opening of Triennial Conclave  
entertainment and World's Peace Ju-  
bilee by M. E. Sir Lee Stewart Smith,  
Grand Master. It is expected that the  
President of the United States will  
be present and make the principal ad-  
dress. The Knights of Division No.  
1, with visiting Knights Templar, will  
report at Masonic Temple at 1:30  
o'clock sharp in full Templar uniform,  
to escort the Grand Master and  
guests to Independence Hall. Among  
the other speakers will be the Gov-  
ernor of Pennsylvania, Honorable  
William C. Sproul; Major-General  
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Twenty-eighth Division of the army  
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9th. Open house every day and  
evening during the week.

St. Alban Commandery, No. 47, re-  
ception at the Hotel Walton. Open  
house during the entire week at  
their headquarters in the  
Grand Fraternity Building, 1628  
Arch street.

Corinthian "Chasseur" Command-  
ery, No. 52, reception at City  
Club, 313 S. Broad street. Open  
house at City Club during the  
balance of the week.

Kensington Commandery, No. 54,  
reception, Hotel Walton.

Chester Commandery, No. 66, re-  
ception and dancing, Hotel Wal-  
ton.

Pennsylvania Commandery, No. 76,  
reception, Hotel Walton.

Germantown Commandery, No. 82,  
reception at The Roosevelt, 2027  
Chestnut street. Reception and  
dancing Wednesday afternoon  
and evening at Masonic Temple,  
5427 Germantown avenue.

8:15 p. m. Concert on City Hall  
Plaza by Sileam Band of 100 pieces,  
all members of Sileam Commandery,  
No. 54, of Oak Park, Ill. This band  
is famous all over the United States,  
having played at many Triennial Con-  
claves, and includes in its membership  
many of the best-known and wealth-  
iest men in Northern Illinois.

**Tuesday, September 9th.**  
Grand Parade and Review of the  
Knights Templar of the United States  
in honor of the nearly 4,000,000  
Americans called to the Colors during  
the war. Formation of the parade  
will be at Broad street and Columbia  
avenue. Right of column will move  
promptly at 10 o'clock over the fol-  
lowing route:—

Broad street, to Spring Garden  
street to the Parkway, to Arch street,  
to Broad street, to Pine street and  
dismiss.

The Review will be by the Grand  
Master of the Grand Encampment  
from Grandstand No. 6 on the Park-  
way, and by the Grand Marshal, Gen-  
eral Clement, at Twentieth street and  
the Parkway.

Open session of the Grand Encamp-  
ment will be held in Corinthian Hall,  
Masonic Temple, immediately follow-  
ing the parade.

Address of welcome on behalf of  
the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-  
vania by the Hon. William C.  
Sproul, Governor of Pennsylvania.

Address of welcome on behalf of  
the city of Philadelphia by the  
Hon. Thomas B. Smith, Mayor of  
Philadelphia.

Address of welcome on behalf of  
the Masonic Fraternity by Right  
Honorable Brother and E. Sir  
James B. Krause, Grand Master  
of the Grand Lodge of Pennsyl-  
vania.

Address of welcome on behalf of  
the Grand Commandery, Knights  
Templar of Pennsylvania, by R.  
E. Sir Frederic B. Black, Grand  
Commander.

6 p. m. Banquet to the Grand Mas-  
ter, members of the Grand Encamp-  
ment, their ladies and invited guests.  
Ball Room, Bellevue-Stratford.

8 p. m. Grand Tournoi and ball at  
the Commercial Museum, Thirty-  
fourth and Spruce streets.

8 to 9 o'clock. Concert by the  
Knights Templar Band of Bald-  
win II Commandery, No. 22, of  
Williamsport, Pa.

Grand march at 9:30. Dancing un-  
til 1 o'clock.

8 to 10 p. m. Concert on City Hall  
Plaza by Detroit Commandery Band  
of sixty pieces. This band has played  
at every Triennial Conclave during  
the past thirty years.

8 to 12 p. m. Reception and ball at  
Mercantile Hall by Kadosh Comman-  
dery, No. 29, of Philadelphia. Music  
for reception by Kadosh Commandery  
Knights Templar Band.

8:30 to 11 p. m. Reception, Grand  
Commandery of New York, Junior  
Room, Bellevue-Stratford.

9 to 11 p. m. Reception, Grand  
Commandery of Missouri, Green  
Room, Bellevue-Stratford.

**Wednesday, September 10th.**  
9 a. m. Session of Grand Encamp-  
ment in Corinthian Hall, Masonic  
Temple.

9 a. m. Competitive drills by fa-  
mous Knights Templar Drill Corps  
from various parts of the country for  
costly prizes, on Parkway, west of  
Twenty-second street.

12:30 p. m. Naval inspection at the  
Philadelphia Navy Yard, League Is-  
land. This is the second time that the  
Navy Yard has been opened to inspec-  
tion since the United States entered  
the Great War. Admission will be  
by ticket only. Visitors may secure  
tickets at the Knights Templar Regis-  
tration Booth. Nearly 150 ships of  
war, showing every type of vessel in  
the navy, including a large number  
which saw foreign service during the  
war, will be at the Navy Yard on this  
day.

2 to 5 p. m. Reception and dance  
by Kadosh Commandery, No. 29,  
Grand Fraternity Building, 1628 Arch  
street.

3 p. m. Special exhibition drill by  
Detroit Commandery, No. 1, of De-  
troit, Mich., on the Parkway near  
Twenty-second street. This Com-  
mandery will parade in the drill 12  
full platoons and will be accompanied  
by its famous Knights Templar Band  
of 60 pieces. This Commandery has  
given exhibition drills at every Tri-  
ennial Conclave during the past 30  
years.

6:30 p. m. Dinner to the Mutuals  
at the City Club.

8 to 10:30 p. m. The Grand Com-  
mandery of Pennsylvania will give a  
reception to M. E. Sir Lee Stewart  
Smith, Grand Master, officers and  
members of the Grand Encampment  
of the United States and distinguished  
guests from foreign jurisdictions,  
Ball Room, Bellevue-Stratford.

8:30 p. m. Reception,  
Grand Commandery of Ohio, Clover  
Room, Bellevue-Stratford.

9 p. m. The largest pyrotechnic  
display ever witnessed in Philadel-  
phia. Girard avenue bridge in Fair-  
mount Park. The program will con-  
sist of seventy numbers, including  
many set pieces, the largest repro-  
duction of Niagara Falls ever attempt-  
ed in America, and introducing for  
the first time in Philadelphia of dis-  
plays of rockets, flares, star shells,  
barrage smoke screens and other  
forms of fireworks used during the  
Great War. Among the novelties  
which will be shown will be a com-  
plete illumination of the Schuylkill  
River by means of floating fireworks.  
Another variety will be the illumina-  
tion of every tree on both sides of  
the river south of Girard Avenue  
Bridge by means of liquid fire. One  
of the most unique novelties will be  
the display of the Star Spangled Ban-  
ner 300 feet in length by 150 feet in  
width at a height of one mile. For  
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**The Day in Germantown.**  
For visitors who desire to see his-  
toric points of interest in Germantown,  
Germantown Commandery, No.  
82, has arranged a special program.

9 a. m. Parade of Germantown  
Commandery and visiting Knights;  
several companies of returned sold-  
iers from over seas; Emergency Aid  
and other patriotic organizations of  
Germantown together with a number  
of historical floats.

Afternoon and evening. Entertain-  
ment at Vernon Park. Band concert  
by visiting bands of Knights Tem-  
plar. Exhibition drills, moving pic-  
tures, etc. For those who desire to  
inspect the great industries in this  
section of the city, and places of his-

torical interest connected with the  
days of the Revolution, special sight-  
seeing parties will be organized dur-  
ing the day.

3 to 4 p. m. Automobile ride up  
the Wissahickon Creek to Chestnut  
Hill. This will be the first time that  
motor driven vehicles have ever been  
permitted to use this famous drive.

12 to 6 p. m. Open house at Ger-  
mantown Commandery headquarters,  
Masonic Temple, 5427 Germantown  
avenue.

8 to 12 p. m. Reception and danc-  
ing at Masonic Temple, 5427 Germa-  
ntown avenue.

**Thursday, September 11th.**  
11 a. m. Review of all the Drill  
Corps on the Parkway, near Twenty-  
second street, followed by distribu-  
tion of prizes and awards.

Morning and afternoon. Conclud-  
ing sessions of the Grand Encamp-  
ment, followed by the election of of-  
ficers to serve during the ensuing  
three years.

12 m. Industrial parade, showing  
what the industries of Philadelphia  
and vicinity made for the Government  
during the period of the war, and al-  
so what Philadelphia makes for the  
entire world. More than 150 floats  
will be in the column, including a  
number of historical displays, such as  
Penn making his treaty with the In-  
dians in 1682; Thomas Jefferson writ-  
ing the Declaration of Independence  
in 1776; Betsy Ross making the first  
American flag, etc.

7:30 to 10:30 p. m. Reception, Grand  
Commandery of Indiana, Red Room,  
Bellevue-Stratford.

8 to 11 p. m. Reception Grand  
Commandery of Alabama, Bellevue-  
Stratford.

8 to 11 p. m. Reception by the  
Commandery of Louisiana, Bellevue-  
Stratford.

8:30 to 11 p. m. Reception by the  
Grand Commandery of Georgia to  
the newly elected Grand Master of  
the Grand Encampment of the United  
States, R. E. Sir Joseph K. Orr, of  
Atlanta, at the Bellevue-Stratford.

**Friday, September 12th.**  
Atlantic City Day. For the visitors  
who will remain in Philadelphia special  
tours to all points of historical and  
industrial interest throughout the  
city.

8 p. m. Special fireworks display,  
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The "Overseas Quartette," composed of four young men from the A. H. F., will render a program at Chautauqua that will completely satisfy the longing of the home folks to hear at firsthand the songs of the boys in khaki.

These Yankee soldiers bring us the great world war in music. And the songs they will sing will show us that not all of the war was tragedy. Much of it was fun and good fellowship and so in their program these soldier lads will show us the combination of fun, thrills and tragedy which is modern war. They will portray in song and pantomime the many sides of the life that has made men out of weaklings and heroes out of cowards.

Besides the quartette numbers there are excellent solos and duets. Each member of the company is capable of sustaining his own part in solo work most creditably and these numbers will be one of the very enjoyable features of the program. Their songs cover a wide variety and besides the songs of trench and camp, their selections will also be on the eternally interesting themes of love and peace.

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As this is written Director Pearson is in Europe securing this speaker so that it is impossible to announce either his name or his subject at this time. This much may be said, however, that he will be a man of affairs who has had the experience in the trying problems of War and Reconstruction that will enable him to speak with authority on international affairs.

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### WORCESTER COUNTY'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Happenings Of Interest In The County East Of Va.

TEACHERS SLOW TO SIGN UP--  
MANY ARE RESIGNING.

Lieut. Hastings Is Home, Will Teach  
At Tome Institute--Two Held For  
Grand Jury For Chicken Stealing--  
H. S. Wants New Classification.

Howard Hall and Walter Tull, colored, were held last Monday by Magistrate McAllen on the charge of stealing chickens from Joshua Harmon, colored, of near Klej Grange. Hall and Tull were arrested by Deputy Sturgis last Saturday.

Elmer Tucker, who came to Snow Hill from Somerset County, about two years ago, eloped with an automobile belonging to Mr. William T. Hearne, the undertaker, on Thursday of last week, struck a fast gait for Georgetown, Del., and sold Mr. Hearne's automobile near there to two young men for \$250. He then skipped for parts unknown.

The State Department of Education will send a representative to Berlin during September to inspect the High School department, with a view to placing the school in the First Group. The main thing is enrollment, which must total at least 80 pupils. Those who are expecting to attend Buckingham High School are urged to make every effort to enroll the first day of school, September 1st, or at any rate some day during the first week.

Mr. James B. Lingo, aged 61 years, died at the home of his son, Dr. Marvel S. Lingo, in Newark, Tuesday morning about eleven o'clock. Mr. Lingo had been ill about two months. Although, during his illness but little hope was entertained of his recovery, yet the end came quite suddenly and unexpectedly. Mr. Lingo was born near Millboro, Del., but spent most of his life in Philadelphia. About seven years ago, he came to Newark to make his home with his son, Dr. Lingo, who had located here to practice medicine.

John J. Redden, one of Worcester's oldest citizens, died at his home near

Stockton Friday morning, August 15. His death was due to the infirmities of old age. He was born March 19, 1832, being 87 years, 4 months, and 26 days old. Besides his widow, who was formerly Miss Sally A. Tarr, to whom he was married October 12th, 1859, he is survived by the following children: Mrs. J. W. Holland, Mrs. T. J. Payne, John P., Martin D., and Charles F. Redden. Thirteen grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and a host of friends also survive him.

Lieut. Walter S. Hastings arrived home Saturday night, and is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hastings. Lieut. Hastings has been located at Berne, Switzerland, in the diplomatic corps for several months past, and expects to be discharged within a few days. He returned to America several days ago and had to go to Washington on official business before coming to Snow Hill. He will go to Tome Institute, one of the finest preparatory schools in the country, as head of the Romance language department, some time in September.

E. W. McMaster, superintendent of the County Schools, is having his troubles these days with the high cost of living as an indirect cause. The direct cause is the numerous resignations of Worcester County teachers to accept positions where more liberal salaries are paid, or to go into more lucrative forms of employment. A great many positions remain unfilled, and places that were to be filled by their former occupants are becoming vacant by resignations, and unless a turn in the tide comes soon it may be that there will not be enough teachers to go around on the opening day of school.

The State Roads Commission advertises for bids for the construction of a part of the Snow Hill-Stockton State road. The advertisement, calling for bids, defines the roads to be constructed as follows: "One section of State Highway from end of concrete road south of Snow Hill to Girdletree, for a distance of 1.90 miles." The bids will be opened September 2nd. Work on the road will begin as soon as practicable, and completed before the winter. When this important gap has been completed, the State Roads Commission will continue the road to Stockton, taking up the construction of the last few miles in the early spring.



An Interesting Production of a Wicomico Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Farlow and Their Seven Boys.

The above photograph is a very interesting group of the father, mother and seven children composing the family of Mr. Henry L. Farlow, a young farmer living on the outskirts of Salisbury. Mr. Farlow is 41 years old and his wife who was Miss Martha Holloway, is 31 years old. The husband and wife were married May 8, 1906, and their seven living children is a fair sample of what can be accomplished by thrift and energy, not only on the farm but in the family. Of all these children, not a single one is in any way afflicted or delicate, all being strong and sturdy lads who will be capable in the future to take their places in life and be of service to their community. Mr. Farlow is the son of the late John William Farlow, who for many years was one of the most prominent farmers and politicians of Parsons District.

Reading from left to right, the picture shows, top row: Mrs. Farlow, aged 31 years; John Henry, aged 12 years; Henry L. Farlow, 41 years; Second row, Joseph William, 11 years; Woodrow, 20 months; Walter, 4 years; Stansbury, 9 years; Third row, George Richard, 7 years; Morris Lee, 10 years.

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## SOME OBSERVATION OF THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

What the Boy Scout Movement Has Meant To The People Of U. S.

### THE FARMER BOY SHOULD BE A MEMBER OF THE SCOUTS.

He Could Learn Many Things Which Would Be Of Invaluable Service In Connection With Animal Life, Plant Life And Nature In General.

The Boy Scout movement in this country has probably done more to arouse interest in plant and tree life, as well as woodcraft and all out-door knowledge, than any other organization ever started in the United States. This is not only true, but the hundreds of thousands of Boy Scouts throughout the country have gotten a more intimate knowledge of bird life and all other animal existence and by this knowledge they have been able to offer protection in hundreds of thousands of cases to the thousands of young birds which are such friends to the farmers and to help exterminate pests in the form of bug life which do so much damage to crops.

As a matter of fact, one of the best educations which a farmer boy can get is to be a member of a good Scout patrol and study his Scout manual as well as make a companion of "Boys' Life," which is the publication of the National body of Boy Scouts. This magazine contains every month information of the most valuable character to youngsters, teaching them not only how to treat all kinds of bird and animal life but how to protect trees and plants which are valuable and to destroy those which are poisonous and invaluable to the land, and while the Boy Scout movement appeals especially to the youngsters of the towns and cities, its scope of work should be much enlarged and carried to the farm, where it would probably be more aid to the farmer boys than to the city chap.

The work accomplished by these youngsters during the great conflict which our country was engaged with Germany, will become a part of the great record when the history is fully written and will show that these lads of tender years did their part to probably a larger extent than many of the grown-ups in secret work and by aiding the Government in every possible manner to hunt out the crafty German in his attempt to spread propaganda throughout this land of ours and to do damage to our manufacturing establishments and public works, and many of these foreigners were apprehended purely through the splendid work done by the Boy Scouts and were locked up from doing more damage by information furnished by the boys.

In this connection it is interesting to note that hundreds of thousands of grown-ups go through life day by day not knowing the dangers to which they and their children were exposed in travelling through the country and making trips through the woods and out of the way places when a Boy Scout could easily point out to them all the danger of the plants and trees which they are so ignorant of. Here is a short reproduction of an article published in the Boy Scout magazine, "Boys' Life" which contains information which is valuable to thousands of readers who are probably unacquainted with the poison of many weeds and plants and which should be remembered for the future as a warning to look out for these dangers when walking through the country or visiting the country or visiting the woods, forest or streams.

"It is rather alarming to realize that a number of the wild flowers of which we are all so fond contain deadly poisons.

"The daffodil is an instance in point. Its long, narrow leaves contain a powerful irritant poison, and children should be warned most strongly against chewing them.

"The common foxglove contains a poison which has the most extraordinary effect upon the heart, whose action may be reduced to only 17 beats a minute. Of any one thus poisoned, the pupils of the eyes are widely dilated, and his only chance of life is to lie absolutely still until the doctor comes.

"Everyone knows the wild arum or cuckoo-plum, with its big heart-shaped, glossy leaves. A most dangerous plant it is, too. If you chew a leaf, your tongue swells enormously; so much so that you will be almost unable to swallow. Malted butter is the best remedy for poisoning by this plant.

"The most dangerous of all common hedgerow plants is the aconite or monk's hood, which has palm-shaped leaves. A very small dose causes a strange tingling all over the body, and partial blindness. A little more and death is certain.

"These are all plants which are

more or less attractive to the eye. There are others which seem to advertise themselves as dangerous. The hemlock, for instance. If you pinch a leaf it gives out a nasty, musky odor. One need hardly state that it is very poisonous, being a powerful narcotic. The sufferer sinks into a drowsy state, which, if remedies are not at hand, ends in death.

"All the nightshades have a sinister appearance and should be avoided altogether. There are also many common shrubs of which the leaves, if eaten produce unpleasant results. Among these are the common privet, the elder, holly and laburnum.

"Plane-tree leaves will cause in some people an illness resembling a bad attack of hay fever, and this not through chewing, but merely handling them. The eyes become red and swollen, while nose and throat are sore and inflamed.

"Quite a number of plants are possessed of short hairs on their stems or leaves, which will cause a rash to break out upon sensitive skins. One such is the Primula obconica, which is one of the commonest pot plants in greenhouse or on window sill.

"Bulbs of the Roman hyacinth are covered with a sort of light scale, which comes off on the hands and sets up an unpleasant irritation which sometimes spreads up the arms.

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Committee On Living Costs Appointed By Governor So Fixes Price.

The Committee on Living Costs, appointed by Governor Harrington, has been holding daily sessions for more than two weeks, in the rooms of the State Conservation Commission. It consists of Mr. W. H. Killian, Chairman; Judge Oscar Leser; D. George E. Barnett; Mr. Sylvan H. Lauchheimer; Mrs. W. R. C. Wood, and Mr. John H. Ferguson. Assisting the Committee is Miss K. E. Braithwaite, a Specialist from the Maryland Agricultural College. The Commission has also the co-operation of the Women's Civic League, who are especially valuable in gathering information on retail prices in the City, and the members of the Federated Women's Clubs for the counties, who are doing the same work for the State. Also aid is being received from the State Board of Health, and other agencies of the City and State.

The list of retail prices in the markets and stores, furnished daily to the newspapers, is familiar to the public, but the Committee is pursuing a much broader and deeper inquiry. Its policy is to gather the fundamental facts so that its statements may be absolutely fair. The statements giving these facts will be issued as developed, and the Committee will reserve its conclusions until it has all the evidence in hand. One leading commodity will be covered at a time, until the list is completed. The first commodity definitely reported is sugar, which is important just at this time because of the coming movement of the Cuban crop, and because of the fact that many have claimed that they have been charged excessive prices. The Committee advises that eleven cents a pound is a maximum fair charge for sugar.

### Big Christian Endeavor Convention.

One of the largest conventions ever assembled in our city will be that of The Maryland Christian Endeavor Society which will convene here October 14th, 15th, and 16th. The State President and Secretary Messrs. Carroll Wright and Spencer E. Sisco of Baltimore were here a short time ago and outlined the program of the convention before representatives of the Presbyterian and Methodist Protestant Churches. Some of the most prominent platform speakers in the country have been booked. A choir of 150 voices will soon begin to rehearse under the direction of Dr. Gardiner Spring and Mr. F. P. Adkins. The Armory has been engaged for all the sessions of the convention.

Many of our people will recall the convention held by this organization in our city in 1906, and we remember it was a most enjoyable affair to the hosts as well as to our visitors.

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## CURRENT NEWS CAUGHT ON THE FLY-BY OUR REPORTERS

Some Interesting Items Being Talked About By Our Citizens.

SHAD SOON TO BE A THING OF THE PAST—TO DIVIDE UP TRUCKS AMONG THE DIFFERENT STATES—IS THE CELLULOID COLLAR COMING BACK?—POST OFFICE RECEIPTS HAVE DOUBLED HERE SINCE WAR—THIS IS THE MONTH TO CUT THE WEEDS AND CLEAN THE PREMISES.

The United States Fishery experts tell us that the luscious shad, which for so many generations has been the favored food fish of the people of the Eastern Shore, will soon be a thing of the past. They show by statistics that the shad has been gradually decreasing in quantity for the past 20 years until now the fish is getting really to be a luxury instead of being in such abundant supply as in former years. Capt. Thos. W. H. White while in the General Assembly told the people of Maryland that unless something was done to kill off the eels the shad would soon disappear from our waters and he laid all the troubles of the shad to the wiggling enemy which he said lived mostly on the eggs of the shad. At that time, Capt. White was ridiculed much by many people throughout the State, but after all, the sage old salt might have been perfectly right in his conclusions. Whether, because of eels or because of some other enemy, the shad seems to be disappearing as a food in this country, much to the regret not only of the inhabitants of this State and other Southern States but also throughout the country, as the luscious shad in the spring of the year is probably the most delectable of all food fishes and is eagerly sought for by the providers of all families. The writer can remember when shad were so plentiful here you could buy a pair of seven pound roe shad for thirty cents, but now, the fish costs from thirty to forty cents per pound and the supply is limited even at these high prices in the spring and summer. The Government experts give some hope that we can lengthen out the number of years of the life of this fish if proper regulations regarding the catching of shad were put in force for say five years, and none be allowed to be taken from the water for that length of time. If the conclusions are correct, then certainly there should be a national law passed to protect these fish from extermination.

To Divide Up Trucks Among The Different States.

An interesting bit of news comes from Washington that a bill has been offered and is passing through Congress which has for its aim the distribution among the various States of the Union the hundreds of thousands of army trucks left over after the war and for which the United States Government seems to have no real use. It is estimated that if these trucks were distributed on a pro rata basis between the various States each State would receive enough trucks to insure the up-keep of the roads in first-class condition and the only expense the State would be put to would be to keep the trucks in repair and it would save the State hundreds of thousands of dollars per year in road construction and other uses to which the trucks can be put. The number of trucks on hand not being used by the Government is said to be somewhere in the neighborhood of a few hundred thousand and just why all this machinery should be allowed to remain idle is beyond comprehension. The Bill is a good one and should receive the support of every Senator and Congressman and it is to be hoped that the six Congressmen and two Senators from Maryland will work for its passage as quickly as possible so that every State will get its quota of trucks in time to aid in the road work the coming fall and winter, and it is certainly very encouraging to see that the Government has at last awakened to the fact that all this machinery of war now made useless should be utilized by turning it over to the various municipalities who can make good use of same.

Is The Celluloid Collar Coming Back?

Standing in one of the fashionable haberdashery shops of this city the other day the writer was surprised to hear a customer ask for a celluloid collar. It had been years since we had seen a celluloid collar in use but our mind drifted back to the time when they were quite popular among certain classes of people because they could be laundered in the wash basin and saved the expense and trouble of ironing and a fellow could have a clean collar at any time he could get anywhere near a pump or well, with comparative ease. When told that celluloid collars were a thing of the past, the customer said that he felt sure that they would come back be-

cause people were not going to pay 30 cents a piece for collars to wear and then have to pay three cents a piece every time they wanted them laundered, when a celluloid collar could be so much easier dealt with. The customer even hazarded a guess that unless there was some change in the price of linen collars that people might go back to the old days of the paper collar, but the merchant told him that paper collars would probably today cost more than linen so he went away very much discouraged murmuring to himself that at least he could go without a collar until the weather became very much colder. The merchant remarked that collars at 30 cents each had reached a limit about as high as they should ever go. It's a short call back to the time when hundreds of men could be seen on the streets without collars of any kind, but in these days of plenty a man without a collar on the street is almost a curiosity.

This Is The Month To Cut The Weeds And Clean The Premises.

September is the month when the weeds on the vacant lots should be cut and burned or hauled off to the dump heap, and when the outbuildings should all be thoroughly cleaned and raked and lime plentifully scattered over the premises. This is especially desirable this year because many of our leading physicians are of the opinion that we may have a return of influenza in this country the coming fall and winter and every precaution should be taken to get all premises in a most sanitary condition before the fall months come on. Everybody should be interested in doing their bit to see that we keep off a return of that dreadful disease which swept this community last year to such an alarming extent, as many of us will never forget the awful conditions through which we lived from October until after January. Those who are in a position to know say that one way to avert a return of this dreadful calamity is for everybody to get busy the first of September to cut all the weeds and growth off their premises and see that it is properly burned and then use lime in all the dark places and corners, and especially around the sinks and low places in the yard and gardens. It will cost each resident but little to take these precautions at the present time, but it may save much from doctor's bills and funeral expenses later on. The Mayor and Council may issue a call to our people warning them of the danger of not attending to these minor things but the News feels sure that our people were so impressed with the terrible months through which we passed last year as to take cognizance of the warning issued by the physicians and health specialists along these lines.

Post Office Receipts Have Doubled Here Since War.

While the Post Office authorities in this city are not allowed to give out to newspaper a summary of the amount of business done, (that is the report we get from the postoffice, just why it should be kept a secret from the public we have not been enlightened) it is almost certain that the receipts of the Salisbury Postoffice have doubled within the past three years. Previous to the war the salary of the Postmaster was fixed according to the business done through his office, but during the war, postmasters were allowed no increases in their salaries, and for this reason the statistics of the office have not been available. From what can be gathered from the carriers and clerks it seems certain that the number of the parcel post packages going through this office would amount to probably as much again as the office handled four years ago and the increase in the money order business and regular postal business is on the upgrade almost every month. Part of this is due from the fact that so many routes come in and go out of this office thus making Salisbury practically the headquarters for the postal service of this county. Besides all the business transacted through the post office, in the regular postal service, there are many other items like thrift stamps, savings stamps, postal savings accounts and many other special duties now assigned to post offices which were heretofore unknown to the service.

With the rapidly by which Salisbury is increasing in population and extending her borders it will be but a short time before the Government will be forced to add on several more carriers and clerks in this office, and as a matter of fact, more carriers should now be on the routes to give the service which the people are entitled to.

## WOMEN DEMAND WHATS SHALL END

Peace League Means More to Them Than It Can Mean to Men.

CR. SHAW'S STIRRING PLEA.

(By the Late Dr. Anna Howard Shaw.)

Seven million one hundred thousand men who had laid down their lives in the great war. Think of it! Seven million, one hundred thousand young men had died on the field of battle! What does that mean to the women of the world? It means that seven million one hundred thousand women walked day by day with their faces toward an open grave that they might give life to a son. It means that seven million one hundred thousand little children lay in the arms of a mother whose love had made them face even the terrors of death that they might become the mothers of men.

It means that year after year these women had put up their lives into the lives of their sons until they had reared them to be men. For what? In the hope that these sons of theirs could give to the world the things for which women hope and pray and long. These were the things that the women had in their hearts when they gave birth to their sons.

But who can estimate the value of seven million one hundred thousand dead sons of the women of the world? Who can estimate the price which the women have paid for this war; what it has cost them, not only in the death of their sons, because that is a phase of our war to which we look.

The Courage of Women.

We hear our orators tell us of the courage of our men. How they went across the sea. Very few of them remember to tell us of the courage of our women, who also went across the sea; of the women who died nursing the sick and wounded; the women who died in the hospitals, where the terrible bombs came and drove them almost to madness. They tell us nothing of the forty thousand English women who went to work back of the trenches in France.

They tell us nothing of the thousands upon thousands upon thousands of women who not only toiled and worked and slaved in order that the war might be successful, but we do not hear of the thousands of women, not alone in Armenia, not alone in Montenegro, not alone in Serbia, but in Flanders, in Belgium, in Rumania, in Russia—the thousands of women who lie in graves today, murdered, so horribly murdered that men dare not speak of it.

And yet we women are asked what we know about the League of Nations; asked what we can understand about a League of Nations. Oh men! the horrible deaths; the horrible lives of thousands upon thousands of women today in all these nations, who must live, and who must look in the faces of children unwelcomed, undesired—of little children—and know that these are the result of war.

And then ask women why they should be interested in a league of peace?

Women Suffer Most From War.

If there is any body of citizens in the world who ought to be interested in a league to ultimately bring to the world peace it is the mothers of men, and the women who suffered as only women can suffer in the war and in devastated countries.

And we call upon them, we women of the world call upon the men who have been fighting all these battles of the years, the men who have led armies, and led armies close to their deaths.

We are now calling upon the men of the world to in some way or another find a passage out of the sea of death. We are asking them to form a league which will bring hope to the women of the future. If women are to bear sons only that they may die, if women may not have hope and aspirations for their children, if women may not dream the dreams that have in them the hope of the highest civilizations, the highest moral and spiritual life of the people—if women may not have these in their hearts as the mothers of men, then women will cease to desire to be the mothers of men. And why should they not? Why should they not?

Two Well-Known Citizens Dead.

Dorchester county lost two of her well-known office-holders and citizens last week—County Treasurer Thomas E. Kerr and County Commissioner W. Alvin Linthicum. Mr. Kerr was 61 years of age and was elected Treasurer in 1917. Mr. Linthicum was 48 years old.

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## DISHARON NOMINATED FOR SENATOR; DENNIS GETS NOMINATION FOR TREASURER

Former Sheriff W. W. Larmore Wins Contest For Sheriff  
Over George E. Sullivan.

MR. DISHARON CARRIES ALL DISTRICTS IN COUNTY EXCEPT TWO AND MR. DENNIS AND MR. WARD SPLIT ABOUT EVEN ON THE VOTE, DENNIS BEING 22 AHEAD IN A VOTE OF 2,142—MR. ALPHONSO WOOTTEN, REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR TREASURER DEFEATS PETER BOUNDS.

The Primary contest held in Wicomico County on Monday was one of the most hotly contested affairs seen in this county since the memorable fight of 1915 between Blair Lee and Governor Harrington. The two contests which caused the most excitement was the one between Hon. Charles R. Disharoon and Mr. Elmer C. Williams for the Senatorial nomination and between Mr. David J. Ward and Harry Dennis for the Treasury of Wicomico County. True, there were other contests for County Commissioners and Sheriff but these fights were nothing like as strong as was made for the two leading offices.

For the past three weeks, the newspapers have been full of political advertisements from both sides, calling attention to their respective claims and Mr. Williams distributed thousands of copies of his platform and other propaganda throughout the county, every voter receiving a large package through the mail of his campaign material. Mr. Disharoon also issued personal letters and political answers to Mr. Williams' attacks until every district in the county was thoroughly worked up and the voters were importuned in an almost house to house campaign to come out and support their favorites. In some of the districts, the vote was exceedingly large for a primary election, while in some others, only an average vote was cast, the farmers being extremely busy and many of them refusing to leave their work to attend the primaries last Monday.

The day passed off without any serious trouble at the polls and most of the voters seemed to be in a good humor but fought vigorously for their respective favorites. The Republican Party had only one contest in their primaries, that for the position of County Treasurer between Mr. Alphonso Wootten and Peter Bounds and considering the fact that this was the only contest, the number of Republican votes cast was considered rather unusual. The bulk of the Republican ticket will be selected by a Convention to be held in this city within the next few days. The result of the primaries of Monday is shown by the table printed below in which every candidate's vote is given in full by district.

The result of the primaries last Monday shows the popularity of Hon. Charles R. Disharoon as the party candidate for the Democrats. He received the total vote in the county of 1,477 against a vote cast for Mr. Williams of 755. Mr. Disharoon carried thirteen of the fifteen districts in the county by fair pluralities over his opponent. Camden district which was the home district of Mr. Williams was lost by him to Mr. Disharoon and the two districts carried by Mr. Williams were Willard and Delmar, the latter being his old home district where the Williams family have lived for many years.

The vote for County Treasurer was exceedingly close between Mr. David J. Ward and Mr. Harry Dennis. Mr. Dennis carried seven of the fifteen districts as follows: Tysackin, Pittsburg, Dennis, Nutters, Sharptown, Delmar, and Willards. Mr. Ward being successful in the other eight districts of the county. The contest between Mr. Dennis and Mr. Ward was carried on in the most amicable manner, the best feeling prevailing throughout the contest.

There were some surprises on the outcome of the primaries and it is generally believed that position on the ballot had something to do with the nomination of two or three men who came in first in the groups and received many votes by the rank and file who do not discriminate in the voting booths. The ticket from a political standpoint is considered an exceptionally good one and will no doubt get the full support of the Democratic voters this fall.

Mr. Alphonso Wootten, the candidate on the Republican ticket for County Treasurer against Peter Bounds carried 12 of the 15 districts in the county Mr. Bounds only carrying three: Trappe, Delmar and Hebron, and these by very small pluralities. One of the amusing incidents of the day was the refusal of the Election Supervisors in Parsons District to allow Mr. Wootten to vote in the primaries because he is registered on the book of the Fifth District as an Independent and not affiliated with either Party, so therefore, under the Election laws, he was not permitted to cast his ballot in the primaries. In his petition, filing his candidacy, Mr. Wootten announced himself as a Republican, but his affiliation on the registration books did not so declare him. There is some talk that Mr. Bounds might contest Mr. Wootten's nomination on the grounds that he is not a Republican but in a recent decision in Western Maryland on this identical proposition, the Judge decided that it was not necessary for a candidate to be affiliated with any particular party but that his certificate of candidacy was sufficient evidence of his party affiliation.

There are many Democrats in Wicomico County who are thoroughly disgusted with the direct system in primaries for choosing candidates and the result of the bitter fight in the primaries resulting from this system clearly shows that if the State managers do not make a change that the Party will finally be beaten to death by its own members. In the first place, the people get disgusted with having two elections each year and many voters are importuned by the candidates both in the primaries and in the general election to such an extent that hundreds of voters simply do not go to the polls at all to vote for anyone and it is the rank and file of the Party who seem to be more thoroughly disgusted with the present primary system than are the managers. The whole thing is troublesome and very expensive and it is most likely that the next Legislature will take up the question of doing something to do away with so much politics each year, and to lessen the cost of elections which have become a burden to the taxpayers in every county.

## Returns From Primary Election, Monday, September 8th.

CANDIDATES.	Barren Creek	Quantico	Tysackin	Pittsburg	Parsons	Dennis	Trappe	Nutters	Salisbury	Sharptown	Delmar	Nantuxet	Camden	Willard	Hebron	Total.
CHARLES R. DISHARON	107	88	90	80	82	66	72	45	150	46	47	68	170	44	84	1,477
ELMER C. WILLIAMS	55	18	25	31	136	16	43	22	51	29	84	33	128	69	17	755
HARRY DENNIS	68	32	55	91	184	52	53	40	84	43	93	41	132	74	45	1,067
DAVID J. WARD	84	69	49	38	250	26	61	30	113	21	32	60	129	22	61	1,065
WEBSTER L. ENGLISH	102	79	78	59	113	40	43	4	74	63	96	91	64	18	49	921
THEODORE S. HEARN	56	42	71	55	250	40	77	47	113	18	23	35	138	49	46	1,053
GEORGE W. F. INSLY	95	90	98	35	162	13	57	18	129	47	51	101	130	28	68	1,128
MANLEY K. MORRIS	16	12	19	92	164	68	28	47	46	3	56	18	68	51	9	697
EUGENE M. OLIPHANT	15	15	17	35	283	13	44	19	89	4	43	30	130	14	40	783
WILLIAM SCOTT PARKER	39	46	17	38	144	11	35	30	61	23	117	42	74	39	46	738
H. LEE POWELL	10	2	4	30	6	6	6	25	3	8	8	8	20	8	12	197
WILLIAM W. LARMORE	115	86	70	61	238	23	73	50	125	45	82	53	134	14	67	1,248
GEORGE E. SULLIVAN	25	8	27	50	165	28	28	7	51	4	22	44	147	65	25	735

## Returns From Republican Primary Election.

PETER BOUNDS	4	18	20	2	10	69	0	20	18	10	0	0	1	17	230	
ALPHONSO WOOTTEN	67	20	114	20	93	97	18	7	50	30	7	64	60	13	54	692

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Other Charitable Bequests For Churches, And Many Relatives Remembered By The Provisions Of The Will Probated In Philadelphia.

By the will of the late John B. Parsons probated in Philadelphia last week, an estate of approximately \$2,000,000 was disposed of. Under the provisions of this will, the Salisbury Home for the Aged gets an annual income of \$5,000 and one half of the estate is set aside in trust for the purpose of erecting a new Home for the Aged in this city. When the dividends from one-half the estate reaches \$70,000, one wing of the new building to be constructed at Lemon Hill is to be erected and the trust continued, and when another \$70,000 is accumulated, the second wing of the building is to be erected and then the annual income from the trust is to go towards the support of the 70 inmates of the Home. Under the will, Mr. Parsons' widow gets one-half the big estate and the old Line Methodist Church at Whitesville, Del. is left \$5,000. His sister gets an annual income of \$4,000 and his first cousins, many of whom live in Wicomico County get bequests of \$1,000 each. His nephews and nieces all get annual incomes of \$2,000 for the rest of their lives.

The will provides that the trustees of the Salisbury Home for the Aged shall be paid over the above sums for the construction and maintenance of the new home which is to be erected at Lemon Hill which was purchased by Mr. Parsons several years ago as the site for the Home for the Aged. After the buildings are constructed at Lemon Hill the present Home for the Aged located on East Church Street will probably be disposed of. The annual income of \$5,000 left to the institution by Mr. Parsons until the new Home is completed is supplemented by an income which is derived from gifts made by Mr. Parsons to the trustees during the past two or three years amounting to around \$75,000, which has been invested for the benefit of the Home and the Trustees feel assured that the institution will be provided for in a way by which the wishes of the donor will be carried out. At the present time, there are about 26 inmates of the Home on East Church Street and it will probably be two years before the first wing of the new buildings at Lemon Hill will be started but in the meantime, the Home is amply provided for and the Board of Trustees will see to it that all the provisions of the will of Mr. Parsons are executed according to his personal wishes which are known to several members of the Board.

## SALISBURY MAN HIGHLY COMMENDED FOR SERVICE

Major Austin Writes Of Splendid Week Done By Mr. A. W. Mattox.

One of Salisbury's former business men, Mr. A. W. Mattox, has made a splendid record in the Army. Y. M. C. A. work. He has been in the service now more than a year, and was recently specially commended by Major Austin, Commander of the Army Supply Base, Norfolk, Va. Major Austin writes of him, "Mr. Mattox was Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Morrison at the time I was in command, and I had opportunity to observe his work for over three months. I consider him, without exception, the best welfare worker I have ever met. He is full of initiative, absolutely dependable, and has the faculty of knowing just what work will accomplish the best results with men. He is an untiring worker and absolutely loyal. The first thing I did upon receiving orders to leave Camp Morrison and start work at the Army Base was to call Mr. Mattox and ask him to come with me and take charge of the Y. M. C. A. here."

Mr. Mattox was a very active worker in the Church while a resident of Salisbury, being the Superintendent of the Sunday School in the Division Street Baptist Church. All of his many friends are glad to learn of the splendid service he has been rendering our boys in Camp.

—Miss Martha E. Elliott is the guest of Miss Beulah Smith.

## SALISBURY TO GET MANY HOMES CONSTRUCTED DURING THIS YEAR

E. S. Adkins & Company Will Build Nine Nice Residences On The Lake Front At Once.

WILL CONTAIN ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS AND WILL BE LOCATED IN ONE OF THE FINEST SPOTS IN CITY OVERLOOKING THE LAKE—ANOTHER BIG HOME DEVELOPMENT IS SAID TO BE ALMOST CERTAIN IN CALIFORNIA.

The News is glad to be able to report that at last we have been able to interest a large business concern in this city in the building of some more homes for Salisbury. Ever since the signing of the armistice, the News has been pounding at our people who have the means and enterprise that something should be done to relieve the housing situation in this city and pointed out the fact that week after week some of the very best citizens living in other communities were coming here seeking home sites and had to leave because there were none. A few houses were offered for sale, but practically none for rent, and the situation is growing daily worse, and the town is simply sliding backwards, because of the lack of homes to house the new people who desire to come here and make this their future habitation.

We recently took this matter up with Messrs. E. S. Adkins & Co. and went over the situation as it exists and we are now able to announce that this firm has determined to construct a lot of houses in one of the very best locations in Salisbury, for rent or sale. Speaking of the proposition, Mr. F. P. Adkins said to the News reporter: "Our firm has finally decided to enter into the construction of a number of residences on the Lake front in this city. We selected this location because we believe it is one of the most healthful and desirable spots in Salisbury on which to erect comfortable homes for our people. We have nine beautifully located lots near the Lake and we propose to begin at once the erection of two or three houses to cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000 or \$5,000. These homes will have modern improvements, such as light, gas, water service, bath rooms, etc., and we will construct our sewerage to enter the big Division drainage system. These houses will be constructed on modern plans with a thorough study of economy of space and as perfect as possible from a hygienic standpoint."

"In selecting the Lake front as the location to start this construction, we did so because we believe it to be one of the most drained and high sections of the city with plenty of sunlight, air and a beautiful view looking over a splendid country in all directions. It is easily within 15 minutes walk of the post office and in close connection with Union Station, not being over 10 minutes to that point. It is our purpose to start the construction of these houses and our desire is to sell them as fast as we can build them, but of course, if they are not sold, we shall rent them. We will make the arrangement with anybody who so desires, to construct these houses for them on their own plans, or we will make changes in the plans to suit them before the construction begins. Our purpose is to build nine of these houses if we receive any encouragement from the people and after this task is completed, we have another plot of ground on which we can construct many more houses of like character if the public so desires. All these houses will be individual and separate, each containing a nice yard, front and back, and will be the most modern homes imaginable."

The News wishes to congratulate the firm of E. S. Adkins & Co. on their pluck and energy on the construction of these houses. As we said above, the location they have selected cannot be excelled and there should be no trouble in the firm getting contracts for these nine homes in the quickest possible time, as we feel sure they are willing to arrange the financial payments on these homes in a way to suit purchasers who can give the proper security for the investment. They are in a position to do the constructing in double quick time and if they receive the proper encouragement, we feel sure that before the year 1920, the Lake front will have one of the most beautiful homes in the city and the firm proposes to keep up this good work in Salisbury just as long as there is a demand for this class of homes.

In connection with this improvement to be started by the Adkins Company, if our friends of the Salisbury Realty Company would act with as much nerve and enterprise and construct on Circle Avenue adjoining the Armory a first-class apartment house, which is so badly needed in this city, Salisbury could be looking forward to an era of development which is so much needed here just at the present time.

We have understood that Mr. S. Franklyn Woodcock, who has been at work for some time in that section of Salisbury known as California pulling down two large hills and filling in a part of the holes is doing this work with a view to providing a site for the erection of several dozen homes for the people who will work for the American Cigar Stores in the big new factory they are now fixing up on Lake Street. While Mr. Woodcock will not give out any data on the proposition, it is understood that when he gets this land in proper shape, that the new Cigar Company proposes to construct 40 or 50 houses on the property to be occupied by their employees and that the work will be commenced just as soon as Mr. Woodcock can have the property properly filled and in shape for building. If these reports be true, it will add largely to the housing facilities of this city and will probably be an incentive for other real estate owners in Salisbury to get busy themselves and do something to develop their own property. It is a pressing shame that almost every week the most desirable citizens coming here from other points have been forced to abandon their intention of making Salisbury their headquarters because of lack of homes to live in, but now that the News has been able to get some thing started, we believe that we can with confidence hope for a full solution of this difficulty at a very early date.

## EMORY L. DISHARON PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY TUESDAY

Was Connected With The Lumber Firm Of C. R. Disharoon Co.

Mr. Emory L. Disharoon, a well-known resident of Salisbury, dropped dead about 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of Emory Holt, on Lake Street, where he had gone on a business errand. Mr. Disharoon had been a sufferer some time from heart disease, but was down town Tuesday morning and seemed in unusually good spirits.

Deceased was a brother of Hon. Charles R. Disharoon, who was on Monday nominated in the Democratic primary for State Senator.

Deceased was about 55 years of age and was connected with the C. R. Disharoon Co.; he was also a former County Commissioner of Wicomico.

He is survived by a widow (who was a Miss Shockley of Worcester county), and one son, Homer Disharoon. He was connected with the M. P. Church of this city.

## To Organize Post In Salisbury.

A preliminary meeting for the organization of a post of The American Legion in Salisbury was held last Monday evening. Plans were considered and steps taken to have the meeting for permanent organization on Saturday evening, 13th September, at 8:00 P. M., at 114 Main Street. The American Legion is a civilian organization to which every one who took any part in the great war may belong. The private has the same footing as the officer. The organization is non-political and aims solely at helping alive the heroes learned in the war and in fostering genuine Americanism. It is hoped that every man who was in the service will be present at the meeting next Saturday evening so that he may become a charter member.





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## Even the Germans Had Some Horse Sense

*Hanland, Preparing For War, Did Not Overlook  
Part To Be Played By Steeds*

At the risk of perpetrating a pun, it must be said that even the Germans, at the beginning of the war anyway, had horse sense, for they realized the great part played in war by the horse. O'Neill Sevier, the great authority on the history of the development of the horse, tells us:

"At the outbreak of the great war the German imperial studs of Greditz and Trakenen were the domiciles of the British derby winning stallions Galtee More and Ard Patrick, each of which had cost the German imperial treasurer \$110,000, also of Blinou, a French stallion and a Grand Prix du Conseil Municipal winner, which had cost another \$97,000. Austria-Hungary had in service a French stallion called Adam, which had seen stud service in this country and had been purchased at public auction at Paris for \$68,000; also Robert le Diable, which had been imported from Great Britain only a few years before at a cost of \$80,000, along with the American stallions Aymer, Blue Label, Fountainblau, King Hanover, etc.

"France had in service Hermin, a Brighton Cup and Suburban handicap winner on this side and upwards of 5,500 other stallions, one of which, Blarney, a son of our own Irish Lad, had been presented to the Government by the late Herman B. Duryea, of Brooklyn.

"Hermis had been obtained by gift from Edmond Blanc, the Monte Carlo croesus. Germany maintained thoroughbred stallions at 4,000 stallion stations in selected breeding districts. These stallions served the mares of neighborhood farmers free, the Government, however, reserving the privilege of buying all foals at 3 years old at previously fixed prices, provided they fulfilled exactly military standards.

"Austria-Hungary maintained as many more stallions, and the production of horses of suitable military type in dual monarchy territory so far exceeded military requirements the Government was permitting the sale of grades in Germany, in the neighboring Balkan States and in Italy.

"Great Britain, the cradle of the thoroughbred family and the great source of supply of basic thoroughbred stock for the entire world, had not nationalized the production of horses for military purposes. Private breeders had easily supplied the needs of her comparatively small standing army of less than 500,000 soldiers of all arms. But the difficulty she and her allies have experienced these three years in obtaining, even at a cost of another 300 or 350 million dollars in Canada, Australia, South Africa and the Argentine Republic, another million and a half horses to supplement the million and more bought in the United States, has convinced her statesmen of the necessity of making now and vast plans for horse production in the future.

"A year ago last spring Major J. Fitz Walker, one of Great Britain's most distinguished soldier-sportsmen, made a patriotic gift to his country, of his entire stud of thoroughbred stallions, broodmares and animals of racing age, the value of which was fixed at more than \$2,000,000. Parliament accepted this gift as a nucleus for an imperial breeding scheme and immediately appropriated another \$2,000,000 for the extension and development of the work. And, taking a leaf from militarily efficient Germany's book of experience, the British Government entered into an arrangement with Lord Londesdale to raise the produce of the new imperial stud on the tracks of Great Britain and Ireland for the purpose of elimination and classification. After the war this imperial breeding scheme, which is an imperial scheme now in name only, is to be made a real one by taking in the already flourishing bureau of Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

"There is a homely saying in the West and Southwest that when a man has the good fortune to get his head above the tall grass (the head) immediately becomes the target for rocks hurled by his less enterprising, or less fortunate, neighbors. The exigencies of the great war have thrust out of the tall grass our own national head. In three years the United States have been transformed from an insular power, albeit a great and self-sufficient one, into the world's leading power in finance, industry and commerce. National pride and national greed make imperative the maintenance of such permanent military preparedness as will be necessary for the defense of this leadership. And the history of the last three years in Europe has demonstrated to the satisfaction of all, save the most fatuous pacifists, that a nation with anything worth taking in these days of super-dreadnaughts that plow through the oceans at 30 knot speed and submarine monsters that carry six-inch deck guns and cruise from 5,000 to 5,000 miles, undefended by a mobile army, thoroughly equipped in every particular, that does not run into millions invites the fate of Northern France, of Belgium, of Rumania, of Russia, of Serbia.

"We are going to come out of this war with an army that will run into millions, an army that will be efficient in technical training and military spirit for another generation. Perhaps, too, before we are through with the Central Empires, or they with us, the stubborn national prejudice against universal military training and the obligation of universal military service will have disappeared and we will have adopted either the Swiss or the Australian defense system which will have assured us of sufficient, and immediately available, man power for all time. Already we have developed a proficiency, unexcelled anywhere else in the world, in the production of powder and ball, and of the complicated engineering of modern warfare; and our resources of fuels and minerals are inexhaustible.

"But we are now, and will be indefinitely defenseless unless something is done in a national way to stimulate production, woefully short in horse power."

### MANAGEMENT AND FEED OF MARES WHILE IN FOAL.

Mares in foal do not require a great deal of care, but there are points which cannot be neglected if the colt is to be a healthy, robust animal. One of the things to be observed is that the mare will be healthier and the foal stronger at birth if the dam is used at slow, light work nearly every day.

If it is not possible to work a mare, she should be turned out in an open pasture, where she can get exercise, fresh air and nutritious feed.

Her feed should supply the demand for the maintenance of her own body and also for the development of the fetus. The ration, therefore, should contain a little more protein and ash than that demanded by a working gelding. The proportions of these should be increased slightly toward the last of the pregnant period. If the mare is idle in winter most of the feed may be roughage, but a heavier ration must be fed when work is done. The quantity of feed is determined by the size and condition of the animal, whether thin or fat, sick or well, by the appetite, by the amount of work done by individuality, condition of the droppings, and whether the animal is easy or hard to keep.

Oats is the best grain for the horse; it is light, palatable, and balanced feed. Corn is a good grain, but is used to better advantage if it forms only from one-third to one-half of the grain ration of the brood mare. If wheat is fed, it must be given ground and in small quantities. Barley is a good horse feed; it is more bulky than wheat and nearer like oats than corn in composition. Barley is often cooked and fed once or twice a week in the evening for its medicinal qualities. Beans is an almost essential horse feed. It is a rough, preventive of constipation, would be a preventive of colic and is

and cowpeas are relished by horses, and when accessible will serve as a careful addition to the grain feed for mares in foal. They are relatively rich in protein, and consequently combine well with corn.

#### Roughage.

Timothy hay is a popular roughage for horses. Brome grass makes good hay which is equal to timothy hay in feeding value. Orchard grass, if cut in early bloom, is equal to the best of the hay grasses, and carries considerably more crude protein than timothy. Meadow fescue is not so valuable as timothy for horses. Sudan-grass hay is a safe feed for mares, and numerous native prairie grasses furnish hay that is equal to timothy. Clover hay is likely to be dusty, but it has great fattening qualities. Millet is not a safe feed for mares in foal. Corn fodder frequently is used to feed idle horses in the winter, but there is not enough nutrition in it alone for mares in foal. The same thing is true in a greater degree of straw. If either is fed, good quality hay also should be fed. Unthrashed cowpea or soybean hay is also a valuable roughage which is relished by horses. Even the thrashed hay contains considerable nutrition. It should not be fed to brood mares if it contains any mold. Alfalfa makes an excellent feed for mares if it is fed once a day and timothy or corn fodder given at the other feeding. Occasionally alfalfa hay is not properly cured, causing it to mold badly in which case it should not be fed to the horses. Farmers have reported occasionally that alfalfa causes the kidneys to act too freely, but it is likely that this trouble will not be noticed if the alfalfa does not make up over one-half of the roughage.

To sum up: Proper feed of sufficient quantity and variety, regularly supplied; moderate, uniform work, and careful handling will maintain an ideal mare in better physical condition

### MUCH AS IT WAS LONG AGO

Events of Today Seem a Good Deal Like an Echo of History of the Past.

We think we are making history. Maybe we are. But not all of it is as new as some of us imagine, observes the Toledo News-Bea.

Taking a slant through "Plutarch's Lives" we find that about 2,000 years ago there was a great war on between Sparta and Athens. Lysander was the Marshal Foch of the Spartans, and he handed the Athenians an armistice to sign. It read:

"You shall put down the long walls, quit all the cities you are possessed of, and keep within the bounds of Attica. On these conditions you shall have peace, provided you pay what is reasonable and restore the exiles. As for the number of ships you are to keep, you must comply with the orders we shall give you."

A few weeks went by. And it seems they had the same trouble about armistices those days that we have now. Lysander sent the Athenians a message warning them "that they had violated the terms of their capitulation; for their walls were still standing after the time fixed for demolishing them was passed; and, that since they had broken the first articles, they must expect new ones from the war council."

### BROUGHT THOUGHTS OF HOME

Small Wonder Colored Soldier in France Was Affected to Tears as He Read.

He was very black, and in his khaki he looked like coffee and chocolate ice cream. After eating a hearty meal in the American Red Cross canteen at — he sat down, with a book, near the counter. The kind-hearted directress looked once or twice in his direction, and was surprised to see big tears rolling down his cheeks.

"Why, now this will never do," she said kindly. "Is there anything I can do to help you?"

He dug his knuckles into his eyes and replied:

"I sholy am ashamed to make a baby outen myself, ma'am. This yer book done make me so homesick!" She picked up the book he had been reading. It was the canteen cook book, and it was open at the section on "How to Fry Chicken."

### INDUSTRIAL FATIGUE.

An investigation of the subject of industrial fatigue conducted in the government shops by the English government resulted in securing a great deal of valuable information, which has been the means, in many cases, in a great increase of the output, and these investigations are about to be extended generally to all British industrial establishments by a recently established industrial fatigue research board, under the department of scientific and industrial research and the medical research committee. The duties of the board, as reported in Nature, will be to initiate, organize and promote, by research, grants or otherwise, investigations in different industries with the view of finding the most favorable hours of labor, spells of work, rest pauses, etc. The chairman of the board is Prof. O. S. Sherrington.

### APPEARANCES.

"So you are going to move on the first of May?"

"Yes."

"But you seem very comfortable where you are."

"That's why I've got to move. The landlord noted my apparent comfort and raised the rent."

### THE LITERAL MIND.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I hope the government will compel all men to wear low shoes."

"I don't quite see your reason."

"Why would not that necessarily put a stop to this dreadful bootlegging?"

### THE CASE.

"The Germans seem to be getting frenzied about the indemnities they are to pay."

"That is merely to prove by their state of mind they cannot be collected."

### CRIPPLED WRIST.

Husband - (at theater) - Why don't you use your opera glasses? Wife - I can't dear. I've lost my

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friends with the Indians in Virginia  
and was taught by them to use corn  
as a food product, millions of bushels  
of corn cobs have been wasted every  
year either by being burned or cost-  
ing the farmer money to get clear of  
them, an din all this long stretch of  
years, no one has ever been able to  
discover any use for this tremendous  
waste on the farm.

You know that three billion bushel  
crop of corn means a three billion  
bushel crop of cobs. At war prices  
the corn may be worth over four bil-  
lion dollars, but those three billion  
bushels of cobs were worth appar-  
ently nothing. But along comes Necess-  
ity with a club:

"Nature didn't intend any such ex-  
travagance as that and you had bet-  
ter begin to find a use for the bushel  
of cobs that come with a bushel of  
corn."

And whenever Necessity gives the  
word, some genius or another steps  
forward to carry out orders.

So in this case the genius has found  
that corn cobs are full of "stickum,"  
as the children say. Perfectly good  
gum and enough of it to do about all  
the pasting our country requires.

Thus the three billion bushel crop  
of corn cobs becomes of real value,  
whereas heretofore the cobs were re-  
garded as a nuisance.

It has taken all these hundreds of  
years to make the discovery that  
these corn cobs could be turned into  
real money, and while the manufac-  
turers of glue and chewing gum  
throughout the world had been spend-  
ing millions in chickie and other com-  
modities which go into the making of  
chewing gum, the fortunes in the glue  
or "stickum" which could have been  
obtained from corn cobs have been al-  
lowed to go to waste. By a new pro-  
cess, it is now proposed to extract  
from these cobs all this glue materi-  
al and to turn it to a commercial  
use, and it is estimated that when the  
proper machinery has been gotten to-  
gether to extract this glue that it will  
mean a saving of millions of dollars  
for a former useless article which in  
the future should be of great value.

The inventive genius of the people  
of the United States has always been  
able to find a use for all waste ma-  
terials, and where in former years,  
millions of dollars worth of by-prod-  
ucts in all our great manufacturing  
establishments have been allowed to  
go to waste since the beginning of the  
great war, all these things have been  
brought into use for some good pur-  
pose until today, it is a poorly man-  
aged large business which has any-  
thing to go to waste other than the  
smoke out of the big funnels. The  
farmer in many cases has not made as  
close a study of these matters as he  
should have done and the farm has  
been probably the most wasteful busi-  
ness enterprise of all the other en-  
terprises of the world, and there are  
still millions of dollars of waste on  
the farms of this country which some  
day will be turned to material worth  
and which even now, in many cases,  
could be saved, if the farmer would  
study the subject with a little more  
care and energy. The millions of  
pounds of fruit which are annually  
wasted on the farms of this country  
would go a long way towards help-  
ing to feed the nations of the world  
in the winter time, and much of this  
waste could be saved with a little  
extra work on the farm.

### Despondency.

Sufferers from indigestion are apt  
to become discouraged and feel that  
complete recovery is not to be hoped  
for. No one could make a greater mis-  
take. Hundreds have been perma-  
nently cured by taking Chamberlain's  
Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy  
and can now eat anything  
that they crave. These tablets streng-  
then the stomach and enable it to  
perform its functions naturally. If  
you have not tried them do so at once.  
—Advt.

### Sold A Trotting Mare.

Erasmus Jones, a retired farmer of  
Bridgeville, during the fair at Salis-  
bury, sold his promising young trot-  
ting mare, Lady Luckstone, aged five  
years, with a speed record of 1:15 on  
several half-mile tracks. Mr. Jones  
disposed of her because he did not  
have the time to spare to have her  
trained. The purchasers were W. L.  
Bull and brother of Malta, Va., and  
the price is said to have been above  
\$1,500.

## EVEN LOVERS OF LAUGHTER

British Newspaper Points Out Error  
That Has Been Made in the Esti-  
mation of the Race.

We British, despite an ancient  
fable of the rest of the world that  
we are stern-faced, are a laughter-  
loving people, says the London  
Daily Mail. The literature and  
drama of a country is always a mir-  
ror of its character, and British lit-  
erature and drama have provided  
some of the greatest laughers of all  
time.

Shakespeare, whose surpassing  
genius was a distillation of the Brit-  
ish spirit, was the greatest of all the  
world's laughers. Fielding and  
Smollett, fathers of the world's nov-  
elists, were mighty laughers. Charles  
Dickens, although so intimately, col-  
loquially, and almost insularly a  
British author, sent ripples of laugh-  
ter round the world in translations  
into other tongues that will raise  
laughter among generations yet un-  
born.

We have had, too, our great laugh-  
ing poets—Herrick, who laughed as  
lovers laugh, happily and daintily;  
Byron, who laughed satirically;  
Burns, finest laughers of them all,  
who laughed broadly, generously and  
humanely, and from a heart whose  
laughter rose more mellow from the  
depths of sorrow, like the laugh of the  
people in our streets today.

### OPPORTUNITY THE BIG THING

Without That, Few of Those Whom  
the World Calls Great Would  
Be Remembered.

Don't altogether despair at those  
times when you feel how small you  
are. You may be a potential genius  
—a genius who only needs, alas, the  
golden opportunity. Says a writer  
in the Independent:

"A man or woman of very ordi-  
nary abilities could not fail to make  
some impression on history with the  
whole resources of the nation at  
command. Queen Elizabeth was un-  
questionably sagacious, prudent and  
skilled in diplomatic craft, but 50-  
000 other English women of her  
time may have had equal abilities  
without the same opportunities for  
writing them upon the map of Eu-  
rope. In estimating the statesman-  
ship of those who are born to power  
we are constantly in danger of con-  
fusing native genius with opportu-  
nity, wise counsel and commonplace  
shrewdness or ambitious vigor."

### LONG WAY TO GO HUNGRY.

One of the best stories of our col-  
ored boys abroad is the following: A  
lot of them were standing in the  
meas line, when suddenly two Ger-  
man airplanes appeared almost over-  
head. There was a grand rush for  
shelter, the only man who didn't  
budge being the top sergeant. When  
the men returned he remonstrated  
with them. "Is you all jes' plumb  
crazy," he cried, "or didn't you  
know nothin'?"

"Well, boss," said one man,  
"heaven am a long ways f'm  
France, an' Ah ain't no kan' to go  
travelin' on a empty stummick."

Boston Transcript.

### A GOOD EXCUSE.

"It's a good excuse, anyhow."

"What is?"

"The income tax."

"An excuse for what?"

"Every time the missus wants a  
new hat or a new dress I can tell her  
that I'm saving all my money to pay  
the next installment on my debt to  
Uncle Sam."

### UNDER FIRE TWICE.

John was looking for a job.  
"Have you had any military ex-  
perience?" asked a prospective boss.  
"Yes. I've been shot at twice,"  
Johnson replied proudly.—London  
Answers.

### RESTRICTING THE FOOD.

"The cook refuses to get dinner  
unless we raise her wages."  
"I suppose," commented the man  
who was reading European news,  
"that is her method of bringing  
economic pressure to bear."

### ITS STYLE.

"What are you going to do with  
your war garden this year?"  
"I am going to mobilize the flow-  
ers with pistols."

### A LA PEACE CONFERENCE.

Mother—How did you persuade  
him to buy a new car?  
Harry—He, 1918.  
to several friends and relatives  
in Wilmington, while on a moti-  
on trip to Ocean City one day last  
week.

## SCIENTIST IN PRISON CAMP

Remarkable Work Done by English  
Biologist While in Confinement at  
Ruhleben, Germany.

Apropos of the death of Dr. A. E.  
Lechmere, a correspondent of Na-  
ture writes of the unique scientific  
work carried on by that English  
biologist during his internment at  
Ruhleben, Germany. He was espe-  
cially active in building up the nat-  
ural science laboratories, originally  
installed in the hay loft and the  
horse boxes of the most ramshackle  
stable in camp. The history of these  
remarkable laboratories reached a  
climax on the occasion of the natural  
sciences exhibition, when the labora-  
tories were thrown open to the "gen-  
eral public" of the camp, besides re-  
ceiving the patronage of the com-  
manding officer and his staff. The  
writer states that one could occupy  
several hours profitably in passing  
through and observing the various  
exhibits and the experiments being  
carried out. The biology laboratory,  
Doctor Lechmere's favorite haunt,  
was equipped with a first-class mi-  
croscope, a stock of fine microscopes,  
excellent electrically regulated ther-  
mostats, etc. During his four years  
at Ruhleben Doctor Lechmere deliv-  
ered many popular lectures on bi-  
ological subjects to large audiences  
of his fellow-prisoners, generally il-  
lustrated with lantern slides made  
by himself at Ruhleben.

Constipation causes headache, in-  
digestion, dizziness, drowsiness. For  
a mild, opening medicine, use Doan's  
Regulator. 50c a box at all stores.  
—Advt.

Smith, Harry Jones of Philadelphia,  
son, with possibly father, John Wal-  
tons to be referred by Mr. J.  
Bancroft.

## TURNED JOKE ON YOUNGSTER

Bellcose Lady Carried Off All the  
Honors in Small Boy's April  
Fool Prank.


It was April fool; why not have  
some fun, thought the little Italian  
boy, as he stood behind his fruit  
stand in the market house. His  
thoughts soon took visible form.  
Tying a purse bulging with paper to  
one end of a string he fastened the  
other end behind his counter and  
threw the tempting pocketbook in  
the aisle. Then he awaited results.  
In a few minutes along came a busy  
woman, and seeing the tempting  
purse pounced on it. As it jerked  
from her hand, a whoop went up  
from the little Italian. So it was a  
prank, was it? She would teach him  
how to get cute with an old lady!  
Then fruit began to fly. Orange  
after orange hurled at the dodging  
boy who was being constantly ad-  
vised to duck and jump by a horde  
of delighted youngsters. The am-  
munition was more than oranges, for  
some bananas and grapefruit were  
spinning toward their owner. Not  
until all the fruit on top of the stand  
had been exhausted did the angry  
marketer stop her barrage and start  
on.—Indianapolis News.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars  
Reward for any case of Catarrh  
that cannot be cured by Hall's  
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cure for all cases of Catarrh of the  
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THURSDAY, : : : : : SEPTEMBER 11, 1919.

## DEATH OF SENATOR ARTHUR P. GORMAN.

The death of Senator Arthur P. Gorman last week removes from Maryland politics the last of a family which has been prominent in Democratic Party affairs in this State for more than 50 years. Starting with Peter Gorman, the grandfather of the man who died last week, and following with his father, the late United States Senator, Arthur P. Gorman, who for more than 40 years was practically dictator of the Democratic affairs in Maryland, as well as a National figure in Democratic politics, the removal of young Gorman by death ends the career of a family which has left its impress on Maryland history as well as Maryland politics.

Young Gorman was a man's man, a big fellow with a big heart and he counted his friends by the thousands from the mountains of this State to the Ocean. Men loved him because of his fine personal character and his big human heart. He started life with every prospect of a brilliant career in politics and had not been caught in the vortex of the political upheaval in this State from 1912 to 1915, he would probably have attained the great ambition of his life, and would have occupied the seat of his father in the United States Senate.

His defeat for Governor in 1912 was one of those incidents which happen in the life of every public man and was brought about by unfortunate circumstances within his own Party, over which he had no control. Our intimate personal and political relations with both his father and himself had endeared him to us in a peculiar manner and we knew him for what he was—A hard-working, conscientious and thoroughly honest American citizen, who always had the good of his State and his Party at heart.

We shall miss his kindly voice and his companionship, which meant so much to us in the long years we have known him, and we say without hesitation that the State and the Democratic Party has lost a valuable citizen and member, and as the days come and go, his memory will ever be kept green not only in our own hearts, but in the hearts of thousands of other citizens of this State who have learned to love him as we have.

Peace to his ashes and sympathy to his lovely and devoted wife.

M. V. B.

## THE GENEROSITY OF MR. JOHN B. PARSONS.

By the will of the late John B. Parsons which was probated in Philadelphia last week, the Home for the Aged in this city which was the pet charity of Mr. Parsons during his life was most generously remembered. By the terms of the will, the institution gets an annual income of \$5,000 per year for its support and practically one-half of the large estate of Mr. Parsons is left in trust for the institution. When the income from the investments of half his estate reaches the sum of \$70,000, one of the wings of the new buildings to be constructed at Lemon Hill is to be erected and when completed, the inmates of the present Home located on East Church Street are to be transferred to the new institution, and when the investments reach another \$70,000, a second wing is to be erected and when both wings are completed, the building will accommodate 70 old ladies who will spend the remainder of their lives in these splendid quarters.

In the meantime, the Home is to receive \$5,000 per year from Mr. Parsons' estate and after the second wing is completed, the income from the investments will all go towards maintaining the home for all future time, the trust being a perpetual one. Mr. Parsons has already given the Home sums of money aggregating around \$75,000 and by the terms of his will, it would appear that the Salisbury Home for the Aged has been made certain of its existence and the comfortable sustenance of the inmates for all future time.

In this will, Mr. Parsons also remembered the old line Methodist Episcopal Church near Whitesville, Del., which was the Church in which his mother worshipped when Mr. Parsons was a mere child, and he also remembered a large number of relatives in Wicomico County and in Sussex County, Delaware, with donations of from \$1,000 to \$2,000 each.

During the wonderfully busy life of the deceased, he seemed to never forget for a moment his old home and his old companions of boyhood days and this generosity on his part will insure the maintenance of 70 old ladies who will pass the evening of their lives in comfort and nice surroundings through his thoughtfulness. Had Mr. Parsons been like many other people who forget in their affluence of wealth their old home ties and former friends, many of these old ladies would undoubtedly have had to pass the closing days of their lives in want and distress, and the people of this community will never look at the splendid buildings which eventually will be erected at Lemon Hill without remembering in reverence the life of John B. Parsons and the splendid example which he has set for other men of wealth in this community, who we hope will be guided by his example in providing for charities among their home people. John B. Parsons was a real man in life and he demonstrated this fact to a very large degree when before closing his career, he made such a magnificent will as was probated in Philadelphia last week.

## GETTING DOWN TO THE REAL FIGHT.

Now that the Democratic primaries are over and the one contest in the Republican Party settled, within the next few days, the Republican organization is likely to put the full ticket in the field after which the real fighting will begin for victory at the polls this fall. From present indications, both parties will have tickets of unusual merit before the voters for their discrimination, and it is likely that one of the hottest political battles ever fought out in the counties of Maryland will come off between now and next November.

The attitude of both the old political parties in placing the very best material at their disposal before the people for their selecting is growing more apparent every year and this has come around from the fact that the people are getting more independent in their views every year and neither of the old parties are now able to swing the entire party strength behind candidates unless the men show up to a little better standing than in former years. Party ties are not quite as strong as formerly and many voters claim the right to choose their candidates from among the list of vote tickets and for this reason, it is rather hard to calculate just what will come out of the box very far in advance. We can say with all truthfulness that the personnel of the gentlemen nominated on the Democratic ticket measures up very well with the average and the same conditions may prevail when the Republicans meet to name their candidates, and the real battle will be fought out on intelligent lines after the two armies are properly lined up before each other. The rank and file of both the parties seem to be exceptionally well pleased with their State candidate and should have the effect of bringing out a very large vote at the General Election.

## A GOVERNMENT STORE MAY BE OPENED HERE

To Give Our People Opportunity To Help Lower Cost Of Living.

\$2,000,000 IN GOODS TO BE DISPOSED OF.

Reports Say That The Store Will Be Opened In Cumberland For The Western Shore And One In Salisbury For Eastern Shore Of State.

It is understood that arrangements are being made to open a store in Salisbury for the disposal of army and navy stores which the Government is selling off to the public at wholesale prices in many sections of the country. Reports from Washington are to the effect that one of these stores will be opened in Cumberland and another in Salisbury to help dispose of more than \$2,000,000 worth of foodstuffs allotted to this district. Senator John Walter Smith will probably be requested to make an appeal to the War Department for the establishment of one of these stores in this section of the Eastern Shore, as it is considered the most central point for such an enterprise, and will give the people of the Eastern Shore an opportunity to purchase some of these Government goods at wholesale prices.

Wherever these stores have been established throughout the United States they have proven a great boon to the rank and file of the people who have been able to purchase not only food stuffs but various other articles at greatly reduced rates and it is by means of these stores that the Government proposes to break the high price of food stuffs and to lower the living scale in the United States. Certainly, some good has been done by the present agitation in Washington over extreme living costs, because last week there was a noticeable lowering of the price of meats, hogs and other commodities on the Chicago market; lard dropping as much as six cents per pound, butter and eggs falling in price and many other staple foods including corn and the products made from cereals all coming down in price.

While many of our people have taken advantage of the offers made by the Government to deliver the excess Government stores bought for the war by parcel post, it is not half as convenient as having a store open in this city which could be visited by the housewives and all the advantages of seeing the goods in person would add to the convenience of being able to get the goods daily over the counter. It is estimated that it will take about four months to sell the \$2,000,000 of merchandise allotted to Maryland and our people are anxiously awaiting for the establishment of this store on the Eastern Shore. As all goods are sold in original packages, it will not interfere with the home merchants to any appreciable degree.

## Hurt In A Runaway Accident.

Mr. Oliver Peacock and Mr. Irving Johnson, both farmers residing in Dublin district, near Princess Anne, while about to leave the mill of the Princess Anne Milling Company last Friday afternoon, their horse was frightened at a passing train and became unmanageable. It ran out Antioch avenue and, when opposite the wheelwright and blacksmith shop of Mr. Harry Muir, the wheels of the vehicle struck a post, upsetting it and throwing the occupants out into a pile of scrap iron, cutting and bruising them badly. Mr. Johnson, who is about 60 years of age, received concussion of the brain and internal injuries. He was taken to the Salisbury Hospital and is in a critical condition. Mr. Peacock, aged 80 years, was severely cut on the face. Two of his ribs were broken and his hip was fractured. He was treated by a local doctor.

FOR RENT—Third floor of 174 Main Street. Apply to

WOODCOCK &amp; WEBB.

Sept. 11-11.

LOST—On Tuesday last, \$5.00 bill while going from Grammar School to the Chautauque. Stopped in Court House at Clerk's office on my way. May possibly have dropped it in Chautauque tent. Finder will please return to

THE WICOMICO NEWS OFFICE.

or

WILLIAM POWELL, Jr.,

Main St., Bldg.

Sept. 11-11.

LOST—Bunch of Keys. Contains Federal Yale lock keys. Reward if returned to

S. S. WELDMAN.

Sept. 11-11.

FOR SALE—I offer for sale 25 White Lushorn Hens; choice stock.

JOHN W. DOWNING.

Sept. 11-11.

POSITION WANTED—Male Bookkeeper and Stenographer, 10 years' experience wants position as office assistant. Address

THE WICOMICO NEWS.

## Notice!

The Physicians of Wicomico County who are members of the County Medical Society announce that after Sept. 1st, 1919, the fees for professional service will be as follows:

Day visit in town \$2.00  
Night visit in town 3.00  
Minimum Office Fee 1.00

Rates in the County rural districts will be the same, plus one dollar.

S. NORRIS PILCHARD, M. D.

Sept. 11-2ms. Sec. &amp; Treas.

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CARD OF THANKS.

I take this method of thanking the people for their kindness and goodness toward me and family during the recent illness and death of my wife, Minnie Windsor.

HIRAM WINDSOR.

Sharptown, Md. September 8th.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

JOSIAH G. ADKINS,

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

12th day of March, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 9th day of September, 1919.

MARY F. ADKINS,

Sept. 11-11.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1919.

## LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kennedy, of Kennedyville, Md., spent last week with Miss Maude Wimbrow.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Measick, of Allen, are spending this week at the home of her son, W. F. Measick, Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanna are receiving congratulations from their many friends on the arrival of a fine baby girl.

—Mrs. M. C. Russell has returned home from Rehoboth, Delaware, after spending some time with Mrs. Vaughn S. Collins.

—Mrs. S. Sterling returned to her home in Salisbury yesterday, after spending most of the summer in Ocean Grove, N. J.

—Because of the Chautauque exercises in town the Friday evening service in St. Peter's Church will be omitted this week.

—Col. and Mrs. Wm. B. Tilghman have returned from an automobile tour of the Jersey Coast resorts and extending to New York City.

—Miss Dorothy Whayland has returned home after a six weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry C. Phegan, in Sun Hill, Chester, Pa.

—Most of the Salisbury cottagers at Ocean City this summer have returned home, the season at Maryland's popular resort having closed.

—Misses Rebecca Wilson, Maryland Springs, and Mildred Laynor, of Elkridge, Md., were the week-end guests of Miss Elizabeth Cooper Phillips, Hebron.

—S. P. Woodcock, real estate broker, has just sold the Thomas B. Argo 10-acre farm and bungalow, on the Spring Hill road, to J. Frank Joyner, of Virginia.

—Mrs. Goldie Osmond and little son, W. D. Jr., and daughter, Gladys, have returned home from New York City where they have been visiting relatives.

—The W. C. T. U. will resume their regular monthly meetings Monday, Sept. 15th, 8 P. M., in Elk's Hall. A full attendance of the members is requested.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Laws and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tilghman, of Salisbury, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Wowler, of Snow Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones and two children left Tuesday night for their home in Pine Bluff, Ark., after spending most of the summer in Salisbury.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Wheaton and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson have returned from their summer vacation and opened their handsome home on North Division St.

—Ex-Congressman J. D. Price attended the funeral of the late A. P. Gorman at Fairview, Howard county Monday afternoon, serving as one of the honorary pallbearers.

—Mrs. John E. Polk and sons, Kelus and Franklin, have returned to their home in Charleston, W. Va., after spending a few days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Green.

—Miss Bessie Goslee, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hurst, have returned to their home near Hebron after spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hurst of Onancock, Va.

—Mrs. Beulah P. Smith and her daughter Rosalie, have returned after spending a few days in Cape Charles, Old Point Comfort, and Norfolk, Va.

—Miss J. M. Dunn, of Washington, D. C. Miss S. D. Wemple, of New York City, and Mrs. Sophia King of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Miss Maude Wimbrow this week.

—The Salisbury Water Co. notifies consumers that water will be shut off the entire city from 6 to 8 p. m. Friday, Sept. 12 to enable the company to make necessary repairs to the water mains.

—A delightful birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington near Salisbury, Friday evening to their daughter, Miss Alice Harrington.

—Mr. Hugh Dunton after spending two weeks vacation with his wife Mrs. Rena Dunton who is spending the summer with her parents, has returned to their home in Chester, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Dunton of Chester, Pa. and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jones, Mrs. Herman Wootton, Mrs. Raymond Guthrie and Miss Ida Dill all of this city spent the week at Ocean City, Md.

—Dr. B. G. Parker made a flying visit to Maryland Springs on Sunday and visited his former churches at Branch Hill and Athol. He still owns property in Maryland and intends moving back there in the near future.

—In the presence of a few friends, at the M. E. Parsonage, in Quantico, Leland Dunn of Bivale, Md., and Katharin M. Bolth, also of Bivale, were married Thursday evening, Sept. 4, by Rev. J. M. S. VanBlum.

—Three ladies came near being drowned at Ocean City on Sunday. Menraged into the ocean, forming a life-line by which the women were drawn out. Without this prompt action they could not have been saved.

—The Great Sachem of the Great Council of Maryland of the Improved Order of Red Men, Charles E. Butler, of Baltimore City, will visit officially Modoc Tribe, Monday evening, Sept. 15th. All members of the tribe are urged to be present.

—The churches of Salisbury have agreed to unite in a Union service in the Chautauque Tent next Sunday night 8 p. m. Mr. Wm. T. Ellis, of international fame and Dr. Evans, the Director of the Chautauque will speak. There will be special music.

—Martin Lewis, of Salisbury, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Lewis, of Berlin, died Friday night at his home, a victim of malarial fever. He was nearly 28 years old, and leaves a widow and two small children, besides his father, mother, two brothers and two sisters.

—Salisbury Lodge No. 56, Knights of Pythias gathered in Castle Hall Wednesday of last week where each Knight of the Round Table spent a happy evening feasting and relating their knightly experiences of the past summer. Initiation of new candidates will start this Wednesday Sept. 10th.

—Three young men of the American Rescue Workers, making a motor tour in this section, visited Salisbury Wednesday and Thursday and held a meeting at the street corner of the News Building, singing, playing on musical instruments, praying and preaching effectively. The service was worthy of a larger congregation.

—The juicy oyster is again on the market, with the advent of a month with an "r" in it. The first of this season's crop reached the city in time for the opening of the season. It is thought that the demand this year will exceed that of past years. It is said that the new crop oysters are bigger and juicier than they used to be.

—Mr. Irving B. Kline, of Baltimore who was recently released from the naval aviation service after serving nearly two years, left Baltimore a short while ago to assume his new duties with the Salisbury branch of the Standard Motor Company. He has a large personal acquaintance in Baltimore in the automobile industry, having represented several lines of passenger cars.

—The following students from Somerset county, entered the Beacon College at Salisbury, at the opening of its fall term: Miss Helen E. Porter, of Princess Anne; Misses Marguerite Adams, Elizabeth Holland and Mr. J. Norman Landon, of Marion Station; Miss Hazel L. Dryden, of Westover; Mr. E. Carmel Wilson, of Kingston, and Miss Millie Papendick, of Eden.

—A dispatch from York Harbor, Maine, where Mrs. E. E. Jackson and several married children are summering, says this resort has never been so gay as it is at present. Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Jackson entertained Miss Anne Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William Keyser, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Thomas, Baltimore; Miss Elizabeth Miller, Detroit; Mr. Ronald Tree, England, and Mr. Gordon Smith, New York.

—The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company will operate special excursions for colored people only, to Ocean City and return, from Cape Charles to Onley, Va., on Monday, September 15th; from Tazley, to Costen Station on Tuesday, September 16th, and from stations on the Crisfield branch, King's Creek to Fruitland and Delmar, inclusive, on Wednesday September 17th, 1919.

—Several friends and relatives from Wilmington, while on a motor trip to Ocean City one day last

week, paid a surprising visit to Mr. and Mrs. Burton Baker, of Willard. In the party were Mr. John Russell, wife and son George, a lady friend of George's and Mrs. E. Clyde Burhage, Mrs. Baker's mother. On Wednesday the visitors and the entire Baker family motored to Ocean City and spent a very pleasant day.

—The County Commissioners of Wicomico have asked for bids for building State-Aid Highways, as follows: Salisbury-Snow Hill road, 1.08 miles; Salisbury-Nantuxet road 1.67 miles. Each section is to be of concrete, 15 feet width of pavement. Sealed proposals will be received by the County Commissioners until 12 o'clock noon September 23, when they will be publicly opened.

—There is a great deal of activity in real estate in and around Snow Hill, several farms having changed hands in the last few days. Mr. R. F. Powell, of Berlin, purchased a few days ago, Mr. Herbert W. Mason's farm, near Scarborough Switch, at a price said to be \$14,500, and on Wednesday he bought the Devereaux farm, owned by Messrs. John W. and James Devereaux in the same neighborhood for \$20,000.

—Farmers are now saving the corn crop. Those who planted early are now cutting it off and placing it in shocks. The great storm made it difficult to handle this crop as usual, and many are compelled to simply cut off the tops and save the fodder. This condition of the corn fodder crop will make a general shortage of rough feed for cattle during the winter, which will have to be replaced by clover and other hay crops, which fortunately have been very good this year.

—Revival Meetings will begin in the Baptist Church at Athol next Sunday night Sept. 14th. Rev. F. H. Farley State Evangelist will do the preaching; Mr. Farley is a very able preacher and will be enjoyed by all who hear him. These meetings will continue for about ten nights at Athol then Mr. Farley will go immediately to the Branch Hill Church for about ten nights meetings. Everybody is cordially invited to attend all of these meetings.—E. E. Krauss, Pastor.

—Newton Lodge No. 56, I. O. O. F. expects to send a large delegation to Baltimore this coming week to participate in the Centennial celebration to be held in that city. The new badges have arrived and can be obtained of the Secretary by those who intend going to Baltimore. A special certificate also obtainable of the secretary, entitles a member and his family to a considerable reduction in railroad fare for the occasion. Wednesday next will be the great parade day and it is expected that 50,000 Oddfellows of the United States and Canada will be in line.

—Mrs. Mary Louise Hooper, one of the well known residents of Cambridge died there Sunday last. She was the widow of the late Henry Hooper who was well known to many of the older residents of Wicomico County. Mrs. Hooper was the mother of Mrs. Alanzo L. Miles and the grandmother of Hooper Miles, Esq., of this city. The deceased lady had been a resident of Cambridge for many years and had a very large circle of friends. She leaves seven children—Mrs. Albert E. Waters and Mrs. Alanzo Miles of Baltimore, and Mrs. E. E. Wolff, Cambridge; William E. and J. Pitt Hooper, Cambridge; Harry Y. Hooper, of New York, and Murraay G. Hooper, of Annapolis.

—The Worcester Democrat of Saturday last had the following pleasant words to say of a former Salisburyman: "Mr. B. W. Cooper, a native of Worcester county, who for the past fourteen years has been in the employ of R. E. Powell & Co., of Salisbury, moved his family to Pocomoke this week. Mr. Cooper has been employed by Mr. M. L. Veasey, of the T. F. Hargis Department Store, and will have charge of the furniture department of the Hargis stores. Mr. Cooper comes to Pocomoke well recommended and his long experience in the furniture business will enable him to continue the rapid growth of the department of which he has charge. Mr. Cooper, by reason of his long business experience, will be an asset to the business interests of Pocomoke and we welcome him and his family to our midst."

—Interesting Exercises At S. Y. M. A. On Friday night, Sept. 12th, at the S. Y. M. A. will be held several boxing and wrestling bouts which promise to be both interesting and instructive. The season is about to open up and it is desired to see what talent is hidden away among the membership. All members should make a point of being present. The contestants so far as we can ascertain at present are: Messrs. Cline, Renshaw, Smith, Davies, Morris and Richardson, with possibly others. Wrestling bouts to be refereed by Mr. J. W. Bannister.

## PROMISING YOUNG MAN DROWNS AT OCEAN CITY

Edwin E. Murray Loses His Life in The Raging Surf.

MOTHER SEES HIM GO DOWN ON RESCUE ERRAND.

Was Masthead, With Four Other Men, To The Rescue Of A Drowning Friend—The Body Was Not Recovered.

Edwin Emory Murray, a student at the Johns Hopkins University and son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Murray, of Baltimore, was drowned Tuesday afternoon of last week while bathing at Ocean City, where he went a few days ago with his father, who is a member of the Baltimore bar, his mother and three sisters.

Mrs. Murray was standing on the shore and saw her son go down. He had gone to the help of another bather in distress and was swept out to sea. The body was not recovered. A strong undertow caught four bathers and carried them out. Three managed to reach shore after a severe battle with the waves. Mr. Murray struck out to aid one of the men apparently in most danger and his strength gave out. He sank and was never seen again.

He was 20 years old and graduated from the Polytechnic Institute before entering the Johns Hopkins. He held a commission as second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery during the war and was stationed at Fortress Monroe. He was one of five out of 400 students who won an appointment from Hopkins to the student officers' training camp.

### CHURCH NOTES.

Quantico M. E. Church.

Popular one hour evening services every Sunday beginning at 8.30 p. m. Special singing by the choir. Preaching by the pastor, J. M. S. VanBlum.

Bockawalkin M. E. Church.

Preaching every Sunday morning at 10.45. An enjoyable feature is the social gathering of friends and acquaintances after the services. Sabbath school at 9.45 in charge of T. A. Nelson, Supt.—J. M. S. VanBlum, pastor.

Gileam M. E. Church.

The Sabbath school in charge of T. J. Smith, Jr. at 2.30 p. m. is resuming its normal good attendance, after the interruption caused by the various camp meetings. Preaching every Sunday at 3.30 by Rev. J. M. S. VanBlum, pastor.

Fire Destroys Shirt Factory.

Fire of an unknown origin destroyed the large shirt factory of Mr. Wilbur Nelson, on Locust street, Crisfield, shortly after midnight Thursday night, and for a time threatened much of the adjoining property. The residence of Mr. John Disharoon, across the street from the factory, was soon a mass of flames and was also burned to the ground, but fortunately Mr. Disharoon's family succeeded in saving most of their household effects. The home of Mr. Paul C. Lawson, only a few feet from the burning factory, was in danger for a considerable time, but was not seriously damaged, bucket brigades saving this as well as many other nearby houses.

New District Parsonage.

News is current on the streets of this city that the committee appointed by the E. S. District Conference of the Southern Methodist Church to consider the proposition of choosing a location for and the erection of a District Parsonage, has decided on the location in Salisbury and has purchased the lot on East Isabella, which Mr. C. E. Williams bought of Mrs. F. A. Grier several years ago. This lot is finely located and will be improved by the erection of a handsome residence, costing somewhere in the neighborhood of \$10,000 to \$12,000.

An Aged Traveler.

Benjamin W. Shiles, of New Westminster, British Columbia, Canada, is in lower Sussex county, visiting his nephew, W. Watson Moore. Mr. Shiles, who is 80 years of age, made the entire trip of more than 3,000 miles without a stop-over. He is a remarkably active man for his age and talks interestingly of the early days of his life, which were spent near Laurel when Laurel was but a small village.

Blaze Destroys Cambridge Cannery.

T. M. Bramble & Co.'s cannery, in Cambridge, which employed 350 operatives, was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The explosion of cans could be heard for half a mile. The loss is over \$100,000, practically covered by insurance. The fire is thought to have started in the test room.

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# THE GALLERY OF THE AUTUMN FASHIONS

In this introduction of the Autumn and Winter fashions there is an infinite number of ideas that people are finding pleasure in—personal pleasure because of the great many possibilities for the attainment of individual satisfaction with the styles.

In the Hats as well as the suits, which certainly are the most satisfactory in line for several seasons, there is a variety that is very noticeable.

The whole store is exemplifying all the fashions for Autumn and Winter in suits, coats, street frocks, wraps, millinery, furs, blouses, hosiery, gloves, bags, veils, ribbons and the many accessories of dress, all of which now come under the direct influence of the arbiters of fashions.

## This Store Has Installed The "Measuregraph"

We, being the first in Salisbury and in fact, the first on the entire peninsula to install this wonderful device.

When you visit our yard goods departments in the near future you will notice a small black box with a clock on the top, like the illustration shown here.

This is the Measuregraph, a machine invented to measure goods correctly.

With this little device, the salesperson can measure the amount of material without an error, and in less time than by the old methods of yard stick or counter tacks. The "Measuregraph" prevents any errors, either of yardage bought or the amount paid—as this little machine in addition to measuring the materials also does the accounting—it properly calculates the price of the full amount bought.

We installed these machines with a view toward improving our service—they are sure to do that as they will eliminate many errors in measurements thereby allowing a customer every inch of material that she or he has bought and paid for. It will calculate to the very penny therefore eliminating any over charge to you or undercharge for us.

The Measuregraph is more accurate than fingers, and more dependable than the mind. We invite everybody to see them in operation now on our piece goods counters. Salespeople will be glad to explain them.



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Colors—brown in many shades, bottle green shades, rust and brown and blue mixtures.

These are some of the carefully authenticated features of the suit fashions and are correctly and skillfully designed into the wonderful collections now in our show rooms.

To be quite sure of being correctly suited is most important, and is a source of great satisfaction.

To select your suit here is an assurance of that correctness and satisfaction.

To be well dressed when one dons a suit these days, not only should the lines be of correct design but the materials should be of a satisfactory quality.

The fashion in suits that engage the buying attention of so many people each day in our section of suits, come from New York designers of much reputation.

This assurance of originality of correctness, of being able to choose the newest styles immediately they are new, is the factor that makes us the leaders of the Peninsula and makes this section of suits the busiest spot in the store.

We are featuring suits in all the new wanted fabrics—such as Silvertone, velours, herring bone serge in mixtures, tricot, du-tone, chevrons and the ever popular serges in both plain colors and the new mixtures.

In price they range from \$30.00 to \$85.00.

## Gloves in Popular Lengths

The gloves for the new season are here ready for your inspection and selection.

We believe this display will once again demonstrate the greater readiness of this glove business to take care of you to the best advantage—for many of the styles to be offered are here exclusively.

The range of kid gloves is wide and the quantities exceptionally large.

The prevailing situation in the market of good gloves is one which the supply is greater than the demand, partly because thousands of stores left their ordering too late for prompt deliveries.

We advise you to select your gloves from the fine stocks which await you here and which are now on display.

## Autumn's Smartest Hats

There isn't really anything more interesting to a woman round about now than a sight of the new hat modes.

They are truly worth seeing as quickly as possible, because frequently the first creations are the most original and of course most folks like to have a new chapeau as soon as it is proper, from a style viewpoint.

One of the original modes is the hat with the irregular brim, such as having the greatest width at the side front? The very chic way that the milliners have placed a spray of ostrich or brondine to drop over the brim, or a pom pom, or a smart bow, will win your admiration.

Then the wide brim Breton sailors have made their appearance for Autumn—such exceedingly smart models as one in navy blue velvet, with tassel and pattern on the crown of rattail braid.

## MARYLAND NEWS IN BRIEF

LATEST HAPPENINGS IN ALL SECTIONS—SERVED IN BRIEF FORM FOR QUICK READING.

Senator John Walter Smith of Maryland was 74 in February. He met with a painful accident last winter which somewhat impeded his locomotion, but otherwise the fates have been very kind to him.

"The Pay I Get That is Better Than Gold" was the subject of a sermon by Rev. "Joe" Lynch at Powellville last Sunday. "Mr. Lynch desires the presence of all the members and friends, as he feels that this sermon is the masterpiece of his efforts. He promises to not fool you," read a newspaper notice of his circuit appointments.

The Maryland State College—the State's largest educational institution and its most important—has on hand at present applications from more than 500 Maryland boys and girls who want to enter school next month, says the Maryland Farmer. Now, out of these 500 (and there will be many more on opening day) only 300 can be accommodated. At least 200 boys and girls will be told there is no room, that they cannot be taken in.

Either Brother Mitchell or his compositor must have been in the land of dreams last week as it appeared in the last issue of the Crescent that Governor Ritchie and Candidate Nice would be present at the big celebration at Bryantown, wherein the fact is Governor Nice and Candidate Ritchie are expected to be guests at the above affair. Dream on, brother, for dreams are only workings of the imagination, which seldom if ever come true, and this fact will be realized next November.—La Plata Independent.

Last week's rains in Caroline county were the heaviest since the celebrated downpour of June, 1862, when all the mill dams in the county were swept away, says the Denton Journal. Charles W. Hobbs says the rain of 1862 was greater, but that it was absorbed more quickly, the ground being dry when it fell. This time the earth was already full of water. Tilghman Harvey thinks the rain of this week was in reality a heavier fall of water. All agree that it was terrific in its volume and in the damage that

was done. On nearly every farm in Caroline county heavy loss has been sustained in crops injured.

The State ticket is "nailed to the masthead" in the county Democratic organs, but they have many variations of the name of the candidate for Comptroller of the State Treasury. He is designated as "E. Brooke Lee," "Brook Lee," "Brooke Lee," "Major Brook Lee" and otherwise. Lieut. Col. Amos W. W. Woodcock signed his full name to his certificate of nomination—Amos Walter Wright Woodcock—and he will have the longest name on the official ballot. Major Lee filed with the Secretary of State as E. Brooke Lee, the form in which his personal signature always appears. Senator Oliver S. Metzgerott of Prince George's county once went through a campaign as "Olin" Metzgerott.

A meeting was held at Ocean City, Sunday evening which adopted resolutions in favor of the ratification by the Senate of the peace treaty without amendments that would require it to be re-submitted to the other parties. Col. George M. Upshur presided and addresses were made by Judge Frank I. Duncan of Baltimore county and by Capt. Thomas G. Chamberlain of the First Battalion, American Anti-Aircraft Artillery. "The addresses made in Baltimore," said Captain Chamberlain, "by men sworn as Senators to support the Constitution of the United States amounted to nothing less than a malign attempt to defeat all that glorious heritage which has been won for America by the soldiers' blood."

Evidently the Democratic party of Worcester county, which has been so solicitous for the "democracy of the world," and of its own welfare, has failed to appreciate the services of the young men who offered their very lives in defense of their country and her ideals. At least no recognition of them was made when the ticket was being made out. The People's party has a representative of each branch of the service on its ticket. That one did not drop a depth bomb on a German submarine, and the other did not

break up a dozen or more Hun machine-gun nests and bring in a batch of prisoners, is not the fault of either. They both volunteered their services, and faithfully carried out the orders given them, serving wherever they were ordered, as all good soldiers and sailors do. Returned soldiers and sailors will probably bear this snub of the Democratic party in mind when going to the polls next November.—Snow Hill People.

Maj. William G. Purnell in his "summons ad respondendum" to Cecil county voters to retain him as Clerk of the Circuit Court declares: "I am the only person living in Cecil county familiar with its duties and competent by many years of experience to discharge them; that for more than 20 years there has not been a case docketed, a writ issued, a record made to any other court, a bill of costs taxed, a judgment entered except by me; that, like Ixion chained to his wheel, for many years I have not been absent from this office a single day when it was open for business, and that my reputation for efficiency and capacity as a Court Clerk is widely known to the judiciary and legal fraternity of this State. I am not going back into the old slavery to any political vagrant parasite of any party. On the first day of next December I will remain in this office by the verdict at the polls of a just, generous, intelligent and appreciative people, or the place in which I have spent the best years of my life in their service will know me no more."

### J. MASSEY ROBERTS PASSED AWAY SATURDAY LAST

Was Prominent in Business Affairs Of Wicomico County.

Mr. J. Massey Roberts, one of the oldest and best known citizens of the western section of this county, passed away Saturday morning from infirmities of age. He was 81 years old and for more than half a century had resided in the neighborhood of Clara. Mr. Roberts had been in failing health for the last two years. He was a son of the late William Roberts and Caroline Kennerly Roberts, of Somerset county, and was born in Mount Vernon, Somerset county. He had been prominent in the business life in lower Wicomico and Somerset counties for 50 years. Prior to his retirement from the mercantile business a few years ago he was also en-

gaged in farming.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Olivia A. Roberts; and the following sons and daughters: Capt. William S. Roberts, of Clara, who was master of the schooner "Margaret Louise" during the war and whose vessel was sunk by a German submarine; Henry W. Roberts, canner and lumberman, of Clara; John J. Roberts, assistant cashier of the Bank of Somerset, of Princess Anne; Mrs. John A. Insley and Mrs. Andrew B. Phillips, of Quantico, and Mrs. John F. Phillips, of Clara.

### MILLIONS SPENT FOR HOUSES BY GOVERNMENT DURING WAR

Federal Corporation Reports Expenditures Of \$112,588,260.00.

The United States Housing Corporation has spent \$112,388,260.65 since its organization July 25, 1918, and provided homes for 21,983 families, or an average cost of \$5,067 per family, according to a report of the corporation to Secretary of Labor Wilson a few days ago.

The Housing Corporation's expenditure, augmented by an additional \$80,000,000 expended by the Shipping Board to provide houses for shipworkers, entails a total for houses of \$162,000,000 as an incidental item for modern war.

Fifty-one cities benefited by the Housing Board's expenditure. The largest investment was made at Norfolk, Va., where \$9,600,000 was spent, at an average cost of \$4,930 per family. The second largest was at Bethlehem, Pa., where \$8,306,000 was spent, at a cost of \$6,603 per family. Washington, with \$7,300,000, and Chester, Pa., \$6,400,000, took third and fourth places respectively.

The cost to the Government in providing housing facilities for families was highest at Alton, Ill., where \$2,850,000 was spent, at an average of \$21,218 per family. South Bend, Ind., ranks second, with an average per family of \$7,268. The lowest was at Bridgeport, Conn., where the average cost per family was \$2,654.

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### WORCESTER COUNTY'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Happenings Of Interest In The County East Of Us.

**CAPT. AND MRS. BRIMER'S SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY.**

**Hog Cholera Breaks Out On Fairfield Farm—Several Dead, Others Dying—Number Of Changes In The Teachers Of Snow Hill High School**

Lester P. Adkins, has sold his interest in the Berlin Hardware Co. to Robert J. Massey. Harry L. Jarvis, who has been with the company for years, now becomes the outside man for the firm.

Tom Henry, a colored man who works for Frank Mitchell, of Berlin, got cut on his left hand while cutting out under the saw. Fortunately the power had been shut off, or he would have lost his hand. Two stitches were required to close the wound.

Seven years ago, when the stove mill of J. D. Quillen and Brother, at Ayres' Creek, was burned, Jehu Quillen lost a gold watch, which he concluded was destroyed in the fire. Recently Richard Cramfield, who lives in that locality, found the lost article in a tomato field, and restored it to the owner. The case was in a fair state of preservation, but the crystal was gone and the works rusted and damaged beyond repair.

A serious outbreak of hog cholera has occurred at the Fairfield Farm, now owned by interests represented by A. O. Shrader of Philadelphia, and which has recently been developed into a hog farm. Just how many pigs have died has not been ascertained.

but it is understood that approximately fifty have been lost, and many more are sick. Dr. E. J. McLaughlin and County Agent Oswald, were both called into consultation, and on Monday A. E. Bradford inoculated 35—all that remained in one flock.—The People.

Bob Payne of Pocomoke, was fined \$50 and costs in each of two charges on Monday last as the result of the auto accident in which Mrs. A. Fred Hartman was seriously cut about the face, and other occupants of the same were badly shaken up. The accident occurred several weeks ago on the Pocomoke road, when Miss Walter, Home Demonstration Agent, accompanied by Mrs. Hartman, Mrs. Robert Powell and daughter, Miss Mary Powell, were returning from Crisfield.—The People.

Four more rooms were opened for school purposes in Snow Hill this year. There was a great scarcity of room last year and the various rooms of the High School building and the primary School were so crowded as

to impede instruction of pupils. The Commercial Department and the Department of Domestic Science have been moved over to the late residence of J. Edward White, Esq., which was recently purchased by the County Commissioners for school purposes. There has been much speculation during the year as to Professor Humphreys' remaining at the head of Snow Hill High School, but he has consented to stay in the work this year, much to the gratification and satisfaction of the patrons and the public.

Capt. and Mrs. William E. Brimer celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at their home on Duer's Neck farm, Box Iron, on Tuesday evening of last week. There were 80 guests present, including their four children, and several grandchildren. The worthy husband and wife of three score years were showered with congratulations, and were presented with a "Sunshine Bag," containing gifts and souvenirs of every kind and description. The house was decorated with the American flag and cut flow-

ers and plants, and lighted with candles. Capt. and Mrs. Brimer were married at their home at Taylorville near Berlin, on August 26, 1859, the marriage ceremony being performed by the Rev. Mr. May. At the time of their marriage, Mr. Brimer was 22 years old, and Mrs. Brimer was 20.

### BEACON BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES.

Miss Bessie J. Ruark, of near Salisbury, a former student at this college, has accepted a secretarial position with the Ledger Art Service in Philadelphia.

Mr. Aron Deavor, formerly of Princess Anne, was a recent visitor at the college. Mr. Deavor was forced to leave his studies at the college to enter the army but the knowledge gained was directly instrumental in securing his promotion from private to battalion supply sergeant in the First Army Corps.

Mr. Dan E. Williams of Allen, who was graduated from the shorthand

department of the college has been placed with the Dupont Powder Co. at Wilmington at an attractive salary.

Miss Ella Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Ellis, of Brooklyn Avenue this city, who was graduated from both departments of the local college in 1914 has received recognition of her superior ability by being promoted to one of the most responsible secretarial positions in the Dupont Co. She is now private secretary to Mr. William Coyne, Vice-President of the Dupont Co. Miss Ellis' brother, Clifton, who was also a student at the local college is making good in the business world. After leaving Salisbury, he went to Chile for the Dupont Co. and remained there nearly three years. He recently returned to this country and has since secured employment in New York City where he is getting an unusual salary for a boy of his age.

The following young people from Wicomico County have entered the local college. G. Ruth Parsons, LeRoy E. Elzey, Anna E. Wilson, all of Salisbury; Ida M. Cooper, Ethel M.

Wooten, Mary E. Robinson, Anna M. Jones, Lolita Waller, all of Delmar; Marian Pusey, Hebron.

### Just What She Needed.

"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets some time ago and they proved to be just what I needed," writes Mrs. Volta Bankson, Chillicothe, Mo. "They not only relieved me of indigestion but toned up my liver and rid me of backache and dizziness that I had been subject to for some time. They did me a world of good and I will always speak a good word for them."—Adv't.

### Normal Graduate Marries.

Miss Olive Gillis, a graduate of the State Normal School, Towson, in 1917, and Robert W. Parks, of Folley Farm, near Towson, were married Friday morning at the home of the bride, Quantico, Md. Samuel P. Casen, of Towson, was best man, and Miss Miriam Gillis, was maid of honor. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Parks will live at Folley Farm.

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## COUNTY NEWS

### DELMAR NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Long of Fruitland and Mrs. Bessie Culver and little daughter of N. J. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Culver over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. German and Miss Clarissa German of Salisbury, stopped over night here on Monday on their way to visit relatives in Philadelphia and Wilmington.

Mr. Herman Calhoun and family has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Calhoun, and many other friends and relatives in Delmar. They returned to their home this week in Camden, N. J.

On Thursday August 28th a meeting of representatives of organized labor on the N. Y., P. & N. R. R. met in Delmar. The meeting was called to order by J. F. Thorington, to organize a Plumb Plan publicity campaign on the Delmarvia Peninsula, all organizations on the above railroad were represented, representing about 1750 men. A great amount of enthusiasm was shown, and great and good benefits are expected to be derived from the organization both to railroad employees and the public at large in the closer relationship between all railroad employees and the enactment into law of the bill now pending in Congress known as the Plumb bill. The following officers were nominated and elected for the education and publicity of this great and paramount question now before the public. H. M. Waller, Chairman; S. M. Yingling, Vice Chairman; J. F. Thorington, Treasurer; J. E. McLernon, Secretary.

The house and contents on the Salisbury farm, near Smith's school house were consumed by fire on Wednesday. The loss to Edward Carrol, the tenant, will be heavy, as he had no insurance.

When Mrs. William J. Reed, of lower Sussex, put her hand in the hen's nest, after eggs, the other day, a large snake coiled itself around her arm. With a quick move she managed to shake it loose and called her husband, who brought his gun and killed the reptile. It was a black snake, six feet long.

A few days ago, Mrs. L. A. Pool of Houston, was entertaining Mrs. Thos. E. Davis, wife of the Baptist minister of Milford, Mrs. Charles Zack, also of Milford, and Mrs. Mary Appleton, of Philadelphia. She invited them to view her fine breed of chickens and while in the laying house Mrs. Zack was in the act of putting her hand in a nest to remove the eggs, she heard a hissing noise and saw a large snake just in the nest. Frank Johnson, who killed the snake, said it was a Boston hornet, a very poisonous reptile. It measured about five and a half feet long.

### MT. HERMON NEWS.

Misses Alyce Conley, Nellie Bounds, Alma and Irene Gravenor have returned to their homes in Sharptown after attending a house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tilghman.

There was preaching at Mt. Hermon Church last Sunday. The sermon was very much enjoyed. There will be Sunday School on the 14th of September at 10 o'clock. The Church officials would like to have a big crowd as they are expecting to give out recitations for the Rally Day Service.

Mr. A. H. Parker spent a few days in Baltimore last week.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Ennis last week. There were five new members brought into our Society. Music and games were the special features of the evening. At a late hour, refreshments were served and the people returned to their homes after spending a very enjoyable evening.

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### SHARPTOWN NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mooney were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hastings spent Monday in Laurel.

Messrs. Elmer Wood, Pierce Harper, George and Charles Wright of Chester, Pa., were the Sunday and Monday guests of Mrs. Lena Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Trigg and Miss Katharine Darby, of Salisbury, and Mrs. Vernon Blaford, of Norfolk, Va., were the guests on Sunday of L. T. Cooper and family.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Gordy, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gordy and Miss Maryon Farre spent Sunday at Ocean City.

Miss Ethel Elliott accompanied by her brother spent a few days in Baltimore.

Wildy Elzey accidentally cut Capt. Major Elzey's ankle with the blade of a mower.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey of Quantico are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Covington.

Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Zimmerman and son Oscar who have been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Gravenor returned to their home in Philadelphia on Monday accompanied by Miss Ruth Gravenor.

Mrs. Gertrude Reynolds and her brother Percy of Baltimore are visiting friends in town.

Henry Sauerhoff of Baltimore is the guest of his sister Mrs. Ned R. Bounds.

Elmer Bailey and family of Wilmington are the guests of his mother, Mrs. Rhoda Bailey.

Mrs. Nellie McCue left on Sunday to join her husband, Major J. G. McCue, at Quantico, Va.

Rev. J. W. Prettyman, accompanied his daughter, Miss Ruth, to Washington last week.

### WILLARDS NEWS.

Miss Margaret Jerman leaves Saturday next to attend the Maryland State Normal School.

The community is very sorry to report that Mr. Joseph A. Baker is sick.

There will be preaching at Bethel M. E. Church next Sunday by Rev. G. A. Allen, pastor of Powellville charge. Revival Services will begin Sept. 21 at New Hope M. P. Church. Services conducted by Rev. Hooper.

Plans are said to be under way to have a shell road from Willards to Green Branch School. The county has agreed to furnish shells if the public will lay the road.

Mrs. Margaret C. Jerman and daughter Mary, also granddaughter Margaret, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lynch last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and son Chester, visited relatives in Powellville Sunday.

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## ACTIVE CAMPAIGNING BY BOTH PARTIES

Candidate Nice And His Associates Make Another Tour Of County.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES ARE LIKELY TO BE HERE AGAIN.

Both Organizations Of The Old Parties Are Making A strenuous Fight To Have Their Candidates Meet All The People Before November.

Candidate Harry W. Nice and his associates on the Republican ticket were at Ocean City last Sunday where Mr. Nice has his family for a few weeks and on Monday they came to Salisbury to make another tour of Wicomico. Being Court weeks they were at the Court House Monday meeting the people and in the afternoon, went by automobile into several districts of Wicomico to thoroughly cover the territory from one end of the county to the other.

This followed a visit of the Democratic State candidates who were here a few days ago going over the city and county and it is expected that both the Democratic and Republican State nominees will be back here during the campaign and will hold some public meetings in Salisbury later on.

At the rate which both the State tickets are travelling over Maryland at the election they will probably be better known among the rank and file of the voters than have the nominees of both parties for many years past. It is expected that before the end of the campaign, it will resolve itself down to a house to house canvass on the part of the State ticket as well as the local candidates on the tickets of both parties throughout the State.

There is no reason why plenty of enthusiasm should not be aroused before election day at the present rate the candidates are visiting the various localities and meeting the people. It reminds us more of one of the old time campaigns than any we have seen since the memorable fight between Blair Lee and Governor Harrington in 1915.

The next big work which both parties will have to tackle will be the registration which begins in September and here will be the chance for the most active work on the part of all the candidates. The registration books are probably in the worst condition for both parties than they have been for many years, as during the war, no attempt was made to clean up the books by either Party and hundreds of names are on the books which have no right to be there and there are hundreds of young voters who have not been registered in the past three years. If both organizations do their full duty and get all these people registered, it will make a material difference in the vote next November and if the old policy of swearing off all the voters who have left the state are carried out this

year, there will be many failures who failing to get his removal certificate will be without a vote in November.

### Held For Non-Support.

Laurel, Sept. 8.—Fred E. Wilkerson, son of a respectable white family, was arraigned before Magistrate Arthur S. Hearn, Saturday, charged with desertion and non-support. In default of \$1,000 bail for court, and in default of surety he was committed to the county jail at Georgetown. Wilkerson also got into trouble, last year, by failing to register in the last draft. Later he went to Georgetown to register and tried to obtain exemption, but his appeal met with no consideration and he was promptly inducted into the army. He was sent to France with the first contingent. About a month ago he was given his discharge and returned to Laurel, but made it evident by his words and actions that he was through with his young wife, and she finally obtained a warrant for his arrest. Wilkerson is 28 years of age and the couple have one small child.

### Assigned To Peace Conference.

First Lieutenant Dorsey Richardson, United States Field Artillery, has cabled his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Richardson, of Baltimore, and well known in Salisbury, that he has been assigned to the Peace Conference, and is now at the Hotel Crillon, Paris. Lieutenant Richardson recently arrived in Paris with the relief mission from Russia, of which Col. John C. Groome was in command, and had expected to return to this country immediately. Lieut. Richardson is a well-known post graduate student of the Johns Hopkins University, who sailed for France with the American Expeditionary Forces December, 1917, and served with the famous 2nd Division Regulars until after the battles of Chateau-Thierry and Belleau Wood. Since then he has been detached for special work, before and after serving with the Army of Occupation.

### Delmar Church Project.

The Delmar A. M. E. Zion Mission is appealing for funds to build a new church in Delmar to accommodate a greater number of persons, and have more facilities than the building where services are now being held near the state road at the side of the old white Protestant Church. The new church is to be built out of the contributions of interested persons, and stones are already being hauled on the ground. A tangible contribution is requested from everyone who desires to see this new and more commodious building erected and such money donations will please be sent to Rev. W. W. Brown, at Delmar.

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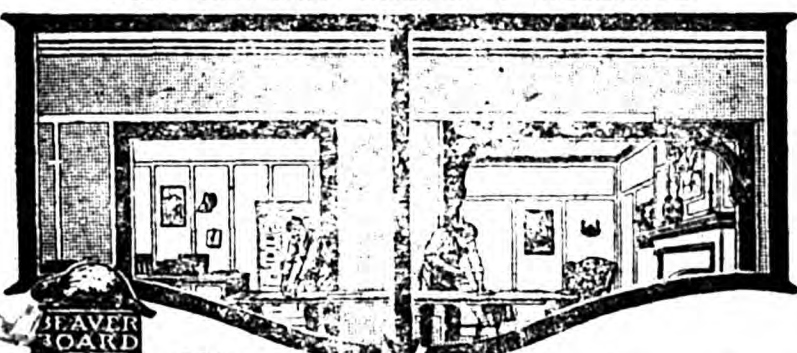
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## Under The Shade Of The Old Farm Trees

Items of Interest Relative To Rural Life And Things Worth Knowing In Connection With The Home Farm.

### Treating Seed Wheat For Diseases.

A conservative estimate, based on a recent survey, would put the loss from wheat diseases in Maryland this year at one million bushels up to harvest time. Most of this loss was caused by scab, rust, loose and stinking smut, while a few cases of black stem, root rot and nematodes were found in one or two instances. Of the important prevalent diseases loose and stinking smut or bunt are the only ones which can be controlled by treating the seed previous to planting.

In the control of scab, rust and other maladies which cannot be controlled by seed-treatment, it will be advisable to clean the seed thoroughly by fanning out all the light, diseased grains, and to practice a good system of rotation so as to avoid too frequent plantings of wheat in the same field.

The loose smut, sometimes known as "black-head", is very prevalent throughout the state and causes considerable loss. The only remedy that is effective for this disease is what is known as the modified hot-water treatment. However, this method is not suitable for general use since a slight increase in the exact temperature of the water required may kill the wheat germ or a corresponding decrease fail to destroy the disease organism. The Extension Service Specialists will conduct demonstrations along this line wherever possible.

The stinking smut or bunt is the easiest of all to control. In treating seed for this disease it is necessary, first, to thoroughly clean the seed. The smut balls are lighter than the good grains and can be easily blown out. Then the good seed can be treated with some of the formaldehyde treatments, preferably by sprinkling the wheat with a solution of 1 pint of 40 per cent. formaldehyde to 40 or 50 gallons of water, putting on about three quarts of this solution to the bushel. This is best applied by the use of a sprinkling can. The floor is sprinkled first and the wheat is slowly scooped into a pile while it is being sprinkled. It is advisable to scoop the wheat over at least two or three times so that all of the grains may become more or less covered with the solution, after which the pile of grain is covered with bags or a canvas from 4 to 6 hours. The cover is taken off and the grain is spread out to dry. It can be seeded immediately, but in that case the drill should be set to plant at least one more peck to the acre than if dry seed were being used. The sacks should be dipped into the solution and the hopper of the grain drill should be sprinkled.

In those cases where the smut balls cannot be cleaned out of the wheat, it should be immersed in the solution—a small amount at a time, and after stirring the smut balls and the light grain should be skimmed off with a bit of screen wire or some utensil. The stirring and skimming should be continued until all of the smut balls have been removed. The wheat is then drained and spread out to dry. The solution can be used over and over.

### Raising Calves Without Milk.

"The problem of raising calves in Maryland is perplexing because practically all the milk produced for market is sold as whole milk to city milk plants, condenseries, or dry milk plants," says G. E. Wolcott, Dairy Specialist of the Extension Service of the Maryland State College. "This leaves the calf high and dry. The dairyman cannot afford to feed high priced whole milk. The feeding of whole milk for two weeks then gradually substituting a calf meal or a so-called milk substitute has been tried out with success by many farmers. The general practice is to give the calf a good start on whole milk, feeding eight to twelve pounds a day for at least two weeks after which a gruel made of calf meal and water is gradually substituted for the whole milk."

"A home-mixed calf meal known as the Purdie Mixture is composed of equal parts, by weight, of hominy feed, linseed meal, red dog flour and dried blood. One pound of this mixture is a fair substitute for four and one-half quarts of milk. The meal is made into a thick paste by adding a

small quantity of cold water and stirring out all lumps. Boiling water is then added at the rate of four and one half quarts to one pound of the mixture. It is a good plan to heat the gruel to 145 degrees for thirty minutes, then cool to about 95 degrees. The gruel should be fed at the same rate as skim milk.

"The calf should be taught to eat grain and hay when two weeks' old. A good grain mixture is made of four parts corn meal, one part bran and one part linseed meal."

### Damaged Wheat As Feed For Poultry And Hogs.

"I would strongly urge the plentiful use of shrivelled grains that are free from mold for poultry feeding," says H. W. Rickey, Poultry Specialist of the Extension Service. "The shrinkage in the wheat is due to lack of water, while its food value is to all intents and purposes equal to that of the highest grade. If this wheat is put on the market it will grade very low and in all probability most of it will be bought by the manufacturers, turned into stock feed and resold to the farmer at a big profit. Therefore, it will be to the growers interest to feed all wheat of this kind that can be used economically."

"In the utilization of the sprouted grains a difficult problem is presented. Most of the grain is apt to be moldy and if fed without due precaution may cause serious losses from disease. All such grain should be spread out in an open barn or shed, turned frequently and thoroughly dried before it is used for feed. In addition to this precaution it would be well to put it in a hot oven just previous to feeding for several minutes or until some of the grains show signs of charring. This high temperature should kill all molds and thus precaution infection."

"Damaged or faulty feed of any kind is not desirable for livestock feeding," says Dr. S. S. Buckley, Livestock Specialist of the Extension Service. "However, when feed stuffs become damaged there remains a certain feeding value which cannot be sacrificed and its utilization as stock feed becomes a real necessity and economy. This applies to large stores of wheat on farms throughout Maryland at this time. Sprouted wheat, moldy wheat and mildewed have practically no market and yet possess considerable food value."

"It is recommended that such wheat be thoroughly dried, as soon as possible, to prevent further damage. Then use this as part of the ration for hogs. Where used in not greater amounts than 50 per cent weight of the ration, it will probably serve in supplying a cheaper ration and furnish the best possible market for the large stores of wheat now on the farms in the state."

### BIG YIELD OF SWEET POTATOES IN LOWER DEL. & MARYLAND

Some Farmers Averaging 300 Bushels To Acre, Largest Acreage Ever.

The farmers from lower Delaware and Maryland have begun to dig their sweet potato crop and, from present indications, the yield will be the largest ever known. One farmer said he would realize 3,000 baskets from 10 acres, an average of 300 baskets to the acre. This is a fair indication of all the potatoes planted in this section, according to the brokers and growers. The acreage put out this year is also the largest ever known in this part of the peninsula.

Owing to a ruling by the Government concerning storing of vegetables for a profit, it is said a great many of the brokers of this part of the peninsula will not buy sweet potatoes and store them, as in former years, but will let the farmer store them and then buy them from him. Already some of the farmers are dealing with the brokers to rent their storage houses.

While sweet potatoes have dropped in price considerably during the past week in Accomac and Northampton counties, Virginia, where there is a bumper crop, the growers and brokers here are looking forward to an upward trend in the market within the next few days.

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Two years ago last March Colin McNicol came to Sussex county, Delaware, from Stratford, Perth county, Ontario, Canada, and purchased a 35-acre farm, located a little more than one mile from Greenwood, believing Lower Delaware a virgin field for the production of early produce for the city markets. He had heard of the wonderful possibilities in that section and believed that by close application of his knowledge of starting plants in greenhouses he could make a success. His hopes have been realized, and today farmers in his section are wondering how he has been able to produce such results. Colin McNicol comes of that sturdy Canadian stock which produces tireless workers, has a knowledge of treatment of the soils to obtain the best results and takes the time to sit down by lamplight and figure the actual cost of an acre of anything that he may plant.

#### Revolutionized Tomato Growing.

He has revolutionized tomato growing in his locality, and from 1 1/4 acres he already has realized this season \$289.46, picking 260 baskets of select fruit, and finished marketing two weeks before other farmers started to pick.

His method of cultivation is quite different from that of the average grower in that he used a five-tooth cultivator both ways, the plants being set 3 feet and 10 inches apart. The plants for the early patch were started in greenhouses and later transplanted in cold frames under glass and canvas. The seed were saved from selected plants during the summer of 1918. The seed were sown about March 1. The plants were set about May 15 and the first ripe tomatoes picked on July 4. His first shipment, on July 15, consisted of five baskets, for which he received in New York city \$3.25 a basket.

He states that his yield was only normal, due to unfavorable weather conditions in the early spring and plant diseases, one of which was the "collar rot", which seemed to cause the plant to decay just above the ground. To overcome this difficulty he planted them deep to start a new root growth above the part affected.

Growers in lower Delaware for the last 20 years have been endeavoring to get early tomatoes in order to realize fancy prices in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Wilmington markets. Mr. McNicol, having wide experience in the Northern climes, where most of the plants have to be started in greenhouses, has solved the problem, which will probably cause a wonderful development in growing the fruit in the future. Experiments are expected to be continued by him and he expects to be in a position to make shipments the latter part of June next year.

#### Started in Greenhouses.

In an interview on his remarkable success in growing early tomatoes, thus getting the high prices at a time when few are being shipped other than from the Southern States, Mr. McNicol stated:

"Our early crop was grown on very thin soil of sassafras loam. The land was first plowed and prepared by turning under a thin stand of rye. It was then harrowed smoothly, followed by marking with a corn-planter one way. We then used a one-horse plow to open up the rows, the horse following the mark made by the corn-planter, going over it twice so as to leave the bottom of the row as wide as possible. Into this was thinly spread about five tons of good barnyard manure to the acre, supplemented by about 800 pounds of fertilizer analyzing 3 per cent. nitrogen and about 10 per cent. phosphoric acid spread by hand on top of the manure. The one-horse cultivator was run along the rows to mix the manure and fertilizer with the soil. The soil was then turned on the manure and the corn-planter run the opposite way, after which the plants were set. The crop was cultivated both ways with a five-tooth cultivator until the plants met in the rows."

The plants in the first place, were started in a small greenhouse covered by 10 eash, each 3 feet by 6 feet, being heated by a small fire. When about three inches high they were transplanted into cold frames about 3 inches by 3 inches apart, both ways. The frames were in part covered by glass and canvas.

### THE A B C OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

By DR. FRANK CRANE.

1. What is the League of Nations? A. A union of the strongest civilized nations formed at the conclusion of the great war.

2. What is its object?

A. First, to promote the Peace of the World by agreeing not to resort to war. Second, to deal openly, with each other, not by secret treaties. Third, to improve international law. Fourth, to co-operate in all matters of common concern.

3. Does it presume to end war?

A. No more than any government can end crime. It claims to reduce the liability of war.

4. What will be done to any nation that makes war?

A. It will be boycotted and otherwise penalized.

5. How else will the probability of war be lessened?

A. By voluntary, mutual and proportionate disarmament; by exchanging military information, by providing for arbitration, by protecting each nation's territorial integrity and by educating public opinion to see the folly of war.

6. What else does the League propose to do for Mankind?

A. (1) Secure fair treatment for labor,

(2) suppress the White Slave Traffic, the sale of dangerous Drugs, and the traffic in War Munitions,

(3) control and prevent Disease,

(4) promote the work of the Red Cross, and

(5) establish International Bureaus for other Causes that concern the human race.

7. Who are to be Charter Members of the League?

A. The United States of America, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, British Empire, Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, India, China, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Ecuador, France, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hedjaz, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Serbia, Siam, Uruguay and the following states which are invited to accede to the covenant: Argentina Republic, Chili, Colombia, Denmark, Netherlands, Norway, Paraguay, Persia, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Venezuela.

8. What other nations may join?

A. Any self-governing State which will agree to the rules of the League, provided the League accepts it.

9. What Agencies will the League have?

A. (1) An Assembly, composed of representatives of all the member Nations,

(2) a Council of Nine,

(3) a Secretary-General,

(4) a Mandatory Commission, to look after colonies, etc.,

(5) a Permanent Commission, for military questions,

(6) various International Bureaus; such as the Postal Union, etc.,

(7) Mandatories.

10. What is a Mandatory?

A. Some one nation designated by the League to attend to the welfare of "backward peoples residing in colonies of the Central Empires, or in territories taken from them." This is to be a "sacred trust," and in selecting a mandatory the wishes of the people of the area in question shall be the principal consideration.

11. Does the League mean a Super-nation?

A. No. It interferes in no way with any Nation's Sovereignty, except to limit its power to attack other nations.

12. Can any Nation withdraw when it wishes?

A. Yes. The League is Advisory and Co-operative, not coercive.

13. Does the League put Peace above Justice and National Honor?

A. No. It puts Reason before Violence.

14. Does not the League take away the Constitutional right of Congress to declare war?

A. No. The League can advise war; Congress alone can Declare war.

15. Does it destroy the Monroe Doctrine?

A. Exactly the contrary. For the first time in history the other nations recognize the Monroe Doctrine; and extend it to all the world.

16. Does it not interfere with Treaty Making Powers of the United States?

A. No. It is a Treaty. We can make any Treaty we please.

17. Would we have had the Great War if we had had this League?

A. No. That War cost the world over 7,000,000 lives and 200,000,000 dollars.

18. Of what importance is the League?

A. It is the greatest deed of mankind in the history of the world.

19. Has not anyone a right to object to the League?

A. Yes. This is a free country. Any one has a right to any opinion he chooses.

20. Why is the League so bitterly opposed by a few?

A. Because, unfortunately, any Treaty or League must be made by the President, and a President is chosen by a political party and many members of the opposite Party think they must deny whatever he does.

### Mares After Foaling Need Best of Care

Good care of the mare after foaling will always repay the farmer. Lack of care and attention when they are needed may often result in the loss of the mare or in bad after effects.

The mare should not be fed heavy grain or hay for the first 24 hours after parturition and the first feeding should consist of a bran mash with a little cooked flaxseed meal in it. A little oatmeal soaked in warm water also is appropriate. If the mare is constipated give laxative feed. In 2 or 3 days, if doing well, she may be put back on dry feeds. In a week, if she is put back to work, she can have full feed. The mare may be put in harness, if light work is done, 2 or 3 days after foaling, but it is hard on the foal and may injure the mare's udder. It is best to turn the mare and foal in a lot where they can exercise and yet be quiet, but care should be taken at first to see the foal is not chilled by staying out too long in cool, disagreeable weather or by lying on cold, damp ground. They should not be on grass if the mare has not been on grass before.

In a little over a week the mare may be safely put to work provided she previously had been worked. If the foal is left in the stall, the mare should be brought to the stable in the middle of the forenoon and afternoon in order that the foal may get its food, but in no case should a foal suckle a mare that is very warm, as digestive disorders are likely to follow. If possible, do not use the mare for purposes which will keep her away from the farm for a long time, as the foal will either go too long without nursing or else will be worn out by following the mare. When left at the stable the foal should be kept in a roomy, clean box stall if company with another one of about the same age if possible.

At about 2 months of age the foal will take dry feed, which should be supplied through the dam's grain box. This makes it necessary to furnish her with such feeds as ground oats, corn meal, and bran. A little later on a "creep" should be built in the stall or pasture, inside of which the foal can be supplied with grain without having to share it with its mother. A creep is simply a partition that will keep the mare out of the enclosure, but which is far enough from the ground so that the foal can walk under it. A handful of ground oats should be given at first, and the quantity should be increased slowly as the foal grows. The maximum amount should be about 1 pound a day till weaning time.

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Thrift is now one of the subjects being taught to thousands of foreign-born workers who are attending Americanization classes throughout the United States in factories, shops, churches and night schools.

As a majority of the attendants at these classes speak but little or no English, the study of language constitutes one of the principal subjects taught, a half hour drill being held at each session. The method was devised for the National Y. M. C. A. and is published by that organization. The lessons are short, consisting of about twenty simple sentences on everyday matters, and a class is taught by repeating one sentence at a time after the teacher, who illustrates it with motions and objects.

"I look at my watch," says the teacher, who takes out his own watch. The class repeats this in chorus, then individually. The next sentence deals with numbers and the telling of time. All sentences are linked together, and each teaches at least one new word with connectives. At the end of the lesson it is shown to the class in printed form on a chart.

At the request of the Treasury Department, a special thrift lesson dealing with War Savings Stamps has been written and is now in the hands of American secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. all over the country. This lesson is an excellent illustration of the method by which thousands of foreign-born workers are now learning English, and it is as follows:

Has—John has some money.  
Puts—He puts it in a stocking.  
Says—Jim says: "It is not safe."  
Answers—John answers: "Not I will see."

Looks—He looks for his money.  
Is Stolen—The money is stolen.  
Saves—John saves more money.  
Asks—He asks: "How can I keep my money?"

Says—Jim says: "See this, John."  
Shows—Jim shows him a book of War Savings Stamps.  
Says—John says: "Where did you get it?"

Buys—John buys some War Savings Stamps.  
Puts—He puts them in a book.  
Says—John says: "This is safe and good."

Buys—John buys more stamps.  
Says—He says: "America is safe and so is my money."

### THE LUCKY THREE

Only three men out of every hundred have a savings account at the age of forty-five, ninety-seven per cent of them losing their entire savings in some reverse.

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### STOCKHOLDERS GET U. S. THRIFT APPEAL

Corporations Mail War Savings Stamp Notice When Sending Out Dividends.

Not only is thrift becoming a part of the general education of the people of small and moderate means who are being taught and encouraged to cultivate habits of wise saving and sensible spending; efforts are being made to attract to the thrift campaign the stockholders of practically every large corporation in the United States.

Already twenty-six of the largest corporations in the country have agreed to mail with notices of dividend payments to stockholders in lieu of investing their stock earnings in War Savings Stamps. These corporations which have an exceedingly wide distribution of stock are among the largest dividend paying corporations in the United States.

Some of them already are mailing thrift inserts to their stockholders and others have agreed to do so upon the next dividend date. The inserts which stockholders receive along with their dividend notices are as follows:

"Double your resources by investing savings regularly."  
"Did you ever stop to consider how easily and rapidly you can accumulate a considerable sum by investing small amounts regularly at compound interest?"

"You can begin at once by investing all or part of your savings in War Savings Stamps of the 1919 issue which you can buy in any amount up to \$1,000. They bear four per cent interest, compounded quarterly."

"If you should have an unexpected call for ready cash before your stamps mature, January 1, 1934, you can redeem all or any number of them at any time, for the full purchase price, plus interest."

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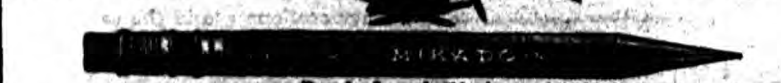
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## SOME OBSERVATIONS OF THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

School Population In This City Shows How Rapidly Salisbury Is Growing.

**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE THIS YEAR WILL REACH 2,500.**

Seems Impossible To Build Schoolhouses Fast Enough To Accommodate The Growing Youth—Same Conditions Prevail Elsewhere.

In scanning the columns of the last issue of The Wicomico News, the Man About Town noticed a very significant fact in the number of school children entered on the rolls of the public schools of Salisbury at the beginning of the fall term. If our memory serves us right, there were in the neighborhood of 1600 children enrolled the first day and as the schools do not generally get the full number of children at the first of the session, it is likely that this number will be augmented by at least 200 more before November 1st. This means only white children, as the colored schools do not open until sometime in October when there will be an additional 400 or 500 scholars in the colored department.

The school attendance of a town or city is probably the best index as to its growth in population. The school authorities believe that if all the children in Salisbury above the age of six years were started to school as the law required that we would have at least a school population of 2500 among the whites and probably 800 among the colored people. This is a very rapid growth over a few years ago when the writer can well remember that the old Salisbury Academy which stood on the lot where the residence of Mr. Quillen now stands, a small school house in California and a four room school on East Chestnut Street took care of all the school children in this city and the rooms in those days were not all well filled. At the old Salisbury Academy the high school department occupied the entire lower floor consisting of one room and the grammar school the upper floor consisting of one room. Since that time, the population of Salisbury has grown so steadily that almost every year it has been a problem what to do with our school children, and the problem is as pressing today as ever in our history. Speaking with a member of the Board of Education, the News man was told that there was need at the present time for a four-room building in that section of the city known as California, and in fact, an eight room building would probably ease the situation very much more.

As the matter now stands we have the Wicomico High School, which is a very large structure; the Camden graded school, another large building; one equally as commodious in East Salisbury with two others on Bell Street and Chestnut Street, and then the School Board is forced to rent out side space in order to fairly accommodate the demands made on the Board of Education for seating capacity for the children. The same thing holds good with the colored population, where the school buildings are so overcrowded as to make them almost unsanitary and renders the education of the young very laborious to the teaching force.

It is very evident that the school facilities in Salisbury must be very greatly enlarged before another school year and as the County Commissioners seem unable to provide money sufficient to properly equip the educational department of the county with school buildings, from the tax levy, it is absolutely certain that the taxpayers of this city will have to get together and make demands for some other system of providing school facilities for the children.

The school facilities of Delmar, which have been so meagre for many years past, will, we are glad to say, be properly provided for after the completion of the new \$80,000 building which is now being erected at that place, but there are some other towns in the county which are growing so rapidly as to soon make it necessary to either enlarge or build new schoolhouses to take care of their children. Something in this line is now being done at Willards to tide over the emergency of a year or so, but Willard is growing very rapidly at the present time and it will be but a short while before that population will be knocking at the door of the County Commissioners' office demanding bigger school facilities for their neighborhood, and it is almost certain that other sections are in the same critical condition. Providing accommodation for school children is a question which has for many years proven one of the most serious in the history of all growing communities and in most cases, they are all in the same deplorable condition as is Salisbury and Wicomico County, as it seems almost

impossible to get sufficient funds to build schoolhouses fast enough to meet the growing population.

Some of our people are already beginning to surmise what Salisbury will show in the way of population in the census which is to be taken next year. Many believe that the town will show as many as 12,000 population while more conservative estimates place the number at 10,000 but certainly from the appearance of the number of people on our streets daily and the crowded condition of all public places, it would appear that Salisbury will show up in the next census as one of the largest towns in Maryland outside of Baltimore, Cumberland and Hagerstown.

### MAN ABOUT TOWN.

### SEEMS NO TRUTH IN RUMOR OF CHANGE IN FREIGHT YARD

Reports That N. Y., P. & N. Freight Station Would Be Moved Untrue.

It has been rumored on the streets for several weeks that there would be a change in the freight station and yards of the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad and that in the very near future, South Salisbury would be selected for these activities instead of the present location on East Church Street. These rumors carried with them a report that when the Jackson Bros. Co. were through with their large mills on the West side of South Division Street, that the plant might be taken over by the Railroad Company for the purposes of freight yards and warehouses, there being already a large area of track laid in the yard running in every direction.

The editors of the News have endeavored to find out if there is any truth in these reports as some of our leading wholesale houses have recently begun to acquire property in the neighborhood of the present freight station with the intention of establishing their wholesale houses along Railroad Avenue so as to be close to shipping points, and for the purpose of aiding these merchants in getting a satisfactory line on the situation that we have endeavored to find out if there was any truth in the report. Up to date, we have been unable to verify the rumors and in fact, some of the high officials of Broad Street Station have informed us that they know of no such move at the present time.

It is true that present freight facilities of the N. Y., P. & N. railroad located near Cemetery Street are very much curtailed and there is not sufficient room to handle the business in a satisfactory way, and some of our leading wholesale people would not be averse to seeing the station moved to South Salisbury or some other location where there would be more room for handling business and the Jackson plant would be an ideal spot but the people of Salisbury are much more interested in seeing this plant run at its present capacity rather than turn into a freight yard.

### "BOB" COLLINS AND PARTY IN BAD ACCIDENT

Auto Crashes Into Telegraph Pole On Ocean City Road.

Crashing into a telegraph pole on the Ocean City road Thursday night while driving a party of friends in his Hudson super-six, Robert Collins, of Laurel, sustained a broken arm; Miss Blanche Long, of Delmar, was badly shaken up and sustained several abrasions and lacerations of the scalp; Howard Furniss, of Bethel, sustained shock and injury to his back and Miss Anna Riggan, of Bethel, the fourth member of the party escaped uninjured.

According to the story told by Furniss the car was going at a high rate of speed when a curve was reached. Either some mishap to the steering gear or the high speed caused Collins to lose control. The car struck the heavy pole and was overturned. That the party did not suffer more serious injury is miraculous.

At the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Friday morning it was said that Collins had minor bruises and lacerations in addition to his broken arm, and that the condition of Miss Long was not serious. At the Furniss home in Bethel, young Mr. Furniss was reported to be confined to his bed, but not believed to have been seriously injured.

### "LOOKOUT OF WORCESTER" WINS TWO BLUE RIBBONS

"Lookout of Worcester No. 74777," the six months old Hampshire boar which is to head the herd of C. C. Holloway and A. E. Bradford on the former's farm in Queponco, was exhibited at Pocomoke and Salisbury fairs, and easily won first prizes at each place. He attracted considerable attention, and many progressive farmers have already placed their order for the offspring of this splendid animal.

This pig despite the effects of inoculation against cholera, the heat,

close quarters and transportation to and from the fairs continued to gain weight and now weighs considerably above 200. He is a grandson of the famous "Lookout Lad," the great \$5,000 unbeaten champion, and bids fair to equal the unusual record of his great ancestor.

This splendid animal was purchased by the present owners from Mr. Benjamin A. Johnson, of Salisbury, who regarded the pig as one of the choicest of his herd of Hampshires.



A SURE SIGN.

"Do you really need a new overcoat this winter?"  
"I guess I must. My wife admits that I do."

### NEARNESS.

"You boys will have to sing about 'brown October near-beer' instead of 'brown October ale.'"  
"The near-beer substitution won't be altogether inappropriate," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop. "Most of it is only near-singing."

### MIDSEASON FORM, ALMOST.

We are now enjoying that season of the year when the mortality among grandmothers who are unfortunate enough to have small boy fans for grandsons, begins to be very fast on the bases.

### TOO PUBLIC.

"I can't use this envelope with the 'wingless front.'"  
"Why not?"  
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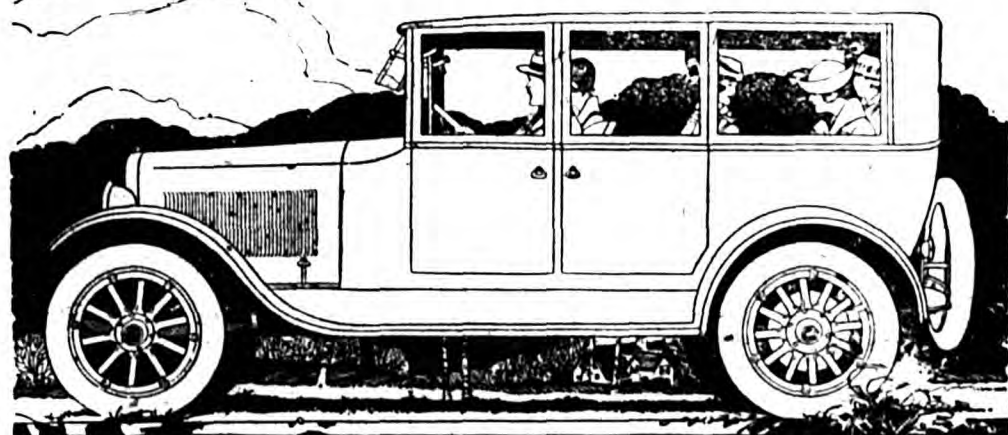
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This car seats seven persons most comfortably or five when auxiliary chairs are not in use. The front seat is solid, not divided as in previous models, and the window posts are a permanent part of the body, not removable. The windows, however, may be lowered away or adjusted to suit the weather and the wish. The entire interior is upholstered in finest quality silk-plush of pleasing pattern for cushions and plain tone for head lining. Interior fittings are in dull silver finish.

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Has a mill on tract. The farm is improved by a good 7-room Dwelling, with a new medium size Barn.

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Ten or twelve acres in Young Pine Timber. Also 40,000 feet of Gum and Maple Timber. Good residences; fair outbuildings. Telephone to the house. Apply to

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Aug. 28-31.

INFORMATION FOR CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, and endorsed "Proposals for building a section of State Aid Highway in Wicomico County" as follows: Contract No. 412, Salisbury-Snow Hill Road, 1.68 mile, Contract No. 322, Salisbury-Mantoloking Road, 1.07 mile. Each section to be of concrete, 15 feet width of pavement, will be received by the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, at their office in the Court House at Salisbury, Md., until 12 o'clock noon, of the twenty-third day of September, 1914, and at that time and place will be publicly opened and read.

All bids must be made upon blank forms to be obtained of the State Roads Commission, 501 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Md., must give the prices proposed both in writing and in figures and must be signed by the bidder, with his address.

Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check for Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), payable to the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, said check to be returned to the bidder unless he fails to execute the contract should be awarded to him. The successful bidder will be required to give bond and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

Plans can be seen and forms of specification and contract may be obtained on cash payment of One Dollar (\$1.00) at the office of the State Roads Commission, Baltimore, Md.

The County Commissioners of Wicomico County reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

By order of the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, Maryland.

MARION M. NELSON, President.

H. M. CLARK, Roads Engineer.

Sept. 4-21.

ORDER NIEL.

Majorie R. Gullett, et al. vs. Mary E. Krate, et al.

No. 2683 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland.

Ordered that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and made and reported by Frederick W. C. Webb, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twenty-second day of September, next, a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper printed in said Wicomico County, once in each of three successive weeks before the fifteenth day of September, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be three hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00).

J. CLAYTON KELLY, Clerk.

True Copy, Test: J. Clayton Kelly, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

SALLIE E. FREEMAN,

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

15th day of February, 1920,

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 12th day of August, 1919.

JOSHUA L. FREEMAN, Administrator.

Test: J. W. Dashiell, Register of Wills.

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C. EDGAR LAWE, Executor.

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## Irving, Five By ISOLA FORRESTER

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She was new to St. Mary's or she never would have asked to be placed in Irving, Five. Every nurse dodged duty there. Just the instant you opened the door, the uprising wailing clamor smote your ears, and if you had a ghost of an excuse, you fled then and there.

But Winona never "batted an eyelash," as Naylor said later to the laboratory doctor. Naylor was on duty daytimes, and when he entered the ward, just for the fraction of a minute, the wailing turned into a shrill cry of welcome.

"It's fierce on her—forty-seven beds, not counting the two 'coolers' for pneumonias, but it's a great old place if you can stand it." He looked at the new nurse critically. She was dark-haired, blue-eyed, vital-looking and smiling.

"I'm not a bit afraid," she told him, "and I love kiddies, especially sick ones."

So she had stayed on, and Anthony grew to look upon her as something necessary to the ward, like the flood of sunshine that poured down through the high south windows, or the flowers sent in every day from Mrs. Addington Gray's greenhouses out on Long Island.

Timmie found out more about her than any one, possibly because he was her favorite out of all the children who came and went in the little white beds of the long ward. Timmie was not a temporary case. He was a chronic, and only the interest of Dr. Naylor.



She Hung Up and Looked Out of the Window.

for kept him there on observation instead of sending him away to one of the "incurables," as the patients called them.

Timmie would limp up and down the ward with his spine brace behind him far back, and would make every child, who could laugh, wave back to him when he swung a little flag around his head and sang: There's the sound of marching feet, Coming down our village street, And I know my Billie Boy is almost home.

When the pain grew worse after a treatment, Winona would take him up in her arms and pet him, and it was at these specially private times that they exchanged confidences. Timmie said he was awfully lonesome because everybody else had folks come to see him and he never had a soul. It seemed there wasn't anyone to come.

"I ain't a home case. I'm from the Orphans'," he said confidentially. Then Winona told him not to worry. She was an orphan, too, and one reason why she had taken up nursing was because she didn't have any one who belonged to her, either, up at the big city on the lakes.

"We'll have to belong to each other, I guess," she said tenderly, and Timmie's arms tightened their grip around her neck as he agreed.

He told Dr. Naylor about it later when he was having an examination, and the doctor had glanced sharply down to the desk where she stood taking orders from the head nurse. And just then there came the daily load of flowers into the ward, and Timmie's brows drew together.

Why didn't Mrs. Gray ever come herself to see them? he asked. Flowers couldn't talk, could they? And Dr. Naylor explained with a little smile around his keen gray eyes that Mrs. Addington Gray was very busy, that she lived a long way from New York, and that he thought it very kind of her to send the flowers in every day.

"Did you tell her to send them?" asked Timmie with sudden suspicion, and the doctor acknowledged that he had, just when Winona came up with Timmie's two little glasses of medicine and caught the last fragment of their conversation.

Another bit of news Timmie told helped her to understand why the

young doctor's doctor with so beloved Irving, Five, was named for his mother, Mr. Mary Elizabeth Irving, and had been endowed by her. They were awfully rich folks, Timmie added confidentially, but he never held that against the doctor.

"He's just real folks, like us," he added, and Winona smiled a bit wistfully. Two months at St. Mary's had brought a strange new joy into her life, and she hardly dared think that Tony Naylor was responsible for it. Then came a day when all unexpectedly Irving, Five, had visitors, Mrs. Naylor and Mrs. Gray. Timmie coaxed Ella Kunick, a tall, thin girl of fourteen, to lift him up so he could peek down at the street and see the big dark blue limousine they had come in. And Mrs. Gray turned out to be very young and pretty, the ward agreed as she walked slowly up and down with Dr. Naylor.

"Will he marry her?" asked Timmie bluntly, when Mrs. Naylor bent over his chair. Twice he had been taken out in the blue car (with the doctor for a week and at his mother's home, and he felt he was a family friend. But Mrs. Naylor only smiled and patted his curly head in a way he hated, and he was left in a state of indecision.

It was the next week that the specialist operated on him. They did not tell Timmie it was going to happen, but he guessed it from Winona's tenderness, and when he came out from under the anesthetic he called for her first. It was at night and she was off duty, but Doctor Naylor sat beside him still, watching every change and pulse beat. And there in the darkened ward he heard Timmie's broken voice pleading for Winona.

"She's all alone like me, and no father or mother or anyone, and I don't want you to marry that Mrs. Gray. I want you to marry my nurse."

"How do you know she'd have me, Timmie?" Tony asked in a low tone. And Timmie, fearless under the gray cloud that was folding around him, told him he knew because Miss Burton said she liked him best. "We both said we liked you better than anybody else in the world."

After the tired lids had closed and Timmie was sleeping safely, Tony rose and looked at his watch. It was 8:35. He went downstairs to the telephone booth, where no one could hear him, and called up the nurses' registry club, where he knew Winona lived. She was in. He smiled at the surprise in her tone when she answered him. Yes, he said, Timmie was all right; doing fine. Didn't she think it would be a good idea to take him out to Edgewood for about a month? And would she care to go with him?

"But I couldn't leave the ward," said Winona. "I'd love to, but—"

Tony's voice was low and just a bit confused. Unusual conditions and special need, he urged.

"Listen, I'm coming over for you in the car. Take anybody you want with us. I want to run out home. It isn't late. Just take about half an hour to make it. I want to tell you something."

It would have to wait until morning, she told him. And even Timmie would have approved of the charge his doctor made in the face of defeat. Then he would be over at once, and tell her there. But it was too late for her to see anybody. She was tired and going to bed right away.

"Then I'll tell you here," said Tony insistently. "I've promised Timmie we'll be married as soon as he can walk."

"But he's an incurable. How could you?" she said softly.

"He'll be walking in a month," said Tony, happily. "That means August, Winona. I hate to talk over a house phone, dear, but this won't keep—"

"You'd better come over here and finish," said Winona, laughing anxiously. She hung up and looked out of the window. Up the street were the lights of St. Mary's, and in the fifth floor corner those of Irving, Five. She closed her eyes thankfully. Up there both Timmie and she had found "real folks" of their own.

Explaining Dreams.

A London physician, seeking not only the welfare of children, but support for the modern theory which seeks to account for dreams has made written records of dreams of over 5,000 school children between the ages of eight and sixteen years and finds that they support the belief that a dream is merely the expression of some desire, but changed in expression by one's subconsciousness in order that it may not awaken the sleeper. Frequently subconsciousness itself is caught napping and the sleeper awakens in a fright and says that he has suffered from a nightmare.

Wrong-Headed Philosophy.

Judge Luther McC. Lowell said in an address on divorce in Atlanta: "The woman who winds up divorced has usually a wrong-headed philosophy. Take her philosophy of men, for instance."

"A woman of this nature divides men into two classes, the sheep and the goats. The sheep are the husbands, the workers and the providers, while the goats are those fascinating devils who take her out to jazz teas and buy her platinum bags and gold anklet watches."

A Fair Inference.

"The cave man wanted something to eat and a leopard skin to wear."

"Well?"

"These secured I don't see what he did to put in his time."

"Judging from these stage exhibits he puts in all his spare time practicing classic dances."—Kansas City Journal.

## STORMS AND AIRPLANES.

Unlike the eagles that attended the first airmen who piloted his craft over the Alps, the storms that during the war have made acquaintance with airplanes in the Balkans recoiled them good-naturedly. Whether or not the storms thought the machines some new kind of bird, they were very much interested. When the planes landed, the storms would come gravely up to investigate, hopping on the wings of the motionless plane, and adding a picturesque touch to the scene which greatly entertained the aviators.

## THE MESSAGE.

"That was a wonderful ride of Paul Raver's."

"What was he riding for?" asked the girl with moving-picture eyes.

"Why to carry the message to those New England patriots."

"What was the matter? Were the telephone girls having a strike?"

## GRAVE INDECRETION.

Miss Primm—I should think that man would find a better place than a park bench to take his girl when he wants to make love to her.

Mr. Hardfax—It is reckless. Just think of the witnesses she might have planted in the bushes right behind him.

## COMPARISON.

"Your father was making only \$600 a year when I married him."

"Shucks, ma. Jim pays more than that for his income tax."

## A TRUE PATRIOT.

"Why don't you buy a new coat? This one has a hole in the lapel."

"I'm going to buy a Liberty bond. The button I get will cover that hole."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## SALISBURY TESTIMONY.

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# FORMER STATE SENATOR WHO DIED ON WEDNESDAY



Hon. Arthur P. Gorman.

## ARTHUR P. GORMAN DIES AT HOPKINS HOSPITAL

State Tax Commissioner Was Son Of  
Former U. S. Senator Gorman.

HAD BEEN ILL THREE YEARS  
WITH DIABETES.

Was Prominent In Political Affairs  
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ard County In The State Senate—  
Chairman State Tax Commission.

In the death of Arthur P. Gorman, son of United States Senator Arthur Pue Gorman, which occurred at Johns Hopkins Hospital Wednesday afternoon, a prominent figure in Maryland politics has passed away.

The death of Mr. Gorman also removes from Maryland politics a name that had been prominent more than a half century. First, there was Peter Gorman, well known before and during the Civil War; then Peter Gorman's son, the late United States Senator Gorman, who dominated the Democratic party in this State for a generation and was one of the dominant figures in the party in the nation almost as long, and last, the old Senator's only son, once the Democratic candidate for Governor, who died Wednesday and leaves no children.

Mr. Gorman was born at the family place in Howard county on March 27, 1873, so he was 46 years of age. He attended the public schools and later studied under private tutors. Afterward he attended the Episcopal High School in Alexandria, going from there to Lawrenceville Academy. He studied law in the office of his father's intimate friend, the late John P. Poe, and at Columbia University, Washington, and the University of Maryland. He was admitted to the bar in 1897 and shortly thereafter formed a partnership with the late Alonzo L. Miles, which continued several years and until after Mr. Gorman had begun to follow his father's footsteps in politics.

### His Political Career.

Young Gorman once said that his father argued with him long and earnestly against entering politics, pointing out the many instances of ingratitude and treachery in practical politics but in 1903 he followed the lead of the Elder Gorman, and in an all-day convention came out winner for the State Senatorial nomination. He was elected, and stuck there for eight years. Two years ago he had ambitions for the United States Senate and was urged to compromise on the House of Representatives.

Young Gorman had a busy career in the State Senate, being elected President of that body. The late Raleigh C. Smith, writing in The Baltimore News in June, 1911, said of Gorman: "When he is a friend he stands by. When he is an opponent he fights. He is not a quitter. This is why the men who like Gorman really like him. In politics he is a party man, and if he gets on the firing line he does not run away from the shot. In other words, Arthur Pue Gorman, Jr., stands by his guns and takes his medicine. Whether one agrees or disagrees with his policies, his ideas he has the courage of his convictions, and shoulders the responsibility for them. Such in brief is Young Gorman. Take him or leave him."

Like his father, Gorman was reserved in manner. Many people knew "Young Gorman," but few knew him well. His reserve had to be penetrated and his own confidence gained before a mutual understanding could exist.

### He Opposed Goldsborough.

Young Gorman was the opponent of former Governor Goldsborough in the general election when the Democrats were defeated for the first time since the election of the late Governor Lowndes. He was given the nomination against Blair Lee, who later became United States Senator and

soon after made a new alignment in the Democratic party.

Factions now grew out of the Gorman fight, and they found their way throughout the State. When he was defeated for the Governorship Gorman found a place later as State Tax Commissioner.

Mr. Gorman's political bed was not an easy one. He had on his hands several such clashes as the one with Senator Blair Lee. In 1907, at the home of Murray Vandiver, he had an open split with Congressman Talbott, the Baltimore county leader, who upbraided him for not supporting him, and to whom Senator Gorman retorted that neither he nor his father owed Talbott anything—that the obligation was the other way.

Mr. Gorman had many of the characteristics of his father. He was studious, careful and painstaking, and had a habit of not talking upon a question until he had gotten at the bottom of it.

Deceased is survived only by his widow, who was Miss Grace Norris, daughter of James L. Norris, a prominent Washingtonian, and by his sisters, Mrs. Hills, Mrs. Richard A. Johnson, Mrs. Wilton J. Lambert, Mrs. Stephen W. Gambrill and Mrs. Charles Magness.

## DOINGS THROUGHOUT OLD SUSSEX COUNTY

Several Farms Sold Last Week In  
Various Sections.

### AUTO ACCIDENT FATAL TO CHARLES L. MOORE.

Georgetown Lawyer Dies Of His Injuries, After Lying Unconscious For A Week—Philadelphia Nationals Call Walter Betts For Tryout.

Thomas B. Bowen has purchased from W. T. Lank, a farm located one mile from Seaford, containing 64 acres, for \$7,000.

Alfred Smith, Jr., of Wyoming, has sold his Chestnut Grove farm, near Smyrna, 148 acres to William H. Gehman, of West Dover, for \$16,500.

The Little Elk Tribe of Red Men, of Cherry Hill, last week, cleared \$300 on a carnival. The money will go to the building fund of the Lodge.

The number of automobile licenses issued for the year 1918 was 12,955, more than 2,000 ahead of the total for 1917. Anticipating a large demand this year, Secretary of State Johnson placed an order for 1,500 additional but this supply has been exhausted and another thousand was ordered several weeks ago.

George W. Marine has purchased from former Levy Court Commissioner Victor A. Moore, a 37-acre farm in Broad Creek hundred. Price private. Mrs. Anna Allen has sold to George Adams a 60-acre farm on the road leading from Wesley Church to Bridgeville, consideration \$6000, and Paul Truitt has purchased a 30-acre farm adjoining the Allen tract from William J. Allen for \$5000.

Walter Betts, recognized as the swiftest slab artist in lower Delaware who during the season has been pitching puber ball for the Millsboro Athletic Club and has more strike-outs to his credit than any other pitcher in Sussex county, has received notice from Manager Cravath, of the Philadelphia Nationals, to report for tryout. Recently during a game in this county the Phils' scout, Mr. Lee, witnessed Betts' twirling and reported that he considered him worth a tryout, and shortly after the young man received a telegram to report. Betts, who during the past term attended Wesley Collegiate Institute at Dover, opened the session with the school club. He returned to his home at Millsboro for the summer and since that time has been pitching two and three games each week for the Millsboro club. He is speedy, has good control and good curves and his many friends are expecting him to make good with Cravath's aggregation.

Charles L. Moore, aged 56 years, a well-known Sussex county lawyer, former mayor and City Councilman and ex-Representative of Delaware General Assembly, who, suffered a fracture of his skull by being run over with an automobile driven by John Murray of near Frankford, died never having regained consciousness. Murray has been under bail to await the result of Mr. Moore's injuries. Mr. Moore was a son of the late Jacob Moore, was born February 14, 1863, and was admitted to the Sussex county bar in 1885. He was next to the oldest lawyer, in point of service, in Sussex county. For many years he had been closely identified with school work in Sussex county and was instrumental in obtaining for Georgetown the commercial branch connected with the public school. While he was a member of the General Assembly he was a supporter of the late J. Edward Addicks.

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**Some Interesting Items Being Talked About  
By Our Citizens.**

**OIL EXPANSION AND MOTOR PRODUCTION—SUFFRAGE AMEND-  
MENT CANNOT PASS IN MARYLAND—POST OFFICE EMPLOY-  
EES SHOULD HAVE MORE PAY—MANY LARGE INSURANCE  
POLICIES CARRIED IN THIS COMMUNITY—THE BIGGEST  
CHEESE IN THE WORLD.**

At a recent meeting of oil men, one of the leaders in the automobile manufacturing industry of the country, who was a guest, said that some of his friends had expressed fear over the fact that the oil industry was expanding too rapidly, but he said that he told them that no one need be alarmed over the expansion of the oil industry, the only fear being that the motor industry of the world would expand faster than the expansion of the oil industry would be able to care for. He said that his company alone was now producing 600,000 motors a year, which would consume not less than 360,000,000 gallons of gasoline a year, and that his prediction was that within twenty years there would be more than 15,000,000 motors operating in the United States alone, or three times the present number.

**Suffrage Amendment Cannot Pass In Maryland.**

Notwithstanding the fact that some of the leading Suffrage advocates in the State have prophesied that at the coming session of the General Assembly, Maryland will adopt the National Amendment for Woman Suffrage, those who are best posted in political circles in both the Democratic and Republican parties believe that the sentiment in this State is not yet right for such an adoption and that notwithstanding the very vigorous fight which the women will make, it is believed that the Bill will be defeated in the Legislature. Certainly Woman Suffrage should not be adopted in Maryland without giving the people the right to vote on the question. This habit acquired during the war of passing amendments to the Federal Constitution without a Referendum is a very serious mistake and should not be pursued to any further length. The people of every community have a right to adopt for themselves the laws under which they desire to live and whether it be Prohibition, Anti-Nicotine, Woman Suffrage or any other one of the big questions for which National Amendments are being sought, the people should have a right to vote on the subject by State before they are adopted. A poll recently made of 50 citizens of this city showed that 39 of them were against Woman Suffrage. This poll was made among men, but we believe if the same poll had been made among the white women of Salisbury, almost an equally large proportion would vote against the adoption of the Amendment for Woman Suffrage. As soon as all the candidates for the Legislature get out into the field, they will no doubt have questions put to them regarding their attitude towards this question, and it will be interesting to see their answers. It will be useless to try to straddle the question and the candidates might as well come out in the open and say where they stand.

**Post Office Employees Should Have More Pay.**

The present agitation among the employees of the Post Office Department to receive larger pay for their work is one which should have the backing of every community. A Government position in these days is not a sinecure and this is especially true of those who labor to carry on the mail facilities of this country for the accommodation of the people. In the first place, the salaries of most of these men and women have not been advanced since the beginning of the war, and while every other line of endeavor in the United States has had their wage scale increased several times, these people have been forced to continue their daily labor at the old prices, and this in the face of the fact that living costs have risen day by day until in many cases, the salaries they receive are not sufficient to support their families properly. For some unknown reason, it seems that the Postmaster General has been averse to seeing any increase in the salaries of Post Office employees, and many of these people have spent long years of their lives in the Government service and it is high time that they are being recognized by the Government with increased salaries. It makes no matter whether it rains or the sun shines, whether the snows cover ground or the days are balmy, these people are on the job for 365 days of the year in most cases, and the convenience of the public and the

business men depends very largely on their staying on the job, and as every laborer is worthy of his hire, we say without hesitation that it is a shame that the demands of these people are not more quickly recognized by the Government.

**Many Large Insurance Policies Carried In This Community.**

An item appeared in the last issue of this paper which stated that among the agents of one of our well known insurance companies attending a week's session in New York, Mr. James J. Scott of this city was one of the agents who had sold more than a quarter of a million dollars life insurance during the last twelve months from his office in Salisbury. This brings to our mind the fact that within the last five years, there has been more large insurance policies placed on the lives of our prominent citizens and corporations than probably had been done in 50 years previous. It is now a common thing for a business man of this community to carry insurance policies of \$50,000 to \$100,000 on his life and at the same time for firms to have their membership insured for like amounts and this form of insurance has become so general here that but few of our large corporations or firms are without this protection to their business. Mr. Walls of the Continental has placed many of these large policies as has Mr. Scott, and only recently, a member of one of our largest firms in this city died on whose life there was insurance in force of more than \$65,000, and he was one of the younger business men of Salisbury at the time of his death. Only recently, we have heard of four cases where insurance to amounts of over \$50,000 in each case have been placed in the well-known insurance companies of this country all on the lives of business men of Salisbury. These insurance policies prove a wonderful asset not only to the individual policy holder but also to the firm or corporation of which he is a member.

**The Biggest Cheese in the World.**

A cheese weighing 31,964 pounds was manufactured at Appleton, Wisconsin, on June 17. This enormous product required the milk of 12,000 cows, located on 1800 farms. Seventy-three cheese makers, representing 50 factories, took part in making the cheese. The container weighed 8000 pounds and when the top was forced down an ice house was built around the cheese. After ageing in the ice-house the cheese will be shipped to Chicago, where it will be exhibited at the National Dairy Show, October 6th to 12th.

There will also be a colossal exhibit of dairy products in competition—milk, butter and cheese. The milk and cream contest should be of interest to Maryland producers. Entries can be made in the classes for raw market milk and cream. The winning of a prize not only carries with it pride and satisfaction but gives the product of the successful contestant a higher rating on the market. As usual this contest will be under the supervision of the Dairy Division, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

For those interested in research problems that are being worked out by the Dairy Division there will be plenty to look at. The results of cow-testing association will be shown from many different angles; the value of the pure-bred sire will be demonstrated by records of production. What the calf club has done for the girls and boys in different parts of the country will also be explained. In fact, everything that should be of interest to dairymen will be found at this show.

**Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in Michigan.**

Mrs. A. H. Hall, Caseville, Mich., says, "I wish to thank you for your grand good medicine, Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. We are never without it in the house, and I am sure it saved our baby's life this summer."

Mrs. Mary Carrington, Caseville, Mich., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy for years and it has always given prompt relief."  
—Advt.

**VETERAN GIVEN SILVER LUNG**

Successful Experiment in Surgery Has Made Marine Believe Life is Still Worth Living.

Robert Hill of the Fifth marine corps, United States, claims to be the happiest man in the country. The government has presented Hill with a silver lung and a first lieutenancy. The first was a necessity. Hill is one of the "handful of marines" who with the help of God routed the Germans at Belleau wood and Soissons. At the latter place Hill was badly scrapped, and as a climax one of his lungs got shot away. It was then that the young marine upheld the splendid traditions of his branch of the service. As he fell he saw his commanding officer shot down. Hill, choked by blood and half blind, managed to crawl back and drag his superior to safety.

That is why he wears the medals of his own country, the French war cross and the Legion of Honor. Of these he is very proud. But up to the last week he has been sorely troubled. Eight years a marine, Hill knows no other love, and while convalescent in the Marine hospital in Brooklyn he has looked forward sadly to being mustered out of the service as a wounded veteran. But the silver lung has done the trick. A new experiment in surgery, it has performed its functions famously, and Hill claims that he feels well enough to go into another fight.

**THAT'S THE QUESTION**



Promoter—Oh, no; we just want your influence, that's all.

Mr. Kawshus—But in what condition will it be when I get it back?

**SAYS LEPROSY CAN BE CURED.**

Leprosy can be cured, in some cases, if subjected to medical treatment while still in the first stages, according to J. D. McVeigh, superintendent of the leper colony on the Island of Molokai.

In speaking to a party of territorial legislators who inspected the Molokai colony recently, Doctor McVeigh said:

"If we can get it in the early stages there are great chances for arresting or even curing the leprosy. Medical science recently has made great strides in the study of leprosy and in the last few months we have paroled 19 inmates."

Patients when paroled are detained at the Kalihi hospital in Honolulu for observation until it is definitely established that they are free of the leprosy-germ.

**CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT.**

Mrs. Nuliwed (telephoning the ice company)—See here, sir, I wish it understood that you are to deliver nothing but the best of ice at this house. That your man brought yesterday morning and left on the back porch could not have been fresh. It did not last till evening.

**STILL DEJECTED.**

Lucindy—What made you look so florid like when de colored heroes passed, Sam? Thinkin' ob de Huns? Sam—No, honey. Ah was thinkin' ob dat too fastidjus draft docteh who done gon an' dejected me.—Buffalo Express.

**RETRIBUTIVE JUSTICE.**

"I have just thought out a scheme which combines economy and retribution."

"What is it?"  
"If we have to give food to the Huns, why not send them all those Victory bread substitutes?"

**SELFISHNESS.**

"Bliggins believes in special privileges for the favored few."

"But he claims to be a Socialist."

"Yea. But he never pays the slightest attention to a 'no smoking' sign."

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## GRAND JURY RECOMMENDS SALE OF ALMSHOUSE FARM AND PROPERTY

Says Cost Of Maintaining Our Indigent Poor Far In Excess Of What It Is Costing Other Counties.

ALSO RECOMMENDS THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE COUNTY JAIL AND SOME ADDITIONS TO COURT HOUSE TO PROVIDE FIRE-PROOF VAULTS FOR THE CARE OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS—GIVE FIGURES TO SHOW WHY ALMSHOUSE PROPERTY SHOULD BE DISPOSED OF.

The Grand Jury, in session last week, made a very thorough investigation into the public institutions owned by Wicomico County, and made a strong recommendation that the Almshouse property in Quantico district be disposed of at once as it is costing the county far in excess of what it should be to maintain the county poor.

The report, which is printed below, shows that the county has invested about \$13,000 in the poorhouse and stock on the farm, and that notwithstanding there is more than 60 acres of cleared land it seems impossible to raise enough on the farm to take care of 10 or 11 inmates. The grocery bills run up in the neighborhood of \$1,000 per annum after all credits for farm products and other things produced on the farm have been given. In other words, at the present time it is costing in excess of \$300 per year for each person at the almshouse, and the Grand Jury shows clearly that if the property was sold at public auction, it would bring around \$15,000 to the County Treasury and that following the steps taken by Worcester and Worcester counties, our 11 or 12 indigent patients at the Almshouse could be taken care of at the State Institution at Cambridge at an average cost of around \$100 per annum for each person.

If the Almshouse Farm, stock and all appliances owned by the county at that spot was disposed of and the money invested at six per cent, it would in all probability take care of the 10 or 11 patients and would save the taxpayers from \$3,000 to \$4,000 per annum. This matter is one which the County Commissioners should act on at once as the County poorhouse has long been a source of discussion among the taxpayers and it is almost a universal feeling that it is one place where public money is easily wasted and the safest proposition is to get clear of it and keep our poor in a State Institution where they will receive better attention than they can at a separate institution. Following is the report:

### Report On Almshouse Farm.

"After a thorough investigation of the expenses attached to the maintenance of the Almshouse Farm, your Committee begs leave to recommend to the Honorable Court the disposition or sale of the Almshouse Farm together with the dwellings, stock and farm machinery after proper advertisement, to the highest bidder, and that the indigent poor of Wicomico County be provided homes in the State Institution at Cambridge, Maryland, where we believe they would be more comfortably taken care of at a much less expense.

"We find on examination that the Almshouse Farm, together with the other property owned there by the County, could reasonably be expected to bring at least \$14,000 to \$18,000 at public sale, which sum properly invested would bring to the County Treasury an annual income of around \$800. The cost of maintenance at the Almshouse Farm for the past twelve months reached the total of more than \$3,000 for taking care of an average of 10 inmates, making it cost the county about \$300 per capita. As we understand that Dorchester and Worcester counties have closed their Almshouses and are maintaining their poor at the Cambridge Institution at a cost not exceeding \$125 per capita per annum, your Honorable Body can readily see at our present antiquated system of taking care of our poor is costing the taxpayers an excessive amount of money each year. In fact, the income from the sale of the Almshouse Farm and stock would almost take care of the inmates each year and save the county the additional expense of about \$3,000 per annum in running the Farm. We make this recommendation after going into the figures very thoroughly and believe your Honorable Body will agree with us that the recommendation is solely in the interest of good business and the saving of the taxpayers.

The above report was signed by every member of the Grand Jury.

The Grand Jury as a body visited the County Jail and made a thorough investigation of the building from basement to top floor and also made a thorough inspection of the condition of the building and the

condition generally of the property. The following report was unanimously adopted by the Grand Jury and sent to the Honorable Court:

### Report On Jail And Courthouse.

"The Grand Jury of Wicomico County, September term, visited the County Jail in a body and after thoroughly inspecting same, begs leave to offer the following recommendations:

"First: That the Jail building is antiquated and out of date and is not a fit place for the confinement of prisoners, either awaiting trial or serving sentence. The cells are unsanitary and miserably ventilated and at times when the building is full of prisoners as many as four prisoners have been known to be confined in one room, and the lack of space and ventilation is a menace to the health of the prisoners, and a progressive community like Wicomico County should not confine its unfortunate inmates in a building as dilapidated as this one.

"Second: We recommend that this building be reconstructed at once and the cage system installed in all the cells, a proper sanitary system arranged in the building with better ventilation, and that the entire building be turned over for the use of the prisoners and that a separate building be erected by the County adjoining the Jail for the use of the Sheriff and his family. At the present time, the family of the Sheriff is forced to live on the lower floor of the Jail and it is not a desirable or fit place for the family of the Sheriff to live in.

"These defects in the Jail building are so important that we believe the County Commissioners should without delay provide some means of rebuilding the structure or else demolish the present building and erect a new one. The condition of the building as far as the care of the Sheriff and his family are concerned is unsatisfactory but the few prisoners who are confined there say they are very well treated.

"We would also recommend that some additions be made at the Court House building so as to provide fire-proof vaults for the keeping of the records in the office of the County Commissioners and the Register of Wills. At present, the books, papers and other valuable public records belonging to these two departments of the County are without proper protection in case of fire, and a serious conflagration at the Court House building would mean a loss to the citizens of Wicomico which could never be replaced. We would, therefore, recommend the enlargement of the building so as to provide space for the two fire-proof vaults, at least one in the office of the County Commissioners and the other in the offices of the Register of Wills.

"After thoroughly examining the public buildings, we beg to say that they are kept in a very good condition and we note that they are in fine repair, well painted and taken care of.

### Many Petty Cases Investigated.

"In the routine work of the Grand Jury, we have been impressed with the number of petty cases committed by juvenile offenders, the cost of the investigation by this body and the further cost of trying such cases before the Circuit Court involves, in our minds, a heavy expense to the taxpayers which might be very greatly lessened if we had a well-organized Juvenile Court in this county to handle these cases and it is in the belief of the members of this Grand Jury that the morale of the entire community could best be served by having these petty cases committed by juvenile offenders heard before a Juvenile Judge.

"Besides the large expense incurred in handling these cases, it is also our belief that, in many instances young offenders could best be corrected outside the walls of penal institutions and that many useful citizens might be saved to the community by proper parole under the direction and authority of a Juvenile Judge.

"We, therefore, urgently recommend to this Honorable Court that regular sessions of a Juvenile Court be held in Wicomico County at stated periods and that the petty cases of young offenders should be carried before that body instead of consuming the time of this Grand Jury and the Circuit Court."

### A New Garage At Ocean City.

Charles A. McGregor has commenced the erection of a new garage at Ocean City with floor space for 100 cars. The building will be made of concrete, with corrugated iron roof, a complete and up-to-date floor plan. It will be located between the Brighton and Washington



ALBERT C. RITCHIE  
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

## "BARNSTABLE" LOST AT SEA WITH CREW

Ship Recently Rebuilt In Salisbury Founders During Terrible Gale.

CAPTAIN, MATE AND WIFE SAID TO HAVE BEEN LOST.

Many Of Our People Remember Captain Moon And His Son Who Spent Several Months In This City While Ship Was Being Rebuilt.

Many of our citizens will remember the good ship "Barnstable" which was rebuilt at the shipyard of Smith & Williams in this city, last year, after having been bugged at her dock in Norfolk. Her master, Captain Moon, who spent several months in this city while the ship was being rebuilt, made many acquaintances while here and the stories of this old salt giving his many adventures on the seas and oceans of the whole world were most entertaining and instructive. It is therefore with great regret that our people will note the fact that the Barnstable was lost in the terrific storm which prevailed Friday of last week in Southern waters. Captain Orlando Moon, the master of the good ship had decided to quit the sea and it is understood that he has purchased a farm near Towson, Baltimore County and relinquished his command to his son. In the report of the disaster to the good ship Barnstable, it is stated that three Baltimoreans, one of them a woman, were on the steamer Barnstable, coal laden from Savannah to a Cuban port, which went down in the hurricane off St. Catherine's last Friday.

It is reported that 14 of the crew are missing. No word has been received from the Baltimoreans.

The local persons aboard were: Eldridge Moon of Walbrook, captain of the Barnstable.

Ivy S. Moon, of Baltimore, brother of Captain Moon and first mate of the vessel.

Mrs. Ivy S. Moon, wife of the mate. Mrs. Mary Moon, of Baltimore, mother of the two men, has wired to Savannah for news of her sons and daughter-in-law, but has received no answer. She received a letter from her daughter-in-law several weeks ago saying she was going to make the trip with her husband.

The elder Mrs. Moon is nearly prostrated.

An Associated Press dispatch to The News Monday afternoon from Savannah says that 15 members of the crew, after an all-night battle with rough seas, landed in one of the small boats on St. Catherine's Island. They said Captain Moon and the other missing men were in another boat. Nothing was said about Mrs. Moon.

A boat will be held Friday morning, Sept. 22nd at Portland

## NARROW ESCAPE OF O. V. LANDING'S FAMILY

When A Bolt Of Lightning Entered Their Bedroom.

LAMP BURNING ON THE TABLE WAS EXTINGUISHED.

Picture Moulding Knocked From Walls And Scattered All Over The Room—The Ceiling Scorched In Several Places, But Did Not Ignite.

During the series of violent thunderstorms which swept over several sections of Wicomico county last Thursday evening, lasting from about 9:30 to midnight, Mr. C. V. Landing and family who reside on the N. P. Turner farm, near Rockwell School House, had a narrow escape from death when a bolt of lightning entered a bed chamber in which they had all gathered and played all kinds of pranks before departing.

Mr. Landing, who reported the story to a News correspondent said: "One of the children and myself had retired for the night and Mrs. Landing was sitting alongside the bed trying to get the baby asleep. A coal oil lamp was burning dimly on a table at the foot of the bed. Suddenly there came a blinding flash of lightning, accompanied by a deafening peal of thunder. In an instant the light from the lamp was extinguished and then the bed-room was lighted almost as brightly as at noon day. Pieces of picture-moulding, torn from the walls and ceiling, were hurled all over the room, several pieces falling on the bed. I jumped from the bed as soon as I could recover from fright, expecting to see some member or members of my family killed, but, fortunately, all escaped injury. On examination I found that the ceiling in several places showed burnt places, and how the house escaped being fired is a mystery to me. There was no damage to any other portion of the house. I am very thankful that all escaped as well as they did, for it seems to me we were snatched from the very jaws of death."

The storm was unusually severe in many sections of the county. A terrific wind and a driving rain accompanied the storm, the fall of water being excessively heavy, damaging still further the tomato crop and the fodder crop which is in process of being saved.

### Sales Of Government Supplies.

The Director of Sales of the War Department has announced that sales of surplus war materials by the Government for the week ended August 22, 1916, amounted to \$4,972,991. In the week ended August 20 sales of surplus textile alone brought in \$1,411,012, while the surplus property division announced sales, principally of surplus, aggregating \$2,

## PRIMARIES ARE NOW OVER AND THE REAL BATTLE FOR ELECTION BEGINS

Legislative Candidates May Have To Answer Many Questionnaires Before November.

THE QUESTION OF BONDING WICOMICO COUNTY MAY BE PUT SQUARELY TO CANDIDATES FOR THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF DELEGATES ON BOTH DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN TICKETS—OTHER BIG QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED BY CANDIDATES.

There were a few surprises in the outcome of the Democratic primaries held in Wicomico County Monday of last week, and the final results were not exactly what some of the prognosticators had expected. The political "dope" given out during the red hot fight by the average man is not always to be depended upon and the result in the nomination for County Commissioners was certainly a surprise to many inasmuch as it was generally believed that Mr. Parker of Delmar District would surely be one of the nominees. The knowing ones say that the position of Mr. English on the official ballot being the first name in the group, had something to do with him getting a larger vote than was at first expected, but those who know Mr. English personally, say he is good material and the Western section of the county, especially in Barren Creek and Sharptown districts where they have not had a county commissioner for many years, worked extremely hard to bring about his nomination.

There being no contest in the Democratic Party for the places on the House of Delegates ticket, the nominees escaped having to make a personal campaign or taking sides as among the candidates for the other offices, but it seems certain that during the campaign from now until Election day, the candidates on both the Democratic and Republican tickets for the Senate and House of Delegates will have to undergo a pretty thorough grilling from the people, and questionnaires on almost every subject will no doubt be fired at these candidates and especially questionnaires covering their attitude on the enforcement of the war-time prohibition, the adoption of the Woman Suffrage Amendment, Anti-Race Track Gambling and many other bills which are likely to arise between now and January 1st.

The candidate who refuses to give a clear and satisfactory answer to these questionnaires will no doubt be put on the black list by those who are seeking to have them pledged on these questions, and the candidates who ignore the questionnaires will be in even worse situation while the ones who come out for all these reforms will of necessity be up against a very unsatisfactory proposition with the rank and file of the voters at the General Election. So taking everything into consideration, it would not appear as if there was a very rosy path ahead of the candidates on either the Democratic or Republican tickets who are seeking places of honor in the next General Assembly.

It seems to be the opinion of the majority of the people that the sentiment of the majority of Wicomico County are really opposed to the adoption of the Woman Suffrage Amendment and many do not see why the candidates on the ticket should be questioned on the subject of temperance, because the sentiment in Wicomico County is really in the preponderance and after all, the coming Legislature could hardly do anything to change the conditions as this State had already adopted the Prohibition amendment passed by the National Congress. Notwithstanding all these facts, the present feeling of unrest among the people is sufficiently strong to cause the candidates much worry and they will all have to walk a very straight and narrow path to get through the campaign without bumping into considerable trouble.

It is also understood that a movement is on foot locally to find out just exactly how the candidates on both the leading tickets feel on the subject of bonding Wicomico County with a proper referendum for the purpose of improving our roads and taking care of our schools, and while some of the politicians are extremely anxious that this subject should not be brought up in the campaign, but wait until after the General Election, some of the more enthusiastic citizens who believe that this subject should be brought out and fought on

at to the front notwithstanding the objections from the candidates who may not want to face the issue before November. The editors of this paper are much in favor of making this an issue in the campaign, and of having the candidates declare themselves on this subject over their own signature, giving the people a clear understanding of how they will handle this subject in the General Assembly. We believe in a bond issue for the purposes named above, and we believe that a campaign of education should go on from this moment until the bills are passed and the people given a chance to vote on same at a special election to be held after the bills have gone through the General Assembly. To our minds, the sentiment against bonding the county has changed tremendously within the past few months and with a proper campaign backed up by the leaders of both the Democratic and Republican parties that the rank and file of the voters will adopt a bonding bill in a referendum given them by the Legislature. There are practically no good arguments against this move and every citizen who has the progressive spirit of the times should be willing to aid in spreading a campaign of education which would insure the adoption of the Amendment before the people.

### REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING IN SALISBURY FRIDAY, SEP. 19

Will Be Held At Auditorium Theatre And Full County Ticket Named.

The Republican State Central Committee for Wicomico County met in Salisbury last Saturday and fixed their date for their County Convention for Friday of this week, September 19th at 10:30 A. M. The Convention will be held in the Liberty Theatre on Division Street at which time a full county ticket will be nominated by mass convention and certified to by the State Central Committee.

The Mass meeting will be attended by Republicans in every district in Wicomico County and it is likely that a party platform will be promulgated touching on various reforms which the Republican Party leaders claim should be put into effect in this county. At the same time, delegates to the State Convention will also be chosen and the State Central Committee selected for the management of Party affairs.

While many names have been mentioned in connection with the offices to be filled, the Party leaders have not as yet settled on any of the candidates for a certainty but it is said that every effort will be made to secure the highest class material in the party and the ticket will be so distributed as to give every section of the county a representation. Only one nominee was voted for in the primaries last week—Mr. Alphonso Wootten—for the position of County Treasurer and he won by a very large majority and of course, his name will be on the official ballot in the make-up of the ticket.

### REGISTRATION DAYS, SEPT. 30 AND OCT. 7—REVISION OCT. 14

No New Names Registered On Tuesday, October 14.

The Board of Election Supervisors met last week and arranged for the registration of voters in the County. The dates are Tuesday, Sept. 30, and Tuesday, Oct. 7. Registration of voters will take place at the usual voting houses, as shown in an advertisement on another page. These days will be devoted exclusively to registering of qualified voters.

The registration officers will meet on Oct. 14 for purposes of revision only, no new names being added. This fact should be remembered, that names will be added only on the first two days, and that the last day will be devoted exclusively to the work of the Board.



## STATE OFFERS TREES AT THE COST PRICE

Fall Planting Season Now At Hand—  
Trees Should Be Ordered Early.

### EVERY CITIZEN SHOULD PLANT A TREE NEAR THEIR HOME

The State Furnishes This Stock At  
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Should Avail Themselves Of The  
Big Bargains In Many Varieties.

State Forester F. W. Bealey announces that orders are being received for stock from the State Forest Nursery, and that there are numerous inquiries from all parts of the State regarding the high-grade stock at bottom prices which the Board of Forestry has made available to residents. The State Forest Nursery naturally does not work at a profit, while at the same time it maintains a constant and uniform standard of excellence. The combination appeals to the planter, and each season thoroughly drains the Nursery at an early date of all the stock which can be made available. Mr. Bealey's advice to "order early" is therefore timely and necessary.

This year there are 19 kinds of trees in 59 different sizes and ages from which to make a choice. Prices vary from the three dollars asked for a thousand 1 to 2 inch Norway Spruce, for reforestation purposes, to the 65 cents which represents the expense of growing and offering to the planting public an elm or an ash transplant in a 12 to 15 foot size. There are white and loblolly pines, Norway spruce, and bald cypress among the conifers; in hardwoods there is a great variety, with black walnut, red oak, scarlet oak, pin oak, burr oak, sugar maple, pecan, American elm, ash, beech, black locust, and oriental plane. They represent, it seems to

us, the greatest bargain-sale which the State Forest Nursery has ever offered to the public.

Inquiries addressed to the Board of Forestry, at 311 West Monument Street, Baltimore, will elicit prompt replies. In addition to the trees at post, the Board supplies the information that goes with them. If you have land you don't know what to do with; if there are a few acres on your farm that won't support the least exacting of the vegetables; if you know of a road that has no greenery to greet the tired business man when he gets home at night—get busy, and get in touch with Mr. Bealey and the Board. Plan to plant in October, and early in November. Order now, and you will doubtless be accommodated fully. Order later, and you may be disappointed.

The Late J. Massey Roberts.

"A Friend," writing from Clara, thus speaks of the late J. Massey Roberts:

"For a number of years Mr. Roberts conducted a mercantile business at Clara, but he was never so engrossed with his own personal affairs that he failed to take an active interest in all matters looking to the general welfare of his County and State. While he was a staunch Democrat in politics, he never aspired to public office but took a deep and clear interest in the success of his party, always insisting upon having worthy standard-bearers. Mr. Roberts was a man of keen judgment and wonderful foresight, and during his active career he accumulated a substantial estate. He was an active member of the Methodist Protestant Church and took a deep interest in its advancement. His influence will long be felt in the community in which he spent his life. A large concourse of people from both Wicomico and Somerset counties attended his funeral at his residence on Sunday afternoon, bearing testimony to the high esteem in which he was held by those who knew him best."

## The Cinderella Hat

By IZOLA FORRESTER

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If it had been her own hat it would not have mattered so greatly, though any hat is a hat in these days, and Susan had just two to her name.

However, these two had been picked out deliberately with a view to retreating, and, in extreme cases, Sue could change a morning turban into a chic evening toque, with a bead here and there and a twist of gold tissue over the black crown, and possibly a flying pennant of uncurled ostrich at the back.

But this hat belonged to Madeline and it did not need the Paris label inside the crown to tell Sue it had cost more than all of hers for an entire year.

It was wide-brimmed, of rich crushed black velvet, with a circle of tiny curled feathers outlining the crown, and one ornament, a dull gold Venetian pin set deeply with uncut rubies, real ones, too. She knew. Madeline had told her of finding it at a little shop on the grand canal the day before they sailed for home.

Just as the elevated train rounded the curve at Sixth avenue and Fifty-third street a gust of wind had caught it as it had gone sailing in midair and blown it out of sight.

She had left the train at the next station and hurried back, bareheaded, to search for it, but the street was clear of vehicles at this hour and the hat had vanished. There remained only explanation of Madeline.

Meantime, speeding comfortably up through the park in his gray underslung roadster, Barry Reid was serenely oblivious of any disturbing element on his back seat. It was not until half an hour later when he stopped at the Briardale Inn, up near Riverdale-on-the-Hudson, that his attention was called to the compromising evidence.

"Where the devil did that come from?" Barry wondered, holding the hat gingerly and hunting for some

mark of identification. The pin caught his eyes and he knew it was genuine. "I won't leave it in the car while I go inside. And yet there's Annette and Blair and Lord knows how many more waiting for me!"

He stuck the pin in his pocket and the hat under the seat and went in to lunch. But after dinner at the club that night he thought again of the hat. Certainly he was responsible for its safe-keeping at least. Surely it would be advertised for on account of the pin.

He tried to picture the type of girl who would look well in such a hat and found he preferred one rather dark, with hair on the chestnut order, with large, dark eyes.

At the end of the second day he put an "ad" in the afternoon papers, but Sue never read the "ads" and the hat remained a white elephant on his hands. It was too large to conceal, so Barry had placed it for safe-keeping in a closet and reminder to his conscience on a bust of Le Brun that stood in the parlor of Louisa on his book shelves. So when it suited the popular, it suited the face with its suggestion of the French days.

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Barry was not intending to stay, but he always managed to look in at the dance each year, chatting at the door with some of the men he knew. It was always colorful and interesting, and somehow tonight he found it more than usually so, and had accepted the loan of a month's dining for a dinner or two, when he saw a flash of light by on the arm of a Filipino Moro chief.

He asked Parker who she was, and Parker, who knew everybody, told him she was Sue Daniels, a girl who posed for the angel heads in stained-glass studios.

"Got a Rosetti chin, hasn't she?" he added.

"To marry her in three weeks if she looks as well with the mask off," Barry remarked seriously. "I want to meet her."

They were dancing together when Sue, a bit breathless and happy, chanced to glance at the pin which fastened the top fold of her partner's domino. It was with difficulty that she kept back a quick gasp, for there was no mistake. It was the Venetian pin set with rubies.

"A beauty, isn't it?" he asked. "There's a story goes with it, too. I'll tell it to you when you come up to my place. I've got the rest of it up there."

"The hat?" exclaimed Sue before she could check herself. "Isn't it hurt a bit? Oh, you know, it's just too good to be true, your finding it, for you did find it, didn't you? You couldn't have the pin unless you had the hat, too."

"Is it your hat?" questioned Barry, gazing down at her sternly. "How do I know if it is becoming unless I see you unmasked, and if it isn't you can't have it. I shall keep it in the interests of art."

"But if it isn't my hat at all?" Sue asked demurely. "Just supposing I lost it, what then?"

"Then I should say it was a Cinderella hat, and vanished at 12 sharp with the pumpkin coach. Is that what really happened? Were you running away when you lost it? Sit out two dances and tell me."

Parker watched them curiously. He wondered if Barry could be in earnest even if Sue did have the loveliest profile in New York, until he met him waiting for her at the last, a four-leaf clover in the lapel of his coat.

"There are some signposts even on the road of fate," Barry told him gravely. "Good night, old man. You know the old saying, 'If the cap fits wear it.' I've got a new line, and if you only knew it, it's going to be the cause of my getting married. 'If the hat fits, lose it.' I speak in parables, and she's ready. Good night."

He passed slowly down the wide staircase with Good Luck on his arm, and her cloak was fastened with the Venetian pin set with rubies. Madeleine's gift when she heard the story.

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mark of identification. The pin caught his eyes and he knew it was genuine. "I won't leave it in the car while I go inside. And yet there's Annette and Blair and Lord knows how many more waiting for me!"

He stuck the pin in his pocket and the hat under the seat and went in to lunch. But after dinner at the club that night he thought again of the hat. Certainly he was responsible for its safe-keeping at least. Surely it would be advertised for on account of the pin.

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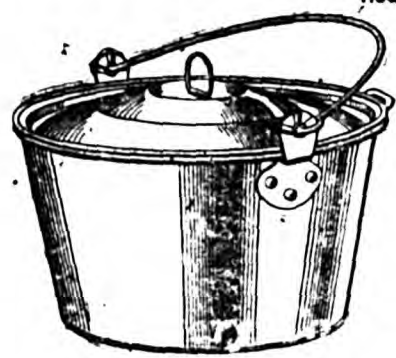
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## AROUND THE WORLD

Russia is estimated to have more than 4,000,000 acres of land which would produce cotton if irrigated.

The snowy top of Mount Everest, in India, is plainly visible to the unaided eye from points 107 miles distant.

A turtle weighing 800 pounds was taken in the fish nets at Point Judith, R. I., recently.

Standing alone as the great educational institution of Peru is the University of San Marcos at Lima, which was founded in 1551, or nearly one hundred years before the founding of Harvard university.

The highest navigated body of fresh water, Lake Titicaca, and the Harvard astronomical observatory, from which the most accurate observations are taken half way up El Mist, near Arequipa, are institutions of which Peru is justly proud.

## ABOUT PERSONS

Wilhelmina Guyse, Wausau, Wis., ninety-eight, says her ambition is to live to be one hundred years old.

King George of England, while visiting a munitions factory, saw a machine which made a deafening noise and could be worked only by a man with strongest nerves. The operator proved to be Pedler Palmer, the former prize fighter.

Franz Sigel, president of the Friends of German Democracy, is against the hyphen and would use the phrase, "Americans of German origin," applying the name "German-Americans" only to disloyal people.

President Hadley of Yale says: "It was because Germany thought that we had no national soul that she invited us to enter the ranks of her enemies. It is because she finds that we have a national soul that she now recognizes and deprecates her mistake."

## JUST THOUGHTS

It takes stiff opposition to make victory sweet.

There are more ways than one to skin a cat, and unfortunately just as many ways of skinning a friend.

The man who is going to be happy some day is probably overlooking his best opportunities right now.

The reason some men don't get along with their wives is because they never stay home long enough to get acquainted with them.

## FAMOUS SAYINGS

Caruso—The stars sang together.

Adam—Turn over a new leaf!

Queen of Sheba—Fine feathers make fine birds!

Charles II—Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we die!

Sarah Bernhardt—Age cannot wither, nor custom stale, her infinite variety!

Jess Willard—I would I were a glove upon that hand, that I might touch that cheek!

Father Time—We have met the enemy, and they are ours!—Cartoons Magazine.

## AROUND THE WORLD

India is producing more coal than all other British dependencies.

The locust tree was one of the American trees to be taken to Europe.

Pulverized peat is being used by the Swedish railroads for fuel with success.

In the Hawaiian Islands the pineapple industry has during the last few years experienced considerable development, causing it to rank second to that of sugar. At present there are about 7,000 acres planted with pineapples.

On the rock of Gibraltar and in some parts of England drinking water is obtained by condensation of the abundant dew in especially prepared "pans" which are pits in the earth filled with straw and covered with clay.

## BRIEF INFORMATION

In the Falkland Islands there are five times as many men as women.

Murder among the ancient Persians was not punishable at the first offense.

Among the young ladies of Borneo elongated earlobes are considered a mark of beauty.

Switzerland, in proportion to its population, spends more on poor relief than does any other country.

Tanning snakeskins for the manufacture of women's belts has become a lucrative industry in Madrid.

## STRAY PLANTS

The latest style bathing suits may have been patterned after Holstein cows.

If you're riding toward success, don't quarrel about the maker of the wagon.

Sounds funny to cry "down with the king" when every American home has a queen.

The price of patriotism and victory, like the market price, is "all you can pay."

Sure the allied nations could lick "the world, the flesh"—and the submarines.

Even when it's cheaper to die than live, some people will dodge the bargain counter.

Yes, sir, if you buy a horse-shank soup-bone, of course the dealer has a right to weigh the shoe.

Hew a path through the jungle, and people will walk therein with a delightful contempt of you.

The boy who walks calmly by a known bird's nest, need have no fear about control of the spirit.

After spending the entire winter in the South, some Buckeyes came back home to see it snow April 25.

If some of our congressmen had gone to the front, they could have been used to inflate the observation balloons.

Then, boys, those good old friendships were none the less sweet because the clasp was given by a hand that resembled a laurel-root.

There comes a monument of righteousness, the mortar of which is the golden sand of truth, mixed with the blood of heroes. It will stand.—J. H. Mackley in Ohio Farmer.

## MERE MUSINGS

When the bait costs more than the fish it's time to stop fishing.

Gratitude is too often but a fervid expectation of favors to come.

Nothing will so completely blind a man as throwing gold dust in his eyes.

If you are in doubt about an experiment get some other chap to try it out.

It's well to be consistent, but too many people possess the consistency of mush.

Drinking may induce a good feeling, but a different feeling may be on tap the next morning.

When Uncle Sam takes charge of your savings you needn't lose sleep over the liability clause.

Charity that begins at home usually suspends operations during the house-cleaning period.

When a man is requested to foot a bill it always hurts his dignity worse than it hurts his corns.

Wise is he who profits by his experience, but wiser is he who profits by the experience of others.

## DO YOU KNOW THAT—

By French law no doctor may inherit money left to him by a deceased patient.

The term "Yankee" is derived from a corrupt pronunciation of the word "English" by the Indians.

Japan has a shipping yard still in operation which was established 1,900 years ago.

The British museum contains the oldest known example of Chinese writing in the form of inscriptions on animals' bones.

The Greek athlete of the golden age trained on new cheese, dried figs, boiled grain, milk and warm water. He ate no meat.

## JAPANESE PROVERBS

Strength yields to plan.

Fools earn for the wise.

Kindness is a great capital.

He who is happy is forgetful.

Let us fight, then be friends.

It is foolish to argue with a fool.

You may dislike, but never despise.

The fault finder has the biggest faults.

Working early is better than working hard.

Good deeds are more precious than gold and silver.

He who despises counsel is on the way to misfortune.

Whoever believes everything said has no mind of his own.

I should not grieve over my misfortune, for what muddy water did not become clear.

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## Unusual New Fall Suits

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## UNTERRIED



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Little Jimmie—Aw, shucks! I ain't afraid of her.

## WHALE IS MEAT.

"A whale is in no sense a fish," declare the bureau of fisheries and the American Museum of Natural History.

The question whether this mammal is fish or meat arose recently on an appeal taken by certain importers from a decision of a customs collector as to the proper classification of canned whale meat. The importers claimed that whale meat is not fish, but should be classed with meats of all kinds, prepared or preserved, which are entitled to free entry.

Both the government and the importers asked the decision of the bureau of fisheries, and at a hearing before the board of general appraisers at New York Dr. R. E. R. Coker, assistant in charge of scientific inquiry of the bureau, testified that

whale is meat. Dr. F. A. Lucas, director of the museum, corroborated this testimony.

## SHORT MEASURE.

Bobby's mamma was telling the family about twin boys that had arrived at the home of a friend of hers. "Why do you call the babies twins, mamma?" asked Bobby.

"Because the doctor brought them both together," answered mamma. A short time after a baby arrived at the home of Bobby's aunt. Bobby, when his aunt let him see his little cousin, said: "The doctor only brought you half a twin, aunty."

## REJECTED MANUSCRIPTS.

"In a very short time," remarked the Paris profiteer, "I shall retire and live on my rents."

"What kind of a contract did you get?"

"Furnishing wastebaskets for the league of nations."

## Two Large Contracts Go To Morgan.

Mr. Lewis Morgan, the well known plumber of this city has secured the contract for the plumbing, heating and ventilating of the new high school building at Delmar. This contract was secured by Mr. Morgan in competition with a half dozen large Baltimore and Philadelphia concerns, and his bid was the lowest of them all. It amounted to \$7,000 or \$8,000. Mr. Morgan also secured contract for plumbing in the new American Cigar Store factory on Mill street where he is installing 12 lavatories and other sanitary equipment for this big concern. This contract was also given Mr. Morgan on competitive bidding and amounts to several thousand dollars.



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## SELL THE ALMSHOUSE FARM.

The report of the Grand Jury published in another section of this paper advising the sale of the Alms House Farm and the transferring of our indigent poor to the State Institution at Cambridge should receive the immediate attention of the County Commissioners under whose authority the county property exists. From the figures given out by the Grand Jury who investigated the situation, it is apparent that the taxpayers of Wicomico County are being put to an expense of \$8,000 to \$5,000 per annum in the maintenance of the county poorhouse which is absolutely unnecessary and we are surprised that this subject has not been taken up by previous Grand Juries and recommendation made along the lines made by the last one.

While the whole subject was not thoroughly gone into, enough was found out to show that the county has an investment of from \$12,000 to \$16,000 in the county farm, buildings and stock on same, and that notwithstanding the fact that there are more than 60 acres of cleared land which is said to be exceptionally good soil, the grocery bills for all inmates at the Institution average from \$900 to \$1200 per annum after deducting all the crops which were raised on the farm and sold to the storekeeper who furnished the groceries for the poorhouse. In other words, it seemed impossible to raise sufficient food on 60 acres of land to feed 11 people. The cost to the county to run this farm averages about \$3,000 to \$3,500 per annum which does not include the interest on the \$15,000 investment in the real estate and building, stock, etc., and with 11 inmates, it is estimated that the cost per capita per annum is between \$300 and \$400, while these same people could be kept in a State Institution at a cost not to exceed \$125 per capita per annum. The whole thing is so absurd that the Commissioners should hold a special meeting on this subject and advertise this stock and farm for sale to the highest bidder at once for cash and should arrange with the authorities in Cambridge to transfer the inmates to that Institution, thus saving the taxpayers of Wicomico County at least \$4,000 per annum which could be put to a much better use than being practically wasted in running a county Alms House.

While the Grand Jury did not go into the matter of the comfort and treatment of the inmates, it is not believed that any serious objection could be found to the way these 11 people are taken care of, but it goes without saying that they are living in a dilapidated old house which could not under any circumstances be half as comfortable as the State Institution at Cambridge which is a modern structure run on sanitary lines and the inmates of which have the proper medical attention at all times by resident physicians. Some of the people at the Alms House are totally blind while all are at a very advanced age, and their physical condition would be very much better looked after in a State institution such as we have at Cambridge.

Dorchester County as well as Worcester County are among the progressive communities on the Eastern Shore which recognize the waste and extravagance of running a county poorhouse sometime ago and the result was that both counties disposed of their alms house farms and housed their people in the State Institution at Cambridge, thus saving the taxpayers many thousands of dollars a year and at the same time giving the indigent poor much more comfortable conditions under which to live. This is a matter which the Board of County Commissioners should not put off to await the election of a new board. We understand that the Superintendent of the farm has given notice of his intention to leave and before another superintendent is engaged the property should be sold and all cleaned up. The present Board is the board to deal with this subject, and we hope that President Nelson will take the matter up at the very next meeting and have a decision on the subject and relieve the taxpayers of a burden which they have been carrying for many years unnecessarily.

## PETTY CASES BEFORE GRAND JURY.

Every term of Jury Court, the Grand Jury's time is taken up hearing petty cases of various kinds which should be adjudicated before justices of the peace or before a Juvenile Court. Many of the trivial things brought to the attention of the 23 men sitting on the Grand Jury all of whom are being paid by the county for their per diem service should never come before that body. They are small cases which could be handled as we said above before the Justices of the Peace or a well regulated Juvenile Court. Almost half the cases brought before the Grand Jury are infractions of the law like the stealing of bicycles and petty thievery most of which is committed by young offenders and these cases certainly could be handled with much more justice before a juvenile justice than before the Circuit Court and would save the county the cost of the investigation of the Grand Jury and the trial before the Circuit Court afterward. It is true the Judges are getting more in the habit of placing these young offenders under parole than in former years and fewer of them are being sent to penal institutions, but why the expense of the services of the Grand Jury and the Circuit Court when a hearing before a juvenile judge would be all that is necessary.

In a community the size of Salisbury which is growing larger in population day by day, and where the citizenship is getting more cosmopolitan all the while, it is absolutely necessary for the proper care and training of the younger element that we have a juvenile court held at regular stated intervals in this city, so that the youngsters who go astray can be periodically brought before a big hearted judge who will see that their future is better provided for than allowing them to run wild and finally land among the criminal classes of the community. As the city grows larger and the county grows in population the more need there will be for such an institution as a juvenile court and we sincerely hope that Judge Bailey will see to it that we have regular intervals of such a court and that he will preside and use his fine judgment for the benefit of the younger element of society in Wicomico County.

## Notice of Sale

United States District Court, Southern District of New York. In the Matter of Eastern Shore Shipbuilding Corporation, Bankrupt.

To Whom It May Concern, including creditors, lessors, claimants, bidders and all other parties in interest: Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of a decree of sale made by Hon. John J. Townsend, Referee in Bankruptcy, Roger B. Wood, as Trustee in Bankruptcy of Eastern Shore Shipbuilding Corporation, will offer at public sale at the Shipyards and Plant of the Bankrupt, Sharptown, Maryland.

ON OCTOBER 16th, 1919

at 12 o'clock noon, all the property and assets, whether real, personal or mixed, of the bankrupt above named, the sale to be for cash, free and clear of all liens, titles, claims or other incumbrances, and subject to the provisions of the decree of sale dated September 16th, 1919, on file in the office of the Referee, all bids to be submitted to the Referee in Bankruptcy, at his office, for acceptance or rejection, without further notice on October 21st, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon. Copies of the decree of sale and any further particulars may be obtained at the offices of the Referee, the Trustee or the attorneys for the Trustee.

The shipyard and plant of the bankrupt will be open for the inspection of persons interested in the sale at Sharptown, on the Nanticoke River, Wicomico County, Maryland, and prospective bidders may arrange with the Trustee or his attorneys, or with Messrs. Ellegood, Freeny & Walles, of Salisbury, Maryland, for an opportunity to make such inspection.

Dated, New York, September 17, 1919

ROGER B. WOOD, Trustee in Bankruptcy, 37 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HON. JOHN J. TOWNSEND, Referee in Bankruptcy, 31 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1919

### LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Revival services will start at Union Church near Fruitland, September 28th.

—Mrs. W. C. Gullette has returned from a trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

—The colored people in and around Salisbury are enjoying the annual camp-meeting at Williams' Branch.

—Mr. John S. Wilcox and Miss Dorothy Wilcox have been in Philadelphia attending the Knight Templar Conclave.

—Miss Dorothy Mae Fields entertained a large number of little girls Monday evening Sept. 16 in honor of her 10th birthday.

—Miss Lina Hudson, has returned to her home at Camden, N. J. after being the guest of Miss Mary Harris for the past two weeks.

—Mrs. Gordon Stewart and daughters Irene and Margaret have returned from a pleasant visit to Wilmington and Philadelphia.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, Sept. 19th and 20th, in the Mitchell Building, Church street next door to Central Hotel.

—Sergeant Herman Richardson of the Marine Corps and Cadet Luther Richardson of St. John's College were the guests of their sister Mrs. Beverly Hitch last week.

—City Councilman L. Thomas Parker who has been spending some time at Atlantic City with his family has returned to his duties with E. S. Adkins & Co.

—Mrs. Preston Fields and three daughters have returned to their home at Fairbanks after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Winter Fields, West Locust street.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Ashbury M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. T. J. Truitt, Gay street, Thursday evening. All members are most cordially invited to be present.

—Notwithstanding the high cost of paints and labor, there is more than the usual repainting of houses in Salisbury now going on. Many contractors are weeks behind in the completion of jobs.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Fruitland M. E. Church will hold a picnic and basket supper on the vacant lot next to the Railroad Thursday evening, Sept. 25th. Proceeds for benefit of Parsonage.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Charity Church will hold an oyster supper Friday and Saturday evenings of this week and a general invitation is next the Railroad Thursday evening for the benefit of the church.

—Mr. Walter J. Brewington of The News, accompanied by his wife and daughter, are enjoying an automobile tour through Western Maryland, visiting Harper's Ferry, Gettysburg and other points of interest. They will return by way of Philadelphia.

—Sweet potatoes have been going into market at a moderate rate from this section this week. There are plenty of them still in our fields but the prices have not been as satisfactory as our farmers would like to see them. The yield promises to be large in most sections of the county.

—Lex Grier left on Sunday to spend his vacation with friends in the summer cottage of Major Edmund of Washington in the Blue Ridge Mountains. Stopping in Washington a few days, he is expected to take part in the Pershing Parade.

—Alfred S. Dashiell, son of Mrs. Sallie Dashiell, of Snow Hill, has been signally honored in the award of the 1919 scholarship of \$1,000 by the Philadelphia Princeton Club. Mr. Dashiell is a graduate of the Episcopal Academy of Philadelphia. He received the highest mark of the scholarship committee and the unanimous vote of its members.

—At the Ashbury Church, the Rev. Charles M. Boswell, D. D., of Philadelphia, one of Methodism's great leaders, will preach at both services next Sunday. Dr. Boswell is regarded in the church as being "the man with a message" and we are sure of a very profitable day.

—The season at Ocean City has about closed, few of the summer visitors remaining. It has been the largest season in the history of the resort, every hotel and boarding house being crowded all season. It is said that many hundreds of people who wanted accommodations were kept away from this popular resort because of the inadequacy of the hotels, boarding houses and cottages.

—Quite a number of Salisbury boys and girls who are attending various colleges and seminaries for the winter, left Salisbury this week and others will leave the first of the coming week to assume their studies for the scholastic year. These young people will be scattered over a large area of the United States as some of them are attending schools from Baltimore to Boston and many of them in the Southern States as well.

### DOINGS AT THE WICOMICO HIGH SCHOOL

Things Of Interest Happening Among Pupils Of This Institution.

#### OF INTEREST TO PUPILS AND PARENTS.

Many Happenings Among The Boys And Girls Of The Wicomico High School Which Appeals To The Interests Of The Entire Community.

(The editors of the Wicomico News have set aside this column for the use of the pupils and faculty of The Wicomico High School and the items published here will be furnished by one or more of the scholars weekly).

All four classes of our School have organized and from the list of the officers one can easily guess that things will soon be humming.

As usual, our Friday Morning Assembly will be a red letter day in the School life and the public is cordially invited to attend. Last Friday morning, Dr. Stearns of the Chautauqua gave a fine talk; also the instrumental music furnished by the School was fine and the whole service was enjoyed by all.

The Soccer season is now in full swing; the boys are practising hard, and as usual, we fully expect to win the championship. Next week, the big drive will be in force for the School Lyceum Course.

**Beacom Business College Notes.**

Miss O. Gladys Deavor formerly of Princess Anne, has been appointed principal of the commercial department in the Dover (Del.) High School. Miss Deavor after her graduation from the business college has held satisfactorily various positions in the business world and brings with her entrance into the teaching profession a large fund of practical knowledge.

Miss Maybelle Davis of Pocomoke City has been selected to fill the position as principal of the commercial department in the Centerville High School.

Miss Thelma Rullen of Washington, D. C., a graduate of the secretarial department, was a recent caller. Miss Rullen is a private secretary to one of the colonels on duty at the War Department.

The enrollment is steadily increasing at the college. A large number of students entered on Monday. Those entering from Wicomico and Somerset counties are: Misses Minnie McGrath, Fruitland; Pauline Doody, W. H. S. '19, Eden; Nellie Toadvine, W. H. S. '19, Fruitland; Gwendolyn Disharoon, Allen; Messrs. Morris McGrath, Fruitland; Walter Bradley, Mardela Springs; Garland Nock, Salisbury.

Night sessions will begin on Monday, September 22, at 7:15 p. m. There will be sessions on Monday and Thursday evenings lasting for two and one half hours. The night sessions offer splendid opportunities to those employed during the day to acquire a knowledge of commercial subjects. One does not have to take a whole course but can select such studies as one chooses.

Most disgusting skin eruptions, scurfia, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Purifiers as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended. \$1.25 at all stores.—Adv.

### FEDERAL TAXES

Washington, Sept. 12.—Responding to inquiries, the Bureau of Internal Revenue announced today that virtually all Federal taxes, even the 2 cents paid for the privilege of an increased rate, may be deducted from gross income in computing income taxes. Only income and excess profits may not be deducted.

Transportation taxes, paid on railroad, sleeping-car and steamer tickets, admission taxes, assessed on theatre, ball game, circus and moving picture show tickets, luxury taxes, on toilet articles and the higher-priced wearing apparel—all may be subtracted from the amount on which income tax is to be reckoned. The entire sum may be lumped together without specifying the actual number of sundries consumed or movies attended, but investigation will be made of any cases in which the tax paid the Government seems out of proportion to the income indicated.

### Business Men's Asso. Thurs. Night.

A "get together" meeting of the Business Men's Association will be held in their rooms this Thursday evening, September 18th at which time all standing committees and directors are requested to be present as it will be the fall opening of the Association to arrange for the work to be carried on during the winter. It is especially desired that every member of the Association shall attend this meeting as it is hoped to get all the interests possible before the standing committees and directors ready for an aggressive campaign in the interest of the business of this city for the remainder of 1919 and 1920. The meeting will be called promptly at 8 o'clock.

—The 60th anniversary of the Division Street Baptist Church will be held from October 5th to 12th inclusive. All former pastors will be invited to come and make this a big event in the history of the church.

There will be preaching this Sunday afternoon at the Hebron Baptist Church at 3 o'clock.

### Big Sale of Ponies, Sept. 27th.

Mr. F. E. Hudson, proprietor of the Bay View Stock Farm of Girdlewood, Md., is advertising a special sale of ponies which will be held at the stables of James E. Lowe in this city, Saturday, September 27th, rain or shine. This bunch of ponies consists of Shetland, Hackney and Welsh. These ponies will make attractive presents for children and some of them are already broken to harness as well as to the saddle.

### MILLINERY OPENING.

I beg to announce the Fall Opening of my stock of Millinery, Trimmed Hats and Fancy Goods Friday and Saturday, September 19th and 20th. A special invitation to the public to call on these dates.

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# All This Week--An Exposition of the Fashions

The present exposition answers correctly all questions on the matter of the fashions for Autumn. It is an assemblage of authenticated fashions—selected with the utmost care and is offered as a complete presentation of the subject. All lines are arranged in an orderly manner so that you may best observe the features that govern the styles—the lengths of the suit coats, the pockets, which are a feature of the suits and have many different interpretations, the length of the skirts and so on.



To-day  
(Thursday)  
To-morrow  
and Saturday  
Our FALL  
OPENING  
Takes Place

Don't fail to visit this store on these days—a tour of inspection is an inspiration during these days of wonderful creations in COATS, SUITS, MILLINERY and all ACCESSORIES of the FASHIONS.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY WELCOME.

## We Have With Us This Week

A lady demonstrator—demonstrating Columbia Yarns and their uses. You are invited to come in and take lessons in the new stitches—she will be very glad to show you how to knit the new sweaters and other fancy articles.

## The Waists for Fall Are Now on Display

The blouses for the tailored suit for Fall are here now in great display.

Interest in this display will be divided between blouses of fancy silk crepes, crepe de chine, georgette crepes.

Quality and variety are apparently the keynote of the Autumn Blouse styles.

The following range of prices indicate how well the lines have been bought for you, blouses at \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.00.

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People like the fashions displayed here, for their inspection and selection.

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Many styles received from the best New York Stylists, in suits and coats are now on display for your selection.

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## HAPPENINGS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Short, Pithy Items Showing The Trend Of National Business.

### UNUSUAL PROSPERITY DURING WILSON'S ADMINISTRATION.

Many Items Of Interest Of Happenings In The National Capital On A Variety Of Subjects In Which All The People Are Interested.

### People Buy Army Food And Supplies Worth Millions.

With the announcement that 319 carloads of army food had been sold to municipalities up to the time that the food was placed on sale thru the Post Office Department, the director of sales of the War Department has also made public figures showing the entire returns to the Government from materials bought by the War Department for the Army and subsequently disposed of to the public since the armistice. During the week ended August 15, 1919, the total sales of the department aggregated \$5,107,173.81, bringing the total receipts from sales from last January to \$393,336,100.42.

Additional sales, for which bids will be opened, were announced by the director, will include approximately 300,000 yards of olive drab melton cloth, at Boston, Mass., and 691,000 yards of brown denim cloth, stored in various sections of the country. The ordnance department is also negotiating for the sale of a surplus of cotton linters consisting of about 450,000 bales of mottled linters, 20,000 bales of mottled linters and 50,000 bales of bleached linters.

### Congress To Be Requested To Grant More Road Funds.

That Congress will be asked to appropriate large additional funds for road building on the existing basis of federal aid to states and counties became evident, following the conference of governors in Salt Lake City, Utah. At least twenty of the governors agreed to sign a memorial to Congress urging an appropriation of \$400,000,000 in addition to the large sums already being expended

through the Department of Agriculture. Under the present plan the Federal Government is expending hundreds of millions in assisting states and counties that are willing to share the burden of road improvement within their own borders.

### American Graves In France.

All but 5 per cent of the graves of American soldiers in France have been recorded by the Registration Service of the Surgeon General's department. The total number of the American graves now recorded is 75,318. Additional graves are being located and marked.

### Federal Board Gets Jobs For Nearly 5000 Soldiers.

The Federal Board for Vocational Education, in charge of retraining the vocationally disabled soldier and getting him new jobs and trades, has received from more than 3,600 men who originally applied for re-education reports stating that they have found employment. In addition the board has found positions for approximately 1,200 men who were applicants for its services. About 40 men, who have been occupationally re-trained by the board since leaving the army, have been placed in positions through its efforts or have found jobs for themselves.

Of the 3,600 who placed themselves many were not granted retraining under the law as it then was construed, but the board nevertheless made an effort to obtain work for every man who applied. These men have now found work for themselves, a great many of them on leads and suggestions as well as recommendations given them by agents of the board. The 1,200 men placed by the board through its allied agencies were largely those to whom the advantages of the re-education law could not be extended.

It is calculated there will be a total of between forty and fifty thousand soldiers who may be eligible for re-education by the board. Many of the worst cases among these are still in the army hospitals. More than 15,000 of these cases have been surveyed and approved and are either now in school or will be sent to professional, academic, scientific and mechanical schools with the opening of the fall terms. An additional 15,000 men probably will be ready to receive schooling before November 1. More

than 120 men have already been re-trained occupationally. Of these about 40 wish to take up further courses.

### Navy Saves \$52,000,000 On Supply Contracts.

Showing a saving of \$52,653,697, the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts of the Navy Department has made a report to Acting Secretary Roosevelt, on the work of cancelling and adjusting contracts for millions of dollars' worth of supplies and equipments outstanding on the date of the Armistice. In its report the bureau explains that its figures do not refer to ordnance contracts for armor, shells, or gun forgings, or to contracts of the solicitor of the department's bureau. It shows contracts yet outstanding to the total value of \$106,000,000, the greater part of which, it is thought, will be saved in the final adjustment.

At the signing of the Armistice the department was able by quick action and conservative dealing to withhold or immediately to cancel contracts for material no longer necessary, and for construction which had not yet begun. These contracts aggregated \$27,420,427. Other contracts already in effect at that time, numbering approximately 858, the department was able to cancel partially. This action saved \$24,163,866 without loss or liability to the navy. In 226 other contracts the navy was enabled to realize a net saving of \$28,489,831 by payment of \$5,820,963. This later payment went to defray expenditures of the manufacturers for overhead, market depreciations, cost of machinery and raw or partly finished material taken over by the navy.

In no case has the navy paid anticipated profits or unearned profits, only such profit being allowed as has actually been earned on the proportionate part of the contract completed. The delay in adjusting the 162 remaining contracts, whose value on a "cost-plus" basis is estimated at \$105,000,000, is occasioned by investigations before the department is willing to make any payment on alleged costs. In nearly all cases the adjustments offered by the navy have been acceptable to the contractors. In only a few cases is a resort to courts expected.

Housewives Cautioned About Eggs. Housewives over the country have

been warned by the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture against the overuse of so-called egg substitutes. The bureau points out that the substitutes are as a rule good food but they differ from preparations of real eggs in dried or powdered form. The substitutes, it is stated, cannot be used in many preparations that require fresh eggs or dried or powdered eggs.

### U. S. War Material Sold To France For \$400,000,000.

Announcement of the sale of surplus army material in France to the French Government for \$400,000,000 has been announced by the Secretary of War. Much difficulty has attended the sale of this property. Certain factions of the French Republic were unwilling to see the American material placed on the French market, while others were eager to get hold of it. Material needed by the army at home will be brought back to the United States. The forces that remain overseas have saved from the sale material likely to be needed during their stay there.

### Uncle Sam Wants Musicians.

Shortage of musicians in the army has prompted the War Department to make a selection among recruits who show talent or ability so that they can be specially trained to play in military bands. Recruits who have knowledge of music will be assigned only to musical organizations.

### Fight To Save Babies Begun.

The Children's Bureau of the Labor Department is making a nationwide drive to save infants under one year of age. Statistics gathered by the bureau show among other things, that 75,000 infants died within the first month of life in 1916. A program of education to increase life chances for babies has been adopted. Better living conditions and compulsory medical attention, if necessary, will be advocated.

### Cuba Buys American Jewelry.

Cuba is reported as being in the market for large purchases of American jewelry, silverware and kindred lines. The people of the island are reaping the profits of large sugar sales at high prices in the past few years and are indulging in luxury.



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## DOINGS THROUGHOUT OLD SUSSEX COUNTY

### THE ALFALFA AND SOY BEANS BEING INJURED.

Worms Damage Crops Seriously.  
Good Spray Advised—Sussex Wa-  
termelons Going To Waste Because  
Farmers Cannot Market Them.

A canning house is being built at  
Oak Grove by R. W. Messenger & Co.  
of Federalsburg, Md.

Hog cholera has broken out around  
Millboro, and within the past few  
days several porkers have died. A  
veterinarian is vaccinating all not  
suffering from the disease.

Knocked from the top of a box car  
at Delmar, Frank Rupert, of Wil-  
mington, son of Mrs. E. H. See, of  
Georgetown, sustained a broken leg  
and barely escaped being cut to  
pieces.

Owing to the high prices being paid  
for tomatoes in the western section of  
Sussex county, some of the canners  
will not operate this season unless  
there is a drop in the market within  
the next few days. Prices range  
from 90 cents to \$1.25 per basket.

There is talk of the erection of a  
\$40,000 schoolhouse at Ellendale. At  
the present time an electric light  
plant is being installed there making  
the town the only one of its size in  
Delaware generating its own lighting  
system.

Automobile accidents which have  
resulted in the death of two persons  
and injuring several others during  
the past week, all in Sussex county,  
has resulted in officers of the law  
keeping a closer watch for operators.  
State officers will patrol the high-

ways, and two officers in the several  
towns have been given orders to en-  
force the auto laws to a letter.

Shooting quail out of season, re-  
sisting arrest and threatening to  
shoot Game Warden Albert F. Dilli-  
hay, resulted seriously for John L.  
Thompson, a young farmer, of Mil-  
ford Neck. He has been fined \$19.10  
including costs, for the game law vi-  
olation and is under \$1,000 bail on the  
charge of resisting arrest and threat-  
ening the officer.

W. Ford Breeding of Federalsburg,  
Md., has bought the Ross Block, at  
Seaford, from Mrs. Rachel B. Ross.  
He will remodel the building into an  
opera house and when finished it is  
expected to be one of the best play-  
houses on the peninsula. The lot on  
which the building stands has a front-  
age of 64 feet on High street and a  
depth of 165 feet on Market street.  
Mr. Breeding will get possession of  
the premises January 1.

According to reports reaching  
County agent M. C. Vaughn from dif-  
ferent sections of Sussex county, the  
worms which have been devouring the  
lima bean crop in every locality in  
the county for the past two weeks  
are now ravaging the alfalfa and soy  
bean fields. The rapidity with which  
the bean vines have been eaten caus-  
ing the crop to be rendered almost  
worthless, has given the farmers  
much concern since they are attacking  
other crops.

Thousands of watermelons, which  
would bring hundreds of dollars in  
the city markets, are going to waste  
in fields in Sussex county, because  
farmers have been compelled to enter  
their fodder fields and save the crop  
in order to supply food for their  
stock. In some localities they are  
unable to get labor, notwithstanding  
\$3 or \$4 per day, with board, is of-  
fered as inducement, and in some in-  
stances the women have been com-  
pelled to go into the fields and assist

their husbands. If the average Sus-  
sex county farmer fails to harvest  
his fodder he considers that his year's  
work was almost in vain.

The courses in business adminis-  
tration at Delaware College are at-  
tracting wide attention, owing to the  
demand for trained men to handle the  
complex problems in the modern in-  
dustrial world. Dr. Homer Hoyt, the  
new professor of Economics and Busi-  
ness Administration, is expected to  
reach Newark tomorrow. In general  
he will bring the student face to face  
with actual business conditions by  
making use of the case method which  
has proved so successful in the Law  
School at Harvard University. Dr.  
Hoyt took his undergraduate degree  
in the University of Kansas, and since  
that time he has taken the course in  
the School of Commerce in the Uni-  
versity of Chicago, and at the same  
time the law course, receiving the de-  
gree of Doctor of Jurisprudence.  
While he was teaching in Beloit he  
was called to the War Trade Board in  
Washington, where he handled large  
industrial problems.

### NEW RULES GOVERNING LICENSE FOR CHAUFFEURS

To Prevent Misuse Of Chauffeur  
Cards Strict Rules To Be Enforced.

As a means to prevent misuse of  
operators' and chauffeurs' cards, E.  
Austin Baughman, State Commis-  
sioner of Motor Vehicles, will require  
that they have their photographs on  
their cards.

The innovation will start with the  
cards issued to beginners, which are  
good only for a short period. In the  
place of the beginners' or instruction  
cards are issued the permanent cards  
for operators, and these too must  
bear a likeness of the holder. In ad-  
dition, a copy of the photograph will  
have to be filed for the office records

of the Commissioner.

As operators are granted a lifetime  
card the new regulation will not ex-  
tend to more than 108,000 who have  
already been licensed, but only to the  
new applicants and the chauffeurs, the  
latter being required to get new li-  
censes each year.

Mr. Baughman is of the opinion  
that the new regulation will do much  
to prevent the misuse of cards by  
their transfer to persons other than  
their owners. Misuse of such cards  
has been frequent in the past.

Mr. Baughman has also sent out a  
special warning to patrons of the  
Havre de Grace race track, to be  
careful about speeding their cars  
while going to and coming from the  
track. Vast numbers of cars run  
from Baltimore to the track during  
the racing season and complaints of  
high speeding have in the past been  
frequent. Special officers will be sta-  
tioned on the Belair road each day of  
the racing season.

### Bank Call Expected Soon.

The local national banks are look-  
ing for a call from the Comptroller of  
the Currency for a statement within  
the next few days. The banks have  
been on the lookout for this call, as  
it is about the time they are usually  
made. The new blanks contain ques-  
ties for information which the Com-  
ptroller has not heretofore sought.  
Chief among these is a statement of  
the amount of loans the banks have  
made in New York on collateral of  
either stocks or bonds within the past  
six months. It is the impression that  
the Comptroller is seeking to trace  
the amount of money which may have  
been used in speculation and also to  
test the extent to which the banks  
may have borrowed or discounted at  
the Federal reserve banks to obtain  
funds to lend in Wall street, where  
the interest rate has been higher than  
the normal rate in most other places,  
particularly for call loans. He has

also asked the banks to give the  
amount of money they have loaned on  
warehouse receipts and bills of lad-  
ding covering distilled spirits and also  
loans made to firms, corporations or  
others who manufacture distilled  
spirits.

### Mt. Hermon School Notes.

School opened Sept. 8 with an en-  
rollment of 21.  
The Mt. Hermon Community Leag-  
ue will meet Thursday evening, Sept.  
18. Mr. R. L. Robb, Miss Addie  
Parsons, teacher, and Mrs. Ronie  
Baus will all speak on "Improvement  
of Education in Our School." Mr.  
George Walston and Mr. Charles  
Tilghman will speak on "The Cheap-  
est Way to Save Fodder and Toma-  
atoes." Mrs. Robb, Mrs. Parsons and  
Mrs. Bailey will each speak on "Home  
Improvements," and the pupils will  
render a short sketch later. All are  
invited to attend.

### Death of Benjamin Figgs.

Benjamin Figgs died at his resi-  
dence near Snow Hill on Friday eve-  
ning, Sept. 5, after an illness of  
nearly five months of cancer of the  
stomach, aged 85 years. Mr. Figgs  
was a life long resident of this Coun-  
ty, and up to about twelve months  
ago followed his vocation of farming.  
He married Miss Mary Elizabeth  
Godfrey, with whom he lived for  
more than 59 years.

### Harrison Storehouse Burned.

Fire of unknown origin broke out  
last Saturday afternoon in a storage  
house of Harrison's Nurseries, Ber-  
lin, a short distance up the railroad  
from the packing sheds, destroying  
the building and contents—which in-  
cluded a carload or more of peach  
stones, a large quantity of lime, cul-  
phur and amounts of lead for spray-  
ing. The loss is estimated at \$2,000,  
with an insurance.

### Sharp-Wimbrough Wedding.

A beautiful wedding was solemn-  
ized Wednesday afternoon at two  
o'clock, in Stevenson M. E. Church,  
Berlin, when Miss Nettie Wimbrough  
the organist of the church for several  
years, became the bride of Elmer  
F. Sharp, of Wilmington. The ring  
ceremony was used, the couple stand-  
ing under an arch of clematis. The  
bridegroom's father, Rev. W. W.  
Sharp, officiated, assisted by the pas-  
tor of the church, Rev. W. Osborne  
Bennett. Miss Nellie Collins played  
the Wedding Marches. The ushers  
were Norwood Shockley and Ercell  
Wimbrow, cousins of the bride; Hale  
Harrison and Everett Esham. The  
bride wore a handsome brown cos-  
tume.

Among the house guests at the  
wedding were Mr. Clinton Krause and  
family of Salisbury.

## Notice!

The Physicians of Wicomico  
County who are members of the  
County Medical Society an-  
nounce that after Sept. 1st,  
1919, the fees for professional  
service will be as follows:

Day visit in town	\$2.00
Night visit in town	3.00
Minimum Office Fee	1.00

Rates in the County rural  
districts will be the same, plus  
one dollar.

S. MORRIS PILCHARD, M. D.

Sept. 11, 1919. Sec. & Treas.







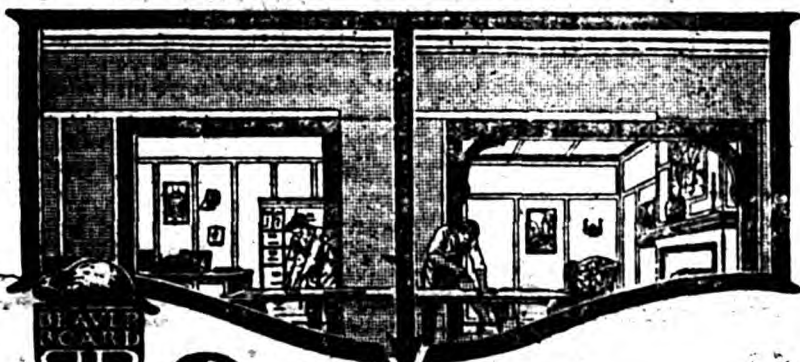
SALISBURY, MD., THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 1919.

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## GRAPE GROWING CAN BE MADE PROFITABLE

All Kinds Of Fruits And Berries Producing Juices Should Be Grown.

THE DEMAND GROWING YEAR BY YEAR FOR PRODUCTS.

One Newcomer To This County Has Demonstrated That Grape Growing Can Be Done Profitably Here—His Example Should Be Followed.

For many years, specialists in fruit culture have contended that the soil on the Eastern Shore of Maryland was adaptable to the growing of fine grapes, but our farmers and truckers have never entered into the growing of this crop for some unknown reason. Recently, a farmer moved here from New York State and bought a farm in Nutter's District and set out a good size vineyard, with the result that last week, he brought to Salisbury many baskets of the finest grapes we have ever seen grown in this section and they found a most ready sale in this market at very fine prices.

Grapes can be grown along the roadways through the farm and in out of the way places where it will not take up the land which could be used for other purposes, and with a little care, and study of the subject, there is no doubt that many of our truckers would find this a side crop which would bring them in considerable money. The local farmers have always contended that grapes would not mature in this climate and with our soil, but this argument seems to have been completely knocked out by the great success obtained by this newcomer in our midst and if one farmer can grow this crop successfully, then there is no reason why others could not do the same thing, and there is always a good market for the product.

The demand for all kinds of small fruit which can be used for the purpose of making fruit juices will grow year by year as long as National Prohibition exists in this country, and one of the most popular temperance drinks is grape juice, and in other parts of the United States hundreds of thousands of bushels of grapes are used every year in the manufacture of this very good food product which is said to contain more nutriment than the juice of almost any other fruit, and if enough of our farmers would engage in the business of using their side roads through their farms and their hedge rows in growing a good quality of grapes, there is every reason to believe that some enterprising citizens would establish a grape juice factory in this section of the country which would consume all the grapes grown and bring in a very fine revenue to the farmers. This demand for fruit juices has grown so large as to make the growing of strawberries for the next few years one which there will probably be more real money made than any other crop which will be grown on the farm outside of a good grape crop. Already, there are inquiries being received from the fruit juice makers in the larger cities asking the possibility of the strawberry crop for next season and they are extremely anxious to know if our farmers are arranging to set out more and larger strawberry fields for next year. The News called the attention of our strawberry growers at the beginning of the war to the fact that they were making a mistake in not keeping their strawberry patches in good cultivation and we warned those who were plowing them for the purpose of putting in tomato fields that they would find out their mistake and certainly they have done so. Those farmers who were looking ahead a few years ago kept their strawberry patches and for the past two or three seasons, they have realized tremendous sums of money from this crop, while those who used the land for tomato growing this season, find themselves on the wrong side of the fence as far as revenue is concerned. We insist again that our farmers should put out large areas of strawberries and use their waste land for grape growing and cultivate every kind of small fruit and berry which can be used in the production of fruit juices and they will find these crops will be one of the biggest feeders for the revenue on the farm.

One way to relieve habitual constipation is to take regularly a mild laxative. Don't's Regulex are recommended for this purpose. Be a lot of all day clean—444.

## BUICK EMPLOYEES TO HAVE DORMITORY HOME

General Motors Corporation Begins Construction of \$2,500,000 Building.

7 STORY FIRE PROOF STRUCTURE NEAR BUICK PLANT.

Will Make The Working And Living Conditions Of The Buick Employees Thoroughly Up To The Highest Mark And Will Aid In Efficiency.

The General Motors Corporation has begun the construction of a seven-story fire proof dormitory building at Flint, Michigan, located three squares west of the Buick Motor Company Plant, to cost approximately \$2,500,000 and will be in every sense of the word a community building with recreation and entertainment features to accommodate 2,760 persons at one time.

The plans call for a magnificent fire proof building that will be beyond question the largest enterprise of this nature ever undertaken by a private corporation. According to a statement which accompanied the announcement from Walter P. Chrysler, Vice President of the General Motors Corporation and President of the Buick Motor Company of Flint, this great enterprise on the part of the corporation has been decided upon by the directors solely with a view to the welfare of Buick employees and other General Motors interests at Flint, to relieve the congestion and provide highly desirable living quarters for as many employees as possible and at the same time to add to the pleasure and enjoyment of all employees and their families.

The General Motors Company has been at work for several months carrying out a program of house building for its employees at Flint for which appropriations of over \$6,000,000 already have been made. Approximately 2,000 of these houses will be completed during the present year and will be occupied by Buick and other employees.

Some features to be embodied in the dormitory building are as follows:

It will be a seven story fire proof building, 214 feet by 280 feet.

Its cost is estimated to be between \$2,300,000 and \$2,500,000.

It will provide sleeping accommodations for 1168 men.

It will provide eating accommodations for 1,300 men.

A large gymnasium, 72 by 92 feet fully equipped with all the equipment necessary in an up to date gymnasium and a large auditorium with a seating capacity of 1,300 people, also a large machine shop for the instruction in practical mechanics. Twelve bowling alleys will be established in the basement with a seating capacity for 100 visitors. The large swimming pool is 25 by 75 feet with a spectators gallery above accommodating 200 people. A cafeteria will be located under the main auditorium with a seating capacity of 450 persons. A laundry will be located in the rear of the basement and a nine chair barber shop with a Turkish bath in connection.

The following stores will be installed: drug store, tailor shop, shoe shop and men's furnishing shop.

Each bedroom will be provided with a lavatory with hot and cold water. The building will have five high speed elevators with a capacity sufficient to empty the building with the elevators alone in 30 minutes. There will be four fire towers at each end of the building which can be entered only by going out into the open air from each floor and each floor will be provided with four smoke proof sections with self closing doors in each corridor. The buildings will be equipped with a vacuum cleaner system, cold water drinking fountains, and telephone communication with each room.

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## WORCESTER COUNTY'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Happenings Of Interest In The Coun-  
ty East Of Us.

### REAL ESTATE STILL ACTIVE AROUND SNOW HILL.

E. M. Jones Sells Two Farms; H. W. Mason Also Sells His Farms—Mar-  
ried At 1.30 In The Morning—Held  
For Action Of Grand Jury.

Within the last week Mrs. Laura Sigler and Dr. L. G. Sigler have sold their interests in the Empire Theatre property, Pocomoke City, to W. F. Bratten of Front Street.

According to reports received this week, J. Milton Clogg has purchased of W. F. Bratten a piece of wharf property along the Pocomoke river, near the old flour mill, to which it is said, he will move his fertilizer sheds now located at the foot of Market street.

E. S. Furbush, W. R. Purnell and Ernest Burbage have sold their interest in the Berlin Veneer Works to the other owner, F. H. Bartlett, and the Shuttleworth & Keller Co., a New York firm which owns two paper mills. The new firm intends to double their capacity, and it is reported that they will begin the manufacture of paper bags.

Mrs. William Godfrey departed this life at seven o'clock Thursday evening. She had reached the advanced age of 87 and death was due to general breakdown of health which frequently accompanies old age. For some time she has made her home with her son, George E. Godfrey in Indiantown, and it was there she died.

On Thursday night, August 28th, at about one o'clock, the Rev. J. O. Alderman, of Pocomoke, was aroused by an insistent call. After dressing and coming down stairs he found a couple wishing to be married. He got into the automobile and went with them across the Pocomoke river into Somerset county and made the young couple happy at 1.30 o'clock Friday morning. The parties were Harry Thomas Wessels, of Bloxom, Va., and Miss Willie May Hart, of Poulson, Va.

As a result of a quarrel over a pair of shoes Charles Doane, colored, was shot in the face by Bud King, also colored, at the former's home at Princess Anne last Monday night. Doane was brought to town where he was given medical attention and it is thought that while the wounds are serious they will not prove fatal. King after the shooting disappeared but was caught at an early hour Tuesday morning at Kings Creek near there. He was committed to jail for action of the grand jury.—Pocomoke Ledger-Enterprise.

The sale of E. M. Jones' two farms which was held in front of the court house at Snow Hill last Tuesday was well attended. The home farm of Mr. Jones, known as the "Dover Farm" was purchased by C. F. Chandler of Snow Hill, and Rev. R. S.monds of Bloxom, Va., the price paid being \$15,000. The "Mather Farm" sold for \$3,960 and was bought by Lee Payne also of Virginia. Another change in real estate that is of interest to the people of Worcester county, is the sale of H. W. Mason's 2 farms which are located on the Snow Hill-Girdle tree road. Mr. Mason's home farm was sold to R. F. Powell of Berlin, and his other place to Sidney L. Trader of Indiantown, formerly of Newark. These sales were made privately, so the prices paid are not generally known.

The registration of pupils in the Pocomoke schools on Monday, the first day of the new term, numbered 625, which is an increase of 40 over the registration on the first day of school last year. In the High school, the first day's registration was 155; and this is an increase of 25 over that of a year ago. In the High school's graduating class this year there are at present registered, 22 students; and for the first time in many years the boys are in the majority. The class is made up of 10 boys and nine girls. The commercial department this year has three students in the graduating year. These are two girls and one boy. It is the belief of the faculty that within the month there will be well over 200 students in the High school department.

### Despondency.

Sufferers from indigestion are apt to become discouraged and feel that complete recovery is not to be hoped for. No one could make a greater mistake. Hundreds have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Tablets and can now eat anything that they crave. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. If you have not tried them do so at once.

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### TOMATO GROWING.

Messrs. Editors:—I have just noticed the account in the News of the Canadian who has "revolutionized" tomato growing in Delaware." The reporter evidently knew little about tomato-growing, for the market-gardeners have been growing in that way for generations and I have practiced that method for forty years. Have grown early tomatoes here for ten or twelve years and would think I was rather late if I did not get ripe ones earlier than the Canadian who had them July 4th. I have had them here in Salisbury as early as June 12th on one occasion and seldom later than the 20th. In 1874 I grew probably the first field of tomatoes ever planted on the Eastern Shore. It was when the Trophy Tomato was a new thing, and I was farming at Chestertown. The plants were started early in February and in March set in frames covered with glass, 200 sashes 8x6 feet being used, and I set out 30,000 plants. I began shipping to Baltimore the last week in June and had the market to myself for two weeks before a single Anne Arundel grower appeared on the market. When the price got down I persuaded a canning house that was engaged in canning peaches to take the remainder of my tomatoes and sold them \$400 worth. That was the first Eastern Shore tomato canning. I had a remarkably fine crop of early tomatoes this year, and I have been trying to show our farmers here that they could get some profit out of tomatoes started earlier, while usually the late canning crop here costs about all they get out of it if not more.

Yours truly,

W. F. MASSEY.

Salisbury, Sept. 12th, 1919.

### PORK AT LOWEST PRICE SINCE THE FALL OF 1917

A Drop From \$23.75 Per Hundred To  
\$14.25 Per Hundred In Few Weeks.

There should be a material decrease in the local prices on pork within the next few days. On Thursday of last week, the price of live pork had fallen to \$14.25 per hundred which is the lowest price it has reached since 1917, and was caused by the fact that thousands of hogs in the stock yards of Chicago and other Western cities could not be sold at any price. The threatened strike among the Stockyard employees and the drive which is being made against high price of commodities has caused a drop in corn and other provisions to such an extent that pork was the first of the meats to feel the lowering of prices and it has fallen from \$23.50 per hundred pounds to around \$14.00 which is nearly \$10.00 per hundred pounds in a few weeks.

Other commodities have also started on the downgrade, and it is very apparent that the fight being made by the Government against H. C. L. is having its effect, and the several million tons of food which the Government had purchased for the navy and army and which was not needed and is now being sold to the public has had its effect also in lowering the cost of many high price commodities.

### Tomato Contract Upheld.

Snow Hill, Md., Sept. 11.—The desire of tomato growers to violate their contracts with the canners when the market goes above the contract price came to light in Worcester again this week. As a consequence the aid of the Chancery Court had to be invoked and four prohibitory and mandatory injunctions have been issued at the instance of the Seaside Canning Company, of Ocean City; the Queponco Canning Company, of Newark; the Snow Hill Canning Company, of Snow Hill, and John B. Webster, of Berlin, prohibiting certain growers from selling their tomatoes to others and requiring them to deliver them to the canners with whom the contracts were made.

### Captain Moon Wants A Farm.

Capt. T. Orlando Moon, who has been the subject for sea novel makers, has given up the sea. He is in Baltimore now with a view to purchasing a farm near that city, where he hopes to pass a quiet existence compared with the excitement marking his years at sea. He has resigned from command of the steamer Barnstable, which has been running between Savannah and Cuba, towing barges. He saw that she would still be directed by a Moon, as his nephew, Robert E. Moon, a Baltimorean, has taken his place.

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Well days, sound nights  
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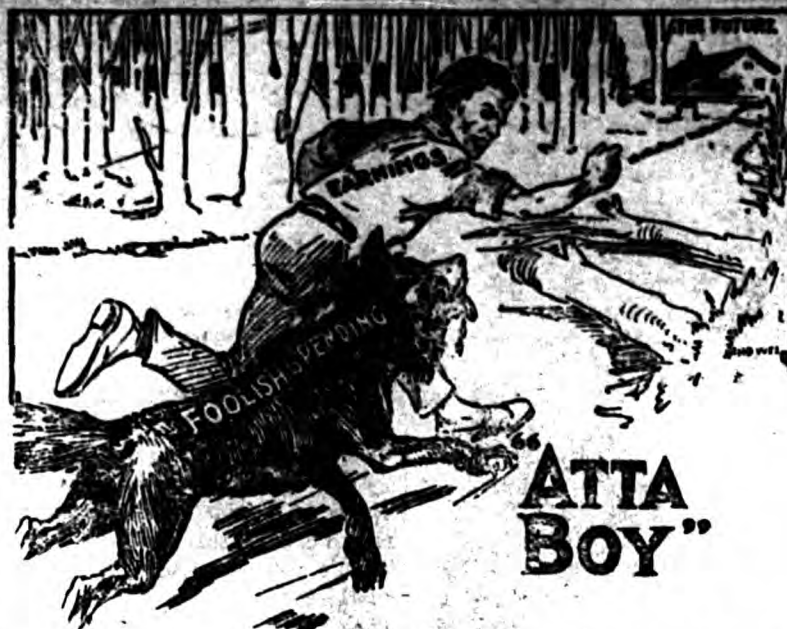
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NOTICE: Daily boat leaving Claiborne at 6 A. M. enables those who wish to reach Baltimore by 9 A. M. to leave Claiborne at 6 A. M. and reach Baltimore at 9 A. M. by the Baltimore and Annapolis Ferry. Extra trip Saturday only: La. Annapolis 12:00 noon; Claiborne 1:00 P. M.

Aug 1-19

T. C. R. HOWARD, General Manager

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If it's a tie between **INCOME** and **SPENDING**, we lose. If we lose, we are handicapped on the next lap of life's relay. But if we beat our **FOOLISH SPENDING**, we start the next lap ahead of the game. If we keep up our saving pace, we distance the Wolf.

### HOW LARGE SUMS CAN

### BE SAVED ON SERVICE

Most People Fail to Consider What Help in Home Really Costs in the Long Run.

In any plan for national economy British specialists think that the household rather than the family should be taken as a unit. Under household consumption they include (1) services rendered maintaining the house and its inmates, (2) the goods consumed or acquired by the inmates, (3) the general charges of cleaning, decorating, offsetting deterioration, etc.

As a start in a saving program the British Commission has pointed out that services should be valued even more highly than goods, as each person doing unnecessary and unproductive work not only consumes without producing, but is also depriving the country of possible productive power. Translated into terms of American saving, this service idea would mean, "Do not hire any one to do what you can do for yourself in spare time unless you find it directly profitable."

Few Americans are really honest with themselves as to the cost of services. Not one family in a hundred really knows what a servant actually costs. Most of them place the cost of her wages and fail to count in her food, light and other things she consumes. Most of them, moreover, have no way of figuring correctly the extra waste of food or extra breakage or wear and tear due to the fact that the servant does not have the interest of ownership in the things she uses as far as possible. Few families know at the end of the year the important total that the "odd job" man or hedge cutter or grass trimmer has cost them for service that might as well have been rendered as recreation or needed outdoor exercise by the man or boys of the family.

This, of course, does not mean that no service should be purchased. Where a housewife's time is worth more in money or other contribution to family well-being than the cost of a servant she makes a profit by employing some one who frees her to do better paid work than household tasks. In many cases physical or personal reasons make it essential to the welfare of the family to have help, but in many cases the time saved to the members of the household by servants is not utilized profitably in a monetary way or even in a way to make for real happiness or advancement.

Savings on service will give many people important sums to lend to their government and save for themselves through War Savings Stamps. In the case of children work is not only a practical means of earning and saving, but in itself is a valuable discipline for life.

### THE CAVE MAN

Took What He Wanted.  
He didn't say:  
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He just helped himself.

The Civilized Man and Woman  
Get What They Want with  
Money

In Order to Have Money You  
Must Save.

Save First, Spend Afterward.  
Nearly Every American Saved  
During 1918

Keep Up the Habit Through 1919  
And Don't Stop.

War Savings Stamps Form  
The Nucleus of a  
COMFORTABLE INCOME.  
BUY THEM! KEEP THEM!  
SAVE NOW!

Invest your surplus money in War Savings Stamps and watch it grow.

### BANKS ENTER FIGHT

### AGAINST 'BOND SHARK'

Plan is Devised Whereby Person Who Must Sell Will Be Given Square Deal.

Bankers in all parts of this district have been asked to take part in the war which has been declared against the bond shark. The campaign is to protect the small holder of Liberty and Victory Bonds. Many of these people are being preyed upon by profiteers in government securities and by salesmen of so-called wild cat stocks. Government bonds, which are the best security in the world, have been traded for worthless stock certificates which never have and never will pay one cent in dividends.

While every holder of Liberty and Victory bonds is urged not to sell, the fact is recognized that some persons bought beyond their buying power and they now find that for one reason or another—good reasons no doubt—they must sell. Bond sharks have taken shameful advantage of some of these people, according to reports received, and the banks are now lining up to put an end to their activities.

If a man finds that he must sell his bond he should take it to the nearest bank where he will be given its full market value or if for any reason the bank prefer not to pay the cash the bond holder will be directed to a reputable broker.

The Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond has sent an official communication to every bank and trust company in this district urging their cooperation. The point is made that no criticism is aimed at the reputable broker who is legitimately buying and selling bonds and other standard securities, but a determined effort will be made, and indeed is now being made, to block the activities of those persons who by misrepresentation are preying upon the inexperienced bond holders.

### BUDGETING CHILDREN

Budgeting children will teach them the value of money and often make them more careful of their clothes and shoes. It will also bring out certain traits of character that nothing else will disclose and enable parents to correct faults before they become fixed habits. Any child old enough to be entrusted with money is old enough to be given a specified amount to spend each week, and to be told the value of saving a part of it.

Of course very young children may not be allowed to choose their own clothes, but training along this line may begin very early and a sense of values and suitability may be instilled.

Three grown girls in a certain family were given the same allowance for clothes, books, amusements, entertainment of friends, etc. At the end of the first month May had spent all of her allowance and stated that she had nothing to show for it. Jane had saved one-half of hers and deposited it in the bank. She had denied herself some badly needed clothing and bought a few showy articles with the amount spent. She had accepted entertainment from friends but was stingy with her own money to entertain in return. Sarah produced an account book and showed that she had bought all the necessary articles of clothing and several well chosen entertainments and had purchased two War Savings Stamps paying four per cent compound interest.

These are typical, and the information gathered from the first month enabled the father and mother to show May the folly of wasteful and careless expenditure, to show Jane the value of saving, and to show Sarah the virtue of economy and the value of her own money and to commend Sarah for her unusual foresight.

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Then we use the hydrometer which is the one reliable way of knowing the condition of its charge.

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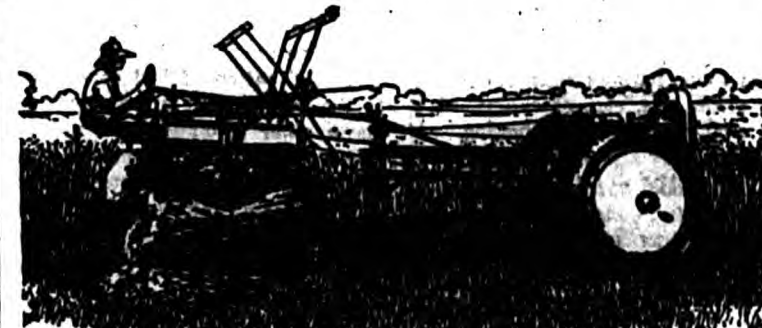
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Aug. 21-19



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Protects the Lucky Strike cigarette—a cigarette made of that delicious real Burley tobacco. It's toasted.

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## Valuable Farm —AND— TIMBER FOR SALE

The undersigned offers for sale the "Barnett Farm," located on the State Road between Salisbury and Hebron, only 1 1/2 miles from the town of Hebron, with 1,000 acres, on the E. C. & A. Railroad. State Road runs by farm into Hebron. This farm is suitable.

**100 Acres more or less**  
Sixty Acres, more or less, being cleared land and about

**40 Acres in Timber**  
Has a mill on tract. The farm is improved by a good 7-room dwelling, with a new medium size barn.  
If interested and want to look over farm, call to see Alcy W. Johnson on the adjoining farm, or write addressing me at Hebron.  
I also have some live stock which I will dispose of, as I have come here to live.  
ALCY W. JOHNSON.  
Aug. 25-44. Hebron, Md.

## Farm Implements FOR SALE

Having disposed of my farm, I offer at private sale the following implements:

9-18 H. P. Case Tractor. Late Model, used less than 30 days. In First-class condition.  
One P. & O. 14 in. Two-Bottom Plow, used less than 3 days.  
One 32 Tandem Disc.  
One McCormick 4-row Huaker and Shredder.

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Farm containing 128 acres tillable land, adapted to truck, grain and grass, also 80 acres wood land; on State road from Salisbury to Catchpenny. Apply to

T. A. MELSON,  
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

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

12th day of March, 1920,  
or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 9th day of September, 1919

MARY F. ADKINS, Executrix.  
Test—J. W. Dashiell, Register of Wills, Wicomico County.

## FOR SALE:

Stock and Truck Farms, large and small, located near Salisbury or in any part of Wicomico, Somerset, Worcester and Dorchester Counties.  
Houses and lots for sale in any section of this city on good terms.  
Money to loan in any amounts, long or short terms. Call or Write

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## Registration Notice

Salisbury, Md., Sept. 5, 1919.  
Notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration of Voters for Wicomico County will meet at time and place hereinafter designated for the purpose of Registration of voters of Wicomico County for the year 1919.

**Tuesday, September 30, 1919**  
**Tuesday, October 7th, 1919**

FROM 8 A. M. TO 7 P. M.

No. 1. BARREN CREEK DISTRICT—James A. Lowe and Geo. W. Riggin, Registrars, will sit at Election House in Mardela Springs.

No. 2. QUANTICO DISTRICT—Lee P. Taylor and J. B. Lindsey, Registrars, will sit at Store House of J. M. Jones, in Quantico.

No. 3. TYASKIN DISTRICT—B. Frank Walker and W. Langrell, Registrars, will sit at Election House, Deep Branch.

No. 4. PITTSBURG DISTRICT—L. Tangle Truitt and Miss J. Parsons, Registrars, will sit at the office of E. T. Shockey, in Pittsville.

No. 5. PARSONS DISTRICT—Charles Tilden and Ralph H. Grier, Registrars, will sit at Election House on Water Street, Salisbury.

No. 6. DENNIS DISTRICT—Charles Parker and Robert Collins, Registrars, will sit at E. P. Morris' Store House in Powellville.

No. 7. TRAPPE DISTRICT—C. L. Bonds and R. S. Bonds, Registrars, will sit at the Election House near Walnut Tree, in Trappe District.

No. 8. NUTTERS DISTRICT—Elisha W. Johnson and Albert Poole, Registrars, will sit at Election House in Nutter's District.

No. 9. SALISBURY DISTRICT—E. N. Todd and Donald Graham, Registrars, will sit at Election House on Circle Avenue, Salisbury.

No. 10. SHARPTOWN DISTRICT—Branch E. Phillips and W. D. Grevenor, Registrars, will sit at the Election House in Sharptown.

No. 11. DELMAR DISTRICT—J. William Freery and D. H. Feakey, Registrars, will sit at the new Election House in Delmar.

No. 12. NANTICOKE DISTRICT—Thomas E. Messick and W. R. Langrell, Registrars, will sit at Knights of Pythias Hall, in Nanticoke.

No. 13. CAMDEN DISTRICT—C. L. Dickerson and H. L. Harcum, Registrars, will sit at Election House on Upton Street, Salisbury.

No. 14. WILLARD DISTRICT—Jas. H. Phillips and George E. Jackson, Registrars, will sit at G. L. Davis & Co. office in Willard.

No. 15. HEBRON DISTRICT—B. Frank Adkins and B. S. Pusey, Registrars, will sit at Store House of G. A. Bonds & Co., Main Street, Hebron.

The Registrars will sit at their respective places of Registration on Tuesday, Oct. 14 for the purpose of correcting and revising the registration list. No new names will be registered on October 14.

Registration Officers will appear before the Board September 29th, to secure registration books.

By order of

W. E. SHEPPARD, President.

C. LEE GILLIS.

WM. M. DAY, Board of Election Supervisors.

W. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Wicomico County, that an election will be held in said County on the FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1919, being the

FOURTH DAY OF THE MONTH

For the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: Governor, Comptroller, Attorney-General, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, State Senator, three members of the Legislature, State's Attorney, County Treasurer, three County Commissioners, three Judges of the Orphans' Court, Sheriff, County Surveyor.

The Polls Open at 8 A. M. and close at 6 P. M.

Except in Districts Numbers Four, Pittsburg, Five, Parsons, and Eleven, Delmar, in each of which the polls will be open from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.)

THE VOTING PLACES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

No. 1. BARREN CREEK DISTRICT—At the election house in the town of Mardela Springs.

No. 2. QUANTICO DISTRICT—At the store house of J. M. Jones in the town of Quantico.

No. 3. TYASKIN DISTRICT—At the School House at Deep Branch.

No. 4. PITTSBURG DISTRICT—At the office of E. T. Shockey in the town of Pittsville.

No. 5. PARSONS DISTRICT—At the election house on Water Street, Salisbury.

No. 6. DENNIS DISTRICT—At the store of E. P. Morris in the town of Powellville.

No. 7. TRAPPE DISTRICT—At the election house Walnut Tree, in Trappe District.

No. 8. NUTTERS DISTRICT—At the election house in Nutter's District.

No. 9. SALISBURY DISTRICT—At the new election house on Circle Ave., Salisbury.

No. 10. SHARPTOWN DISTRICT—At the new election house in Sharptown.

No. 11. DELMAR DISTRICT—At the new election house in the town of Delmar.

No. 12. NANTICOKE DISTRICT—At the Knights of Pythias Hall in the town of Nanticoke.

No. 13. CAMDEN DISTRICT—At the new election house on Upton Street, Salisbury.

No. 14. WILLARD DISTRICT—At G. L. Davis & Co. office in the town of Willard.

No. 15. HEBRON DISTRICT—At the store house of G. A. Bonds & Co., Main Street, Hebron.

NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS:

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By order of

W. E. SHEPPARD, President.

C. LEE GILLIS.

WM. M. DAY, Board of Election Supervisors.

W. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

## Americanization

By DORA H. MOLLAN

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A March wind is no respecter of persons. Ruth Devereaux was twenty-eight and still pretty when she hurried down the main street of her home town on a blustering March day. Her cape flew back and disclosed its brilliant lining. Her small arched feet were neatly shod in brown oxfords. Brown woolen hose covered slender ankles and shapely—but the liberties taken by the miniature cyclone were no fault of Ruth's.

One hand grabbed tightly the straight-brimmed sailor and the other carried a bulky parcel.

A tall man stood in the doorway of the street car waiting room, but Ruth didn't see him as, head down, drieries flying, she made for that haven. Propelled by a harder gust than usual, like a ship with all sails set riding before the gale, she arrived full against his stalwart bulk.

The tall man braced for the encounter. He grasped the scurrying figure with one hand and with the other opened the door. Ruth, looking up from under the brim of her discolored sailor, now rakishly askew, and through straggling brown curls, gasped:

"Why, good afternoon, Mr. Ogden.

Thanks for the rescue. That miniature Flatiron building across the street may be the pride of the town, but it certainly convulses with the wind to bring low the pride of mortals."

"Well, it's an ill wind that brings no one good, and I'll have the pleasure of the ride up with you," the tall man replied. "There comes our car now."

"But I'm not on my way home," Ruth explained. "I'm bound in the



Hurried Down the Main Street.

opposite direction—for Bank street." "Bank street! At this time of day!" ejaculated Ogden.

"Yes, Bank street, this time of day—alone," repeated Ruth. "You had better hurry or you'll lose your car."

"Bother my car," returned the man. "I'm going to put you on yours first. Here it is now." Ruth hurried out and Ogden after her. "But, please, Miss Devereaux," he pleaded, "let me go with you; that's a bad neighborhood."

"Nonsense! I'm as safe down there as in my own home. Why, some one out of nearly every family has been in my class at one time or another. I go every week and have supper with Katy and Virgilus."

Plainly this explanation was Greek to Ogden. Ruth's foot was on the step of the car as she laughed at his puzzled expression. "Come and see me some time and I'll tell you all about it," she said.

"Tomorrow evening?" questioned the tall man eagerly.

"Yes," Ruth swung back over her shoulder.

When Ogden crossed the street next evening—for he boarded directly opposite to Ruth's home—March Wind was still on his job. But the bright fire on the hearth in the big quiet living room, and Ruth in a rose crepe dress, with rebellious curls neatly coiffed, made a decided contrast to their meeting of the afternoon before.

"You see, nothing happened to me down in the 'bad' neighborhood," he boasted the remark, brightly. "Have this comfy chair; it's dad's favorite, and here's his smoking stand. It's bridge club tonight, so I'm alone."

Though this was the tall man's first call at the Devereaux home, he felt immediately at ease and sank into the big chair after a few words of appreciation of the cheer and comfort of a fire on such a night.

"First of all I'll amplify my rather enigmatical explanation of my expeditions into the Italian quarter," Ruth began. "Then we can have a cosy talk about things in general. You see, I taught in the evening school here the first three winters after leaving college. There wasn't as much interest taken in Americanization then; the compensation was small and there was trouble in finding competent teachers. I was restless doing nothing, and that work appeals to me."

She who came to me the first year. She was a German driver then, and slightly paid; but she gave that up and took something at the neighboring house which paid less because he hated to make a single night at school. Well, naturally, such perseverance pleased me, so I was glad to find him on hand promptly the opening night of the next year. That year Katy came to school—a little Irish-American who had been taken out of school too young. She worked in a mill, and was passionately fond of reading."

Ruth had been watching the fire as she talked, but now she glanced up laughingly at the tall man sitting opposite. "Mother says I'm a born matchmaker, and I fear she's right, for from the first time I saw Virgilus watching Katy with that faithful, adoring look you see in the eyes of an old setter dog, I made up my mind to help things along. When there were rumors of a 'Jack the Hugger' in Katy's neighborhood I asked the big Italian to see that Katy got home safely. So he established the habit of going home with her. About this time the shipbuilding boom struck on, and at my suggestion Virgilus tried for a job at the shipyard and, because he was a diver, they offered him \$50 a week. But soon after that a falling beam struck him on the shoulder, and he was in the hospital two weeks. I took Katy to see him, and on one of our visits what I had been hoping for happened. I left them alone for a moment, and when I returned Virgilus told me the old, old story; but puzzled me by adding, with longing eyes fixed on little Katy, 'We must wait till war gets over.'"

"The nurse sent us away then, but I determined to go alone soon and have a talk with him. What do you think that big, fine fellow told me? That he was sending thirty of that weekly fifty to Italy. He was supplying funds to three families of relatives and to a cousin, a prisoner in Austria. 'But surely,' I expostulated, 'you and Katy can manage on the twenty a week for the present, anyway.' Then Virgilus came out with the astonishing statement that he wanted to wait until he could give Katy a 'nice-a home like-a American girls'—and clothes like mine! I asked him if he would leave it to me to find out how Katy felt on the subject. Of course I knew," Ruth added pensively, "how any woman would feel if she really loved a man." Then, rousing herself, she concluded brightly: "So they were married and lived happily ever afterward. I helped them fix up their two little rooms. There is a baby now and so much money doesn't have to go across the water, so they get along very well. That's all of my tale. Now you talk."

The big man's eyes had much that set a dog look when he spoke. "Miss Devereaux," he said, "would you feel that way if you really loved a man?"

"Yes," she answered, meeting his eyes bravely, "I would."

"I earn seventy-five dollars a week," Ogden continued, "and twenty-five of that I send to my mother. Could you be happy sharing the remainder, with prospects of more after a while, if I can make you love me? Would you give up this?" looking around the spacious room.

"Mother and dad began on twelve a week," answered Ruth.

ODD TASTE IN ADORNMENT  
Natives of Portuguese East Africa Regard Empty Condensed-Milk Tins as Desirable Ornaments.

The odd predilections of the African native in the way of personal ornament and adornment have always been a subject to excite wonderment in the average white man, without in the least creating in him any particular desire for imitation. The native of Uganda, in top-hat and cuffs, especially has proved to be an excellent subject for the caricaturist of the African "on his heels." But the natives of Portuguese East Africa have surely a claim to making something like a record for odd adornment, if the story of a British noncommissioned officer just returned from that country is to be believed. He says: "During the trek into the interior, a distance of over 900 miles was covered, and it was necessary to replace our stocks of food at each native encampment we reached. The native folk always protested volubly that the feeling enemy had taken all they had, but we soon learned that the best medium for getting what we wanted was an empty tin or bottle, carefully polished beforehand. The production of these articles was always instantaneous in effect, and in one group of hutments, one of the unsophisticated 'darkies' was a striking advertisement for a condensed-milk firm, for we left her with a string of empty tins hanging round her neck."

Commons Keeps Old Habits.

The election of the speaker of the British house of commons was carried out with the ancient formalities. The members named as mover and seconder of his nomination were indicated by the clerk in the old custom, the clerk pointing his finger at the person appointed to move, indicating his privilege, and after his speech doing a like office for the seconder.

The house cheered each action, and after voting the speaker to his office the mover and seconder seized the speaker and gently lifted him into his seat. The ceremony was over.

The American hens laid 40,000,000, 000 eggs last year, and the outlook for the present year is said to be even better.

"Too many cooks spoil the broth," remarked the ready-made philosopher.

"Yes; but in these days of servant problems is there any possible danger of anybody having too many cooks?"

CAN'T BE DONE.

"If they should try the Kaiser it will be hard."

"What will be hard?"

"To pick a jury of twelve men in the world who are not already prejudiced against him."

ON THE TRAIL.

Detective—Does the man who has just entered live in this house?

Janitor—Yes, on the floor above the first.

Detective—Ha! a clue! He is a second-story man.

SUMMER STICKS FOR POLICE.

"This stick of yours is very heavy."

"Yes, mum."

"All wrong. They ought to let the police carry lightweight sticks in summer."—Kansas City Journal.

RECORD OF THE PAST.

No Stronger Evidence Can Be Had In Salisbury.

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## WILSON'S PLEDGE SACRED—WILSON

**PRESIDENT SAYS OUR PROMISE  
TO TRY TO PREVENT FUTURE  
WARS SHOULD BE KEPT.**

**ONLY HOPE IS IN WORLD LEAGUE**

Says Germany Would Not Have Dared  
to Strike if Nations Had Been  
Banded Against Aggression.

(By Mt. Clemens News Bureau.)

St. Louis—Displaying a high con-  
fidence that his fellow citizens in the  
great majority agree with him in his  
desire to end war forever, and that  
the peace treaty with the League of  
Nations inclusion is ratified by the  
senate, President Wilson is making a  
successful way across the country on  
the long journey he has undertaken  
for the purpose of laying before the  
plain people a report of his work in  
Paris and explaining to them just  
what the League means.

Thus far in his travels he has every-  
where met with warm greetings, both  
in the great halls where he has  
spoken formally and in the little cross  
road hamlets where his train has  
halted at times and he has exchanged  
words with the villagers who pressed  
forward to greet him. He feels, and  
does not hesitate to say, so when  
chatting with his traveling compan-  
ions, that the American people want  
no more of war and want to become  
part of the League so that there may  
be no more war. He struck his key-  
note when he said in his first address,  
in Columbus, Ohio:

"This treaty was not intended merely  
to end this single war. It is meant  
as a notice to every government who  
in the future will attempt this thing  
(what Germany attempted) that man-  
kind will unite to inflict the same pun-  
ishment. There is no national  
triumph to be recorded in this treaty.  
There is no glory sought for any par-  
ticular nation. The thought of the  
statesmen collected around that table  
was of their people, of the sufferings  
they had gone through, of the losses  
they had incurred, of that great throbb-  
ing heart which was so depressed,  
so forlorn, so sad in every memory it  
had of the five tragical years that  
have gone by. Let us never forget  
those years, my fellow countrymen;  
let us never forget the purpose, high  
and disinterested, with which America  
lent its strength, not for its own glory  
but for the defense of mankind.

"As I said, this treaty was not  
meant merely to end this war. It is  
intended to prevent any similar war.  
I wonder if some of the opponents of  
the League of Nations have forgotten  
the promises we made our people be-  
fore we went to that peace table? We  
had taken by process of law the  
flower of our youth from every coun-  
tryside, from every household and we  
told those mothers and fathers and  
sisters and wives and sweethearts  
that we were taking those men to  
fight a war which would end business  
of that sort, and if we do not end it,  
if we do not do the best that human  
concert of action can do to end it, we  
are of all men the most unfaithful—  
the most unfaithful to the loving  
hearts who suffered in this war, the  
most unfaithful to those households  
bowed in grief and yet lifted with the  
feeling that the lad laid down his life  
for a great thing, and, among other  
things, in order that other lads might  
never have to do the same thing.

"That is what the League of Nations  
is for—to end this war justly  
and then not merely to serve notice  
on governments which could contin-  
uate that they will do so at their peril,  
but also concerning the combination  
that they will do it at their peril. It is  
idle to say the worlds will combine  
against you; but it is persuasive to  
say the world is combined against  
you; The League of Nations  
is the only thing that can prevent the  
recurrence of this dreadful catastrophe  
and redeem our promises."

A League of Nations would have  
prevented the late conflict, the pres-  
ident asserted, explaining:  
"I did not meet a single public man  
who did not admit these things; that  
Germany would not have gone into  
this war if she thought Great Britain  
was going into it, and she most cer-  
tainly would never have gone into it  
had she dreamed America was going  
into it. And they all admit that a  
notice beforehand that the greatest  
powers of the world would combine to  
prevent this sort of thing would pre-  
vent it absolutely."

Applauding and cheers greeted  
such declaration of the pres-  
ident that wars might be avoid-  
ed in the future by operations  
of the League. He pointed out other  
important features of the Peace  
Treaty, how it was the redemption of  
weak nations, giving them freedom  
which otherwise they never could  
have won; how it says "These people  
have a right to live their own lives  
under governments which they them-  
selves choose," and how "that is the  
American Principle and I was glad to  
fight for it," and that was the very  
heart of the Treaty, he said.

He drew attention to the section of  
the Treaty which is a "Magna Charta  
of Labor," which shall dispose of the  
hours, conditions and remunerations  
of labor.

"It forecasts the day," he said  
"which ought to have come long ago,  
when statesmen will realize that no  
nation is fortunate which is not hap-  
py, whose people are not contented,  
contented in their lives and fortunate  
in the circumstances of their lives."

In conclusion the president said he  
felt certain the Treaty will be accept-  
ed, and was only impatient of the de-  
lay. He added: "Do you realize, my  
fellow citizens, that a whole world  
is waiting on America? The only  
country in the world that is trusted  
today is the United States and the  
world is awaiting to see if its trust is  
justified."

## WILSON'S MEMORY A WONDER

Gautier Said to Have Used No Notes  
of Any Kind in Writing His  
Book of Travels.

Theophile Gautier was a master  
of literary style. Here is the ac-  
count of how he wrote his "Travels  
in Italy," given by his friend, Max-  
ime du Camp:  
"This book, which one would  
suppose to have been thought out in  
retirement, in a library of works of  
reference, was actually written in a  
printing house, amidst the clatter of  
compositors, the noise of printing  
presses, the hum of machinery, slam-  
ming of doors, and hubbub of a busy  
workshop. Not a note, book, or  
document did the author make use  
of. His memory surpassed belief,  
and he could draw on it at will with-  
out fear of being led astray. He  
composed without erasing or correct-  
ing. When he had finished ten lines,  
the overseer would clip them from  
the MS. and hand them to the com-  
positor, repeating the process until  
the article or chapter was complete.  
Then, when the proofs were set be-  
fore him, Gautier would indicate  
errors by marking them with his  
nail, and would go on his way,  
breathing deeply, like a miner re-  
leased from his subterranean gallery  
at the end of a day's work."

## THE RUB



"You won't have me because I'm  
poor."

"Well?"

"Yet all poets speak highly of  
love in a cottage."

"Love is a delirium of joy any-  
where," responded the wise girl.  
"It's the long stretch of married life  
in poverty that makes me hesitate."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## SALVATIONISTS IN INDIA.

The Salvation Army in India had,  
in 1909, 100 European workers and  
2,000 native missionaries in some 2-  
600 villages. In 1918, the number  
had risen to 280 Europeans and 3-  
238 Indians at work in 3,059 cen-  
ters. The army has imported silk-  
worm eggs from China which have  
given good results in various parts  
of India. Its agents have visited  
some of the principal silk-centers in  
China, Japan, Korea, Manchuria  
and French Tonquin, and from their  
investigations are convinced that  
India could easily become one of the  
great silk-producing countries of the  
world. They are working toward a  
rehabilitation of two of India's  
greatest cottage industries—silk-  
growing and weaving.

## PERCENTAGES.

"Now, a certain percentage of al-  
cohol—" began the student of bever-  
ages.

"I don't see that it matters," in-  
terrupted the summer girl. "What  
I am interested in is the proper per-  
centage of ice cream in ice cream  
soda."

## AS IN THE ARMY.

Customer—Which way to the  
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ward about twenty paces, left ob-  
lique, forward, left turn, halt, and  
it's there.—Ideas.

## NO MATTER.

"They have a great joke on Peter.  
By mistake he applied for a dog  
license instead of a marriage li-  
cense."

"Not so much of a mistake. That  
woman he's going to marry will lead  
him a dog's life."

## SCANTINESS.

"My wife says she has almost  
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## MARYLAND NEWS IN BRIEF

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Farmers of Kent have begun to cut off corn in that section. The corn is badly blown down, and will have to be cut by hand. It is reported they will be required to pay \$5 a day for the labor.

Owing to the scarcity of teachers the Cecil County School Board has arranged to have the sixth and seventh grades at the public school at Principio Furnace transported daily to and from the Perryville High School.

It is proposed to erect a monument to Private William A. Lewis of Consolidation, who gave his life in the service in France, and a dance will be held at Junior Order Park, Wednesday, September 10, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the fund. Thomas Reed is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hero Kelly, living on the Deep Point farm, in Quaker Neck, was kicked on the head by a mule, one day last week. She was taken to Easton Hospital, Saturday, for an operation, and while her condition is critical, her physicians believe she will recover, although she may lose the sight of one eye.

The fall term of Washington College, Chestertown, will open September 22. A new feature of this year's course will be in inauguration of co-education, and President Clarence Gould says the prospects are very bright for a successful year. Several new members have been added to the faculty.

Leon R. Yourtee, one of the Democratic candidates for the House of Delegates in Washington county, has announced that if he is elected he will be a candidate for the Speakership of the House. Mr. Yourtee served in the Legislatures of 1914 and 1918. It is understood in Hagerstown that he has considerable backing among influential Democrats in the State for the honor.

The Sharptown High School opened with the following faculty: Principal Prof. Paul Phillips; vice-principal, Prof. E. K. McIntosh; Misses Emma Caulk, Pauline Howard, Maryon Farrer, Mary Mann, Mary Cooper, and Hattie Twilley. The high school enrollment is the largest in its history. Professor McIntosh will teach manual training and Miss Farrer domestic science.

An epidemic of hog cholera exists in Straits, or the vicinity of Crocheon, Bishops Head, Toddville and Wingate, in Dorchester, and seems to be moving upward. The loss so far has been estimated at between 75 and 100 hogs, and the disease is not yet under control. The fatter the hog, the more fatal the disease seems to be, and it looks as if very few hogs will escape, as a comparatively small number have been vaccinated, owing to the fact that it seems difficult to secure the serum, and also on account of the neglect of many of the owners.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, living near Trappe, celebrated the 49th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Walker is 88 years old and is hale and hearty, working all day in his garden or on the farm. He reads and goes about his work without the aid of glasses, and when not at home is usually found on the river fishing. Nothing pleases him better than to try his skill with the cunning trout or rock, and his wonderful catches of fish with hook and line compare favorably with those many years his junior.—Easton Star-Democrat.

A tame crow, belonging to the Lednum family, which has been a familiar figure around the east section of the town for several years, and which has perched on nearly every porch in that section of the town, for the first time has been guilty of larceny. The bird has been coming to visit Bishop Adams quite frequently and spends the morning on the Bishop's porch. On Wednesday the Bishop was called to the phone, and, placing his glasses on the porch rail, he entered the house. On his return Mr. Crow and the glasses were gone. A peculiar thing about it is that Mr. Crow has not been to the Bishop's since.—Easton Star-Democrat.

Edward Bonneville (colored) is in Snow Hill Jail awaiting a hearing on the charge of stealing a Ford car from Edward Thornton of Virginia, at Ocean City. It is understood that Bonneville got as far as Marion Station when he ran out of gasoline. He then asked for gas, oil and water at a nearby garage, and offered the Ford top and kit of tools in payment. Suspecting the car had been stolen, the garage owner found the license certificate under the cushions in the name of Thornton and communicated with him by phone. A deputy sheriff of Somerset placed Bonneville under arrest and confined him in the Princess Anne Jail.

An interesting souvenir of the first trans-Atlantic aeroplane flight from Newfoundland to London is in the possession of William McP. Bigelow of Marango Farm, near Easton. This souvenir is a pair of 5-cent Newfoundland postage stamps over-printed "Trans-Atlantic Post, 1919," and were made for the use of Aviator Raynham, who intended to attempt the overseas flight immediately after Hawker's disastrous attempt. An injury to Raynham's plane prevented his attempt, and the mail upon which the stamps were used was carried by the aviators Alcott and Brown, who made the first non-stop trans-Atlantic flight.

William A. Corbin, one of Federalsburg's oldest citizens, died at his home on Federal Hill of the infirmities of age, after an illness of several weeks, aged 85 years. Mr. Corbin was born in the Trinity neighborhood of Sussex county, Delaware, and had lived there all his life until about 12 years ago, when he retired from farming and moved to Federalsburg. He was never married. He left two sisters, Mrs. Aaron Wright of near Federalsburg and Mrs. Wroten of Kent county, Delaware; also several nieces and nephews. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. F. C. MacSorley, were held at his home, and burial was made in Bethel Methodist Episcopal Cemetery.

Congressman Mudd has discovered that for nearly a fortnight his right arm has been broken in two places. About two weeks ago Mr. Mudd took part in a baseball game at Bryantown for the benefit of the local church. For years he has had the reputation of being a first-class ball player, and he has pitched for the Republican nine in the annual Congressional game between the Democrats and the Republicans. During the game Mr. Mudd, while at the bat, raised his arm to protect himself against a wild pitch. The ball struck him on the arm. He consulted a Washington doctor who assured him that no bones were broken. Two or three days ago the pain in Mr. Mudd's arm became so severe that he had an X-ray made of his arm at the Naval Hospital at Annapolis, when it was found that the arm was broken in two places. His arm is now in a plaster cast.

### G. O. P. CENTRAL COMMITTEE MET IN BALTO. LAST WEEK

Did Not Fix Date For State Convention But Will Wait Until Later.

The Republican State Central Committee held its meeting in Baltimore last week to arrange the date for the State Convention. Because there was little business to be transacted, the gathering was not a large one, only a few of the most prominent Republicans in the State being present. Chairman Tait after a conference with the gentlemen decided that it would be unwise to fix the date of the Convention at this time and due notice would be given later on when this gathering would be held. It is generally the policy of the Republican Party to hold their Convention after the Democrats have held theirs, so as to take advantage of any mistakes which the Democrats may make in their State platform.

State's Attorney Harry Nice was present at the meeting and made a speech to the gathering in which he gave the most rosy views of the probable success of the Republican Party in the elections the coming fall. Mr. Nice had just returned from a tour of the State and if his reports of conditions prove to be correct, the Republican State Organization can feel

very happy about the coming contest, but as the Democrats are equally as sure of their grounds, it still leaves the matter in the usual uncertain condition until after the votes are counted.

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The important announcement comes from New York, and is made by the Harvard Fund Endowment Committee that if, as predicted by health authorities, there is a recurrence of influenza this year it will be successfully combated by a serum discovered by Harvard medical men. Independent investigations have shed important light on the nature of the disease and methods of fighting it.

Reports from seven prominent members of Harvard's medical staff, who were serving at the time in the Medical corps of the navy, indicate serum developed from convalescent patients, a thing impossible at the time of last year's sudden spread of the disease. One expert, Dr. F. H. Rapoport, conducted experiments with 315 serums and found 54 positive.

In a joint report for the Navy Department, Drs. E. W. Goodpasture and F. L. Burnett have made noteworthy contributions to the understanding of the various germs which follow influenza and have so often proved fatal to the weakened patient. Drs. L. W. McGuire and W. R. Redden experimented with 151 patients on a serum from convalescents, with only six resultant deaths, and found that the serum greatly reduced mortality and shortened the course of the disease. Dr. J. J. Keegan and Dr. M. J. Rosenau reported findings equally encouraging.

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## CURRENT NEWS CAUGHT ON THE FLY BY OUR REPORTERS

Some Interesting Items Being Talked About  
By Our Citizens.

**THE AMERICAN BANKERS ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN ST. LOUIS  
THIS MONTH—GETTING AFTER THE "DOPE" DISTRIBUTORS—  
COAL IS SCARCE AND WILL BE HIGH—GROWING HONEY DEW  
MELONS NOT A SUCCESS—TOMATOES SHORT, POTATOES ARE  
ABUNDANT.**

The American Bankers Association will meet in St. Louis this month, the session holding from September 28th to October 2nd. It is expected that 20,000 banking institutions will be represented at this meeting with 3,000 or more delegates, and the session will probably be the most important held since the organization of the Association. Many of the most vital questions of reconstruction will come up before the bankers for solution and their recommendations may go very far towards helping to cut down the high cost of living and aid in the campaign which is now being made against profiteers all over the country. All the banking institutions of Salisbury will most likely send delegates to attend this annual meeting of the Association, as well as many of the smaller banks who are waking up to the fact that if they are to keep in touch with what is going on in the banking world, they must send representatives to such large gatherings as the one to be held in St. Louis this month. The present very satisfactory condition of the United States Treasury which is noted from the fact that the Secretary of the Treasury has decided to stop selling the 5 1/2 per cent. short term notes, and has changed the issue to 5 1/4 per cent. notes, is a straw which points to the fact that the tide has turned in the tremendous volume of money which the Government has been spending since the beginning of the war and the question of lowering taxes on the people is one which will be taken up for discussion by the Association and some strong recommendations will probably be made to the next congress to re-enact some of the present excessive taxation laws both on corporations and individuals, and thus lessen the burden which is being carried and incidentally, will aid in reducing the high cost of living throughout the United States.

**Getting After "Dope" Distributors.**  
Another drive is being made on the Eastern Shore against the "dope" distributors who, it is said have been doing a rather thriving business for the past few months. The Department of Justice in its efforts to round up the illicit whiskey sellers are also taking the opportunity of visiting the various communities to look more carefully after the fellows who sell dope of various kinds to the people. This whole business of course, is carried on in an underground way and the distributors are very often able to escape the law for some length of time, but eventually, they are rounded up. Much of this dope it is said is received through the mails by parcel post and the authorities are thus able to get on to the fellows who are having the stuff shipped in to them in small packages by the number they received each month. It is contended by the authorities that at the present time, there is really more dope being sold under cover than there is intoxicating drinks and the Department of Justice is really more anxious to get on these fellows as the drug habit seems to be growing in larger proportions since the war time prohibition act went into effect. As the Internal Revenue Department is taking on several thousand secret service men to round up these offenders, it is likely that arrests will become more numerous in the next few months than they have been in the past, and it is hinted that some people occupying very high places in many communities but who have been in the habit of dealing under cover in narcotics may find themselves in the coils of the law at a very early date.

**Coal Is Scarce And Will Be High.**  
From the number of strikes now going on among the coal miners of the country, and the demands they are making for shorter hours and more pay, makes it very apparent that fuel is getting scarcer all the time and will be very much higher before the winter is over. Several hundred thousand miners are now making demands for a five day week, and a six-hour day with increased wages of about fifty per cent. and if the operators are forced to accede to these demands of the miners, there is nothing in the world to keep coal from advancing a dollar or more a ton at a very early date. At the present time, it is almost impossible to get a ton of coal even at the high

prices prevailing and those who have not laid in at least a part of their winter's supply, should get busy at once and protect themselves against what may be a coal famine in this country later on in the year. There seems to be some indications that we will not be as fortunate this winter in having as mild weather as we had last, and if we should have an excessively cold winter and our people are not supplied with proper fuel, much suffering and distress will ensue, and the News begs to call the attention of its readers that they should make every effort possible before November to get as much of their winter supply of fuel as is obtainable because the conditions seem to be growing daily worse in the mining regions and our dealers may not be able later on to get coal at any price.

### Growing Honey Dew Melons Not A Success.

For the past two seasons, several of our truckers have tried-out the growing of Honey Dew melons, but it is with regret that we chronicle the fact that the experiment has not proven a success. One of the first farmers in this locality to try out the Honey Dew melon growing was Mr. R. H. Phillips who owns a farm on the edge of Salisbury and the first season he engaged in the business, he met with some measure of success but this year when he went into the operation on a larger scale, his crop proved almost a failure. Plenty of these melons matured and were of fine size but they were almost worthless for table use and although they were carefully picked and shipped to Boston and other large centers, the prices received for them barely paid the freight on the shipment and many of our farmers have come to the conclusion that the soil here or the climate is against the growing of this class of melons and they will probably not engage in the business for the future. If the Honey Dew melon crop could be grown here with success, it would probably be the best paying crop which the farmer could produce at the prices for select melons grown in California and other sections of the West is around 75 cents to \$1.00 per melon. Of course, the past season was not a good one either for cantaloupes or honey dew crops and even when the weather is reasonable, few of our people have had success in the venture; and most of them in the future will probably stick to the cantaloupe in which they have more experience and seem to be able to handle more successfully.

### Internal Revenue For Year Was \$3,839,950,600.

Total collections of internal revenue from all sources for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1919, amounted to \$3,839,950,600, an increase of \$145,330,900 over 1918. Commissioner Roper estimated today.

Income and excess profits tax collections for 1919 amounted to \$2,596,008,700, a decrease of \$243,019,200 over 1918. An explanation of this decrease is found in the fact that these taxes may be paid in four equal installments with the last two payments falling due in the fiscal year 1920. It is estimated that the two remaining payments will amount to approximately \$2,000,000,000 which will bring the total amount to approximately \$4,707,000,000, the original estimate of receipts from these sources.

The revenue derived in 1919 from distilled spirits was \$365,211,200, an increase of \$47,657,500 over 1917. Taxes in 1919 on fermented amounted to \$117,839,000, a decrease of \$8,446,255. Taxes on tobacco amounted to \$206,003,090 in 1919, an increase of \$49,814,400.

Collections from miscellaneous taxes in 1919 show an increase of \$388,350,209.20 over the previous year.

### Tomatoes Short, Potatoes Abundant.

The tomato crop of Wicomico County has been practically a failure this year and only in a few instances have the farmers been able to get sufficient fruit to pay the expense of the work of cultivating the average. Many of the canning houses of Wicomico have not opened this year for business because few can-ners were made between the can-

ners and the farmers and the crop was so short as to make it impossible to run the canning houses at a profit. Mr. J. Cleveland White who owns five or six canneries in Wicomico has practically only operated one house and several of the other large operators decided early in the season not to engage in the business at all. This fact will cause a large loss to the business interests of the county and the farmers only hope to make up the deficiency, is in the sweet potato crop which seems to give evidence of being a tremendous one and while the prices are not as high as they were at first, many believe that later on, this crop will make up for all the losses the farmers sustained in the bad tomato season. Reports from some of our largest potato growers are to the effect that they will harvest from 300 to 500 bushels of potatoes to the acre and if these reports are true, the returns will be extremely large and in the volume, will amount to several hundred thousand dollars for this locality. In past years, thousands of bushels of sweet potatoes have been used by the canners to finish up the season but as many of the canneries are not operating this year, it is a question whether or not as many potatoes will be used by the canning houses as heretofore.

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## REPUBLICAN LOCAL NOMINATION IN MASS CONVENTION HERE

Mr. F. P. Adkins Heads The Local Ticket As The Candidate For State Senator.

CALLS FOR A PUBLICATION OF THE AUDIT OF THE COUNTY TREASURER'S BOOKS RECENTLY MADE BY HASKIN & SELLS—MANY PROMISES OF REFORMS IF PEOPLE WILL ELECT REPUBLICAN TICKET.

The Republican Party of Wicomico County met in mass Convention at the Liberty Theatre this city Friday last to nominate the full county ticket. The Convention was largely attended and was soon down to business. The prominent Republicans in the county were present, including former United States Senator William P. Jackson and the other leaders of Wicomico.

The following ticket was nominated by acclamation:

For State Senator—F. P. Adkins.  
House of Delegates—G. P. Waller, H. J. Bounds, and Loran H. White.  
County Commissioners—Joseph P. Cooper, J. William Brittingham, and Alan F. Benjamin.

States Attorney—Thomas H. Lewis, Jr.

Sheriff—William Chatham.  
Judges of the Orphans Court—Joseph A. Phillips, John W. Harrington and Elisha Parker.

Delegates to the State Convention—Benj. H. W. S. Lankford, David Turner, R. H. Phillips, Marion A. Humphreys, John W. Kelley, W. H. Knowles, William Pusey and William M. Day.

Surveyor—Geo. E. Jackson.  
The old State Central Committee was re-elected by unanimous vote. The Convention adopted the following party platform on which the fight for the election of the Republican ticket in Wicomico County will be made:

PLATFORM OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF WICOMICO COUNTY.

WHEREAS, the Republican Party of Wicomico County, in convention assembled, has nominated candidates for all the local offices, whom by reason of their ability and standing in this community it is a privilege to support, it is therefore resolved that the following declaration of principles be adopted as the platform of the Party and its candidates:

1. The paramount issue in the coming election is better government by which we mean greater efficiency, less waste. The way to better government in this county lies in a complete defeat of the candidates of the Democratic Party and the election of the Republican ticket. The candidates on which we represent not only the Republican Party but the great body of tax paying citizens who have a right to be heard in the management of the county's affairs.

2. We believe that the three things in which the people have the greatest concern are roads, schools and taxes. We believe there is no expenditure of the public money that contributes more directly to the comfort, wealth and advancement generally of our people than good roads for all of them; that the best schools we can afford are not too good for the education of the youth of Wicomico County.

3. Recognizing our tax rate is already higher than it should be, and that improvements such as schools and roads may properly be built from capital rather than from the yearly income of the county derived from taxes since such improvements last for a period of years, we propose that our delegation in the General Assembly shall urge the passage of a law authorizing the issue of sufficient county bonds to lay out a system of good roads that shall meet the reasonable need of our county for an amount sufficient to build and improve such school houses as shall be reasonably necessary for the comfort and health and proper education of our children. We propose that the two issues shall be separate and that each proposal shall be submitted to a referendum of the people.

4. In order that the roads may be built without partiality as to sections and with the good of all the people we urge appointment by the newly elected County Commissioners of a non-partisan good roads commission of seven members who shall serve without pay and who shall submit before the first day of May, 1920, a report showing a comprehensive plan for the building and maintenance of such roads as shall be approved, and an estimate of the cost, which shall be the basis of the bonding law. We urge further that this commission shall be a permanent body to supervise the construction of the said roads and their up-keep, at all times co-operating with the State Roads Commission and utilizing fully the services of the experts of the Federal Government.

5. We urge the School Board to have an immediate survey made of the needs of our county school system both as to building and to teachers. This survey should be made by an expert of the Bureau of Education. The School Board, with this as a basis, ought to make public a report by February 1st, 1921, by which the amount of school bonds referred to above ought to be fixed.

6. We condemn the mismanagement and inefficiency in administration which has been partially responsible for the loss of thousands of dollars to the county by reason of the failure to collect taxes after they have been levied. This loss has increased by reason of taxation on those who were willing to pay. We demand a thorough revision of the law by which taxes are levied and assessed so that

## PENINSULA GENERAL HOSPITAL WILL ASK FOR FUNDS FROM PUBLIC

For First Time In History, A Drive Will Be Made Among The People To Provide Extra Equipment.

IF HOSPITAL IS TO CONTINUE TO RELIEVE SUFFERING HERE, OUR PEOPLE MUST COME TO ITS AID IN A SUBSTANTIAL MANNER. INSTITUTION BELONGS TO THE PUBLIC AND SHOULD BE SUPPORTED BY EVERYONE DURING DRIVE.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Peninsula General Hospital a few days ago, it was definitely decided to start a drive in this community to raise a sum of at least \$75,000 for the purpose of enlarging and equipping the Hospital so as to bring it up to the requirements of Government hospitals and in keeping with the class of work which the institution is called upon to perform on this peninsula. Several months ago, the Directors had prepared a set of plans and specifications for the enlargement of the institution, so as to provide a new operating room, a laboratory, a department for venereal diseases and an addition for the purpose of taking care of the maternity work which comes to the hospital. After the plans and specifications had been gone over, it was found that it would require at least \$75,000 to construct the buildings and equip them as they should be.

For several years, the Peninsula General Hospital has been crowded almost every day to its fullest capacity and hundreds of cases are turned away every year because of the inability of the management to take care of all the demands. The Hospital has been running along without the aid of a laboratory until the time has arrived when the work cannot be properly done without this addition, and the demands on all hospitals for the treatment of venereal diseases since the war have grown to such proportion and the country generally has recognized the importance of stamping out this evil to such an extent, that no Hospital which is not properly equipped to take care of these cases can be considered in the light of being an up-to-date institution.

Many years ago, through the influence of several of our well known people, the Peninsula General Hospital was organized by Dr. George W. Todd and was run for a while in a small building on West Main street. Later on, through the generosity of the late Wm. H. Jackson, the present building was constructed and donated by Mr. Jackson in memory of his father and mother, and his wife's father and mother and his son, the Hon. Wm. P. Jackson furnished the building and it was turned over to this community. Later on, the State of Maryland appropriated certain sums of money for the construction of the Nurses' Home, but up to date, the citizens of Salisbury have not contributed anything either to the support of the Peninsula General Hospital or to the outfit for the equipment, etc. Notwithstanding the fact that thousands of our citizens not only in this city but throughout the Eastern Shore have been treated, their lives saved and their health restored through the work of this Hospital.

The time has now arrived however, when the public is to be called upon to help place this great charity on the proper plane where it belongs. There is no reason why the thousands of citizens of Wicomico, Somerset, Worcester and other counties on the Shore should expect the Jackson family to come to the aid of the Institution in the way of enlarging it any more than they should be expected to build all the churches or the public schools. This Hospital is a charitable concern where thousands of persons are treated every year who are not able to find treatment at any other place or pay for same. And the Board of Directors have decided to begin at once to organize for a Drive in Wicomico and Worcester counties especially to raise the necessary money to add the building and equipment to this Hospital which will put it on a par with the Hopkins or any other institution of its kind in the State.

When the plans are fully worked out for this Drive, it will be placed in the hands of a committee of business men of this city called in for the purpose and there should be no reason why the amount of money necessary should not be raised in two or three weeks without the least trouble, provided everybody will do their part towards this great work.

Since the organization of the Peninsula General Hospital not a single officer has ever received a cent salary for services, not a director has been paid a single dollar, and the doctors and surgeons have performed hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of free work at the institution and thousands of patients have received treatment there entailing operations which would have cost large sums of money had they been paid for, absolutely free of charge and while of course, there are many operations for which the doctors and surgeons get a fee, a large portion of the work is done without fee or reward. It has been a fixed policy that the Board of Directors have never been entertained at the Hospital even at dinner and no perquisites with the management of this Institution everybody except the Superintendent and nurses giving their time and attention to the affairs of the institution on behalf of charity. Therefore, the Board feels that it can appeal to the people of this community and the surrounding country with absolute confidence that their appeal will be hearkened to.

A few years ago, when the State was trying to save money, the Peninsula General Hospital was the one single institution in Maryland whose Board of Directors voluntarily had their State appropriation cut down \$2500 a year and by strict business methods, saved to the State that much money which the Institution could have readily secured had the Directors been willing to let extravagance creep in to the management.

It is hoped to be able to put this Drive through before the first day of January and to have the money in hand for the new buildings and equipment so that the work can be speedily done during the early part of 1920. Let everybody get ready to do their part towards this great charity.

## WORLD'S SERIES BASE BALL WILL BE SEEN IN SALISBURY

Final Arrangements Have Been Made To Give People Chance To See Games

Salisbury is to have the opportunity of seeing the World's Series Base ball games when the proper date arrives. Mr. H. W. Cary in company with five or six other gentlemen of this city have entered into a contract by which our people will be able to witness these interesting games. The Arcade Theatre has been leased for the occasion, a special electric board secured and an expert operator will be on hand to manage the whole proposition. The Company of gentlemen have a special lease on the Western Union lines for the events.

We are informed that Salisbury will have the same service which New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore

## DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION ADOPTS VERY STRONG PLATFORM

All Elements Of The Party Meet In Baltimore To Ratify State Nominations For Big Fight.

SEVERAL NEW IDEAS BROUGHT OUT IN THE PLATFORM AMONG WHICH WILL BE A REFERENDUM FOR THE CONTROL OF THE BALTIMORE CITY POLICE FORCE—LEADERS PRESENT FROM EVERY SECTION OF THE STATE.

The Democratic State Convention met in Baltimore last Thursday and the State candidates were endorsed in a most harmonious meeting. Comptroller McMillen was Chairman of the Convention and Hon. Jesse D. Price of Wicomico County was Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions. All the State leaders were present including the Lee people as well as the Smith-Harrington State crowd and everybody was in harmony. The chief business was to indorse the State candidates nominated in the recent primaries and to place the Party platform before the people of the State. This platform was very lengthy and dealt with all subjects which the people of Maryland will be interested in at the coming election. The convention was smaller than usual but as there was simply routine work to do there was no occasion for a large number of people present. Chairman Wade was renamed as chairman of the State Central Committee and plans were made for the vigorous prosecution of the campaign from now until Election Day.

The State Platform was on the following lines:

Flat opposition to the ratification of the Federal suffrage amendment.

Vigorous indorsement of the administration of President Wilson, of the peace treaty and of the league of nations.

Equally vigorous condemnation of the inactivity, ineffectiveness and partisanship of the present Republican Congress and comparison of its achievements with preceding Congresses.

Strong indorsement of the administration of Governor Harrington, with reference to the redemption of platform pledges of 1916, such as that promising a budget system, as a means of reforming and modernizing the fiscal system of the State.

To Hit At The H. C. L.

Definite promise to use every instrumentality in the hands of the State Government for the suppression of profiteering, the increase of production and the lessening of expenditures, public and private, all as means to lowering the cost of living.

Declaration in favor of substantial to a vote of the people of Baltimore City the question whether control of the Police Department shall remain in the hands of the Governor, or be placed in the hands of the Mayor.

Declaration in favor of substantial increases in the salaries of public school teachers of the State and of the members of the Police Department, both to be made effective immediately.

Strengthening of the agencies for education in agricultural and allied lines, as a means of bringing greater prosperity to the farmers and adding to the supply of foodstuffs.

Fostering Seafood Supply.

Creation of a department of agriculture, as a means of diffusing knowledge as to cultivation of the food supplies in the Chesapeake Bay and other waters of the State.

Continuation of the road-building program which has made Maryland known throughout the Union as foremost in good roads, special attention to be paid to the construction of lateral roads, opening the back districts; this construction to be under a division of the costs between the State and the counties and citizens thereof.

Strengthening of the State's agencies for preservation of the public health, for education and conduct of public business in general.

Rigid economy in the conduct of all department of the State.

There was some slight difference on the question of the adoption of the Woman Suffrage Amendment but the State Convention decided against the adoption, the Party taking the position that this is a question which each State shall decide for itself. It is therefore, fairly well established that if the Democrats control the next Legislature, Maryland will not vote for the ratification of a Suffrage Amendment.

The platform adopted was very largely the work of Mr. Ritchie, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, but he was assisted by all the factions of the Democratic Party including the Lee element and the platform is considered to be satisfactory to every element of Democracy in this State.

Report Says Hotel Project Could Be Made Profitable Here Under Certain Conditions — Will Require \$240,000.

At the suggestion of Mr. W. B. Miller, the committee of business men working in conjunction with the Board of Directors of the new Shoreman Hotel, recently had a survey of the city made by Mr. Ready of the DuPont Company relative to the probable success of a hotel in this city. Mr. Ready came to Salisbury and made a survey of the entire situation and he has sent a very comprehensive report to Mr. Miller which will be laid before a Citizens' Meeting to be held in the Business Men's Association Thursday night of this week.

In his report, Mr. Ready says that he believes a hotel proposition in Salisbury to cost not more than \$240,000 could be made a fairly good paying investment and he goes into details as to the kind of building which should be constructed, the size to be 100 rooms and the manner of managing the property.

As to site, Mr. Ready says the Price property at the corner of Division and Church Street is to his mind, a very good location and recommends that this site be selected in case the building is constructed. His report is very full as he goes into all the details of the management, cost of construction, cost of operation, number of help necessary to run the building and suggests the lay-out of the building so as to bring in the greatest revenue.

Mr. L. W. Gunby, Chairman of the Special Committee appointed at a meeting of the Business Men's Association requests that every citizen in Salisbury who is interested be present at this meeting Thursday evening so as to take up this question to a complete solution. In the meantime, the promoters of the enterprise have been doing some work in getting subscriptions in Baltimore and the whole matter will be thoroughly thrashed out Thursday night.

Death Of Mrs. Windsor.

Mrs. Alice J. Windsor, wife of the late Albert M. Windsor, died at her home on Newton Street on Thursday afternoon, after a long illness. Mrs. Windsor was a daughter of the late Ephraim J. Holloway of Spring Hill, and besides two daughters, Misses Edna and Mattie Windsor, is survived by the following brothers and sisters: W. A. Holloway, J. T. Holloway, E. H. Holloway, Mrs. B. H. Cordrey, and Mrs. D. Q. Adkins. The funeral services which were held at her home on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, were conducted by Rev. R. L. Shipley of the M. P. Church. Interment in Parsons Cemetery.

Bought Big Timber Tract.

Governor Townsend and his two sons have purchased from the Carey estate, near Milton, the largest single tract of woodland known in Delaware, 300 acres of timber. This tract of land had been in the Carey family for many years, being owned formerly by Governor Carey of Wyoming and later by his son, the present Governor of Wyoming.



## DOINGS AT THE WICOMICO HIGH SCHOOL

Things Of Interest Happening Among  
Pupils Of This Institution.

### OF INTEREST TO PUPILS AND PARENTS.

Many Happenings Among The Boys  
And Girls Of The Wicomico High  
School Which Appeals To The In-  
terests Of The Entire Community.

(The editors of the Wicomico News have  
set aside this column for the use of the pu-  
pils and faculty of The Wicomico High  
School and the items published here will be  
furnished by one or more of the scholars  
weekly).

A motion picture machine of the  
best type has been installed in the  
school for the purpose of showing  
educational films to the pupils. Also  
a stereopticon machine has been pur-  
chased in order to show the slides  
that are furnished by the Government  
free. This idea cannot but result in  
the showing of more interest on the  
part of the pupils and they have al-  
ready evidenced their desire to have  
this machine as a part of their class-  
room activities. Mr. Ulman has very  
kindly offered to let us have Pathe's  
weekly which is an up-to-date edu-  
cational weekly and also any other  
picture we may want to use. On Sep-  
tember 24th the world famous pic-  
ture "Les Miserables," Victor Hugo's  
most celebrated work will be shown  
in the High School Assembly, and the  
public is cordially invited to come  
over and enjoy this picture with the  
pupils. These pictures cost nothing  
except the expressage and the Bureau  
of Commercial Economics at Wash-  
ington for the nominal sum of five  
dollars a year agree to send the  
choice of five hundred pictures all of  
which are educational films.

The several committees of the Ly-  
ceum Chautauqua Course are hard at  
work throughout the town and county  
and during this week it is expected  
that practically everyone will have  
been interviewed. This has not been  
advertised much and in order that all  
may know what it is a short descrip-  
tion follows: The Lyceum Course con-  
sists of five entertainments to be giv-  
en at the Arcade Theater throughout  
the coming fall and winter one each  
successive month until finished. The  
season ticket for adults is two dollars  
and one dollar for all children that  
attend school. For each single ad-  
mission seventy-five cents will be  
charged and so almost one hundred  
per cent. can be saved by buying the  
season ticket. No money will be col-  
lected now but when the tickets are  
delivered which will be the middle of  
November the amount due will be  
collected. The attractions are: The  
War Players and Singers, The Uni-  
versity Four, Dr. William Rader, The  
Clarence Burgderfer Co., and last but  
not least The Lillian Johnston Co.  
These entertainments are all guaran-  
teed by the Antrim Entertainment  
Bureau of Philadelphia, and all the  
proceeds from this course will be de-  
voted to the installation of up-to-  
date instruments in the school. We  
sincerely hope that the people of Sal-  
isbury will back up this admirable  
cause which cannot hinder and must  
help the children in the Wicomico  
High School.

Last Monday week the Glee Club  
and the Orchestra of the School were  
organized under the leadership of  
Miss Vaughn Jacobs. The number  
who joined exceeded all expectations  
and these two organizations will soon  
become two of the school's activities.  
Last Friday in our Assembly a selec-  
tion was rendered by each and the  
music, we believe, could not have been  
surpassed by any in town. We are  
very fortunate in securing Miss Jac-  
obs as the leader of these two activi-  
ties and before long we expect to see  
many of the townspeople coming  
over to hear these new parts of the  
school life.

The Classes have all organized  
from the left. Elected Senior down  
to the lower, hosiery. Freshman.  
The officers are as follows:

Senior—Walter Gullette, Pres.  
Gladys Cleary, vice-pres. Laura  
Bounds, secretary, Linda Messick,  
treasurer

Junior—Edward Atkins, pres. Wm.  
Cooper, vice-pres. Catherine Perdue,  
secretary, Ruth Jones, treas.

Sophomore—Wm. Phoebe, pres.  
Aline Mitchell, vice-pres. Rosalee  
Freney, sec. and treas.

Freshman—Lucile Gullette, pres.  
Fulton Fields, vice-pres. Catherine  
Livingston, sec. and treas.

This week the Choral Club and the  
two Literary Societies, the Philo and  
Adelphia, will organize and these  
three activities of the school will soon  
become a vital part of the school life

#### PRIMARY SCHOOL NOTES.

Dr. Samuel M. North, State Sup-  
ervisor High Schools, paid a visit to  
Wicomico County last week. This  
was Dr. North's first visit for some  
time as he has been working for

Uncle Sam in establishing vocation  
schools for returning soldiers.

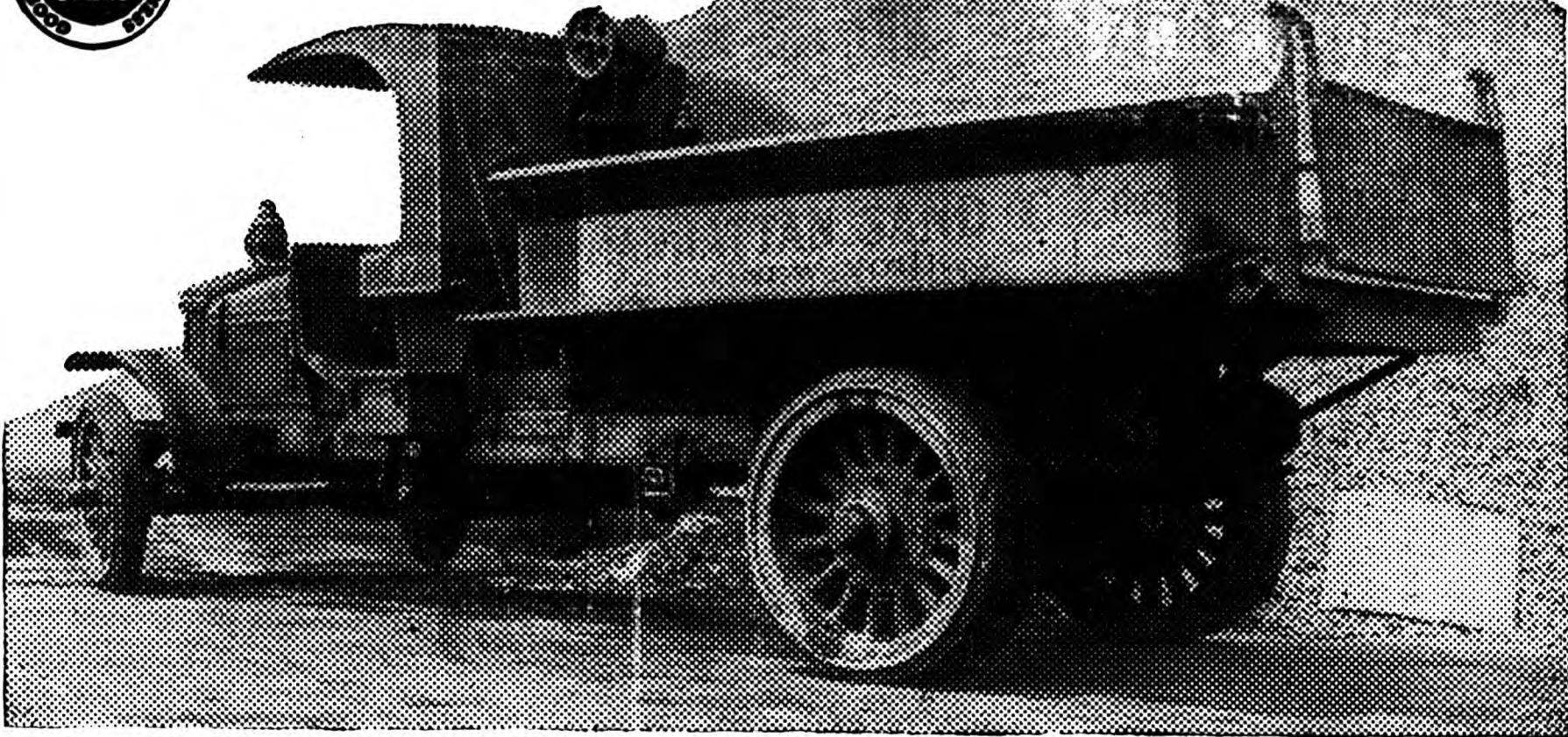
The Year Books for the year 1919-  
1920 have arrived and are being mail-  
ed the teachers. These books contain  
some very valuable material for every  
teacher in the county and teachers  
should see to it that they are not  
permitted to become merely dust-  
catchers on their desk. Let us re-  
solve to use them this year and our  
teaching will be better for doing so.

The Superintendent and Supervisor  
request all teachers to see that the  
Rules for taking care of Text  
Books which are sent out with all  
book orders are pasted in books. In  
many instances this has not been done  
in the past and books have in conse-  
quence not received the care which  
the school law prescribes. Teachers  
will please attend to this matter be-  
fore giving out books this school  
year.

Friday, September 26, will be ob-  
served as "Clean-up Day" in the  
schools of the county and particularly  
the rural schools. Many of our school  
grounds have received little or no at-  
tention since the opening of school  
and are overgrown with weeds and

hence present a very unsightly ap-  
pearance. Teachers are requested to  
look over their grounds, plan the  
needed improvements and instruct ev-  
ery pupil what tools to bring to  
school for this "project in Industrial  
Art work." School patrons are most  
cordially invited to attend the picnic  
and lend a hand.

Most of the college students have  
returned to their studies at various  
institutions throughout the country.  
There are others also who left this  
week for their first year's course. The  
list is quite a long one and for fear  
that we omit one we refrain from  
naming them. We hope they will all  
have a pleasant and profitable year in  
their studies and return in the spring  
much benefited by their 1919-1920  
course.



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Cord Truck Tires because we firmly believe  
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## WORCESTER COUNTY'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Worcester The Most Illiterate County In The State.

PERCENTAGE 10.9 COMPARED WITH HARFORD 1.9 FOR WHITES.

Teachers Or Interested Persons Might Help To Remove This Curse By Teaching Night Schools—Baptists Of State Name Rev. J. O. Alderman

Matthews & Lankford, one of Pocomoke's progressive hardware firms, has purchased of Mr. William J. Scott the large brick storehouse at the corner of Market Street and Clark Avenue, which they have been occupying for some time.

The colored population had charge of Ocean City last week. The N. Y., P. & N. Railroad ran excursions three days to the seashore carrying only colored people. Some of the trains were so heavily loaded that they had to be run in three sections in order to take care of the vast crowds. Wednesday was Pocomoke City day and there was scarcely a colored person left in the town. In addition to those who went by rail every available automobile was pressed into service and by noon the board walk was literally covered with colored individuals.

Rev. J. O. Alderman returned Wednesday from Baltimore where he attended a conference of the pastors and leading workers of the Baptist churches of Maryland. This conference was held in reference to the great Baptist \$75,000,000 campaign. The conference was largely attended and was enthusiastic and inspiring. The Methodists and the Presbyterians and other bodies of Christian people have done great things in this forward movement. Throughout the country they are saying "God

Speed" to the great Baptist hosts in this great movement for God. Mr. Alderman was appointed organizer and director for Worcester county. The Baptist people of the county will rally to his leadership in this great movement.

The 52nd annual report of the State Board of Education contained the following significant statement: "In view of the revelations of the recent draft with regard to the number of selected men who were unfit for service because they could not read and write, it is important to note the number of illiterates in the several counties of Maryland as given by the United States census of 1910." Following this was a table giving the arrangement of the counties in the order of the per cent of their white population over 10 years of age who, according to the Federal census, can neither read nor write. Harford County heads this list, having only 1.9 per cent of illiterates while Worcester County comes last 10.9 per cent of its adult white population being listed as illiterates.

One of the prettiest home weddings which has occurred in Worcester county for some time, was that of Miss Anne Elizabeth Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Jones of Pocomoke City and Horace Keene Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Price of Philadelphia, which took place at the Jones home on the Virginia road at 9 p. m. on Wednesday night, with Rev. J. A. Dudley of Pocomoke, as the officiating clergyman. The bride who is a singer of note in that section of the state and who also is one of the most popular young women in Pocomoke, wore a gown of ivory satin and wreath of orange blossoms. Her flowers were pink roses. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Jones, whose gown was of pink and white silk and chiffon, and whose flowers were Killarney roses. Warren Over of Philadelphia was the groomsmen. Miss Marian Dobson of Salisbury presided at the piano and played Wagner's Wedding

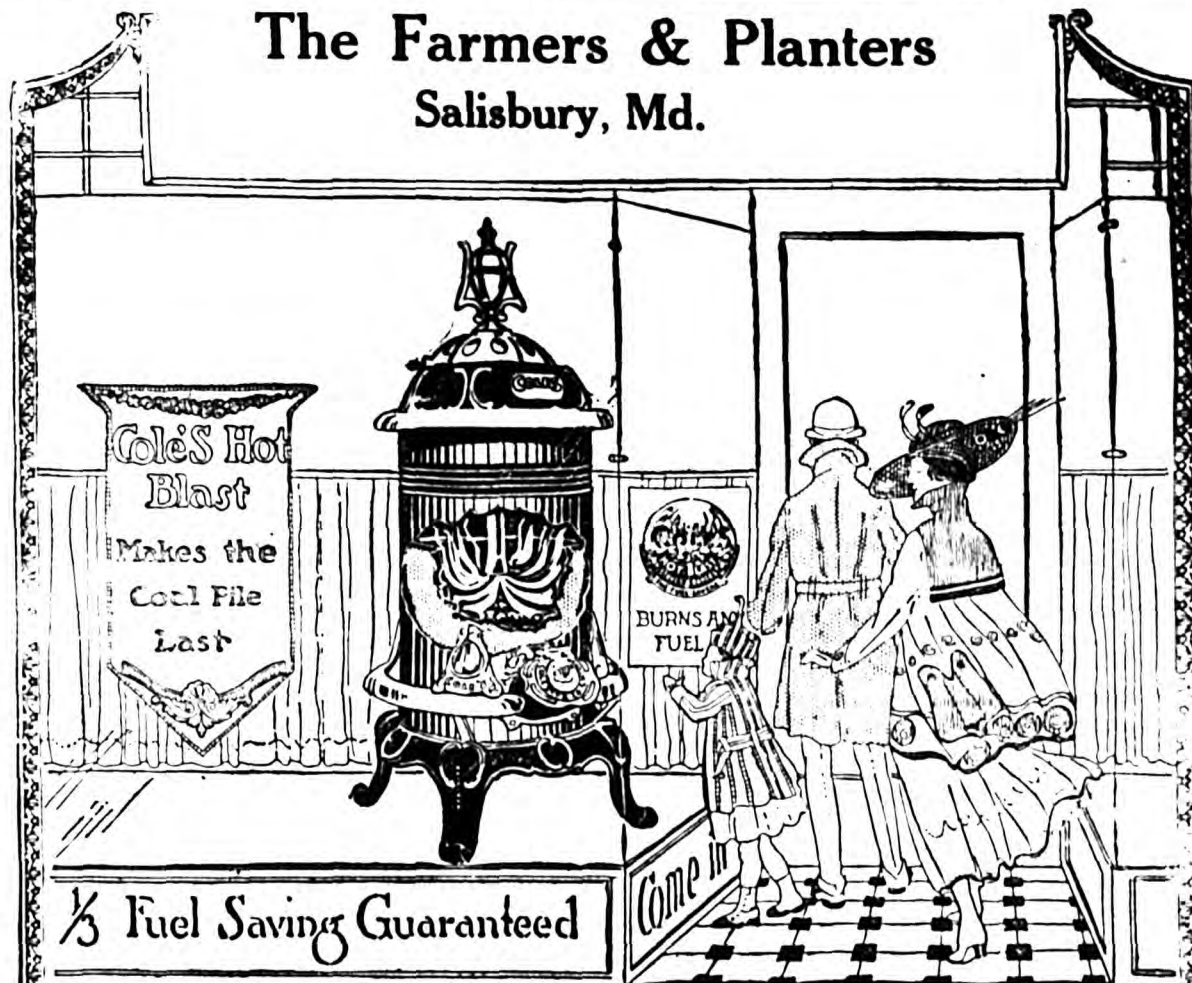
March and Bridal Chorus. Immediately after the wedding, a buffet luncheon was served to the 45 people attending, all of whom were the relatives of the contracting parties. The houses were beautifully decorated, the color scheme, yellow and white, being developed by the artistic use of asters, roses and golden rod intertwined with delicate tracings of greenery.

An automobile collision occurred on the State road about a mile west of Ocean City Sunday night when the Ford car of Howard Hickman smashed into a Buick belonging to J. W. Stowell of Federalsburg. The Stowell car was occupied by himself, wife and two children and three young ladies of the Chautauqua circuit, Misses Gertrude Gilbert, Lula Volpal and Jessie C. Waweman. According to Mr. Stowell they say the Ford approaching in a zig-zag manner, and fearing a collision they thought they could best avoid it by driving for an open field on the left side of the road, as the right side was hemmed in by an embankment. They failed to reach their objective however and the two cars came together almost head on. The Ford was turned completely around and upside down, and two of its occupants pinned underneath it. They were Mr. Hickman and his daughter, Miss Mary who was badly cut about the neck and face. Both Mr. Hickman and Miss Mary were rendered unconscious by the spill. The other occupants of the Ford, George Marshall, John McRoberts, Willard Tull and Hurley Smack escaped with slight bruises.

### Just What She Needed.

"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets some time ago and they proved to be just what I needed," writes Mrs. Volta Bankson, Chillicothe, Mo. "They not only relieved me of indigestion but toned up my liver and rid me of backache and dizziness that I had been subject to for some time. They did me a world of good and I will always speak a good word for them."—Adv't.

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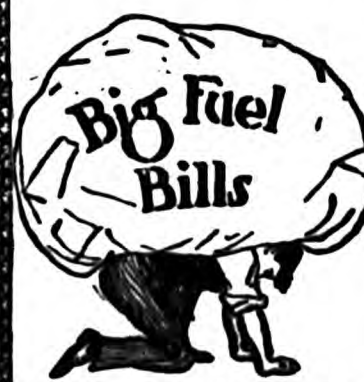
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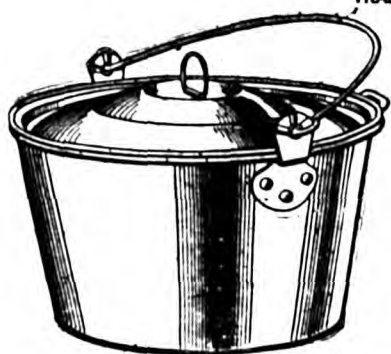
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On Monday Tuesday and Wednesday of above week we will have on sale a No. 455 "WEAR-EVER" fry pan for \$1.39 which sells regularly for \$1.80.

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Don't forget the time and place Sept. 22 and 29th at

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Sept. 18-21



# Bank Statements

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Farmers Bank of Salisbury, at the close of business Sept. 12, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$625,054.08
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	122.48
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	74,748.78
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	78,550.00
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures	10,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned	36,465.00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record	36,465.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	21,427.83
Checks and other cash items	192.80
Exchanges for Clearing House	115,733.71
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	115,733.71
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	223,700.00
Gold Coin	350.00
Silver Coin	2,822.50
Nickels and Cents	21,106.98
Miscellaneous Assets	30.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$898,233.62</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 65,000.00
Surplus Fund	62,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	9,609.73
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	17,443.22
Dividends unpaid	86.00
Deposits demand	\$453,646.08
Subject to Check	453,646.08
Cashier's Checks outstanding	298,110.11
Savings and Special	298,110.11
Notes and Bills rediscounted	298,110.11
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	298,110.11
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$898,233.62</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.  
I, Samuel A. Graham, Cashier of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL A. GRAHAM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept.

ARTHUR B. WEST, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

DEAN W. PERDUE,

JAS. E. ELLIOTT,

L. W. GUNBY, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Salisbury National Bank, at

Salisbury, in the State of Maryland, at

the close of business Sept. 12, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$160,253.73
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,562.85
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	60,830.38
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	60,830.38
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	9,967.77
Checks and other cash items	657.48
Exchanges for Clearing House	28,369.27
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	28,369.27
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	9,968.00
Gold Coin	900.00
Silver Coin	74,112.14
Nickels and Cents	37.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	62,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,063.80
Due to Nat'l, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	10,631.82
Deposits demand	\$154,037.01
Subject to Check	154,037.01
Cashier's Checks outstanding	154,037.01
Savings and Special	62,916.79
Notes and Bills rediscounted	62,916.79
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	62,916.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.

I, Henry W. Ruark, Secretary of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY W. RUARK, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Sept.

SARAH L. WAILES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

L. W. GUNBY,

A. D. TADVIN,

F. LEONARD WAILES, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Farmers Bank of Mardela,

at Mardela Springs, in the State of Maryland,

at the close of business Sept. 12th, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 52,579.44
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	215.80
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	7,830.54
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	600.00
Other Real Estate Owned	200.00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record	6,074.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	45,158.52
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	4,000.00
Gold Coin	102.50
Silver Coin	461.10
Nickels and Cents	152.25
Miscellaneous Assets U. S. Treasury Certificates	6,441.85
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$123,875.06</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,565.53
Dividends unpaid	9.00
Deposits demand	\$60,355.16
Subject to Check	60,355.16
Cashier's Checks outstanding	60,355.16
Savings and Special	45,736.37
Notes and Bills rediscounted	45,736.37
Bills payable, other than those above stated	45,736.37
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$123,875.06</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.

I, R. G. Robertson, President of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. G. ROBERTSON, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Sept.

W. H. ROBERTSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES E. HAYON,

J. F. WRIGHT,

B. F. ENGLISH, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Farmers Bank of Mardela,

at Mardela Springs, in the State of Maryland,

at the close of business Sept. 12th, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$160,253.73
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,562.85
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	60,830.38
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	60,830.38
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	9,967.77
Checks and other cash items	657.48
Exchanges for Clearing House	28,369.27
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	28,369.27
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	9,968.00
Gold Coin	900.00
Silver Coin	74,112.14
Nickels and Cents	37.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	62,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,063.80
Due to Nat'l, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	10,631.82
Deposits demand	\$154,037.01
Subject to Check	154,037.01
Cashier's Checks outstanding	154,037.01
Savings and Special	62,916.79
Notes and Bills rediscounted	62,916.79
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	62,916.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.

I, R. G. Robertson, President of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. G. ROBERTSON, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Sept.

W. H. ROBERTSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES E. HAYON,

J. F. WRIGHT,

B. F. ENGLISH, Directors.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Farmers Bank of Salisbury, at the close of business Sept. 12th, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts including redemptions (except those shown in b and c)	\$608,701.67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	122.48
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	74,748.78
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	78,550.00
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures	10,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned	36,465.00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record	36,465.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	21,427.83
Checks and other cash items	192.80
Exchanges for Clearing House	115,733.71
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	115,733.71
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	223,700.00
Gold Coin	350.00
Silver Coin	2,822.50
Nickels and Cents	21,106.98
Miscellaneous Assets	30.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$898,233.62</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 65,000.00
Surplus Fund	62,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	9,609.73
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	17,443.22
Dividends unpaid	86.00
Deposits demand	\$453,646.08
Subject to Check	453,646.08
Cashier's Checks outstanding	298,110.11
Savings and Special	298,110.11
Notes and Bills rediscounted	298,110.11
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	298,110.11
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$898,233.62</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.  
I, Wilbur F. Turner, Cashier of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILBUR F. TURNER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Sept.

CARRIE ZIMMERMAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. JAMES MESSICK,

W. R. JESTER,

W. H. WILLING, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Salisbury National Bank, at

Salisbury, in the State of Maryland, at

the close of business Sept. 12, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts including redemptions (except those shown in b and c)	\$1,259,079.93
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,405.01
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	60,830.38
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	60,830.38
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	9,967.77
Checks and other cash items	657.48
Exchanges for Clearing House	28,369.27
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	28,369.27
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	9,968.00
Gold Coin	900.00
Silver Coin	74,112.14
Nickels and Cents	37.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,259,079.93</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	62,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	9,609.73
Due to Nat'l, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	10,631.82
Deposits demand	\$154,037.01
Subject to Check	154,037.01
Cashier's Checks outstanding	154,037.01
Savings and Special	62,916.79
Notes and Bills rediscounted	62,916.79
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	62,916.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,259,079.93</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.

I, Isaac L. Price, Cashier of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ISAAC L. PRICE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Sept.

J. ASBURY HOLLOWAY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JESSE PRICE,

WM. M. COOPER,

C. D. KRAUSE, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Farmers Bank of Mardela,

at Mardela Springs, in the State of Maryland,

at the close of business Sept. 12th, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$174,258.44
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	24,550.00
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	6,039.20
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures	6,039.20
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	1,139.39
Checks and other cash items	40,355.48
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	40,355.48
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	4,000.00
Gold Coin	102.50
Silver Coin	461.10
Nickels and Cents	152.25
Miscellaneous Assets	6,441.85
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$12,500.00
Surplus Fund	12,500.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,269.63
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	3,564.41
Deposits demand	210.00
Subject to Check	129,479.21
Cashier's Checks outstanding	25.00
Savings and Special	90,303.34
Notes and Bills rediscounted	90,303.34
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$258,673.62</b>

State of Maryland, County of Wicomico, ss.

I, Minos A. Davis, Cashier of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MINOS A. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Sept.

DALLAS H. HEARN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. S. WIMBROW,

JAMES W. PARKER,

WM. S. DAVIS, Directors.

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## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Farmers Bank of Salisbury, at the close of business Sept. 12th, 1919.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$161,222.54
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	722.45
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	
U. S. Government War Loan Bonds	17,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record.	25,575.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	
Checks and other cash items	657.48
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$5,775.71
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	9,000.45
Gold Certificates	
Gold Coin	
Silver Coin	
Nickels and Cents	
Miscellaneous Assets	
Total	\$270,454.18



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1919

**LOCAL AFFAIRS.**

—Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Turner have returned from a very pleasant trip to Washington and Baltimore.

—Misses Mae and Ruth Parsons spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Viola and Sadie Henman of Powellville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tilghman spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Williams of Powellville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Butler of Baltimore have returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyndall.

—There will be a public square dance held in the Rockwalkin hall on Friday evening, September 26th. Come and enjoy yourself.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Williams, who have been spending the past two weeks in Philadelphia, and New York have returned home.

—Charles T. LeViness, Jr., son of Colonel and Mrs. Charles T. LeViness of Roland Park, left this week to enter Princeton University.

—The Mt. Hermon Sunday school will be held next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Come out and help prepare for Rally Day service on Oct. 5.

—A lecture on Ireland with illustrations will be given by the Rev. Joseph T. Herson, Thursday evening, Oct. 2 in the S. Y. M. A. Auditorium. Admission 25c.

—As a result of the visit of the submarine AL-2 to Cambridge four young men enlisted in the navy. They are Burton Lord, Arnold Leonard, Morris Mowbray and Wallace Porter.

—Mr. E. E. Twilley has sold his property on Newton Street where he has lived for many years and is now occupying his residence on Locust Street which is located on the same lot.

—Mr. A. B. Boulden has opened his offices on E. Church Street for the practice of eye work in this city. Mr. Boulden comes to Salisbury well recommended and makes an announcement in another column of this issue.

—Master Harry Dennis has entered Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va., for the scholastic year 1919-20. This is one of the largest military schools in Virginia, having an enrollment at present of 750.

—Mr. and Mrs. Levin Dorman, who have been spending the summer at their country home Cedarhurst, on the Spring Hill road, returned this week, and opened their town house on Division Street for the winter.

—Hog cholera has broken out among the swine in Talbot county. It is reported that the disease has appeared on the farms of William H. Myers and Phil Willis, near Oxford, and the St. Michaels Packing Company, St. Michaels.

—Mrs. A. H. Silverman's many friends will learn with great pleasure that she is recovering nicely from an operation for appendicitis, performed by Dr. Dick at the Hospital here Thursday. Her complete recovery is looked forward to within a few days.

The Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway, Nanticoke river line, discontinued the Saturday trip to Seaford from Baltimore, now making only two trips to Seaford a week, arriving there Tuesday and Thursday.

—Farmers on the Peninsula according to reports from different sections, are going to have a larger buckwheat crop than they had anticipated, since weather conditions for the past two weeks have been favorable.

—Governor Townsend has received by express from Landreth L. Layton, of Georgetown, the petition which is said to contain the names of more than 5,000 residents of Sussex county, protesting against the "new school code" and asking that a special session of the Legislature be called to repeal the law.

—Thursday and Friday of this week, the Jewish New Year will be solemnized in this city with appropriate services as usual. On these days, all the business houses operated by the Hebrews of Salisbury will be closed.

—Rev. Edmund Burk, for the past two years rector at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Earleville, has resigned and accepted a call to the church at Ocean City, Md. In addition to his church duties he has also accepted the principalship of the Ocean City High School.

—Division Street Baptist Church, H. Lloyd Parkinson, pastor. 9.45 Rally Day in the Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship, topic: "The Place of Woman in the Christian Church." 7.15 Baptist Young People's Union. 8 p. m. service of Song and Praise. Topic: "Afar Off." You are invited to worship with us.

—Mr. L. W. Gunby gave a unique garden party, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 18th, in memory of the birthday and marriage of his late wife, Mrs. Frances Gunby. About 100 guests of the old friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gunby were present on the occasion and the party was held in the sunken garden of Cherry Hill.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Wicomico Presbyterian Church will give a benefit picture at the Arcade Theatre Wednesday evening, October 1st, produced by D. W. Griffiths in one of his latest successes entitled "Free Heart Susie." Do not miss this picture. Admission, 25c. Matinee, 3. 30 p. m.

—Messrs. Isaac L. Price, cashier of the Peoples National Bank, E. C. Fulton, assistant cashier, Salisbury National Bank, Mr. Johnson, formerly of the Farmers & Merchants Bank and Mr. Rollie Gillis of the Salisbury Building Loan & Banking Association left last week for a trip to Niagara Falls and several points in Canada.

—Mrs. P. P. Whayland of Philadelphia, but formerly of this city, announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Lucy Gordy to Mr. Jos. L. Green of Philadelphia. Mr. Green is a prominent young business man, being connected as Branch Manager of the Crowell Publishing Co. of that city. Miss Gordy is also a sister of Mrs. Mayhew Whayland of Salisbury.

—Mrs. Florence M. Anderson died September 16th. She was laid to rest in Parsons Cemetery Thursday. The deceased left to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Mattie Ellen Culver; six grandchildren, her mother, Eliza Ellen Parker, three sisters and one brother, Ary C. Parker, Mrs. Johnathan Huffington, Miss Amelia A. Parker, Mrs. C. Jerome Brown. Deceased was born Oct. 5 1866.

—Deputy Game Warden Bedsworth, of Wicomico county, says there are many sportsmen who have not yet secured gunners' licenses from the Clerk of the Court. Since it is Mr. Bedsworth's unpleasant duty to detect violations of the game law he hopes all will make such detection unnecessary by complying strictly with the rules and regulations. The fine for each violation is \$15 and costs.

—Last Saturday Rev. Wm. P. Taylor and family at Grace Church were most agreeably surprised to receive a visit from friends of a former charge in Delaware. Mr. George M. Macklin of Bridgeville, Del., and Miss Pidge May Hitchens of Georgetown, Del., motored to Salisbury and were united in marriage at Grace Parsonage. Miss Alberta Hitchens, sister of the bride played the wedding march.

—The appointment of Mr. J. Enos Ray of Prince George's County as a member of the State Tax Commission to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator Gorman will be considered by the people of Maryland as an especially good appointment. Mr. Ray has had many years of experience as State Auditor and while a member of the Legislature, he made a close study of taxation. He is one of the few State officials who is constantly on his job and will no doubt add much to the Commission.

—At Quantico M. E. Church, Sat. October 4 and at Siloam M. E. Church Wednesday, October 8, and for Rockwalkin M. E. Church, in the hall, Friday, Oct. 10; Rev. and Mrs. J. M. S. VanBlunk will give an illustrated lecture on their life and travels in South Africa. For the past five years Rev. Mr. Van Blunk and his wife have been engaged on the lecture platform. In April, Mr. VanBlunk resumed the pastoral work, returning to the Quantico Charge, which he had formerly served.

—The figures given out this week of the amounts to be raised by the Baptist Church of the United States in the various localities show that the Church in Salisbury is expected to raise \$3,000 for Church Extension and Educational work before December 1st. The Church as a whole will raise \$750,000 in the State of Mary-

land and \$75,000,000 throughout the United States. The Division Street congregation has already started to raise their quota and there is every reason to believe that the Church here will be successful in raising its part of this great fund.

—Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue has made a ruling that owners of motor boats used for fishing are not taxable where the owners take their families to Church on Sunday or use the boat for small pleasure parties in which their families constitute a large part of the passengers. This information is given out because an order had been issued heretofore that all such boat owners using their craft for pleasure purposes on Sunday must pay a revenue tax of \$10.00. Congressman William N. Andrews secured the above ruling after a personal visit to the Treasury Department in the interest of the boat owners on the Chesapeake Bay and tributaries.

**Maryland Sunday School Association.**

Roland Park, Baltimore, will be the center of Maryland Sunday School work from Tuesday to Thursday, Oct. 21-23, when the Maryland Sunday School Association meets there in annual convention. Delegates are expected from every county. Among the speakers will be Canon Wm. L. DeVries, Ph. D., and Bishop W. F. McDowell of Washington, Frank L. Brown of New York, Mrs. Phebe L. Curtiss, primary specialist of Columbus, Ohio, Walter A. Snow, general secretary of the West Virginia association, W. C. Pearce of Chicago and Professor H. Augustine Smith of Boston. The general secretary, Rev. E. Morris Fergusson, Fidelity Building, Baltimore, is arranging for the delegations and their reception at Roland Park.

**Badly Hurt By A Fall.**

Seaford, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Ola Coulbourn, wife of Captain Robert R. Coulbourn of this town, while visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Culver at Delmar, was walking on the street with friends when she slipped and fell, shattering the bones of her right foot and tearing the ligaments loose. Her wounds were temporarily dressed immediately after the accident and she was taken to Laurel, where Dr. Jones used the X-ray on her foot and put it in a plaster paris cast. She is at her home here and is slowly improving.

**MT. HERMON SCHOOL NOTES.**

The League met last Thursday evening and quite a large crowd was present. The next meeting is Thursday evening, October 2. Every mother is to give short talks on the Home Improvements done during these two weeks. Everybody welcome.

We had a short debate on Monday. Resolved: That the sword is a mightier invention than the pen.

Some very good points were given by both sides but the judges decided in favor of the negative.

Monday, Sept. 15, we were visited by Miss Holloway and Miss English.

**Revenue Increasing, So Is Game.**

In a letter from E. Lee L'Compte, State Game Warden, we are informed that during the months of June, July and August of this year, the receipts from gunners licenses in the State of Maryland increased over \$5,590.00 for the corresponding period of the year previous. Mr. L'Compte also says that his advices from all sections of the State are to the effect that game has largely increased during the summer and that the prospects for fall hunting were never as good during the past ten years. He feels that the operations of the Gunners law is showing progress in Maryland and that the protection of game of all kinds if carried on for a few more years will insure the sportsmen of Maryland better shooting than they have had for a long time.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

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

JOSEPH A. BAKER.

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

1st day of April, 1920.

or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 24th day of September, 1919.

HOWARD A. BAKER, Administrator.

Test: J. W. Dashiell, Register of Wills. Sept. 25-4t.

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The bonds of wartime restraint having been severed, the pent up genius of Paris creators have found vent in the creating of modes of the most original and entrancing kind. The influence of the new creations copied from the Paris styles, is apparent in the new styles shown here. Suits, which are much in vogue, are here in every new interpretation of the new style silhouette. The materials are of the finer grades—especially the soft surfaced duvetyn and allied cloths of high character which afford such distinction and permanence of style lines. The fact that you may obtain genuine satisfaction in the things that you buy here.

### HATS for Particular People

Some stores are ultra exclusive in style and in price and others just carry hats.

Some of the best customers of our section of millinery have been made as a result of a long and unsuccessful search elsewhere for the type of hat, at the price that satisfies them—a search that had a pleasing end here.

The millinery section of ours is one in which particular people may find styles at reasonable prices, not just a collection of hats, but modes that have the touch of the stylist and artist.

Extremely varied types of the newest street hats invite your inspection.

Hats large and small, in brims, curves, corners, and soft folds of seemingly unending variety, at our usual long range of prices.

\$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00 and all the way to \$25.00.



### Furs--Broad Selection OF FINE GRADES --Finely Made

Based on the confidence displayed in and the patronage given to our fur business we have planned to offer for the Autumn and Winter, furs that in the fineness of pelts, in style excellence, and in breadth of selection, exceed greatly our previous records.

This applies to every classification of the stocks—coats, sets and separate pieces.

You are cordially invited to an inspection of our fur stocks. Everywhere the fashion world over, furs are considered a treasured investment, perhaps because no other accessory of woman's dress seems to give just the touch of personality as do furs.

### Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before Them

Next week this store will hold a Blanket Week. The week of September 29 to October 6, will be known as National Blanket Week—stores throughout the land will celebrate the same.

Now that the Styles and fashions are firmly established for the Season—We turn next to the House.

Many special opportunities will be offered during Blanket week—opportunities that you will want to take advantage of.

We will make no further announcement of Blanket week—but the store will feature blankets throughout the entire week.

Following Blanket week, is Home Craft Week of which further announcement will be made in next week's issue of this paper.

### Displaying Suits That Lead In Autumn Styles

Suits are in vogue. Indeed there are occasions when one will feel out of place if one is not wearing a suit, this season.

That is why we have made arrangements that bring to us complete selections of suits, and of a class and variety ensured by many well known New York designers creating them.

These suits are passing through our section of suits daily.

And the fabrics and fur trimmings favored by fashion are used only.

The styles include the semi-fitted and pleated models smart braid bound types, straight lines and belted ideas, flare effects, side button blouse designs with choker collars, box coat suits, and many others.

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### HAD CHRONIC BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY-SIX YEARS NOW WELL AND HAPPY

THIS IS WORTH READING

The experience of Mr. E. J. Tompkins, 1100 First Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin, is a most remarkable one in view of the length of time he was afflicted.

He writes: "I have been suffering with chronic bronchitis for twenty-six years and every winter I would catch cold and become so hoarse I could not speak for six or eight weeks. I could get only temporary relief.

"This winter I was taken with Grip and was in awful shape. A fellow workman advised me to take PERU-NA. By the time I had used three-fourths of a bottle, the hoarseness was gone, also that tired feeling. I am on my second bottle. Ever after PERU-NA will be constantly in my house. It is the best medicine ever put up for the purpose."

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PERU-NA can be purchased anywhere in either tablet or liquid form.

### INTERESTING REPORT ON USE OF WOOD IN MARYLAND

State Board Of Forestry Issues Interesting Publication.

The Maryland State Board of Forestry, McCoy Hall, has just received from the press a report on "The Wood-Using Industries of Maryland." It is the work of F. W. Besley and J. G. Dorrance, State Forester and Assistant Forester, respectively.

The book contains more than 100 pages of interesting matter and takes hold of this important topic under three main heads—industries, woods and counties. The report demonstrates that the original timber is gone from the forests of Maryland, and that improved handling and heavy planting, better methods and less waste become more necessary with the passing of each year. Maryland, with nearly 300 distinctly wood-using industries, and 11,000 employees of these manufacturing, and finished products aggregating millions of dollars, cannot afford to fail of encouraging by every practical means this source of constant profit and daily livelihood to much larger elements of the State than even appear from these figures.

Of several hundred Maryland firms approached in this investigation, there were only two which were unwilling to co-operate, and genuine interest in the practical features of this work has been apparent throughout the State. It is another evidence of the up-to-date and practical policies which characterize the activities of the Maryland Board.

### Negro Thieves Arrested.

Four negro desperadoes, Frank Reed, Thomas Lonze, alias "Blackstone," William Jones and Frank Bryan, alleged members of a gang of thieves who have been doing much robbing in Seaford and other towns in this part of the Peninsula were captured by Detectives Lynch and Bellahay, Constable Dawson and Chief of Police Coulbourn. Three, Reed, Lonze, Bryan and Jones were taken into custody at Laurel, and the fourth George Reed, was captured at Seaford. For several weeks numerous robberies have been committed in Seaford and other towns nearby, both homes and stores suffering at the hands of the thieves. The officers who made the arrests recovered

much of the property that was stolen. The negroes were held in \$1,000 bail each by Magistrate Phillips of Seaford and in default were committed to jail at Georgetown.

### Aliens Return To Europe.

It is reported that since the signing of the armistice more than 900,000 men, women and children have sailed from New York on their way back to Europe. Most of them were bound for countries bordering the Mediterranean Sea. It is estimated that they took with them savings averaging \$3,000 each.

### Year Books For Distribution.

Congressman J. Charles Linthicum, has a large number of 1918 Agricultural Year Books on hand, and will be glad to send out to those parties who feel they would be interested in the book. Address him House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. Mr. Linthicum represents a City District, therefore has few calls for this book.



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### Notice!

The Physicians of Wicomico County who are members of the County Medical Society announce that after Sept. 1st, 1919, the fees for professional service will be as follows:

Day visit in town \$2.00  
Night visit in town 3.00  
Minimum Office Fee 1.00

Rates in the County rural districts will be the same, plus one dollar.

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Sept. 11-2ms. Sec. & Treas.



The Ford Motor Company have instructed us to sell the genuine Ford Parts to any and every reliable Garage who will pledge their use in the repair of Ford cars. The genuine Ford Parts are absolutely necessary to the owner of Ford cars that he may get full service from his car. We carry them and so, we hope, in a short time will every reliable Garage. We solicit your service business because we have the Ford Methods, the Ford Parts, the Ford Mechanics and the Ford prices. Incidentally would be glad to get your order for one or more Ford cars.

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It will pay you to COVER every tillable acre you have. Prevent leaching—add humus and nitrogen to your soil.

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**J.E. Shockley Co.**

## Fashion's New Versions In Autumn Dresses



But a foretaste of what fashion has evolved is presented in this, our first, review of dress models for Fall wear. Rather than complicate your choice with a too complex showing of designs we have taken only the smartest of many fashions, yet in the collection now ready for approval there are few duplicates—an unusual thing in a group so extensive and inexpensive.

In Tricotines, Wool Jerseys, Silk, Georgettes, Crepe de Chines, Satins, Tricolettes, trimmed in Braid, Buttons, and Beads. Beautiful modes in all the new Fall shades at \$21.50 to \$60.00.

## Luxurious Furs

Beautiful indeed are these scarfs and stoles for my lady! and right now, they're 10 to 15 per cent below prices we would have to pay if we had to re-order on them now.

## Women and Misses New Footwear



New Styles are arriving daily. Pretty shades of Brown-Mahogany with long Vamps, high or low heels, in a complete range of sizes.

You can be positive that these styles are best and that our prices are the fairest such good footwear can be sold for. These assortments were purchased some time ago when wholesale prices were much lower and are therefore selling for nearly what they would cost us today.



## Rich Colorful Silks Dress Goods and Trimmings

Fabrics and colors well suited for the making of garments for all occasions are distributed profusely through the assortments and tend to make choosing both interesting and enjoyable. Wool Jersey Cloth, Broad Cloth, Costume Velvets, Velours, and Serges, Satins, Charmeuse, Georgettes in both plain and figured, Crepe-de-Chine, Fan-ta-si Silks and beautiful Wool plaids for skirts. Pretty trimmings in fringe, beads and buttons.



## Be Fitted to a Gossard Corset Corset Now For That New Suit!

The Best way we know to get your confidence, is to offer a corset service that deserves it. Our corsetieres are specialized in this branch of corsetry and will render you a skilled service that assures your satisfaction. Complete stock to select from, and models at \$2.75 up.

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DEPARTMENT STORE  
VALUES AND SERVICE

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## Printzess Suits and Coats for Women and Misses

Models for general wear, or for formal occasions, interpreting the loveliest of the new fashion features. Fabrics include Tricotine, Poirer Twill, Broadcloth, Silvertone, Wool Velour, Duvet - de - laine, Frosted Chinchilla, Marvella, Lustrola, Tinseltone and Chameleon Cord, lend these garments an air of true luxuriance.



## Miss Printzess Coats

A clever, youthful model fashioned of Polo Cloth in navy, brown, deer and rose-wood. It is full lined with soft satin. The style emphasizes the new silhouette with the fulness of the front. The new wide fringe-neck collar is faced with blue wool velour. The narrow belt of self material buttons in front. Buttons are used in the trimming of the cuffs and the collar in harmony with the collar facing.

## Lovely Waists for Autumn Wear

Blouse styles this season are more showy than they have been—Georgette is the leading fabric, and our showing is replete with Georgette blouses in wonderfully varied and becoming styles—all colors, collarless styles, with belts or sashes.

\$5.00 to \$10.00.



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## SENATOR JACKSON'S COWS MAY BEAT STATE RECORD

Producing Unheard Of Quantities Of Milk In State Test Now Going On.

The fine herd of dairy cattle at the Homestead Dairy Farm owned by State Treasurer Wm. P. Jackson is now undergoing a test from an expert of the Agricultural College as to the quantity of milk and the butter fat produced by the herd. These tests are being made with several of the best known herds in the State of Maryland, another being the herd of Hon. John Dennis of Baltimore County, former State Treasurer, and one or two other well known dairy farms. If the production of milk and butter fat from the herd of Senator Jackson continues until the end of the test, it is most likely he will beat all records for the State of Maryland. He has one Holstein milk producer which is said already to have exceeded the record made by any other cow in Maryland, and he has several young heifers which give promise of outstripping any cattle in the State in the production of milk. As soon as the records are complete, the News will be glad to publish a detailed statement of the milk production of this fine herd of cattle which will be interesting to cattle fanciers throughout Maryland.

It is certainly encouraging to know that the farmers of Wicomico County are improving their live stock so rapidly and that not only the Homestead Dairy but several other stock farms including that of Mr. Adkins in Spring Hill are gaining reputations which are going far beyond the limits of the State of Maryland, and that seekers after high grade cattle are coming here from a great distance to buy their cattle from among the Wicomico herds.

## Death Of Mr. Doward.

Joseph H. Doward a former resident of this city died at Bayonne, New Jersey, Sunday, September 14th. His body was brought here for burial Friday afternoon in Parsons Cemetery. Mr. Doward for many years was a member of the firm, Ellis & Doward, marble dealers of this city. He married a Miss Ellis, sister of Mr. John P. Ellis of Salisbury and the deceased was well known to many of our older residents. He had not been living in Salisbury for some time.

## HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR PEARLS OR DIAMONDS?

Figures Show That Thousands Of Americans Indulge In These.

Importations of precious stones into the United States in the fiscal year just ended exceed in value that of any earlier year, and this includes a revival of the popularity of the pearl. Dispatches from London indicate, says a statement by the National City Bank of New York, that the popularity of the pearl, due to the dislocation of the richest pearl fisheries by war conditions, is causing South African diamond producers to "dump" their large stocks of diamonds accumulated during the war. This popularity of the pearl made itself apparent during the early part of the war, the importation of pearls into the United States jumping from \$2,000,000 in 1912 to over \$10,000,000 in the calendar year 1916, and about \$9,000,000 in 1917, but dropping by reason of scarcity to less than \$2,000,000 in 1918. The 1919 figures, however, show a slight increase in pearls and a large increase in diamonds imported, those imported in the uncut state amounting to over \$15,000,000, as against about \$3,000,000 in 1915, while cut diamonds also show a large increase, totaling \$29,000,000, against about \$14,000,000 in 1918. London dispatches state that the scarcity of pearls is so great that the diamond is in excess of that of any time within the memory of jewelers of that city, and adding that "South Africa, which meantime has hoarded its diamonds during the war, is dumping them as fast as the speculators will permit."

## N C FOUR DRIVEN

BY FORD MOTORS

"Engines functioned perfectly," said Lieut.-Commander Read, who Commanded Big Seaplane.

The Ford Motor Company has just received official advice from the Navy Department that it was four Ford Liberty Motors—all built in the Ford Motor Company's shops at Detroit—which furnished the power that drove the N. C. Four to victory in its recent record breaking flight across the Atlantic from Trepassey, Newfoundland to Plymouth, England, a distance

of 4,000 miles. They were regular stock motors built during the war as a part of the Ford Liberty Motor production.

Upon his arrival in Lisbon, Portugal, Lieutenant Commander Read said, "The engines functioned perfectly all the way from America to Portugal." And American Naval officers

who thoroughly inspected the NC Four upon its arrival at Plymouth, England, stated that the big seaplane was in even better condition than when it left America.

The N C Four flight, which has meant a triumph for American engineering skill, also adds another record to Ford achievement.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price, \$1.25.—Adv't.

For any itchininess of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 60c at all drug stores.—Adv't.



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1919

## SHARPTOWN NEWS.

J. P. Cooper of J. P. Cooper & Co. has been placed on the Republican county ticket for county commissioner.

Mrs. N. L. Williams and Miss Ethel Nelson of Salisbury were the week-end guests of Miss Mary E. Cooper.

Chauncey Nuttall, oldest son of Capt. Edwin Nuttall was pressing a stopper into a glass bottle when the pressure of the contents broke the bottle cutting his hand in several places.

The Sunday schools of the town have arranged to hold Rally Day service on Sunday, October 5th.

Thomas Drennen of Cambridge spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Gordy.

Rev. and Mrs. John W. Prettyman gave their daughter, Miss Julia a birthday party on the occasion of her eleventh birthday. A large crowd of young people were present and Miss Julia received many presents. Ice cream, cake and candies were served.

Capt. George Stokes, O. W. Owens and others are arranging to inaugurate a daily bus service from here to Salisbury, by Mardela and Hebron. They have a fine and substantial outfit for comfort and service.

Capt. George Covey of Galestown is home very sick.

Herman Speare sustained a broken leg while working at the shipyard last week.

Capt. John W. Robinson has gone to Jacksonville, Fla., for the winter.

\$15,539,720 TO MARYLANDERS.

## War Risk Bureau Announces The Amount Of Claims Paid.

Maryland relatives of soldiers who died in service are now being paid \$15,539,720 in claims, according to an announcement made last Tuesday by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance.

There are now 1,778 claims being paid on account of Maryland soldiers who died. The average policy carried by these was \$8,710. In addition to the claims for dead soldiers, 1,194 claims are being paid to Marylanders who were disabled. There are 651 claims of dead and disabled Marylanders now being investigated.

Claims the bureau will be called upon to pay will amount to \$1,012,000,000. The amount of premiums paid by soldiers was \$200,000,000, or less than one-fifth of the amount of the claims. The excess will have to be made up by the Government.

## PREMIUM LIST OF THE PEN- INSULA HORTICULTURAL SOC.

## Many Special Premiums In Which Our Readers May Be Interested.

The Premium list of the Peninsula Horticultural Society has been distributed. Any of our readers who did not receive a copy should apply to the Secretary of the Society, Wesley Webb, Dover, Delaware, who will be glad to send it. The prizes offered are liberal, the highest cash prize being \$200 for the best general display of fruit. There are liberal prizes for boxes, barrels and plates as well as general collections of fruit. There is also a less for amateurs. The prizes for vegetables are especially liberal. We suggest that all of our readers who can do so should arrange to attend the meeting and exhibit their product.

## Christian Endeavor Convention Plans

A joint business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Presbyterian and Methodist Protestant Churches was held last Wednesday evening to make plans for entertaining the convention of the Maryland Christian Endeavor Union which will meet in Salisbury October 14-16. A special steam boat has been chartered to bring the delegates from Baltimore and Western Maryland. This steamer will leave Baltimore Monday evening October 13th and will arrive in Salisbury Tuesday morning. About 500 delegates are expected. All the sessions of the Convention will be held in the Assembly.

# BOTH PARTIES NOW LINED UP FOR A REAL POLITICAL BATTLE

## Nomination Of Republican Ticket Is Opening Gun For The Campaign This Fall.

BONDING THE COUNTY MADE ONE OF THE BIGGEST ISSUES BY REPUBLICANS— DEMANDS PUBLICATION OF AUDIT — BOTH PARTIES NOW BUSY ON REGISTRATION—CAMPAIGN WILL BE THE LIVELIEST SEEN IN WICOMICO FOR MANY YEARS.

The nomination of their local ticket by the Republicans of Wicomico County last week now places before the voters the two local tickets complete. It is rather a curious incident that Hon. Charles R. Disharoon, the Democratic candidate for State Senator and Hon. Fred P. Adkins, the Republican candidate for the same office were for many years partners in business. Mr. Disharoon came to Salisbury from the Eastern section of the county shortly after the late E. S. Adkins established business here and for many years, Mr. Disharoon was a partner of the Adkins' concern. Both he and Mr. Fred P. Adkins are prominently associated in many other business concerns including the directorship in the Peoples Bank of this city, and their families have always been very close both from a business and social standpoint. It is therefore, expected that the campaign for these two gentlemen for the high honor for which both are running will be made on a very clean and clear-cut basis, and that there will be no mud slinging on either side.

Now that the two tickets are in the field, the Party organization are hard at work on their registration which is the first real work to do for the campaign. The registration days are Tuesday, September 30th and Tuesday, October 7th and these are the only two days on which names can be put on the books or transfers secured by residents who have changed their residences. The third day, Tuesday, October 14th is for revision only and on that date, no new names can be placed on the book.

Because of the Soldiers' Vote Law, there have been but few names erased from the registration books of Wicomico County for the past three years. In fact, last year by a mutual agreement between the Party organizations, no voters' names were sworn from the books, and as several hundred young men just becoming of age were away with the Army or in the Camps and could not get registered, there are a large number whose names are not now on the registration books which both Party organizations will work hard this year to get registered, and it is a foregone conclusion that each of the Party organizations will clean up the books as near as possible and take therefrom all those who have no legal right to vote in Wicomico County this year. To do this work, it will require quite a force of clerks in both headquarters from now until after the last day of registration.

It is a noticeable fact that most of the nominees on both the Democratic and Republican tickets are young men many of whom have never before held office or been candidates for the votes of the people. It can be said in truth that the personnel of both tickets compare very favorably with those of former years and while here and there, each ticket might have been strengthened somewhat, on the whole, the personnel cannot be very severely criticized. The State candidates on both tickets seem to have pleased the rank and file of the respective parties and there is little talk of cutting in the general election as both sides seem satisfied with their State candidates. Here as in the local contest, the nominees are all young men of high character and it is likely that the State will see one of the cleanest campaigns noted for many years and certainly here in Wicomico, there will be no need for mud slinging or hard talk about the candidates on either ticket.

From the resolutions passed at the joint meeting held in Salisbury last week by the Republican organization, it would appear that the contest will be waged on their side on the question of economy in county expenditures and a more prompt collection of taxes in the County. Treasurer's office. These attacks will no doubt be met by the Democrats in a satisfactory manner, but it is an agreeable fact that the Republican platform comes out strongly in favor of bonding the county for the building of good roads and proper school-houses. As this has been a very live question here for several years, this declaration on the part of the Republican Party will no doubt bring the matter of bonding Wicomico County for a sufficient sum to build our roads and schools to a speedy conclusion. This paper has for four years been in favor of such a move

and we are really glad to see that it is to be an issue in the present campaign. There is little doubt but that a great change in sentiment has come over the taxpayers throughout the county on the question of issuing bonds for permanent improvements instead of trying to meet these expenditures from an annual tax levy and had this policy been more strictly lived up to in the past by the dominant party in the county the present tax rate would to our mind, not be as high as it is today by at least 50 cents on the \$100.

## FELL INTO HONEST HANDS MONEY RETURNED PROMPTLY

Small Advertisement In Wicomico News Gets Back Money Lost.

The attention of the editors of the News was called to the advantages gained by placing advertising in a widely read newspaper like this journal by the following incident:

Several weeks ago, Mr. Sturgis who drives one of the wagons for the Salisbury Ice Company accompanied by his wife went on an excursion to Deals Island and during the day, his wife lost a hand bag containing \$31.00 in money. There was absolutely nothing in the bag except the money and a pair of gloves so no identification was possible. Mr. Sturgis came to the News office and inserted a "Lost" advertisement Wednesday following the excursion and Friday of the same week, he received word from a Miss Jenkin's of Sharp's Point that she had found the hand bag and the money as advertised in the columns of The Wicomico News. The money was returned to the owner and Sturgis was much impressed with the fact that all the honest people are not yet dead and also with the quick results which can be obtained from advertising with a real live newspaper. If the News can find lost money, it can also find customers for all kinds of goods advertised in these columns. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

## ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE WILL ENTER PRESIDENTIAL FIGHT

Propose To Put Up Own Candidate or Force Indorsement Of Its Views.

The managers of the Anti-Saloon League of the United States have decided to enter the next Presidential campaign with a candidate of their own choosing or an endorsement of a candidate of one of the old parties who obligates himself to see that National Prohibition shall remain a permanency in the United States. This decision was arrived at after a conference last week of the prominent members of the Anti-Saloon League from all sections of the country. This will be the first time that this organization has entered the National fight for the election of a President as heretofore they have confined the work of the organization to States rather than Nation-wide and the two old parties will have a new element to deal with in the next National Election which may prove very troublesome.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (30c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores. Advt. Sept. 25-4t.

## SAVE the LEATHER

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For Attorney-General:  
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of Washington County

For Clerk Court of Appeals:  
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### COUNTY TICKET

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For Members Legislature:  
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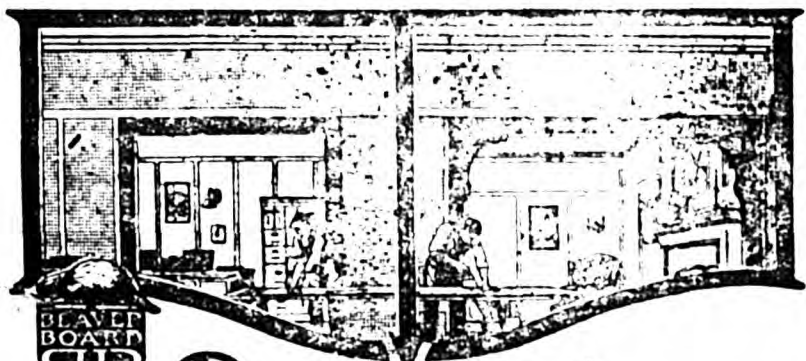
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## HAPPENINGS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Short, Pithy Items Showing The  
Trend Of National Business.

UNUSUAL PROSPERITY DURING  
WILSON'S ADMINISTRATION.

Many Items Of Interest Of Happenings In The National Capital On A Variety Of Subjects In Which All The People Are Interested.

That the good roads being built throughout the country can effect a saving of ten billion dollars annually, approximately one-third the cost of this country's participation in the world war, is the opinion of G. A. Kissel, president of an automobile manufacturing company. According to Kissel's argument the good roads in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, alone save their users \$25,000 a day, or about one dollar a day for every vehicle traversing them.

A traffic census for Milwaukee County taken at intervals in the last four years showed the use of the highways by approximately 25,000 cars a day. It showed also that traffic in that section has increased 45 per cent a year during the four-year period.

"Here is a vivid demonstration of the immense benefit good roads mean in saving of money," continues the report. "If one county in one State can effect a saving of over seven and one-half million dollars a year, imagine the immense saving in every county, not only in one State, but in all forty-eight States in the Union. Even the low average of thirty counties for every State would give us a total of 1440 counties, which, at the above yearly saving, would make a total of \$10,952,000,000, a sum over one-third the cost of America's participation in the world war."

Many of the States are going ahead with their road programs at a greater rate than ever before and the Government's aid to the States in road building is being largely called upon with the return to peace-time conditions.

American Dye Making Successful Industry.

America has established itself in the dye industry, according to a report of the American Chemical Foundation. At the beginning of the war the United States was totally dependent on Germany and a few other countries for dyes. Now this country is making dyes of a quality equal to those formerly imported. In 1917 there were manufactured in the United States 45,977,245 pounds, valued at \$57,796,288. With the great demand for dyes with the expansion of commerce after the armistice there has been imported about as much as was produced in 1918, or about 57,000,000 pounds, valued at \$61,000,000.

U. S. Pays Debts With Tax Receipts.

For the first time in two years of war financing the United States has come to a point where there is relief in sight for the national treasury and where it is possible, at least for the time being, to discontinue revolving debts. As with all other going concerns it has been necessary to keep the Government of the United States supplied with ready cash and certificates of indebtedness have played a large part in meeting general expenses and interest on loans. Periodically these certificates have been put out, being in effect anticipation of future income of the Government and further borrowings. Now for the first time it has been possible to meet the obligations arising out of the sale of these certificates by the tax income of the country. For a time at least, the Government will issue tax certificates against definite incomes, indicating that "Uncle Sam" is getting back on his financial feet.

The Secretary of the Treasury has announced that certificates of indebtedness coming due prior to 1920 will be paid with tax receipts due the Government and with cash.

"This is an important step," says a statement of the Treasury Department, "in the policy of financing the balance of the war debt so as to avoid great refunding operations, by spreading maturities and meeting them, so far may be, from tax receipts."

In other words, the Government has begun the policy of meeting debts with income instead of swinging back

and forth between revolving payments and borrowings. The business of raising billions in cash and credits is a most delicate method of finance. Had it been done by this country on an unsound basis the credit of the world would have tumbled and the United States, dragging the others down with it, would have pitched into bankruptcy. Thanks to the co-operation of the legislative and executive branches of the Government, which worked like a well oiled machine during the war, it was possible to accomplish this delicate task of finance. The benefits are being reaped in the form of a stable credit, a sound dollar, and a fiscal status that is already enabling the Government, even before the peace has returned, to meet some of the obligations incurred in its program of raising billions upon billions.

Government Positions Go To Former Soldiers.

With a coming of the Government departments in an effort to uncover positions that can be filled by returned soldiers, the Secretary of War has approved an offer made by the Quartermaster Corps to place at least 5000 disabled soldiers. The positions are not all open at this time, nor will they become available at once, but many of them can be filled whenever eligible men are available. Most of the quartermaster jobs can be filled especially well by men who were in the army, and will give most of the soldiers an opportunity to fit in as skilled mechanics or workmen along lines requiring the kind of training they received in the course of their military service. These positions will be available at the various army camps, depots and posts over the country.

Among the positions that may become available in the army are of messenger, stenographer, typist, clerk multigraph and mimeograph operator, blue-print-foremen, photostat developers, electrician, washer and dryer, trimmer, sign painter, cabinet maker, packer, skilled and unskilled laborer watchman, comptometer operator, etc. The War Department is arranging for special examinations to be held by the Civil Service Commission over the country and even in the army hospitals for these positions, and they will be filled by former service men as rapidly as the incumbents resign or are discharged. Many of the positions are already open.

Special provision has already been made by the President whereby the Civil Service Commission is instructed to place at the head of its eligible lists soldiers and disabled soldiers who take the general Government examinations.

Medical Supplies For War Cost \$370,000,000.

Medical and Surgical supplies—medicines, dressings, instruments and materials—and equipment, such as ambulances, furniture and veterinary and dental requirements, for the war, cost the United States \$370,000,000. This was in addition to the enormous gifts for the medical care of soldiers and sailors. The expenditures for all these medical needs exceeded the sum contributed to the Red Cross.

Among the items in the Government's bill for medicines and pharmaceuticals were 46,000,000 quinine tablets, 172,000,000 aspirin tablets and 10,250,000 cans of foot powder. Most of these supplies were purchased in the United States, but some of the materials for treating wounded men, such as surgical instruments and certain important specific medicines, were procured in Germany before the war.

"Gobs" Will Get Special Medals For War Service.

A war service medal and a victory medal for the "gobs" enlisted in the Navy during the war have been approved by the department, Acting Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt announces, and will be ready shortly after the first of September and the medals about November 1. The victory medal is intended for all men in service during the war and the difference in the character of service performed will be indicated by the clasp on the medal bar. The buttons will be of bronze and silver. Silver buttons will go to men wounded in action. Victory medals and bronze buttons may be obtained from commanders of naval districts, and commanding officers of recruiting stations and traveling recruiting parties, upon presentation of discharge papers. The silver buttons will be obtainable only through the Bureau of Navigation on application.



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### INFLUENZA CERTAIN TO RETURN THIS FALL

Surgeon-General Blue Feels Sure Of Return Of This Dreaded Disease.

EVERY PRECAUTION SHOULD BE TAKEN BY ALL CITIZENS.

Disease Is Spread By Contact And The First Cases Should Be Isolated As Far As Possible—Physicians Still Ignorant Of Cause.

"Will the 'flu' come back this year?" This question, being asked by thousands of scientists and millions of laymen throughout the world, is discussed by Surgeon-General Blue, of the Public Health Service, in an official bulletin, in which it is said that the plague probably will reappear, but not in as severe a form as last winter.

"Probably, but by no means certainly, there will be a recurrence of the influenza epidemic this year," says General Blue.

"Indications are that, should it occur, it will not be as severe as the pandemic of the previous winter. City officials, State and city boards of health should be prepared in the event of a recurrence. The fact that a previous attack brings immunity in a certain percentage of cases should allay fear on the part of those afflicted in the previous epidemic.

"Influenza is spread by direct and indirect contact. It is not yet certain that the germ has been isolated, or discovered, and as a consequence there is yet no positive preventive, except the enforcement of rigid rules of sanitation and the avoidance of personal contact. A close relation between the influenza pandemic and the constantly increasing pneumonia mortality rate prior to the fall of 1918 is recognized. It is now believed that the disease was pretty widely disseminated throughout the country before it was recognized in its epidemic state. This failure to recognize the early cases appears to have largely been due to the fact that every interest was then centered on the war.

All Preach Preparedness.

"Not one of the many experts of the service would make a more positive forecast. All agreed, however, that a recurrence was not unlikely, and in the face of the known facts, that it would be wise to be prepared.

"Contrary to the opinion expressed frequently during the early weeks of last year's pandemic by a number of observers, the studies of the public health service indicate that the epidemic was not a fresh importation from abroad. Careful study of the mortality statistics of the United States shows that there were a number of extensive though mild fore-runners during the previous three or four years.

"Concerning the important question of immunity conferred by an attack of influenza, the evidence is not conclusive, but there is reason to believe that an attack during the earlier stages of the epidemic confers a considerable but not absolute immunity in the later outbreaks.

"Despite the fact that there is still some uncertainty as to the nature of the micro-organism causing influenza, one thing is certain—that the disease is communicable from person to person. Moreover, judging from experience in other diseases, it is probable that the germ, whatever its nature, is carried about, not only by those who are ill with influenza but by persons who may be entirely well. Everything which increases personal contact, therefore, should be regarded as a factor in spreading influenza.

Increased Mortality Expected.

"It seems probable, however, that we may expect at least local recurrences in the near future, with an increase over the normal mortality from pneumonia for perhaps several years; and certainly we should be, as far as possible, prepared to meet them, by previous organization of forces and measures for attempted prevention, treatment and scientific investigation.

"There should be no repetition of the extensive suffering and distress which accompanied last year's pandemic. Communities should make plans now for dealing with any recurrence. The most promising way to deal with a possible recurrence is, to sum it up in a single word, 'preparedness.' And now is the time to prepare.

"No mention has been made here of a cure, or specific. So far as the most careful scientific investigations have been able to determine, none has been discovered; the suggested remedies which gave most encouragement are even now in their experimental stage.

"Evidence collected during last winter's pandemic points strongly to infected eating and drinking utensils, especially in places where food and drink are sold to the public, as being one of the modes of transmission of this disease."



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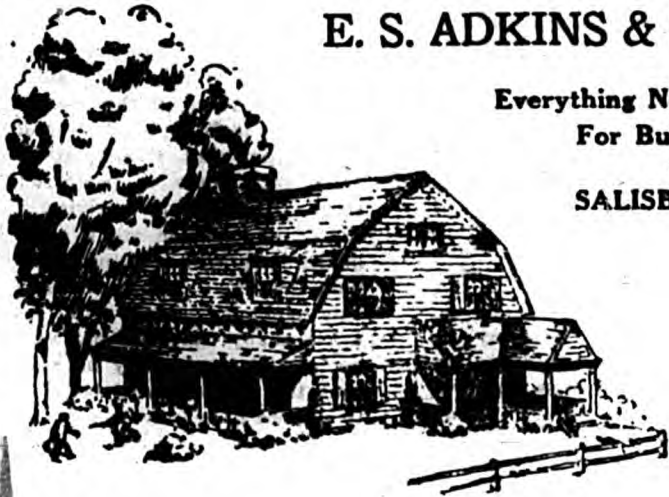
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loans and discounts exceeding one and one-quarter million dollars. And several of the others in this city show the biggest statements ever published. The gratifying fact of all this great prosperity is that the deposits are not made up by a few individual cases but the aggregate comes from thousands of depositors in the county who do business with their various institutions. Showing conclusively that Wicomico county farmers as well as the manufacturers and all other lines of business are at the peak of prosperity and there is nothing here in sight which would cause one to believe that there will be any diminution of the present conditions for some time to come. This is in the face of

the fact that several of the crops of the farmers this year have not been extremely productive, there being very little money gotten out of the cantaloupe and tomato crops. Had these been up to normal, the bank deposits would now be showing very much in excess of the big sums which all the institutions are able to show.

For several years the columns of this newspaper have been used by its editors to impress upon the average citizen the fact that every family should have a bank account and we believe that this pounding at this subject has had the effect of causing

many people to use the bank who have heretofore not been doing so.

Inquiry at the various institutions throughout the county show that during the past two years, there have probably been 4,000 to 5,000 new accounts opened in all the banks, and while some of these accounts are not large, many of them are really quite substantial. Those who have watched the trend of the time know that a small depositor today may in a few years, be a very substantial depositor in the institution which he selects to do business with, and it is for this reason that banks are always ready to encourage thrift and saving among the population. Nothing so influences thrift and saving as the opening of a Bank Account and many a man and woman of this community who today have substantial savings in the institutions and carry good bank accounts were a few years ago unfamiliar with banking and were shiftless in the matter of saving and accumulating money.

Going to a new community, one of the best tests of whether or not it is thrifty and the people doing business on a sound basis is to inquire at the various banks as to whether or not there is a large percentage of the population using large institutions through which to transact their busi-

ness and an affirmative reply is always considered by experts who work up statistics that the community in which the people use their banks for commercial purposes is the community which can generally be relied upon to continue in the line of prosperity in which the home seekers and business men are anxious to establish themselves. Looking at it from this standpoint, Wicomico County can certainly be placed in the category of prosperous and thrifty places to live, and at the present rate at which all our banking institutions are growing, this county will very soon take the lead as the most prosperous section of Maryland.

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# MAKING NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS OF THE EASTERN SHORE AND BALTIMORE

**A** NEW ERA is dawning for Maryland—an era that will make the State one great unit of thought and action, instead of two separate communities with varying ideals and problems. This new era will mark the passing of the old territorial lines, established when Nature steered the course of the mighty Chesapeake through the heart of virgin Eastern American, and left the gorgeous hills and magnificent valleys on the Western Shore, with broad, fertile fields to be the heritage of the golden Eastern Shore. Separated by a broad expanse of water, and with different conditions confronting the inhabitants of each section, it was but natural that these two halves of Maryland should grow wider apart with the passing years. But they are at last to be cemented by the bonds of closer fellowship; by a greater and more thorough understanding; by a more intimate and a more agreeable association. The future holds in store for them greater social, political and commercial activity than ever before. They are to know each other as they have never been privileged to do in the past. Western Maryland, with Baltimore at its head, is to know more about the Eastern Shore, and the Eastern Shore is to learn more about Western Maryland. These two great communities are to be real next-door neighbors. And the answer is—the Peninsula Ferry between Love Point and Baltimore.

Ten years ago the only method of communication between the two halves of Maryland was by means of tedious, long-drawn-out water journeys, or by the more expensive process of traffic over the railroads.

Five years ago a new means was established when the state roads were opened up to motor traffic. But even that involved considerable time and expense. Today, quick, direct and effective means of communication are being established in the organization and operation of Bay Ferries—carrying Eastern Shoremen direct to Western Maryland; bringing Western Marylanders in to the very heart of the Eastern Shore.

## HOW THE BAY FERRY IDEA WAS CONCEIVED

Ever since the automobile became such a vital and important factor in the commercial and social life of Maryland, the demand has steadily been growing for closer association between the two halves of the state. It was but natural that Marylanders should begin to inquire into solution of the problem, and when great minds began to meet the issue, the answer was either a bridge across the bay—or bay ferries. It was soon found that the bridge, while possible, might prove thoroughly unfeasible, and certainly very expensive. Constructive figures were staggering; maintenance estimates were disheartening, and the ultimate returns were uncertain. So the bay bridge became a dream—possibly a reality of the future, but unfeasible for the present.

Then Maryland minds drifted to the Bay Ferry proposition. Investigation disclosed that ferries were thoroughly practical and maintained with even reasonable patronage. Capt. C. W. Harrison, one of the practical steamboat men of the East, realized the possibilities, and laid his plans before Governor Emerson C. Harrington. Both entered enthusiastically into the work and the Claiborne-Annapolis ferry resulted. Capt. Harrison always believed that the Love Point route would prove the only practical one, but he was over-ruled, and after the ferry had been successfully placed in operation, he turned his time and attention to the duties of operating the Baltimore and Southern Navigation Company's line of steamers.

He still clung steadfastly to the belief, however, that Love Point offered the real, practical solution to a thoroughly successful bay ferry, and several months ago a delegation of Eastern Shore's most influential and representative citizens called upon him and asked him to use his influence and devote his experience to the establishment of a bay ferry from Love Point to the heart of Baltimore. He consented.

## LOVE POINT AS THE LOGICAL GATEWAY OF THE SHORE.

A glance at the map of Maryland, with its broad stretch of water through the two great shores, readily discloses the fact that Love Point is the logical gateway of the Eastern

Shore. It is the only point from which a ferry may be operated with entire practicability into the city of Baltimore. There are numerous points where the water distance between the two shores is less, but there is no place which commands such quick accessibility to Baltimore.

Therefore, when the Claiborne ferry was started it was necessary to run the boats to Annapolis, and travelers must proceed the remaining distance to Baltimore overland, a distance of 28 miles. The Kent ferry must operate between Rock Hall and Bay Shore, and travelers must furnish their own means of getting from Bay Shore into the city. But by the Love Point route, the service is directly into the business section of Baltimore.

## ORGANIZATION OF THE PEN- INSULA FERRY CORPORA- TION.

These facts were all carefully considered; maps were consulted and thorough investigations conducted. Then, in July, the Peninsula Ferry Corporation was incorporated under the laws of Maryland, and complete plans of operation, together with other necessary details, were laid before the Public Service Commission of Maryland. After reaching this stage, swift action was taken, and today a magnificent pier stands practically completed at Love Point. This will be the Eastern Shore landing of the Ferry. In Baltimore work will immediately begin on a commodious and comfortable terminal at Pier 4, Pratt street, in the very heart of the city. This will be the Western Shore terminal of the ferry.

The Steamer St. John, of the Baltimore and Southern Navigation Company, lies in her dock ready to steam out on the initial journey between the two Maryland points. In New York the ferry which is eventually to be operated across the bay is ready to undergo the repairs and improvements that will convert her into the most magnificent, palatial and comfortable ferry steamers in the world.

Swift action for three months! Action that has been backed by sound judgment and executed with wisdom and fore-sight!

The incorporators of the Peninsula Ferry Corporation determined to leave no stone unturned in the effort to make the governing influences correct in every detail. They deemed it wise, therefore, to select men of calm deliberate judgment, and ample experience in transportation and shipping, to head the company. C. W. Harrison, President of the Baltimore and Southern, was made President, and A. S. Butterworth, Director of the same company, is associated as Vice-President with Capt. Harrison.

R. T. Ford, Treasurer of the Baltimore-Southern, also is Treasurer of this company. Charles H. St. John, who for eleven years was Vice-President and General Manager of the Baltimore, Potomac and Chesapeake Steamboat Company, and who more recently has been

Vice-President and General Manager of the Baltimore-Southern, occupies a similar position with the corporation. A. W. Lockard, who until last August was secretary to Governor Emerson C. Harrington, and who, in this capacity, was in intimate touch with the establishment and operation of the Claiborne-Annapolis Ferry, is now associated with Capt. Harrison and is a director of the Peninsula Ferry Corporation.

These men have devoted a great portion of their lives to

and the facts as stated here, must correspond with the complete plans furnished the Public Service Commission of Maryland.

## WHAT THE PENINSULA FERRY CORPORATION PROPOSES TO DO.

In the beginning, it should be understood, without any attempt at disparagement of the other proposition, that public service corporations, such as the Peninsula Ferry Corporation, is subject to the direction of the

## ONE COMPLIMENTARY TRIP TO BALTIMORE

Cut out and forward this coupon to the address given below and we will send you, absolutely free of any cost or obligation, a complimentary pass, redeemable for a free trip to Baltimore on the Love Point Ferry.

This coupon must be mailed not later than October 25th, 1919.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business \_\_\_\_\_

Postoffice Address \_\_\_\_\_

the successful operation of bay and ocean-going vessels. And their experience and judgment should be valuable to the Ferry Corporation.

## WHAT BALTIMORE CITY HAS DONE TO ENCOURAGE THE FERRY.

When the Love Point ferry was proposed, an Eastern Shore delegation went to Baltimore and interviewed the Mayor and all the large trade organizations of the city, with a view of enlisting their cooperation and support. Investigations were conducted with the result that many of the larger associations in unqualified terms endorsed the Love Point route as the logical and practical one.

When the company assumed concrete form, Baltimore was called upon to express her cooperation in more substantial form, and prompt action was taken. An agreement was reached whereby the city is building at the foot of Market Space, Pier 4, Pratt street, a commodious and comfortable terminal. This will be the Western Maryland end of the Love Point ferry. On one side of the ferry will be the Dock of the Baltimore-Southern Navigation Co.; on the other side the automobile landing for the ferry. Above, passengers will be received and discharged from the ferry, so that the difficulty of handling passengers and motor vehicles from the same deck will be completely eliminated. There will be no danger, no confusion, and greater speed and convenience in both receiving and discharging passengers and motorists.

In numerous other ways Baltimore has shown a commendable public spiritedness in backing the ferry.

## WHAT THE EASTERN SHORE CAN DO FOR THE FERRY.

It is a well established fact that even public service corporations can prosper to a greater extent where the public is interested in the success of the proposition. And with this end in view the Peninsula Ferry Corporation, when it became a corporation, prepared to issue stock to Marylanders. The Company is organized with 2500 shares of 7 per cent. accumulative stock, par value \$100. per share. There are also 30,000 shares of common stock, at \$5. per share.

This stock is being distributed in Maryland, to effect interest, and to place the corporation on a sound, conservative business basis.

In offering this stock to the public, the Peninsula Ferry Corporation realizes that it must take the buying public freely

Mandalay, now operated from Battery, New York, to the Highlands. The Mandalay is one of New York's most successful and popular excursion steamers and has made thousands and thousands of dollars for its owners.

The carrying capacity of the Stapleton will be approximately 2500 people, depending upon the equipment placed on her, and she would have a maximum speed of seventeen to eighteen miles per hour. She probably will be converted into an oil burner, instead of a steamer, to effect a greater economy in operation. The schedule, as arranged, will be as follows: Leave Baltimore Lv. Love Point

5.00 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
9.00 A. M.	11.00 A. M.
1.00 P. M.	4.00 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	10.00 P. M.

## WHAT THE EARNING CAPAC- ITY OF THE FERRY SHOULD BE.

Careful and conservative estimates, based on the success of the Claiborne ferry, and taken from statistics that are known to be correct and reliable, the Peninsula Ferry Corporation may safely figure a gross daily revenue of not less than \$700 for each day between October 1 and May 31, which would give a gross revenue per month of \$21,000. The gross expenses, including the operation, cost of piers, help, executive force and general office expenses would not exceed \$15,000 per month, leaving a net of \$6,000 per month.

These figures can be exceeded, but even on this basis it can be seen that for eight months operation, a net of \$48,000 would be earned. And this would be simply on passengers and automobiles.

From June 1 to September, Baltimore's population of nearly a million souls, seeks recreation in the country. Thousands and thousands go to Love Point now, with uncertain and unattractive service, and tens of thousands more go to Tolchester and a dozen other Maryland resorts. With quick ferry service out of Baltimore, hundreds of thousands of Baltimoreans every week would make at least one journey to Love Point, and during these four months every passenger that could be carried on the Ferry would add just that much more to the capacity of the line. By carrying even a reasonable number of automobiles and passengers during the fall, winter and spring months the ferry could pay big dividends, and with the summer excursion crowds on the upper decks, the success of the proposition would be certain.

In order to make this an investment that shall be absolutely safe and certain, the corporation is preparing to add the excursion feature and thus increase the company's earnings.

## HOW STOCK IN THE FERRY CORPORATION MAY BE OBTAINED.

Stock in the Peninsula Ferry Corporation is now being sold. The par value of the preferred stock is \$100 per share and it is 7 per cent. accumulative. With each share of preferred stock, the company is giving 5 shares of common stock as a bonus. As soon as the company begins to show earnings this common stock will be worth many times its par value, and it may safely be said that the investor will be able to dispose of his common stock at a figure very nearly equaling his original investment, and can still receive his 7 per cent. on the preferred stock. It is believed that the dividend on the common stock should very soon be not less than 25 per cent per annum, and this, very naturally, would make the stock very valuable.

This proposition will bear the closest and most rigid scrutiny and investigation, and investors are invited to make a most thorough inspection of the entire proposition. Unlike the "get-rich-quick scheme," where the promoter cashes in on the money paid by the investor or speculator, this proposition can bring no profit to the promoter from the money of the investor. The one and only way for the promoters to derive one penny of profit is for the ferry to pay dividends, and then the promoters share equally with each and every stockholder. It is in this way and this way only that any one can hope to earn anything on the proposition, and this means that every effort will be exerted to giving a clean, economical management, and a service that will appeal to the public. Unless this is done neither the promoters nor those who buy stock now can hope to gain.

The bay ferry undoubtedly will prove one of the biggest assets the State of Maryland ever had. If railroad and good thoroughfares are conducive to the increase of land values and have a tendency to increase general prosperity, certainly more direct means of communication and traffic should ensure correspondingly to the resources of Maryland.

The necessity for a ferry has been created wholly by public demand and public need. The ferry has its origin in a long felt want that only a ferry could fill, and the people of Maryland may feel sure that they can invest in this proposition with unqualified expectation of receiving big returns promptly.

If you would like to hear more about the ferry proposition fill out the blank below, with your name and address, and the Peninsula Ferry Corporation will place further facts and figures at your disposal.

## CUT OUT THIS COUPON AND MAIL TO THE ADDRESS BELOW FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Peninsula Ferry Corporation,  
702 American Building,  
Baltimore, Maryland.

Gentlemen:

Without any obligation whatsoever on my part you may send me additional information concerning the Love Point Bay Ferry proposition.

I am interested as a prospective investor.  
I am interested as a prospective patron.  
I am interested as a prospective investor.  
(Mark in Square as you are interested.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

## MEET CAPT. C. W. HARRISON, PRESIDENT OF THE PENINSULA FERRY CORPORATION:

Capt. C. W. Harrison, North Carolinian by birth, but Marylander by adoption, in his early manhood captured an Eastern Shore lady as his bride, and then proceeded to capture a considerable portion of the coast-wise and ocean going traffic of the East.

He is President of the Baltimore-Southern Navigation Company, one of the most successful freight and passenger lines operating out of Baltimore, and is also the pioneer of Chesapeake Bay Ferries.

He is a man of wide experience in shipping circles and is regarded in the business world as a man who makes a success of any enterprise he undertakes. His associates in this enterprise dare to brave his displeasure over publicity, because they want Marylanders to know and realize that the Peninsula Ferry Corporation has a man at the helm who has guided many big ships to many safe ports.

**BOOST BAY FERRIES!  
ALL TOGETHER FOR  
A BETTER MARYLAND  
"The Ferry's The Thing"**

**Peninsula Ferry Corporation**  
702 American Building  
Baltimore, Maryland

**BAY FERRIES MEAN A  
BIGGER BETTER AND  
BROADER MARYLAND  
"The Ferry's The Thing"**



# Public Sale —OF— 20 PONY COLTS

will sell to the highest bidder, rain or shine on  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1919  
At 2 O'clock P. M.

20 PONY COLTS  
consisting of SHETLAND, HACK-  
NEY and WELSH ponies. All colors,  
ranging in age from 4 to 6 months  
old. Also

2 BROKEN PONIES.

These ponies will be sold at  
JAMES E. LOWE'S STABLES,  
Salisbury, Md.

F. E. HUDSON,  
Bay View Stock Farm,  
Sept. 18-21. Girdletree, Md.

# A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE

The undersigned offers at private  
sale his farm, known as the "Noble  
Farm" located between Elwood and  
Preston in Caroline County, Maryland  
on main route to Baltimore and other  
cities. Farm is only one mile from  
the town of Preston, which is perhaps  
the most business town on the East-  
ern Shore to its size, and is one mile  
from Elwood Station on B. & O. A.  
Railroad, and one-quarter mile from  
Linchester station where there are  
flour and grist mills, also a cannery  
factory. Seven other canning fac-  
tories within two miles of farm. This  
farm contains

## 94 1/2 ACRES OF LAND

74 Acres being Cleared land and high-  
ly improved and 18 ACRES IN TIM-  
BER, mostly large timber.

The Farm is improved by an eight  
room dwelling with cellar, with big  
double barns nearly new. Barns  
equipped with hay-fork etc. All other  
necessary outbuildings including  
big chicken house, nearly new, and  
automobile garage.  
I will sell this farm at a reason-  
able price. A look over the farm will  
convince you. If interested apply to

E. J. BRADLEY,  
Sept. 18-21. Preston, Maryland.

# Farm Implements FOR SALE

Having disposed of my farm, I  
offer at private sale the following Im-  
plements:

9-18 H. P. Case Tractor. Late Model,  
used less than 30 days. In First-  
class condition.

One P. & O. 14 in. Two-Bottom  
Plow, used less than 3 days.

One 32 Tandem Disc.

One McCormick 4-row Husker and  
Shredder.

BARGAIN PRICES TO QUICK  
BUYER.

R. C. HALL,  
Horsey,

Sept. 4-41.

## FOR SALE:

Stock and Truck Farm, large and small,  
located near Salisbury or in any part of Wi-  
comico, Somerset, Worcester and Daguerre  
Counties.

Houses and lots for sale in any section of  
this city on good terms.  
Money to loan in any amount. Long or  
short terms. Call or Write

J. A. JONES & CO.  
Real Estate Brokers,  
SALISBURY, MD.  
Sept. 4-41.

## BUCKWHEAT

100 bushels Japanese Buckwheat for  
seed. Apply to  
W. E. COOPER,  
Salisbury, Md.

## Registration Notice

Salisbury, Md. Sept. 5, 1919.  
Notice is hereby given that the Office of  
Registration for the year 1919, will  
be held at the Court House in Salisbury,  
Maryland, for the purpose of registration  
of voters for the year 1919.

Tuesday, September 30, 1919  
Tuesday, October 7th, 1919

FROM 8 A. M. TO 1 P. M.

No. 1. BARREN CREEK DISTRICT—  
James A. Lowe and Geo. W. Riepin, Regis-  
trars, will sit at Election House in Mardela  
Spring.

No. 2. QUANTICO DISTRICT—Lee P.  
Taylor and J. B. Lindsey, Registrars, will  
sit at Store House of J. M. Jones, in Quan-  
tico.

No. 3. TYASKIN DISTRICT—B. Frank  
Walker and W. F. Leagrave, Registrars,  
will sit at Election House, Deep Branch.

No. 4. PITTSBURG DISTRICT—L. Teague  
Truitt and Minnie J. Parsons, Registrars, will  
sit at the office of E. T. Shockey, in Pitts-  
burg.

No. 5. PARSONS DISTRICT—Charles  
Tilghman and Ralph H. Grier, Registrars, will  
sit at Election House on Water Street, Salis-  
bury.

No. 6. DENNIS DISTRICT—Charles  
Parlier and Robert Collins, Registrars, will  
sit at E. P. Morris' Store House in Powellville.

No. 7. TRAPPE DISTRICT—C. L. Bonds  
and R. S. Bonds, Registrars, will sit  
at the Election House near Walnut Trees, in  
Trappe District.

No. 8. NUTTERS DISTRICT—Eliza W.  
Johnson and Albert Fooks, Registrars, will  
sit at Election House in Nutter's District.

No. 9. SALISBURY DISTRICT—E. N.  
Todd and Donald Graham, Registrars, will  
sit at Election House on Circle Avenue, Salis-  
bury.

No. 10. SHARPTOWN DISTRICT—Branch  
H. Phillips and W. D. Gravel, Registrars,  
will sit at the Election House in Sharptown.

No. 11. DELMAR DISTRICT—J. William  
Froese and D. E. Fokker, Registrars, will  
sit at the new Election House in Delmar.

No. 12. NANTICOKE DISTRICT—Thom-  
as E. Wemick and W. E. Leagrave, Regis-  
trars, will sit at Knights of Pythias Hall,  
in Nanticoke.

No. 13. CAMDEN DISTRICT—C. L. Dic-  
kerson and H. L. Harcum, Registrars, will  
sit at Election House on Upton Street, Salis-  
bury.

No. 14. WILLARD DISTRICT—Jas. R.  
Phillips and George E. Jackson, Registrars,  
will sit at G. L. Davis & Co. office in Will-  
ard.

No. 15. HEBRON DISTRICT—B. Frank  
Adkins and B. S. Pusey, Registrars, will  
sit at Store House of G. A. Bonds & Co., Main  
Street, Hebron.

The Registrars will sit at their respective  
places of Registration on Tuesday, Oct. 14 for  
the purpose of correcting and revising the  
registration list. No new names will be  
registered on October 14.

Registration Officers will appear before the  
Board September 29th, to secure registration  
books.

By order of  
W. E. SHEPPARD, President.  
C. LEE GILLIS,  
WM. M. DAY,  
Board of Election Supervisors.  
W. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

Except in Districts Numbers Four, Pittsburg,  
Five, Parsons, and Eleven, Delmar, in each  
of which the polls will be open from 6 A.  
M. to 6 P. M.)

THE VOTING PLACES WILL BE AS  
FOLLOWS:

No. 1. BARREN CREEK DISTRICT—At the  
election house in the town of Mardela  
Spring.

No. 2. QUANTICO DISTRICT—At the store  
house of J. M. Jones in the town of  
Quantico.

No. 3. TYASKIN DISTRICT—At the School  
House at Deep Branch.

No. 4. PITTSBURG DISTRICT—At the of-  
fice of E. T. Shockey in the town of Pitts-  
burg.

No. 5. PARSONS DISTRICT—At the elec-  
tion house on Water Street, Salisbury.

No. 6. DENNIS DISTRICT—At the store  
of E. P. Morris in the town of Powellville.

No. 7. TRAPPE DISTRICT—At the elec-  
tion house near Walnut Trees, in Trappe  
District.

No. 8. NUTTERS DISTRICT—At the elec-  
tion house in Nutter's District.

No. 9. SALISBURY DISTRICT—At the new  
election house on Circle Ave., Salisbury.

No. 10. SHARPTOWN DISTRICT—At the new  
election house in Sharptown.

No. 11. DELMAR DISTRICT—At the new  
election house in the town of Delmar.

No. 12. NANTICOKE DISTRICT—At the  
Knights of Pythias Hall in the town of  
Nanticoke.

No. 13. CAMDEN DISTRICT—At the new  
election house on Upton Street, Salisbury.

No. 14. WILLARD DISTRICT—At G. L.  
Davis & Co. office in the town of Willard.

No. 15. HEBRON DISTRICT—At the store  
house of G. A. Bonds & Co., Main Street,  
Hebron.

NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS:  
Sec. 195. It shall be unlawful for any Ho-  
tel, Tavern, Store, Drinking House, or any  
place where liquors are sold, or for any per-  
son or persons, directly or indirectly, to  
sell, barter, or dispose of any spirituous or  
fermented liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicat-  
ing liquors of any kind, on the day of any  
election hereafter to be held in the several  
counties of this State; and any person violat-  
ing the Provisions of this section shall be  
liable to indictment, upon conviction, be  
fined not less than \$10 nor more than \$100  
for each offense, one-half to be paid to the in-  
former, and the other half to the County  
Commissioners for use of the roads.

By order of  
W. E. SHEPPARD, President.  
C. LEE GILLIS,  
WM. M. DAY,  
Board of Election Supervisors.  
W. E. DORMAN, Clerk.

## ARE RETAILERS GOUGING THEIR CUSTOMERS?

Wholesale Prices Coming Down But  
Retail Prices Going Up.

COMPLAINTS OF SHORT WEIGHT  
AND SHORT MEASURE MANY.

Government Investigators Find That  
The Middleman Is The Fellow Who  
Is Really Doing The Profiteering  
On The Public At This Time.

Within the past few days, it has  
developed that the fight which is be-  
ing made against the high cost of  
living by President Wilson and his  
Special Committees, has been traced  
to a large degree to the retailers or  
the middle men. Many arrests have  
been made of food hoarders in the  
large cities and hundreds of thou-  
sands of tons of food of various kinds  
have been brought to light and forced  
on the market at greatly reduced  
figures, but the investigators find  
that the retail stores such as the cor-  
ner grocery establishments are the  
people who are really charging the  
exorbitant prices for all kinds of  
food products.

While prices of the wholesale es-  
tablishments for butter, eggs, meats,  
lard, and all other food have fallen  
from three to eighteen per cent. in  
the past few weeks, the retail stores  
are still charging the same old prices  
and in some cases have really in-  
creased their scale of prices on the  
public. It has been discovered that  
many producers of food like the far-  
mer have been able to keep the prices  
at too high a level consistent with  
the drive which is being made against  
the H. C. L. and the Government is  
now at work to see if it is not pos-  
sible to reach these profiteers includ-  
ing the corner grocery store as well  
as the farmer and producer of food  
stuffs.

The fight is a big one and the ram-  
ifications go into many avenues  
where investigation has shown a  
spirit of avarice among the people of  
this country which is alarming and  
which should have the penalty of the  
law laid down strictly on the offen-  
ders. Another thing which has been  
discovered is the fact that too often,  
light weight and small measure is  
dealt out to the purchasing public by  
storekeepers as well as by truckers  
and farmers selling produce through-  
out the country districts and a more  
rigid investigation of weights and  
measures has been promised the ag-  
ricultural department by the Govern-  
ment of the various States, and as a  
protection against this kind of short  
weight practice, householders gener-  
ally are advised to purchase for  
themselves a good pair of scales and  
also a good peck measure and have  
it always on hand when purchasing  
goods of either the corner grocery or  
the huckster and in all cases to weigh  
and measure the food purchased and  
if they find short weight or short  
measure, to report the matter at  
once to the proper authorities.

During the past few years, there  
has been so many cases of short  
weight in butter and other products  
of that kind and such short measure  
in potatoes and other food of that  
character that the authorities have  
been wrought up to action by this  
dishonesty practised on so many  
householders who take too much for  
granted and fail to weigh and check  
up their purchases. The average  
groceryman buying produce from the  
farmer is very careful to weigh and  
measure his purchases and there is  
no reason why the householder should  
not follow this up by weighing and  
measuring the things he purchases  
from the grocery stores. Of course,  
occasionally, there may be an un-  
intentional error but so many com-  
plaints have gone in of the persist-  
ent shortness of weight and measure  
that the authorities are of the opinion  
that it is the rule rather than the ex-  
ception in the way some merchants  
transact business.

## COUNTY NEWS

BIVALVE NEWS.

(Too Late for Last Week).

Much excitement and surprise was  
created in our midst Sunday p. m.,  
when the marriage of one of our pop-  
ular young ladies was made known.  
Miss Olive Horner and Mr. Luther C.  
Insley, both residents of Bivalve were  
quietly married late Saturday eve-  
ning at the home of Mr. Philip Brad-  
ley. Rev. H. E. Norris officiated. Only  
a few of the young couple's  
friends witnessed the ceremony. The  
marriage was kept a secret until late  
Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Rhodesdale  
sang in our church both morning and  
evening of last Sunday. Their sing-  
ing was very much enjoyed by all.

Several teams and autos from here  
traveled to White Haven Sunday to  
see the completed barge which is to  
be launched there Thursday of this

week.  
The Bailey and Newton oyster  
packers have opened up an oyster  
house here and expect to begin work  
Monday, Sept. 29th.

## OAKLAND NEWS.

(Too Late for Last Week).

Revival services will begin at  
Union on Sunday evening September  
29th.

Miss Elva Pryor is much improved  
after an illness of seven weeks with  
typhoid fever.

Mrs. Wilson Tilghman and little  
daughter spent Saturday and Sunday  
with relatives here.

Mrs. Marguerite Morrison and lit-  
tle son of Washington are visiting her  
aunt, Mrs. James Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Perry and  
Miss Ressa Tilghman returned to Bal-  
timore last week after spending some  
time with their parents here.

Vacation is over and the little boys  
and girls seem merry as birds in  
spring time as they trudge to school  
swinging their books and lunch.

The tomato crop has turned out  
much better in this neighborhood than  
had been expected, some patches  
having made a good yield.

## SHARPTOWN NEWS.

(Too Late for Last Week).

A. L. Cordery of Warren, Ohio, is  
the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Alton  
Warren.

Mrs. Wm. Weaver and Mrs. Alvin  
Haley of Camden, N. J. has been  
spending several days with Mrs. John  
W. Bradley.

Arrangements are now being made  
for three oyster saloons in town to be  
opened in a few days.

Hog cholera has broken out here  
and hog owners are having them in-  
cubated as a preventive.

Miss Alma Gravenor returned to  
the State Normal School, Towson, on  
Monday for the second year.

Lannie Phillips has purchased the  
Blaney property on Main street and  
will remodel and improve it. A. J.  
Phillips has also purchased the ad-  
joining vacant lot and will improve  
that with a residence. Both families  
will move here when their homes are  
completed.

Capt. Harry Covington of White  
Haven was the guest on Sunday of  
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Willing.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars  
Reward for any case of Catarrh  
that cannot be cured by Hall's  
Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J.  
Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe  
him perfectly honorable in all business  
transactions and financially able to carry  
out any obligation made by him by his firm  
NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,  
Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,  
acting directly upon the blood and mu-  
cous surfaces of the system. Testimonials  
sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold  
by all Druggists.

Take the Catarrh Cure for constipation.

(Advertisement).

## DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET

For Governor:

ALBERT C. RITCHIE  
of Baltimore

For Comptroller:

BROOKS LEE  
of Montgomery County

For Attorney General:

THOMAS J. KEATING  
of Queen Anne's County

For Clerk Court Appeals:

CALEB C. MAGRUDER  
of Prince Georges County

## COUNTY TICKET

For State Senator:

CHARLES R. DISHARON

For Members Legislature:

NATHANIEL T. AUSTIN  
LLOYD L. LARMORE  
HOOPER S. MILES

County Treasurer:

HARRY DENNIS

County Commissioners:

WEBSTER L. ENGLISH  
THEODORE S. HEARN  
GEORGE W. F. INSLEY

For State's Attorney:

CURTIS W. LONG

Sheriff:

WILLIAM W. LARMORE

Judges Orphans Court:

WARNER L. BAKER  
ALONZO DYKES  
THOMAS H. FARLOW

County Surveyor:

PETER S. SHOCKLEY  
Sept. 18-21.

FOR SALE:—1 Pair Young Males. Apply  
to  
J. M. BARNETT,  
Shelton, Md.  
Aug. 21-41.

## RECORD OF THE PAST.

No Stronger Evidence Can Be Had in  
Salisbury.

Look well to their record. What  
they have done many times in years  
gone by is the best guarantee of fu-  
ture results. Any one with a bad  
back; any reader suffering from uric-  
acid troubles, from kidney ills, should  
find comforting words in the follow-  
ing statement.

Mrs. Wm. E. Wells, 410 Martin St.,  
Salisbury, gave the following state-  
ment in January, 1909: "I was very  
weak and everything I did was a bur-  
den. I suffered from rheumatic pains  
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Georgetown Which May Be Site for  
New Postoffice Or Fine Depart-  
ment Store.

The will of the late John H. Truitt,  
who for many years conducted the  
Brick Hotel, Georgetown, and who  
died suddenly on July 28, has been  
filed for probate in the office of Reg-  
ister of Wills William J. Mustard.  
According to letters testamentary he  
possessed an estate valued at \$26-  
500, of which \$15,000 was personal  
property.

Wednesday evening Miss Pauline  
Townsend gave a bridge luncheon at  
her home on West Second street,  
North Milford, when the engagement  
of Miss Nila E. Wroten and Mr.  
Ashbel W. Morris of Philadelphia  
was announced. Miss Wroten is the  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William S.  
Wroten of that town. Mr. Morris has  
just been released from the Naval  
Reserve service, in which he served  
as inspector in the ordnance depart-  
ment, Philadelphia. The wedding will  
take place early in December.

Major R. H. Legg has been appoin-  
ted freight and passenger agent at  
the Laurel station, to succeed Leon  
Stine, who has been promoted to  
supervising agent of the Delaware  
Division of the Pennsylvania Rail-  
road, with his office at Wilmington.  
Major Legg already is well and favor-  
ably known to the people of Laurel,  
having been local freight and passen-  
ger agent until he resigned, about  
two years ago, to enlist in the Cana-  
dian army, with which he served in  
France.

The State Commission for Feeble-  
Minded, Saturday awarded the con-  
tract for the building to be erected on  
the property recently acquired by  
the commission, consisting of eight  
hundred acres of land in Sussex coun-  
ty between Stockley and Millboro,  
to William M. Connelly, of Wilming-  
ton. The building will cost approxi-  
mately \$19,000, and will consist of a  
central administration building, with  
dining-room and kitchens in the rear,  
and two wings which will be used for  
dormitories. The building will meas-  
ure 36 by 135 feet. There will be two  
stories.

Leaving home about 9 o'clock Wed-  
nesday morning, and telling members  
of his family he would return in a  
short time, Shepherd Tindal, aged  
about 70 years, a highly-respected  
farmer residing about six miles from  
Georgetown, wandered into a nearby  
wood, where his lifeless body was  
found about 1 o'clock yesterday morn-  
ing, after a search that had lasted  
from early yesterday afternoon when  
he failed to return for lunch. Cor-  
oner Joseph Warrington conducted an  
inquest, the verdict being that he  
came to his death from heart trouble.

Seaford public school began full  
sessions, Monday, after having been  
open a week running on half-time.  
The afternoon sessions were dispen-  
sed with owing to the Chautauqua tent  
being pitched on the school grounds,  
and school is being called a half hour  
earlier at noon time to make up for  
the time lost. The school has under-  
gone extensive alterations and reno-  
vation during the summer and has the  
largest attendance known in recent  
years. Many children from the coun-  
try have enrolled for the present ses-  
sion.

In order to make the concrete high-  
ways now under construction in Del-  
aware attractive to tourists, J. H.  
Lancaster, of Portland, Oregon, a  
landscape artist of wide reputation,  
has made an inspection of the im-  
proved roads that have already been  
completed in the western section of  
Sussex county, and in a short time,  
it is stated, will submit for the ap-  
proval of the State Highway Commis-  
sion plans whereby they may be  
beautified with shrubbery and flow-  
ers. Hundreds of dollars have been  
spent by General T. Coleman du Pont  
in flower plots along the du Pont Bou-  
levard between Georgetown and Sel-  
byville, thus making it one of the  
most attractive highways on the Pen-  
insula.

Last autumn, Joseph Rodgers, a  
truck grower of Milford, went to the  
canning house and hauled to his farm  
a load of tomato skins, having been  
told they would make a good fertiliz-  
er. After he had covered his land  
with them, he planted his wheat crop.  
To his surprise upon cutting his  
wheat he found his ground covered  
with young tomato plants which had  
come up from the seed from the  
skins that he had got from the can-  
ning house. Mr. Rodgers did nothing  
further with the land, but let the

plants look after themselves and now  
he is picking every day tomatoes for  
which he is receiving the highest mar-  
ket price. He expects to pick from  
this piece of land about 400 baskets  
of tomatoes.

Decision has been reached by the  
Sussex county bankers' agricultural  
committee to adopt the program as  
carried out in Kent and New Castle  
counties relative to supporting the  
Boys and Girls' Club work by loans on  
stock and scholarships to the farm-  
ers' short course. The committee al-  
so has recommended that the banks  
of the county aid the farmers in the  
purchase of grade and pure bred live  
stock in order to stimulate an interest  
in dairying in lower Delaware. Re-  
cently one of the Milford banks tried  
out the plan with remarkable success,  
and as a result several farmers in  
Cedar Creek district were able to add  
pure bred stock to their herds. Low-  
er Delaware for years has been look-  
ed upon by government experts as an  
ideal section for raising cattle, not  
only for dairy products, but commer-  
cial purposes.

Walter B. Hilyard, one of the best  
known business men of Georgetown,  
has purchased from Miss Eleanor  
Moore, for \$12,000, the Moore block,  
fronting on Market street and ex-  
tending from Cherry Lane to Race  
street. The property occupies one of  
the most valuable sites in the busi-  
ness section, and there is some talk  
that the new owner may dispose of it  
to Federal government, so that a  
modern postoffice building may be  
erected thereon. At the last session  
of Congress, an appropriation was  
made for the purchase of a suitable  
location, and this year more than  
\$60,000 was proposed for a building.  
No decision has been made as to what  
will be done with the site. For more  
than 20 years Mr. Hilyard conducted  
one of the largest department stores  
south of Wilmington and in the fu-  
ture he may decide to utilize his pur-  
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"Mr. Raisin is anxious to know who is for him in Rock Hall precinct. There are 10 claiming the honor," says the Chestertown News.

The parents of Abraham Patterson of Shawville have been notified that he was drowned at Mansfield, Oregon, and that his body is being shipped home for burial.

Rev. William C. Kilpatrick, for the past three years rector of Grace Reformed Episcopal Church, Elkton, has tendered his resignation effective October 15.

In the closing of the draw of the bridge over the Susquehanna river at Perryville, Saturday, too quickly, the mast on a buyeye loaded with stone was snapped off. No one was injured.

Kent county canners have raised the contract price of tomatoes from \$18 to \$24 a ton, and those who contracted are satisfied. The fruit has been bringing 60 cents in the open market during the past week.

September term of court for Cecil county will convene in Elkton on Monday. The criminal docket is the lengthiest for years and the grand jury will have four murder charges to investigate.

The recent registration in Kent county shows that there are 2,102 affiliated Democratic voters, 1,531 Republican and 64 unaligned voters in this county who may participate in the general election next November.

Cecil County School Commissioners announce the following additional appointments: Fredericktown school, Miss Gladys Riggins; Pivot Bridge, Mrs. Margaret Potts; Southampton, Miss Helen McIntyre; Oakwood, Miss Harriet Medary.

Thirty owners of dogs in Kent county were fined \$10 and costs recently for failure to pay the new dog tax. The county officers have been instructed to rigidly enforce the law. No such action was ever taken in Cecil. The dog is supreme here.—Rising Sun Journal.

A fishing story from St. Mary's county reported by "Gabriel" in the Leonardtown Beacon: "John Branson of Washington and Captain Matthew and James H. Bailey of the Murry went fishing last Wednesday and caught 191 small fish and 60 trout. One of these trout was so large that it took the united efforts of the entire party to land him, and when it was cleaned a nine-inch rock was found still alive in its stomach."

The public schools of Chestertown and Kent county opened yesterday morning with a large attendance and a full corps of teachers. Several of the old school landmarks have been sold at public auction during the past week and the lands upon which they stood will revert to the farmlands from which they were originally taken. Notable among the buildings which have been torn down are Fancy school, wherein some of the most prominent residents of the county acquired their education, and the Oaks building, which has stood for many years.

"I make you a promise here and now that your political memory will be kept green, and I promise further to whitewash your grave as long as I shall remain on earth." This statement indicates the harmony that prevails in the Democratic party. It was made by a defeated candidate to a leading Democrat whom he had always supported loyally when friendship would have justified him giving his support to his opponent. Thus it would seem that the primary election was not all sunshine and joy, but rather it brought forth considerable militancy.—Easton Gazette.

William Davis, driver for a moving van from Baltimore, is a prisoner in Elkton jail, awaiting the result of injuries to George Whittington of Chestertown, whose condition is reported serious. Whittington was employed by the Charlestown Sand and Stone Co. as a driver of a wagon, hauling gravel on the public road. It into the wagon resulting in Whittington sustaining several fractured ribs, is alleged that Davis ran his truck a fractured spine and internal injuries. Also, that in getting away he crashed into a road bridge near Principio, badly damaging the bridge.

After an absence from his old home town of 51 years, Grant Routzahn of Polo, Ill., arrived in Middletown recently and gave brother Alfred one of the surprises of his life. Mr. Routzahn says Middletown has improved so much that had he gone through the town without knowing that it was Middletown he could not have recognized a single place. He had been attending the G. A. R. meeting at Columbus, Ohio, and suddenly decided to make a visit back to his old home.

Seeing his brother in front of the old Valley Hotel property, and after conversing with him a short time, he said: "Alf, I don't believe you know your own relation?" Alf then recognized his voice and replied: "Yes, this is brother Grant." Neither had seen each other for over 53 years.—Middletown Register.

David Kolb, who celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary at Frederick, belongs to a family which has long been identified with the history of Frederick county. Mr. Kolb is the son of the late William Kolb and Catherine Crum Kolb. His mother's family were among the early settlers in the county, locating along the Monocacy between the years 1745 and 1750. Buildings which were erected then are still standing on the property. Mr. Kolb as a young man was actively interested in the United Fire Company. He was associated with his father in the cattle business for many years, but retired at the age of 50. In 1874 Mr. Kolb married Miss Carrie Virginia Sawyer, and he has three daughters, Mrs. Marion Green, Misses Hattie and Alice Kolb, all of Frederick, and one son, Robert Kolb, who was a captain of engineers, and has just returned from service in France. In spite of his fourscore years Mr. Kolb is remarkably active and his faculties are unimpaired by age.

**Trouble In Saving Fodder.**  
Many farmers are busy now taking down their fodder, which they say is a very mean job, owing to the fact that the wind has blown and twisted it badly. Not only will it be more trouble to get the fodder off, but it will mean a great deal more extra work in husking the corn.

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It is here that Mother Earth produces her best crop and her finest fruits and it is also here that the water as well as the land yields up to the appetite of our inhabitants the finest delicacies which the human mind can conceive and always in a bountiful supply.

There might have been in the years which have gone lean times among the inhabitants of the Eastern Shore and especially of Wicomico County, when we were struggling after the great Civil War, but not in the history of the present generation can we remember when the harvests were not bountiful and the living conditions of our people away above the normal of those of almost any other section of the United States. During the past 10 years, prosperity has absolutely lavished luxuries and good fortune on the people of the Eastern Shore and probably never in the history of any country have all the people been in such a prosperous condition as we now find ours in this twentieth century. Those who study business conditions believe that we have not as yet reached the peak of our prosperity and that for the next four or five years, our people will be among those who are best on the face of the earth, and there never was a better time for the home seeker or the newcomer to locate in a community where peace and plenty go hand in hand as at this period in our history.

The war left but few scars in our community, and while here and there, is a vacant chair in some home, made so because the boy made the supreme sacrifice for his country, on the whole, our people can be congratulated on having done their full duty to their country and at the same time, escaped the awful calamities which befell other sections of the United States during that great struggle; and while we escaped the dreadful part of the experience, we gained much in the way of wealth and accumulation and the increased values in our real estate have been the most tremendous in our history. So taking everything into consideration, when the Man About Town reads about these dreadful happenings in other sections of our country, including the great loss of life and the destruction of property, we cannot help but feel that ours is the best spot on earth in which to live and our people among the most blessed in the universe. Whether or not we fully appreciate all the good things which come to us, is a question but one thing is certain and that is that as far as the forces of Nature go, the good old Eastern Shore of Maryland seems to be located most propitiously for a quiet and pleasant existence.

### MAN ABOUT TOWN

#### STEEL WORKERS LIKELY TO LOSE IN THIS BIG STRIKE

May Probably Be Start Of Death  
Struggle Between Capital & Labor.

The strike among the steel operators of the United States Steel Company called for Monday last will involve one of the greatest commercial upheavals seen in this country for a long time. There are many thousands of these workers and they are striking not because working conditions are not good, or because wages are not satisfactory but for the purpose of establishing the closed shop in the mills of the United States Steel Cor-

poration. Judge Gary head of the Steel trust contends that the open shop is the fairest system under which the Steel workers could live and it is likely that a struggle may be long and serious but it is the belief of most business men that the steel workers will lose out in the long run, and that the United States Steel Corporation will continue to do business as an open shop and employ labor as heretofore without interference from the unions.

It is estimated that there are now more than five hundred thousand men who are idle throughout the United States in strikes of various kinds and that most of these workers have been induced to quit their jobs by a few agitators known as the "walking delegates" who never worked themselves but who like parasites, live on the labor of the Union men who do not seem to be able to see their mistake in listening to these agitators. It is very apparent that this steel strike will be the beginning of a battle royal between capital and labor in which it is most likely that Capital will be successful and that Labor will lose very much of the advantages which it has gained during the progress of the war by the very lenient attitude which the Government has shown towards all tradesmen in the United States.

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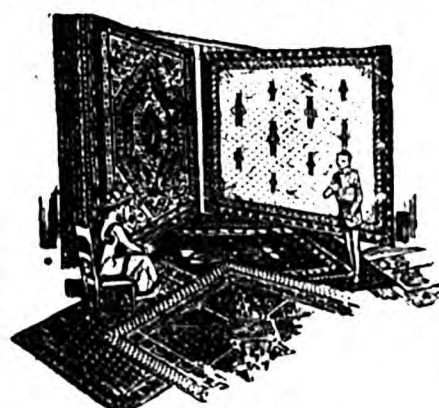
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