

IS OUR ROAD SYSTEM FULLY SATISFACTORY?

Should We Have a Country System and Supervisor?

The proposition has been made to us by one prominently interested in general county affairs, and in county roads in particular, that the present district road supervisor system is antiquated and inefficient, and that a movement should be agitated looking to the appointment of one, or perhaps two, County Supervisors, who would be given sufficient salary to devote his, or their, full time to looking after the needs of all the districts, and thereby bring about more and better results, and more equitably distributed.

The idea, of course, is not a new one, nor untried. It has a number of arguments in its favor. It would be just as logical, for instance, that the schools of the county should be managed by district supervisors, if the road system is operated in that way, because the schools and roads are our two main objects of taxation. As the schools are operated on the single supervisor plan, and no one would think of going to a district system, we hardly see why the roads should not come in for like management.

Again, when a number of small offices are combined into one, as was recently done in the matter of collecting taxes, the office is not only made more important and worth while, but the people have one central authority to go to, and look to, and the official is more likely to render good public service in order to make a record for himself, perhaps looking forward to being retained in office.

The general principle involved, is that a thing that has been made worth having, is worth watching—like Mr. Carnegie said about the "eggs in the basket."

The road proposition is one in which there is not only present great interest—as well as great dissatisfaction—but it will continue to grow in interest and importance. Sooner or later the people of the county will demand a very much greater mileage of good roads, not only as a matter of improvement and utility, but as a matter of right—as one of fairness to the tax-payers of all of the districts; and as a starting point for this coming demand—which the needs of the war may postpone a few years—it seems to us that this single, or double, County Supervisor idea should be brought to a focus, as it is evidently the primary thing to get at in contemplating any county system of roads.

Not only should road-making authority be so centralized, but a higher grade of efficiency in the man, or men, would be demanded, as well as a much more extensive equipment of county-owned road machinery, in order to make the full ability of the Commissioner available. We give this important question space, in order, if possible, to hasten public discussion of a question that, in some degree or other, is in the minds of very many citizens and tax-payers, and to that end we invite comments.

Payment of Income Tax.

Instead of trying to evade the payment of an income tax, all people who know themselves entitled to pay, or who are in doubt about it, should voluntarily post themselves fully in the matter and not hold off, or cause inspectors to get after them. The war debt is ours to pay, and it must be paid. By taxing considerable incomes, the government is thereby sure to reach those able to pay, and largely those who have been making money because of the war.

The war was not brought about for the benefit of the people of this country—that they might make money. Those who have been making more, in the past three years, are justly entitled to pay a large share of the cost of the war. Buying Liberty Bonds does not pay the debt—it rather makes the debt. The people must now pay taxes in order that the Bonds, and the interest on them, may be paid. Meet the increased taxes, if not cheerfully, at least honestly and frankly. Do not cultivate the spirit of trying to shove your responsibility on somebody else. Do not place yourself in the disreputable tax-dodger class. Pay up, like men, and be glad of your ability to do so.

Decrease in Number of Newspapers.

A decrease of 864 weekly newspapers, 42 daily newspapers and 180 publications of other classes during the year 1918, is shown by the lists published by a standard directory of American newspapers. The past year marked the death or consolidation of 1,954 papers and the launching of 776 new enterprises.

There are at present 2,562 daily newspapers, as compared with 2,604 last year. The number of weeklies has shrunk from 16,599 last year, to 15,735 this year.

Every newspaper publisher knows the reason for the decrease. High cost of paper and other material, scarcity of competent help, increase in wages and salaries, enlistment of younger publishers, are some of them. The directory prophesies an increase in the number of publications during the coming year.

At a meeting of the citizens of Flobville, a village near Sykesville, this county, it was decided to change the name of the place to Plainfield.

LETTER FROM DETROIT. Labor and Other Conditions in this Busy City.

(For The Record.) The war is practically over, and this part of the world is getting back again to conditions as they were before 1914, slowly, it is true, but as fast as can be expected, when you consider the millions of dollars worth of war contracts, which were being filled in this city. Some of the large firms, which were doing nearly all war work, have laid off men by the thousands, while others, have not laid off any, but have taken back all who left to enter the army service.

There are things that are more noticeable, out here than in the small towns. One is the large number of Socialists, who are everywhere, in the shops and on the streets, preaching the doctrines of the "Bolsheviki," and cursing capital on all occasions. To one unused to such talk, it sounds strange to hear men who are making \$8.00 to \$10.00 a day denouncing the very thing that gives them the chance to do this. The city authorities are doing everything in their power to keep down any dissatisfaction, but the mutterings are heard, and many people are wondering why the Federal Government is taking so little notice of this thing that is threatening to cause a great deal of trouble.

Wages, as a general thing, are still as high as during the war, and just the past week, our company went on a 48-hour a week basis, raising the hour rate so that we earn as much per week as we did when working 50 hours. Food stuffs and all articles of merchandise are still high in price, the only things in the food line to come down a little, are butter and eggs. Rents are higher, and nobody out here looks for a drop in wages, until old H. C. L. comes down from his high roost.

The weather, this winter, has surely been a contrast to that of last year. We have had so far, only a few small snowfalls, while in some places, the grass is green. Only a few days was it cold, and then not within many degrees of the cold days of last winter. Coal piles are holding out wonderfully, and the coal dealers, who were so independent last year, are very respectful to a prospective customer. A little building is going on all the time, but nothing like it will be when Spring comes on.

One election a year does not satisfy Michigan, so we are again in the midst of the Spring campaign. Everything except the city offices, which are supposed to be non-partisan, is so one-sided, that the main fight is made in the primary. This Spring, the women get their first vote in Michigan, and this with the "Beer and Wine," and "Educational" amendments, is causing more interest to be taken than formerly. It seems queer to an old Marylander, and one who has served so often as an election officer, to think of a woman coming to the polls and casting her vote, just like a man. But I suppose it is what will happen sooner or later everywhere in the United States.

We are sorry to hear of the large number of cases of "Flu" in the old town. Our own family has escaped it, but all of Marlin's, except the little girl, were down with it, in a mild form. It did not seem as if it attacked this city as violently as some others, although we hear now and then of whole families being down with it, and in some cases, all of them have contracted pneumonia and died. During October and part of November, all public places were closed, and it is thought that this did much to prevent the spread of the dreaded disease.

Although there are quite a number of Taneytown people living in Detroit, we have not seen many of them. We are surely glad to see them, when we get the chance, and would like to have the address of those who do live here, if such addresses can be supplied by their friends back in Taneytown. We get the news every week by the Record, but the mail service is here, like everywhere, absolutely rotten, so that sometimes it is Wednesday evening before we get to see it. I hope my good friends back there will not accuse me of talking politics, when I say that I do not think things will be bettered much in this line until after March 4, 1921.

Almost every issue of the Record brings to me the news of the death of some one whom I knew well in days gone by. If by any chance I ever get back there on a visit, I shall surely miss a great many familiar faces, and their families and friends surely have my sympathy. Passing away gradually, as they do, I do not suppose you folks miss them, but to me, taking them in a body, it seems that a great many places are left vacant.

With greetings to all my friends in Taneytown and vicinity, and best wishes for their future welfare, I will close.

JOHN J. REID.
846 Newport Ave, Detroit.

The Clocks to be Turned Ahead.

According to published statements, the clocks are to be turned ahead an hour, on March 30, under the Calder law which appears to be in force until repealed. This new time is then to remain in operation until the last Sunday in October. In our judgment, the scheme is a silly one, but as it has been dignified as a law, it necessarily must be obeyed.

Charles O. Clemson, attorney, has been appointed Auditor for Carroll County, in place of Charles E. Fink, deceased.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE Said to Have Arrived at a Plan to Guarantee Future Peace.

It is now believed that the Peace Conference at Versailles has practically arrived at a plan, or the elastic frame-work of a plan, for a League of Nations, that will likely be ready about the time President Wilson sails for home, which will be within a week. The details of the plan have not been made public, but it will evidently be little more than a treaty, or agreement, entered into in good faith, providing a course of procedure and an order of appeal in case of disagreements, with the final acceptance, or enforcement, of decisions left as the weak point.

It is thought that there will be three main bodies of the League—an executive, consisting of nine representatives of as many Nations; a legislative body, consisting of an international parliament, and a judicial tribunal. As planned now, the tribunal will be authorized by the constitution, but the details of its construction will be worked out later, after the League is in actual existence.

The machinery for preventing war will work something like this: Suppose two member Nations are at odds. The case will come before the executive council of nine, which will rule on the matter or refer it first to the judicial tribunal, according to the nature of the controversy. If the two Nations in dispute accept the ruling of the executive or judicial body of the League that will end the matter.

If either of them, however, is dissatisfied, it will have the right to appeal from the decision of the council of nine, or the tribunal, to the full membership of the League of Nations. Furthermore, if the council of nine, itself cannot reach a unanimous decision, the minority will also have the right to appeal to the full League from the vote of the majority in smaller body.

There is to be no international army and navy functioning all the time as such and only at the beck and call of the League. Instead, each Nation will retain its own military force on sea and land and when occasion arises will furnish such a part of it as may be required for the international task of enforcing peace.

A French delegate proposed an amendment providing for an International Army and Navy, contending that this would be necessary in order to make safe the boundary line between France and Germany, but it is believed that this plan does not find favor with the other powers.

A TRAGEDY AT HARNEY.

J. Frank Kiser Shot by His Wife, Through a Door.

A shooting case occurred in Harney, on Wednesday evening, about 6:30, that has aroused a great deal of comment, but about which not a great deal can be said until a hearing is had. The bare facts are that Mrs. Alice R. Kiser fired the contents of a single barreled shot gun through the door of the summer kitchen at their home in Harney, and that a portion of the load struck her husband, J. Frank Kiser, in the head. The wounded man was treated by Drs. F. H. Elliot, of Harney, and C. M. Benker, of Taneytown, and was then taken to Frederick Hospital, where he died on Thursday night about 9 o'clock.

States Attorney Seabrook, the Deputy Sheriff and Justice John E. Davidson, visited Harney, on Thursday, and made an investigation of the facts in the case. Mrs. Kiser gave bond for her appearance before Justice Davidson, on the 27th.

Mr. Kiser was well known in this section, where he has lived most of his life, as a farmer, and of recent years as a huckster. His wife before marriage was Miss Alice Delaplane, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Delaplane. They have one son, Estee R., who is in the U. S. Army, in France. Mr. Kiser was about 55 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Kiser lived alone and there are no witnesses to the shooting.

Attorney E. O. Went will represent Mrs. Kiser. There are various rumors afloat as to the cause of the tragedy, chiefly showing the existence of serious domestic troubles, all of which will likely develop later.

For a Bank at Pleasant Valley.

A meeting was recently called and held in the hall at Pleasant Valley, for the purpose of promoting the interest and furthering the steps previously taken toward the establishment of a State Bank at that place. Messrs. Chas. O. Clemson, Pearre Wantz and J. Ezra Stem were present from Westminster, and ably advanced the necessary information. Preliminarily, E. C. Yingling was elected chairman, and Edw. P. Zepp, secretary. The following Directors were elected to serve for one year: Jos. P. Yingling, A. Daniel Leister, Theo. King, Edward C. Yingling, C. Tobias Yingling, Edgar H. Shaeffer, Charles E. Eckard, Charles H. Leese, Charles E. Hosfeld, Harry L. Devilbiss, William I. Babylon.

After due consideration, it was thought best, and accordingly decided upon, to raise the amount of capital stock to \$16,000, with a surplus of \$4,000. While the entire amount of stock was not taken, quite a goodly portion was subscribed. The necessary papers of incorporation were drawn up and signed, after which the meeting adjourned, subject to call.

The Band was present and rendered some choice selections, notwithstanding the fact that it was considerably handicapped through a number of the members not being present.

An Unusual Record.

Milton G. Urner Sr., recently resigned as Superintendent of the M. E. Sunday School, of Frederick, after a service of 46 years. He became Superintendent when 33 years old and was 79 when he resigned. In his entire term, he rarely missed a service and was never late; and in addition, taught a class. He has been elected Superintendent emeritus, and was given a handsome leather chair in recognition and appreciation of his services.

Sixty-five very foolish women were arrested in Washington, last Sunday afternoon, for burning President Wilson, in effigy, in front of the White House. The demonstration is said to have been for the purpose of winning a vote or two in the Senate, on Monday. The Senate, however, again defeated the suffrage amendment.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. Proceedings of the Last Meeting. Teachers Appointed.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was called to order in the School Commissioners' office, at 11 A. M., on Wednesday, Feb. 5th, 1919. All members were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt. Unger submitted a report of all business current for the past school year, which was duly considered and approved.

The list of bills with the exception of two, which were to be further investigated, was approved.

It was resolved that the Treasurer be authorized to cancel all short term obligations, and renew the loan.

Commissioner Feeser reported that the committee had called upon the County Commissioners concerning the advancing of funds for financing the Myers Consolidated Building. The County Commissioners advised that the Board of Education should borrow funds for this purpose, the interest to be paid by the County Commissioners.

The list of teachers who were appointed after September, was read and approved as follows: Chas. M. A. Shildt, Pine Hill. Helen Reindollar, Taneytown. L. Pauline Wisotzky, Harney. Mrs. Harry E. Fogle, Uniontown. E. Lee Erb & Vesta Zepp, Frizellburg. Bessie Yingling, Pleasant Valley. Rev. Paul Yoder, Fairview. James J. Harner, Humbert's. Mrs. Stewart King, Black's. Thurman Brown, Good Hope. Anna O. Isaacs, Gamber. Rev. Noah Clough, Mahlons. Laura O. Wagner, Deer Park. Rev. B. W. Wenger, Bethel. Mrs. Wm. R. Shipley, Haight. Rev. W. S. Phifer, Sykesville. Arthur H. Griffie, Pleasant Gap. Matilda Shipley, Sweet Air. Mrs. Basil Chaney, Woodbine. Ada Carter, Oakland Mills. Carrie Buckingham, Louisville. Maude Shauk, Pine Knob. Lola Allender, Springville. Florence Strevig, Cross Road. Mrs. Mae Gettier, Ebbvale. Treva Yeiser, Deep Run. Dorothy McDaniel, Westm'r High S. Marie Webster, Westm'r Grammar. Mrs. Grover C. Taylor, West End. E. Jeanette Zile, Warfieldsburg. Emma Bixler, Stonesifer's. Percy L. Mehring, Hampstead. Mrs. Iva Sampson, Hampstead. Lois C. Frank, Shiloh. Esther I. Hooper, Hooper's. Mrs. Flavia Wagner, Taylorsville. Anna E. Lewis, Mt. Union. Mrs. Helen McNair, Keysville. Caroline Sappington, D. P. Creek. Marianna Jones, Hobson Grove. Elmer A. Wolfe, Union Bridge. Maude Wenger, Union Bridge. Mrs. Frank Clift, Union Bridge. Mrs. Mary L. Smith, Ridgeville. Hazel Cleary, Mt. Olive. J. Z. Holzopple, Mt. Airy, High S. Helen Walker, Mt. Airy High S. Catherine Miller, Newport.

THE GARDEN HOT BED.

How to Make This Most Valuable Garden Help.

"One of the most valuable aids to the vegetable garden is the hot bed," says W. R. Ballard, Garden Expert of the Extension Service of the State College. "The cold frame is also a useful addition. By their use, the growth of plants may be hastened so that they will mature long before their normal time—and less trouble with weeds, insects and diseases, greater production and higher prices are the result."

"The time to start the hotbed will vary in different sections, but March 1 is soon enough for the home gardener. Select a location protected from cold winds by a building or other wind-break—see that the soil is well drained. The size of the ordinary sash is 3 by 6 feet. The hotbed may be of any size, but for the average home garden it is convenient to use two sash. Dig a pit in the ground 6x6 feet and 1 foot deep. Build a frame around this. Use cedar or locust posts at the corners. Chestnut planks 1 1/2 in. thick are best for the frame, which should be 12 in. high at the back, and 6 in. at the front. Put a partition in the center lengthwise of the sash, dividing the hotbed into two compartments and bank up the earth around the outside of the frame."

"Get a good load (about 1 ton) of fresh manure, one week before it is to be put into the bed. Pile the manure in a rectangular heap, mixing the straw material uniformly through the pile. Wet any part which seems dry. After standing two or three days, give it a thorough turning over. As soon as the pile begins to steam well, it is ready for the pit. "Fill the pit a layer at a time, tramping it down thoroughly. When the manure is 12 inches deep, put on the sash. Get a cheap thermometer and hang it in the bed. The temperature will run quite high at first. As soon as it drops to 90°, cover the manure with 3 inches of light rich soil which has been screened."

"In one compartment plant seeds of cool climate plants, such as onions, cabbage and cauliflower. In the other plant those which require more heat, such as tomatoes, eggplant and peppers. Make the rows 6 inches apart. If the soil is moist when put on the beds, it will not be necessary to water until the plants are up. "Ventilate a little every day except in the severest weather, by putting a board or brick under the front end of the sash. Keep the cool frame from 55° to 60° during the day and the warm frame from 65° to 70°. The temperature can be regulated by varying the amount of ventilation. Use care in watering—if plants are making a tender growth, allow the soil to dry out somewhat."

"About April 1 transplant to paper pots, old pint berry boxes, or similar receptacles. At this point, the cold frame is invaluable. This consists simply of a frame set on the ground and covered with sash. The only heat necessary is that furnished by the Sun. Harden off the plants by gradually increasing the amount of ventilation. On bright days remove the sash entirely. As soon as danger from frost is over, transfer the plants to the open ground."—Extension Dept. Md. Agricultural College.

Last week, The Record declined the advertisement of a Bond purchasing Company, as we believe that there are sufficient Banks in Carroll County to transact all business of this character, rendering it unnecessary for anybody to take the risk of having such important transactions with strangers.

Charles C. Reinecker, charged with the murder of George J. Bushman, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree, in the Gettysburg Court. The murder occurred in October. Reinecker is but 16 years old.

Memorial exercises in honor of Col. Roosevelt, were held in most of the large cities of this country, last Sunday. Senator Lodge was the orator in the House chamber, in Washington; a notable service was held in Westminster Abbey, London; other cities responding were New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cleveland, and Kansas City, the address at the latter place being by Gen. Leonard A. Wood. Services were also held in Paris, France, and Coblenz, Germany.

Rev. G. W. Baughman has resigned his charge, at Messiah church, Woodbine, on account of continued ill-health, and has removed to Uniontown.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES IN CARROLL COUNTY. Specialists Made a Lecture Tour in Various Districts.

County Agent Fuller arranged for seven Farmers' Institutes in the county, for last week, which were very well attended by the people in the communities where they were held; Union Mills, Finksburg, Sykesville, Middleburg, Manchester, Taneytown and Westminster. Owing to bad weather conditions Tuesday night, no meeting was held at Sykesville. Topics of interest at this time to the farmers were discussed.

Mr. Oldenburg, agronomy specialist, stressed the importance of soil improvement in its relation to corn; the proper selection and testing of seed corn. He advised the farmers of a community to breed up a type of corn suited to their locality and keep it pure.

Mr. Besley, of the Maryland Forestry Division, gave a number of fine talks on the care of the farm woodlot, which many farmers do not consider a crop that needs care and attention. The proper method of selling standing timber is to sell marked trees which have been measured and the number of feet recorded, in this way the farmer knows what he is selling and has something to base his price on. The desirability of certain kinds of trees for shade and ornamental purposes, and the use of trees as a living memorial for our soldiers, was discussed.

Mr. Wolcott, dairy specialist, put some stress on the building up of the dairy herd. Too many times, Sires with high producing offspring have been lost before the results of their proding was recorded. This can be overcome by organizing a Bull Club in the community where the Sire is retained by one farmer after another. The value of certain feeds, and how the farmer can produce feeds to take the place he can't buy on the market, was also discussed.

Mr. Rickey, poultry specialist, had the results of a number of demonstrations he is carrying on in the State with the farmers in regard to Winter Egg Production. If a farmer can get 50% egg production during December, January and September, he more than pays for the keep of his flock with a profit for his labor. This has been proven by a number of demonstrations and Mr. Rickey can tell you how to feed to get over 50% egg production. Several of his demonstrators are getting over 70%.

The most important speaker, on the institute platform, to the farmers of Carroll county, this year, was Mr. McLaughlin, district director of County Agents. The necessity of organization among the farmers at this time when it is to their interest to protect themselves in regards to prices, markets and labor, is very apparent. The work that could be accomplished by the different kinds of farmers' organizations was discussed, especially the Grange, which is a national organization and has received such an impetus in the county since the meeting of the State Grange in our county in December. A Community Club was organized at Middleburg, and two other communities expressed a desire to have a Grange organized.

All business men in Carroll County, and this includes the farmer who is not very often thought of as a business man, should take an interest in the upbuilding of the agricultural interests of this county. Take the farmers and the county, and what would you have left in the county? The more you help to secure increased production; a fair price, and a good market, just so much are you helping your county and yourself.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Feb. 10, 1919.—John E. Davidson, administrator of Wm. D. Hess, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property and debts, and received an order to sell personal property.

Geo. A. Shower, executor of Mary S. Bardwell, deceased, returned an inventory of money and received an order to sell real estate.

Daniel P. Frock, administrator of Rachel W. Wolf, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Letters of administration on the estate of Albert M. Roberts, deceased, were granted unto Lillian E. Roberts, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

Harry J. Wilson, executor of Annie L. Heltbride, deceased, settled his first account.

Geo. I. Harman, executor of Daniel Harman, deceased, returned an inventory of money and settled his first and final account.

Elmer C. Beaver, administrator of Wm. J. Beaver, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell personal property.

Tuesday, Feb. 11th, 1919.—Harry G. Berwager, executor of Sarah J. Brown, deceased, settled his first account.

The last will and testament of Jessiah Lawyer, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Ira G. Lawyer, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

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All articles on this page are either original, or properly credited. This has always been a fixed rule with this Office, and we suggest the adoption of it by our exchanges.

The language difficulty is a perpetual one at the Peace Conference, as many of the delegates neither speak nor understand, English or French; which requires numerous interpreters and consequently considerable delay in arriving at understandings. Some of the fellows do not know when to applaud—nor to object.

W. Bladen Lowndes is a very amiable gentleman, and would no doubt make a fine Republican candidate for Governor, but he evidently has not yet learned the importance of "seeing the organization" before entertaining even the possibility of the nomination. He ought to know that the organization is "it," and that the primary law is merely "vexation of spirit" from which no victory cometh. There is nothing doing in Republican politics in Maryland, without "it's" consent.

One Fortunate Fact.

It is an extremely fortunate fact that the return of the army, and the beginning of the readjustment following the great war, occurs in the Spring of the year instead of in the Fall, with a Winter coming on. But, even with this big advantage, there is still the prospect of a very large number of the boys being held over-seas until the coming Fall, who in themselves will present problem enough to cause the approach of 1920 to be viewed with apprehension, especially as the many big problems will likely be far from settlement by that time.

The Presidential campaign that will be in full blast in 1920, is another condition to speculate over. It will come at a period of unsettled policies involving heretofore unmet problems. Both parties will be largely without fixed principles, or at least lacking platforms—possessing the merit of having been tried out, and perhaps be led by men not fully focusing and representing all factions.

Business and labor conditions may, or may not, settle down within this year. The cost of wages, living expenses, the wheat price question, the railroad situation, the continued unrest in Europe, the employment of returning troops, the entrance of women into positions held by men, the enforcement of prohibition, the new revenue taxes, and a thousand and one other big questions must be met.

The year is yet young, and it is to be hoped that we will at least get a good start toward getting back to a normal level before another winter—the season always attended by unusual problems among the poor, and especially the unemployed poor, in the cities. The main thing is for everybody to keep their heads, their tempers and fair-mindedness, and help to bring about peace rather than strife.

Mr. Taft on Prohibition.

Former President Taft, who was one of the doubters as to the advisability of trying National Prohibition, on the ground that it would be difficult to enforce in congested communities where local public opinion did not sympathize with the purpose of the law, and because the balance between National and State rights might be seriously disturbed, now urges it to be the duty of all citizens to urge and vote for all further legislation necessary to enforce the amendment.

Mr. Taft gives no encouragement whatever to further resistance, and says that all arguments as to the unconstitutional status of the amendment is "moonshine." He says: "This is a democratic government, and the voice of the people expressed through the machinery provided by the constitution for its expression and by constitutional majorities is supreme. Every loyal citizen must obey. This is the fundamental prin-

ciple of free government. One who, in the matter of National Prohibition, holds his personal opinion and his claim of personal liberty to be of higher sanction than this over-whelming constitutional expression of the people, is a disciple of practical Bolshevism."

"The Intermediates."

We have been looking quite a long while for some such write-up, and a new classification of people, as Charles Henry Meltzer gives in the February North American Review, under the caption "The Intermediate Millions." He gives three distinct classes—powerful forces, as controlling this country: (1) "the masters of organized capital," (2) "the grim hosts of organized labor" (3) "countless profiteering middlemen and retailers, less organized."

The fourth, and greatest of all classes, the prey of the three named, he characterizes by way of suggestion as "intermediates," and gives the composition of it as "salaried clerks, professionals of various categories, among them artists, doctors, teachers, ministers, newspaper writers, owners of small incomes; men earning their living more or less precariously, in minor commerce; some millions of detached and decent storekeepers; some millions of non-unionized farmers; land-owners and farm hands; and more millions of as yet non-unionized hand workers employed in industries; besides armies of male and female shop-people, stenographers and secretaries."

He goes on to say that these "unorganized intermediates have few defenses, few ideas, few or no leaders in the public press or Congress. Labor has its mouthpieces and leaders, more especially outside the wall of Congress. The great railroads, bankers, corporations and trusts of various kinds, have agents and lobbyists."

The article is too lengthy for us to reproduce, and we are not sure that we follow it clearly throughout, nor that we agree with all of its conclusions. Certainly, there would be vast difference of opinion as to proper classification of all people, assuming the "intermediates" to be all those who are at present getting the worst end of the questions of remuneration and high cost of living, and that consequently the other three classes are getting more than their share. He says:

"Of those who read this, a majority maybe belong to the intermediates. They know that they are entirely at the mercy of their organized fellow-citizens. They are the butts of 'gentlemen's combinations, unfeeling unions and superfluous middle men. Each of these plays a lone, selfish hand. The intermediates serve them all as counters."

He then enumerates a list of transactions occurring in business and every day pursuits, all ending up with the fate of the intermediates "to groan and pay." Much of what he says may be overdrawn, and surely it will be resented, especially as it is from a viewpoint, which, as he says, has no organized, or public advocates. Here is another specimen:

"Life, once endurable, is now a nightmare. Unscrupulous storekeepers put up the price of meat, of bread, of fruits, of drugs, of fish, not in accordance with the facts of trade, but at their own sweet will. They lay the blame upon the rascally middlemen, who ascribe it to the wholesalers, who impute it to the trusts, who fasten it upon the grasping farmers and unscrupulous feedmen. In the last resort, these send one back to the "cost of labor." So we go round in an eternally vicious circle. But, though the unorganized units—the unfortunate intermediates—groan, they pay, and go on paying. It does not occur to them that, by protesting actively—at the same time enduring patiently some self-privation, and above all by organizing—they could protect themselves and perhaps compel their oppressors, the trusts, middlemen, storekeepers and hand-workers, to accept a readjustment fair to everyone—to producers, trusts, agents, wholesalers, retailers, and, above all, consumers, who include them all."

Unquestionably, these "intermediates" need to make themselves both heard and felt, or continue bearing the burdens placed upon them inequitably, and without consideration. If it is necessary to become "organized" in order to have a hearing at court—and it is absolutely necessary, for those who do not help themselves, do not have volunteer help forced on them—it will be well worth while for more writers to take up Mr. Meltzer's theme, and start a needed new force going in order to secure for unheard millions their proper status in questions both political and industrial.

Hod carriers, coal diggers, railway employees, every fellow who can drive a nail or handle a shovel, and all others who can unionize and form a "big crowd"—which means a big lot of votes—command all sorts of low-towing and consideration from those who fix wages and prices, while those less a visible and militant power have the freight to pay, and will have it to pay, indefinitely unless they show what they can do in the way of organizing and forcing consideration of their just claims.

WILD EXTRAVAGANCE

Charges Openly Made in Congress of Extravagant Expenditures.

The Philadelphia Ledger's Washington Bureau sends to that paper the following report, dated February 7— "Republican leaders in Congress today expressed their firm conviction that the new \$6,000,000,000 revenue bill would not prove adequate to meet the lavish expenditures authorized by the government for the next twelve months. The incoming Congress, they believe, will be forced to enact within the current year additional tax legislation reaching into the billions.

These opinions were advanced in both Houses. Senator Reed Smoot, recognized as one of the ablest financial students in Congress, declared in the Senate the new revenue measure would fall at least \$1,000,000,000 short of the \$6,000,000,000 estimated for it. Representative Fordney, of Michigan, ranking Republican on the Ways and Means Committee, asserted in the House that appropriations already authorized or pending, independent of the ordinary expenses of the government, reached a total of \$6,795,000,000. The "wild" extravagance of the government, he declared, was rapidly planning to take from the pockets of the people of the United States nearly \$10,000,000,000.

Senator Smoot estimated that the revenue bill would not raise more than \$5,000,000,000 this year, instead of \$6,077,200,000, as estimated by the conferees, and that the amount which may be raised next year would be \$3,250,000,000, instead of \$4,184,510,000, as the conferees stated.

"I have studied this bill as thoroughly as any man in the country," Senator Smoot said, "and I stake my reputation on the accuracy of my predictions. The amounts to be raised are based on the false assumption that business during 1919 will be the same as during 1918, when every man knows it will not."

On the other hand, Representative Fordney's prediction of additional taxes was based on the assumption that expenditures will go far beyond the \$6,000,000,000 hoped for from the present measure, even though this enormous total is obtained.

"In the very near future," said Representative Fordney, "we are going to be called upon to pass another revenue bill in addition to the one which will come up tomorrow. Let me call your attention to this fact: That all the money in the United States amounts only to about \$6,000,000,000, and we are going to be called upon for \$10,000,000,000 in the next twelve months. We are not satisfied just to reach out and take all the money that all the people have, but we want one and a half times the amount that they have."

"I caution you that we are going wild in governmental expenditures. We have been extravagant in the war, but we will forget that because to offset it we have won the war. But where are we going to land in the expenditures of this government if we are not somewhat conservative?"

Getting Rid of Colds.

The easiest and quickest way to get rid of a cold is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This preparation has been in use for many years and its value fully proven. No matter what remedy you use, however, care must be taken not to contract a second cold before you have recovered from the first one, and there is serious danger of this. A man of middle age or older should go to bed and stay in bed until fully recovered. It is better to stay in bed three days at the start than three weeks later on.

Senator Moses is Skeptical.

Believing that human nature, as shown in the rival ambitions of nations, would soon reassert itself to invalidate any league of nations which might be formed by the peace conference at Versailles, and that it is to the best interests of the United States to prepare for the future by providing military training and a navy second to none, Senator George H. Moses, of New Hampshire, whose election has just been verified by a recount, declares that the trip of President Wilson abroad will be without other result than his reception of the adulation of the multitude in the countries visited by him.

"Little racial groups will be seeking to be set up as national units," says the Senator. "Nobody knows whether they are ethnographic. Nobody knows whether they are historic or merely political. Shall Bessarabia be given to Roumania? Shall Thrace be made a separate state in Europe? Will it be said that from now on nations are to have no ambitions territorially? The war has shown that they are not more enlightened or less selfish. Let us have a big navy, second to none, and an army capable of meeting any emergency liable to arise with our shores so protected. Let us have a big merchant marine. Away with this league of nations which will be of no benefit to us! Let us have economic legislation by the national legislature and not by Europe. We must compete in the struggle for trade and bread and butter. Then let us protect ourselves by a protection tariff."—American Economist.

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NAPOLEON'S MAXIMS OF WAR

Rules Laid Down by Great Soldier Were Followed Almost Literally by General Foch.

Napoleon was a prolific war maxim-maker. His maxims number more than a hundred. Many of them are as true today as when they were made, observes London Answers.

"In war," said Napoleon, "there is never more than one favorable moment. The great art is to seize it and use it well."

Foch seized the "favorable moment," and in a month not only saved the situation, but turned the tables on the enemy. He "concentrated his troops and acted with energy," as Napoleon laid down.

Commonsense—the application of wisdom to circumstances—is Foch's maxim, as it was Napoleon's. Napoleon has written: "Plans may be modified ad infinitum according to circumstances, the genius of the general, the character of the troops, and the features of the country."

Napoleon insisted upon the study of past campaigns. "The science of strategy," he said, "is to be acquired by experience and studying the campaigns of all great captains."

Foch has been a lifelong student of military history. In the spring he was acting up to Napoleon's dictum—"the measure which is not profoundly meditated in all its details produces no result." When Foch was ready he "dared at the right moment." For 20 years past Foch has been "profoundly meditating" the details of the strategy which has given him such signal success.

RANK HIGH IN POLITENESS

Belgians Unable to Forget Courtesies Though Death in Appalling Form Was Imminent.

The Belgians are the most polite people in the world. Yesterday seven correspondents traveled to Audenarde. We were informed that we might cross the Escourt and proceed in the direction of Ghent. As our two motor cars came over the ridge before entering the town they were spotted by an eagle-eyed observer in the German lines, and as we reached the entrance of the town and left from our cars, preparing to enter on foot, a shell whizzed over our heads and exploded dully in a rain-soaked field 50 yards beyond the road. Another followed about the same distance short. Then they came so fast that I lost count. Gas shells they were, and we donned our masks and made for the cars.

The lieutenant in charge of our party bowed to the oldest correspondent and bade him enter the car. The latter, being Belgian, in turn bowing to his neighbor, motioned him into the car. He demurred, and then followed some Alphonse and Gaston moving pictures until someone motioned to me to enter the car. I did. Then they all piled in. And as we raced down the road two Thielts shells spitefully splattered along the muddy road.

Amethysts for Mourning.

Amethysts will be much worn in this country during the post-war period as mourning jewelry. Amethysts and jet are the most widely used mourning stones. The vogue of amethysts in the mourning was fixed after the Franco-Prussian war, when the gems became popular in France and Germany.

An abundance of good amethysts are found in the mountain region of the western United States. The best amethysts come from Cambay, in India, from Ceylon, Persia and Siberia. There are also large amethyst mines in Uruguay. The war, which curtailed imports of all gems to the United States, gave American amethysts a wider market than they ever had before.

Good Reason for Leaving.

"Have you had any experience in newspaper work?" said the editor of a large paper to an agitated little man who had applied for a job.

"I should just think so. I was editor of the Muddlesbury Mail until yesterday."

"And what made you leave the paper?" "Well, it was like this: The chief of police down our way was supposed to be a dangerous man with a revolver, and so I tried to keep the right side of him. I wrote a paragraph about him, and said he was Muddlesbury's greatest asset. The intelligent compositor, of course, left out the 'et' in 'asset,' and that is how it got into the paper."

Gas From Wheat Straw.

One of the scientists of the University of Saskatchewan, who has been experimenting for some time with the manufacture of gas from wheat straw, has been able, by a gas bag attachment of 300 cubic feet capacity, to run his motorcar with perfectly satisfactory results. It is estimated, says the Saskatchewan Herald, that a ton of straw will generate 11,000 to 12,000 cubic feet of gas and that 300 cubic feet of gas is equal to a gallon of gasoline, so that with this hitherto waste product on his hands the farmer will be able to run his car.

Wonderful.

"I like the 'Three Musketeers.' It's a remarkable book."

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"Yes; it is wonderful, too. What impresses me most is that all the principal characters still have the same servants." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Injection of Pine Tar and Cottonseed Oil Found to Be Effective With Stock.

DIPPING IS NOT EFFECTIVE

Animals in Infested Territory Should Be Examined at Frequent Intervals and Treatment Applied as Often as Needed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Ear ticks, blood-sucking parasites, which infect the ears of cattle, horses, sheep, dogs and other animals and cause heavy losses among live stock in the semiarid sections of the southwestern states, cannot be eradicated by dipping, but may be controlled and losses may be prevented by injecting into the ears of infested animals a mixture of pine tar and cottonseed oil.

Dipping Not Effective.

Unlike the cattle fever tick, which attaches itself to the outside portions of cattle, the ear tick cannot be eradicated or controlled by the ordinary methods of dipping. The remedy thoroughly tested by the bureau of animal industry in field investigations consists of two parts by volume of ordinary commercial pine tar and one part by volume of cottonseed oil. This mixture is injected directly into the ears by means of a metal or hard rubber syringe.

In mixing the ingredients the cottonseed oil should be added to the pine tar and stirred until a uniformly smooth mixture is obtained. In cold weather the pine tar and cottonseed oil should be warmed so they will mix readily and flow freely, but they should not be heated more than is necessary.

This preparation when properly applied kills the ticks but does not injure the animals. Cottonseed oil is a fairly good solvent for ear wax, and the mixture penetrates ordinary loose masses of ear wax and ticks, but it will not penetrate the hard masses, to break up which the use of an ear probe made of baling wire is suggested. The preparation recommended not only kills all ear ticks with which it comes in contact, but being of a sticky consistency it remains in the ears and protects the animals against reinfection for about 30 days.

Frequency of Treatment.

Animals in the infested area, the bulletin says, should be examined at frequent intervals and treatment applied as often as necessary to protect them against discomfort and losses caused by ear ticks. Herds grazing on infested ranges should be treated late in the fall or early in the winter to prevent winter and spring losses to poorly nourished range cattle. All animals in an infested herd should be treated whether or not they show infestation.



Steers of This Type Are Replacing Native Scrub Stock in the South.

When animals are grossly infested and the ear canals are packed full of ticks the parasites are easily visible, but when the infestation is light or moderate the ticks may be overlooked. The parasites usually attach themselves in the deep folds of the ear or crawl into the ear canal and follow it inward, sometimes as far as the ear drum. Animals badly infested usually shake their heads and repeatedly turn them from side to side, meanwhile inverting first one ear and then the other.

Restraining Animals for Treatment. Most animals oppose the insertion of anything into their ears. The farmer who has only a few gentle farm animals to treat may tie them to a post or restrain them by other well-known methods, but in treating herds of wild range cattle or horses special equipment, such as deboning chutes, branding chutes or other cattle chutes may be used.

Ear ticks are especially prevalent in the semiarid sections of the southwestern area of the United States. The infested areas, however, extend as far north as Nevada and Oregon. The climate in parts of Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and California seems to favor their rapid multiplication. The ticks remain attached to the ears of the animals for several months, and shipments of live stock from the infested area to various points in the United States cause the parasites to become widely disseminated, but moisture is apparently detrimental to their development in certain stages, and they do not seem to be able to flourish in any part of the United States except the semiarid sections of the West.

IMPROVE GARDEN SOIL

Where the garden soil is needing vegetable matter and the supply of barnyard manure is not sufficient, refuse hay, straw, forest leaves or other rubbish may be applied to the soil and turned under to increase the humus. If this is to be done it should be done early to give such materials time to decay during winter.

PROTECTION OF OUR FORESTS

Secretary of Agriculture Urges More Rapid Improvement Work and More Guards.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Provisions for pushing more rapidly the improvement work in the forests of the United States, for a greater number of forest guards and for earlier organization each fire season of the protective system are advocated by the



Forest Fire Fighting.

secretary of agriculture in his annual report.

Protection of the forests during the season of 1918 proved an exceptionally difficult task, says the secretary. An unusual strain was imposed on an organization somewhat depleted in numbers and much weakened by the loss of many of its most experienced men. Added to this was the difficulty of securing good men for temporary appointment as guards during the fire season, and parties of men for fighting large fires. An unusually early and severe dry season caused the outbreak of serious fires before the summer protective organization was fully ready.

Some embarrassment in meeting the situation, the report comments, was caused by the failure of the annual appropriation act to pass congress until after the fire season was virtually over. Relief was furnished by the president, who placed \$1,000,000 at the secretary's disposal as a loan from the president's emergency fund. It may be necessary, the secretary says, to seek from congress again a deficiency appropriation of \$750,000.

BUILD OR REPAIR ICE HOUSE

Ample Supply Will Be Mighty Helpful on Hot Days in Summer—Make Preparations.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Of course, you're planning to have plenty of ice next summer. It will be mighty helpful on those hot days in July—comfort in the home and saving in the dairy.

Are you ready? Is the ice house in good repair, or will you find, when a good freeze comes, that you have no fit place to store ice? It will be to your advantage to spend some of your spare time now in getting the ice house in shape. Repair the sides and see that the roof doesn't leak.

Don't be without ice next summer. It's expensive and inconvenient to depend on neighbors or haul from town. You can build a good ice house. If you want to know how, write to the United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., and ask for a free copy of Farmers' Bulletin 623. Do it now.

FORECASTS OF GREAT VALUE

Much Money and Thousands of Pounds of Meat May Be Saved by Watching Weather Forecasts.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Cattlemen in the West and Southwest may save thousands of dollars and many thousand pounds of meat during the winter season if they will watch weather forecasts. They should give attention not only to the regular forecasts but to the special daily forecasts issued by weather bureau stations in cities and towns of considerable size, during the winter in regard to minimum temperatures expected to occur within a shipping radius of one day or two days of the station. In northwestern Texas last winter a number of herds of cattle, aggregating many thousand dollars in value, died from exposure to a destructive cold wave which had been forecast by the weather bureau and warnings of which had been disseminated through the threatened region.

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TWO HEAD OF HORSES, one a gray mare, coming 9 yrs, work wherever hitched; one roan horse, coming 11 yrs, good off-side worker and good driver with speed.

THREE HEAD OF MILCH COWS, one black cow, third calf by her side; two Holstein cows, carrying fourth calf, will be fresh by day of sale; 1 Sow, will have pigs by day of sale; 3 shoats, will weigh 40 lbs; one 2-horse wagon and bed, in good condition; 1 good spring wagon, 1 horse-made rubber-tire buggy, Reindollar make, good as new; 1 steel-tire buggy, in good condition; 1 pair hay carriages, 16 ft long; 1 Osborne binder, 6-ft cut, in good running order; 1 Osborne mower, 5-ft cut, good as new, cut only 40 acres; 1 Walter A. Wood self-dump horse rake, 1 double riding corn worker, Brown; 1 Ward bar-shar plow, good as new; 1 steel-frame land roller, good as new; 1 Osborne harrow, 15-tooth; single corn worker, shovel plow, middle rings, single, double and triple trees; jockey sticks, cow, butt and breast chains; grindstone, mowing scythe, scarp and dirt shovels, 2 sets front gears, 1 pair check lines, flywheels, halters, collars, 3 bridles, 2 sets buggy harness. Half interest in 18½ Acres of Growing Wheat.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, 1 Wrought Iron St. Louis range, kitchen sink, Royal Incubator, 108-egg; lawn iron swing stands, brass kettle, fruit table, dough tray, churn, etc.

TERMS—Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. On sums over \$5.00, a credit of 9 months with interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

HARRY M. FEESER,
E. F. Smith, Clerk.
2-14-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his premises, the D. Washington Shoe-maker farm, along Monocacy, at the old Stonestifer mill, on the road leading from Harney to the Baptist graveyard, at 10 o'clock, the following personal property, to-wit:

7 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES, 1 roan mare, will work wherever hitched; 1 Percheron mare, 4 yrs old, work wherever hitched; 1 black mare mule, coming 5 and 6 yrs, work wherever hitched, good leader; good sized and well mated; can't be beat; 1 pr dark bay mare mules, coming 2 yrs old, good size, will make a fine pair of mules; 1 odd mare mule, coming 2 yrs; these mules have all been handled and are quiet.

14 HEAD OF CATTLE, 5 milch cows; 1 Durham cow, will be fresh in April; 4 other cows that are Fall cows; these cows are all young heifers. 4 stock bulls, large enough for service.

44 HEAD OF HOGS, 4 sows, 2 will farrow in March and 2 will have pigs by their side; 32 head of shoats, weighing from 40 to 80 lbs; 2 good Western farm wagons, 4-in tread, for 3 or 6 horses; 2 good wagon beds, 15 and 19½ ft long; 1 pair hay carriages, 18 ft long, good as new; one 8-ft Milwaukee binder, good as new, cut 3 crops; 1 Milwaukee mower, 1 gran drill, Bickford & Hoffman; 1 riding corn plow, Hench & Dronsgold; 1 roller and harrow combined; 1 Perry spring-tooth harrow, 2 Syracuse plows for 3 horses, 1 surrey and pole, 1 falling-top buggy, single-row corn planter, 2 sets of front gears, bridles, collars, and halters, chunk stove, lot of potatoes by the bushel, lot of new brooms, etc.

TERMS—Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$5.00 a credit of 10 months will be given on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

CHAS. F. HOFFMAN,
J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
2-14-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale, on the premises, situated 1 mile north of Middleburg, on the Middleburg and Uniontown road, near Crouse's Mill, on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, 1919,** at 1 o'clock, the following described property:

1 BAY MARE (MAPLEWOOD) 10 years old, works anywhere hitched, a good single driver, fearless of all road objects; one bay colt, (Lady Wilks) coming 3 years old, sired by Duke of Liberty, a promising colt; 1 cow, full Jersey (a pet) suitable for any one desiring a good family cow; milch test over 6; good sized, 4 Fat Steers 6 shoats. One 2 or 3-horse wagon, 1 pair of hay carriages, 16-ft long; 1 extension-top carriage and 1 Phaeton, both Blocher make, and in good condition; 1 winnowing mill, 1 sleigh and bells, 1 corn sheller, 2 heavy spreads, one 3-horse furrow plow, one 16-tooth spring harrow, 2 corn forks, shovel plow, 1 good grindstone, 1 wheelbarrow 2 cross-cut saws, axes, maul and wedges, mattocks, picks and shovels, 1 good scoop shovel, 2-horse spreader, triple, double and single trees, log and cow chains, 1 post-grinder, 14-ft ladder, 1 set breechbands, 1 set front gears, 3 bridles, collars, check lines, halters, 4-horse line, 2 sets double harness; about 2 tons of mixed hay, 50 grain sacks, bushel basket, chicken coops, maul box, 1 large diamond bell, 4 hives of bees, 8 empty bee boxes, 1 Sharples cream separator, for 2 or 3 cows, all good order; one 25-ft and one 45-ft rope.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, 1 Mahogany case, inlaid with pearl, 1 stool; 3 bedsteads, 2 bureaus, 2 washstands, 1 large chest, 1 desk, 1 cradle, 2 cupboards, 2 doz chairs, 3 rocking chairs, 1 baby high chair, doughtray, 1 extension table, 10-ft; 2 leaf tables, 2 small stands, 1 sink, 1 flour and corn-meal chest, one No. 8 Hoosier range, in good condition, with water tank and warming closet, complete, burns wood or coal, a fine baker; 1 cook stove, 1 large diamond coal stove, self feeder, 1 Parlor wood stove, 25-gal copper kettle, and a good one; 2 iron kettles, kettle rings, 1-minute ice cream freezer, 4 good frypans, one Blot Enterprise stuffer and grinder, 1 fruit grinder, all in good order; cherry seeder, 1-h butter print, 1 butter worker, American butter churn, 1 large tin, 1 tin, barrels, boxes, lamps, jugs, demijohns, crocks, stone jars, glass jars, pots, pans, tinware, bird cage, 3 milk cans, carpets, rug, stair carpet, hall carpet, 1 large linoleum, window shades, window screens, pictures, picture frames, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$5.00 a credit of 6 months will be given on notes with approved security, with interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

ELI M. DUTTERER,
J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
2-7-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his premises, situated on the Stone Road, and on the road leading from Tyrone to the Stone Road, on **THURSDAY, FEB. 27th, 1919,** at 1 o'clock P. M., sharp, the following property, to-wit:

ONE HORSE, will work anywhere; one excellent cow, carrying her third calf, will be fresh in April; one 2-horse Studebaker wagon, in good condition, 2-ton capacity; 1 Dayton wagon, 1 buggy-pole, 1 Osborne mower, 1 horse rake, Roland-chilled plow for 2 or 3 horses, 1 single corn worker, 1 double shovel plow, 1 Buckeye grain drill, 1 cutting box, triple, double and single trees, breast chains log chain, stretcher, cow chains, butt traces, 1 set Yankee harness, front gears, check-lines bridles, collars, forks, dinner bell, and many other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash, and all sums above \$5.00, a credit of 10 months will be given, with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale, on the J. M. Shellman farm, near Uniontown, on **SATURDAY, MARCH 8th, 1919,** at 11 o'clock, the following described property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES, Lucey, a gray mare, 11 yrs old, will work anywhere hitched, a good single or double driver, any woman can drive her, and she is fearless of all road objects; Harry, bay horse, 9 years old, works wherever hitched and a good single and double driver; Dick, bay mule, 16 yrs old, works anywhere hitched and a good leader; Lady, a roan mare, 2 yrs old; Lark, black mare, 1 yr old; 1 SHETLAND PONY, 5 yrs old; He is dark bay, and anyone can drive or ride him; home-made runabout and harness, riding bridle and bridle, all complete;

14 HEAD OF CATTLE, consisting of 4 good milch cows, 7 heifers, some will be fresh by day of sale; 3 stock bulls; the above cattle are Holstein, Durham, Jersey and Guernsey;

31 HEAD OF FINE HOGS, consisting of 4 brood sows, 2 will farrow April 1; 1 a White Chester, 2 are O. I. C., entitled to be registered, and 3 Berkshire; 27 head of shoats, ranging from 40 to 80 lbs; 1 Acme farm wagon, 3-in tread, for 2 or 3 horses, capacity 2 tons, in good shape; new 18-ft Manure spreader, 100 lb capacity, in good order; Osborne binder, 6-ft cut, in running order; Milwaukee mower, 4½-ft cut, in good order; low-down Pennsylvania grain drill; 1 horse rake, double row, good order; Syracuse lever harrow, 17-tooth, used one season; 3-block steel land roller, used one season; 1 Deere check-row corn planter, in good order; 2 walking corn plows, 1 a Brown, in good order; 1 Oliver-chilled plow, No. 40; 1 set hay carriages, 18 ft; 1 set dung boards, windmill, 10-in Tornado fed cutter, hand or power turn, and 20 ft of carrier, all complete, and in good shape; 2 falling-top buggies, buggy pole, spring wagon, road cart, basket sleigh, large sled, cord sheller, double-row hand or power; corn barrel, hay fork, rope and pulleys; dung, pitch and sheaf forks; single, double and triple trees, 2 stretchers, jockey sticks, log chains, standard breast and cow chains; 2 pair butt traces, 4 sets lead harness, 2 sets buggy harness, 1 set double harness, wagon saddle, 4 bridles, collars, 2 harness mules, 2 pair check-lines, 1 pair single lines, flynets, kicking strap, choke straps, hitching straps, wagon whip, hand rake, straw knife, bushel basket, half-bushel bucket, dung hook, lot of mule cans, 4 pairs cream separator, suction feed, used 10 months; 2 churns, 4-, 5- and 6-gal jars, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$5.00, a credit of 8 months will be given on approved notes, with interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

JOHN W. HELTBRIDLE,
J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
Jesse P. Garner & Guy W. Haines, Clerks.
2-14-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at Public Sale, on his premises at Arter's Mill, 1½ miles south of Silver Run, on **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd, 1919,** at 11 o'clock, A. M., sharp, the following described personal property, to-wit:

FOUR HEAD OF HORSES, consisting of 1 bay horse coming 6 years old, work wherever hitched, and a fine leader; 1 bay mare, coming 3 years old, work wherever hitched, will make a fine blocky mare; 1 roan mare, 8 years old, work wherever hitched, but in the least any woman can drive her; 1 sorrel horse, coming 6 years old, good off-side worker and fine driver.

SEVEN HEAD OF CATTLE, 4 are milch cows, 2 will be fresh in March; 1 in April, 1 in May; 2 heifers, 3 months old, work 1 stock bull, fit for service; 3 head of hogs; 1 a brood sow, will farrow the first of April; 2 shoats, will weigh about 70 pounds.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, consisting of 1½-ton 3-in. tread Acme wagon and bed; pair of hay carriages, 12 feet long; Osborne binder, 6-ft cut; Milwaukee mower, 5-ft cut; McCormick hay rake, 3-horse Oliver Chilled plow, 15-tooth lever harrow, single row Spangler corn planter, 2 double row plows, 1 riding and 1 walking, single plow, Farmer's Favorite grain drill, in good running order; rubber-tire runabout, good as new; steel-tire buggy and buggy spread, round-back cutter.

A LOT OF HARNESS, consisting of 3 sets of front gears, 3 collars, 3 bridles, good as new; halters, lines, wagon saddle, flynets, sheaf and pitch forks, single, double and triple trees, log and breast chains, Cypher incubator, 150-egg; 15-gal. tumbling churn, writing desk, half interest in 11 acres of wheat, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$10.00 a credit of 8 months will be given, on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

JOHN R. HULL,
WM. WARNER, Auct.
H. J. MOTTER, Clerk.
2-7-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale, at his residence, known as the Isalah Harner farm, near St. James' church, on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1919,** at 12 o'clock, m., the following described property:

TWO HEAD OF HORSES, one sorrel horse, coming 5 years old, good off-side worker, and a fine driver; dark bay mare, coming 8 years old, work anywhere hitched. These horses are fearless of all objects.

THREE HEAD OF CATTLE, No. 1, red cow, fourth calf by her side; No. 2, spotted cow, third calf by her side; No. 3, spotted cow, fourth calf by her side;

75 HEAD OF HOGS, 4 brood sows, 3 Berkshire sows, will have pigs by their side, 1 Poland-China sow, will farrow the month of March; 3 male hogs, 1 Berkshire, weighing 175 lbs, 1 red and 1 black, weighing 90 lbs each; the balance are shoats, weighing from 40 to 80 lbs. One good rubber-tire buggy, 1 good set of harness, white rubber mounting. Any person buying hogs, who has no way to move them, I will deliver them within 5 miles.

TERMS—A credit of 6 months will be given, or 4 percent off cash.

ALVIA B. HYSER,
Wm T. Smith, Auct.
Clyde Riffle, Clerk.
2-7-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public sale, the following valuable personal property, on **SATURDAY, MARCH 1st, 1919,** at 10 o'clock, on the premises, situated on the Middleburg and Uniontown road, consisting of:

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES, 1 black horse, 5 yrs old, work anywhere hitched, and a fine leader; 1 pair black mules, well broken, work any where; one gray mare, 12 yrs old, any place; one gray mare, 8 yrs old, trap mare and fine driver; 1 good 2-yearling colt;

7 HEAD OF MILCH COWS, 4 will be fresh by day of sale, 3 will be fresh in the Fall; 3 head of shoats, will weigh from 80 to 90 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One good 2-horse wagon and bed, one Champion binder, 6-ft cut, in good running order; 1 McCormick mower, 5-ft cut, good as new; Brown corn plow, 1 Hoffman grain drill, in good order; 1 new Deering hay tedder, 1 good horse rake, 1 double walking corn plow, good as new; 2 double walking Brown corn plows, 1 Syracuse 7-tooth lever harrow, 1 Syracuse plow, No. 97; 1 single shovel plow, 1 double shovel plow, one 3-shovel drag, 1 binder truck for mowing, 1 roller, 1 stick wagon, 1 basket sleigh, 1 string of bells, 1 spring wagon gear, 1 home-made trap, 1 blacksmith fan, 1 good braamble scythe, mattocks, axes, forks, lot of single, double trees, stretchers, 2 sets of breechbands, 2 sets of front gears, 2 sets of plow gears, 2 sets of single harness, 1 pair check lines, 1 riding bridle, 2 pairs breast chains, 2 sets butt traces, collars and bridles, and

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, consisting of 1 dressing bureau, with glass, 1 old-time bureau, 2 bedsteads, 1 kitchen cupboard, one 6-ft, extension table, 1 drop-leaf table, 1 kitchen table, 1 sink, 4 kitchen chairs, 1 stand, 2 spring lounges, 3 rocking chairs, 2 benches, lot of pans and dishes, 10 mule cans, four 5-gallon, seventeen 1-gal., all new;

1 OVERLAND AUTOMOBILE.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On all sums over \$10.00 a credit of 6 months will be given, purchasers giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

HARVEY COVELL,
J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
2-14-31

PUBLIC SALE

ROSS SILO FILLER, with distributor, 16-inch. This machine also has Fodder Shredder attachment. **FLEET-WOOD THRESHING MACHINE,** 26-inch cylinder. **TRACTOR,** 10-20 International (Titan), with Two-gang Oliver Plow, 14-inch.

The above Machines will be sold at the Public Sale, March 10th, at 9 o'clock. See large Posters of entire sale.

ROLAND P. BAILE,
Medford, Carroll County.
F. A. Crawford, Auct. 1-10-19

THE CARROLL RECORD

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14th, 1919.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Latest Items of Local News Furnished by Our Regular Staff of Writers.

All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted. The Record Office is connected with the C. & P. Telephone from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M. Use Telephone for important items on Friday morning. Owing to mail changes, we do not now receive letters from along the W. M. R. R., on Friday, in time for use. All correspondence should be mailed to us not later than by Thursday morning train, which will mean Wednesday on the Routes.

UNIONTOWN.

Our sick, which numbered nearly 40 are all improving, and most of them are up. Bad colds, flu, and grip were the main causes. No cases of pneumonia in town, but Master Guy Cookson and Mrs. Wilbur Duvall, nee Danner, of the neighborhood, have been ill with the disease.

Mrs. Fannie Sollenberger, who has been extremely ill for quite a while, was much comforted on Tuesday, when her son, Walter Sollenberger, who has been in France, arrived home. She has been prayerfully waiting for his coming, and a cablegram was sent him over a week ago of her condition. He left immediately and arrived on time.

Hobart, second son of Chas. Ecker, came home last week, on a 30-day furlough. He is stationed at a camp near Washington, and was shot in the arm in one of the battles on the front in France, and later the arm had to be amputated above the elbow. He is planning for an artificial arm, and being trained for a position to suit his condition.

Letters from Elwood Zollickoff says he is still in Germany very comfortably situated, is in the army of occupation, but has no idea when he will be sent over this way.

Mrs. Charles Crabbs spent last week visiting at Motter's Station and Detour.

Little Renaldo, son of Samuel Repp while playing on the school ground, fell, causing a fracture of his left arm, but "Bub" keeps moving around. J. C. Hollenberry and wife came home last week after a six weeks stay with their daughter, Mrs. Will Brodbeck and family, in Philadelphia.

William Rodkey went to Westminster, on Sunday to assist Rev. J. H. Gonso with his meetings.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Bachman are again citizens of Uniontown. Due to illness, Rev. Baughman has resigned as pastor of Messiah Lutheran Church. J. Clarence Davis a former resident of this place, but now of Philadelphia, was in town Monday and called on some old friends and neighbors.

Miss Bertha Shriver, of Westminster, was a home visitor this week, on account of the sickness of her sister, Edith, and brother, Shreeve Shriver.

EMMITSBURG.

Robert Beam and family have moved to Waynesboro, Pa., where he has a position.

Mrs. John Scheib and son, John Lester, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mrs. Alice McNair was taken suddenly ill early Sunday morning. She is much improved.

Clarence G. Frailey has been among the discharged soldiers, he is now attending to his business at his store.

The Emmitsburg Chronicle with Mr. Shugars as Editor will make its first appearance on Saturday.

G. Meade Patterson has sold his property at the East end to Mr. Martin, of Staunton, Va., and has purchased the residence of Mrs. Margaret Mitchell at the West end.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. David Graham, of Harrisonburg, Va. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayes.

Mrs. Luella Annan and daughter have gone to Mrs. Annan's sister, Mrs. Isaac Annan to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. T. Minnich, Mrs. L. Doener and Mrs. John Fortney of Carlisle, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke.

MIDDLEBURG.

Nellie Lynn, of Washington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lynn.

The Farmers' Institute was well attended on last Wednesday and on Wednesday night, a community club was organized, Mr. E. E. Smith being elected as president.

Mr. Washington Eyerle died at the home of his son, J. W. Eyerle, at Middleburg, on Feb. 3, 1919, having been paralyzed just one week before. He was buried on Wednesday following at Rocky Hill cemetery. Services at the house were conducted by Rev. Patterson. He is survived by three sons and three daughters—Jesse, Leurgous and Archie, of Middleburg; Mrs. Harry Otto, of Denton; Mrs. John Six, of Union Bridge; Mrs. Ben. Biehl, of Frederick. His age was 79 years, 2 months, 12 days.

Mrs. Elsie Hyde is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hyde, at New Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Crouse, of Carrollton spent Sunday with their parents.

John Mackley, spent Sunday in Washington, with his brother, James, who has been wounded in France. He reports that he is doing fine.

Mrs. Stultz, who has been keeping house for Frank Wilson, was operated on at the Frederick City Hospital, on last Friday for peritonitis, and at this writing is critically ill. Miss Bessie Harbaugh Mrs. Frank Harbaugh and Mr. Wilson, visited her on Monday last.

Berite Beard is very ill again.

DETOUR.

An entertainment in commemoration of "The National Week of Song" and "George Washington's birthday," will be given at Grove Academy school on Thursday evening, February 20, at 7:30 P. M. Everybody welcome.

Misses Verna Ort and Estella Lutz, of Union Bridge, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Koons, Jr.

Mrs. Bessie Greason, of Walkersville, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Hattie Lawrence.

Mrs. Clay Wood, son and daughter, of Arlington, spent Saturday with Mrs. Wm. C. Miller.

Mrs. John Cushman and daughter, and Mrs. Frank Otto and sons, spent one day last week in Frederick.

Mrs. Wilbur Miller and daughter, visited in Frederick, last week.

Mrs. Beulah Weddle, son Calvin, and Lottie Troxell, of Loys, and Miss Myrtle Eyerle, of Eyerle's Valley, spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Troxell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, of York, spent one day last week with Mrs. E. D. Essick.

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NEW MIDWAY.

Quite a few attended the surprise party held at the home of Horace Radcliffe and wife.

Edward Lambert has been on the sick list.

Miss Ella Dutrow, of Detour, spent Sunday with Milton Dutrow and family.

Jesse I. Renner who underwent an operation in the Frederick City Hospital, on Tuesday, is getting along nicely.

Harvey Haugh, who had the misfortune of breaking his arm a few weeks ago is getting better.

LINWOOD.

Rev. E. M. Riddle and brother, of Indiana, spent last Saturday in Washington, sightseeing.

Miss Rachel Pfoutz is spending this week in Union Bridge, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ordella Dorsey is again home, after having spent the last three weeks nursing in the family of her sister, Mrs. Lee Crowmer, of Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Fletcher, of New Windsor, and Robert N. Patterson, of Washington, spent Sunday with John A. Englar and family.

Miss Marian Crumbacker was home for several days, the last of the week.

Miss Estee Bach, of Union Bridge, visited her friend, Grace Englar, this week.

Miss Helen Eitzler, of Sykesville, visited her mother for several days, last week.

Miss Maude Wanger, one of the teachers in the High School at Union Bridge, is boarding in the home of John E. Drach.

Lieut. John F. Buffington and Clayton Englar, of Baltimore, were in our midst last Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. William E. McKinstry were sorry to learn of her having to go to the hospital for treatment, and sincerely hope that she may speedily recover.

Miss Blanche Whitmore and Mr. Johnson, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday with Rev. Riddle and family.

Wm. Messler, who was very sick, last week, with hiccoughs, we are glad to report as greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Cronice entertained, last Sunday, the following: Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Haines and three daughters, Norman Otto and little daughter, Mrs. Beggs and children, of Baltimore; Mrs. Hummer, of Elizabeth, N. J.; Miss Grace Cronice, of Linwood; and Rev. and Mrs. Clift, of Union Bridge.

KEYMAR.

Mr. and Mrs. Koons, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday night with his brother, Scott Koons and wife.

Mrs. Ambross and son, of Deerfield, is spending some time with her sister, J. Davis, of Philadelphia, spent a few days with Marshall Bell.

Mr. Valentine attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Ervin Fair, at New Oxford, Pa., on Wednesday.

Clayton Morningstar and wife, and Reuben Bohn and wife, of Westminster, spent Sunday with Ed. Haugh and family.

R. H. Alexander and wife spent Friday in Baltimore.

Arthur Lowman has accepted a position at the Mid City Garage, in Baltimore.

Miss Barbara Gelling and Mrs. Burkmore, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Miss Minnie Gelling.

Mr. Selby and family, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Cleveland Whitmore and family.

Mrs. Fannie Sappington, who spent a few days at Unionville, with her daughter, has returned.

Mrs. Wilbur Otto is spending some time with her sister, in Baltimore.

Miss Mary Sappington is spending some time with her grandmother.

P. G. Lowman was taken ill, on Wednesday night, but is a little better at this writing.

The Red Cross room closed on Thursday last. We want to thank all the ladies who worked so faithfully and did such good work. We are sorry that a list of the work could not be published, as we expected, as the largest lot of the work was not taken account of, when sent away.

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PLEASANT VALLEY.

Corp. Frank J. Kain, who was stationed at Ft. San, Houston, Tex., has been honorably discharged, and has returned home.

Pri. Stevenson Yingling and Pri. David Feesser, both of Camp Meade, are at their respective homes, having been honorably discharged. Mr. Yingling will return to his former position in Baltimore, in a few days.

Edward Hahn is confined to his home, with an attack of bronchitis. The flu has again made its appearance in our neighborhood. A dozen or more whole families being ill with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Myers and little son, Homer, of Frizellburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Yingling.

Mrs. Nelson Bankert, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting Mrs. Lizzie Lawyer.

BRIDGEPORT.

Mrs. Paul Lawrence and children, who were visiting at the home of Wm. Bollinger, have returned to Baltimore.

Clarence Putman and three children, visited his parents, near Creagerstown, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Olinger have purchased a new automobile.

Frank Grushoon and Harry Baker made a business trip to Baltimore on Wednesday.

Walter Ohler, of Harney, was a caller at "Meadow Brook Farm" this week.

Miss Mary Baumgardner, of Four Points, spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Russel Ohler.

Harry Baker and wife, were visitors of Frank Grushoon and wife, on Tuesday evening.

Jones Baker and sister Pauline, recently visited at the home of George Harner.

Mrs. Mary Correll is among those on the sick list.

The following pupils attended Tom's Creek school every day, during January: Ruth Stambaugh, Ethel Naylor, Norman Putman, Frank Stambaugh. Those absent one day were: Paul and Aaron Putman, Clyde and Charles Naylor, Mary and Murry Baumgardner, Clarence Troxell and Ernest Harner.

UNION BRIDGE.

Mr. Strawsburg has purchased the house occupied by Frank Koons, who will take possession on April 1.

Mrs. Frank Wilson was taken to the Frederick hospital, last Monday.

The Ricketts family have been quite ill for the past week.

Improvements have been made to some of the streets, and the work is still going on.

Ruth Kessler is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Frank Lindsay is manager of the furniture department of the Waskins store.

It would be a good thing if the Legislature would revise the school laws, and allow each district to use its tax money locally. Then we would have an up-to-date equipment.

Miss Ada Little has been on the sick list, this week.

Now is the time for a citizen of this community to announce himself as a candidate, and if his one achievement will be the securing of good roads, he will be called blessed.

Houses are in demand, just now. Where were you last Sunday? Church will be the proper place next Sunday.

Revival services are being held at the M. E. church, this week.

KEYSVILLE.

Miss Ellen Valentine gave a delightful social, to a few of her friends last Friday evening.

The evening was pleasantly spent in games, music and social conversation, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Those present were Calvin Valentine and wife, Robert Valentine and wife, Peter Wilhide and wife, Misses Ellen Valentine, Dora Devilliss, Elsie Baumgardner, Vallie Kiser, Bernice Ritter, Mary Baumgardner, Anna Newcomer, Anna Ritter, Marian Wilhide and Elizabeth Weybright; Messrs. Andrew Alexander, Chas. Devilliss, Roy Kiser, Russell Stonesifer, Roy Baumgardner, Frank Alexander, Gregg Kiser, Ralph Weybright and Carroll Valentine.

John Kiser and wife entertained, on Thursday, Mrs. Guy P. Bready, Mrs. Wm. Kiser and Mrs. B. S. Miller, of Taneytown.

Guy Kiser, a student of W. Md. Seminary, filled the pulpit, on Sunday, in the absence of Rev. W. O. Bach.

Joseph Fox and wife, and Roy Moore and wife, of Troutville, spent Sunday with O. R. Koontz and wife.

Mrs. Robert Valentine and Mairan Wilhide left on Wednesday for a 10-day trip to Philadelphia.

Calvin Hahn and family entertained on Wednesday evening, Lawrence Hahn and family, of Bruceville; Mrs. Alice Hahn, of Taneytown and Roy Baumgardner.

NEW WINDSOR.

Rev. Wallace Fraser and family, of Ellicott City, spent a few days with his father this week.

Rev. Haugh, of the M. E. Church, is conducting a series of special services.

Quite a number of persons will change residences here, this Spring.

On Friday evening last, a surprise party was given for Miss Larue Hoff. About fifty guests were present.

Robert Patterson, of Washington, D. C., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, at Blue Ridge College.

Mrs. Max Zaslow, who has been visiting relatives at Philadelphia, returned home this Thursday.

Some one entered the home of Mr. Garver, on the Lee Myers farm, and took a sum of money.

Miss Eva Stouffer, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last here, with her mother.

Letters From "Our Boys."

We will be glad to publish letters, or parts of letters, from "our boys, over there," as they are bound to be very interesting to all. We will omit all purely personal references from letters, as these are not intended, nor proper, for publication.—Ed. Record.

la Bourboule, France.
January 9, 1919.

Dear Mr. Englar:

Your Christmas card reached me on the 2nd., inst., and needless to say was appreciated. Wish I could follow the suggestion on the back of the card and get every Taneytown district boy, over here, and sail for home immediately. Since that is not possible, suppose we shall have to wait our time with patience.

We are just completing our sixth month of service (Jan. 15th) on foreign soil, and in that time have experienced many circumstances. Some of which, until then, we would have thought of as impossible. We have hiked for miles with heavy packs on our backs, and at night while we should have been sleeping, slept out in shell holes or on the hill-side, rain or shine, and faced nests of enemy machine guns and artillery shell fire. Now, conditions, and naturally circumstances, have changed, and those of us who have been able to pull through the storm, are looking forward to that brighter day, when we will be permitted to return to our native land and rejoin our loved ones and friends. Do not know how soon this will be, but I am of an optimistic mind and think our time is not so far off.

Since the armistice has been signed, the only Taneytown boy I have seen is John Crapster. I get an opportunity to talk with him when I have an occasion to visit the field post-office.

At present, I am enjoying a 7-day leave, at la Bourboule, in the south central part of France. This is one of five areas prescribed by the government as leave districts. In order to get one of these leaves, a soldier must have a clean service record, and have had at least four months foreign service. The trips are an educational and lodging. While here boarding and lodging is provided for the soldier and if he is of an educative mind the Y. M. C. A. will look out for him. la Bourboule is situated in a valley surrounded by the Auvergne mountains, and is a very popular resort because of the wonderful mountainous scenery and its mineral springs. The highest peak, "pis du Stancy," of this range, is 6300 feet above sea level and after the Alps the highest in Europe.

Each day one of the Y. M. C. A. men leads a crowd out over part of this country to delve into the beauty to be found here. I have been out every day, except today, and always saw something new and beautiful. As we were coming down the path the other day a man from Garrett County said something reminded him of Mt. Lake Park. Of course my mind was turned to Mr. Englar.

Not far from here there is a large building into which water from springs of eleven different constituents is diverted. Ten of these emit hot, and one cold, water. For bathing as well as internally its value is said to be unexcelled.

Our time is about half gone and I think I am voicing the sentiment of all in saying the time passed too rapidly. Hope, however, it will not be so long before we set out on that voyage to the good old U. S. A.

Fraternally Yours,
SGT. CLYDE L. HESSON.

January 18th, 1919.

My Dear Mr. Englar:

Kindly accept my appreciation and thanks for your Christmas card, and only wish it were in my power to comply with your suggestion in chartering that little ferry and bring all the boys back "tout suite," but even though it is difficult, and a little hard for us to wait, we all may yet be surprised at the closeness of the time when we can all set foot on the good old U. S. A.

I have read with very much interest the many letters of the "boys," published by you in The Record, and as the ground has been very well covered, it is not much use for me to repeat it again, except will say that I spent quite a good bit of my time in the evenings, when off duty, about and right after the close of the Armistice, in Verdun. From what information I was able to gather, it was principally a Military City, as from five to ten thousand soldiers were kept there all the time, and about twenty to thirty thousand civil inhabitants. The citadel, the underground city, is quite an interesting place to pass through; the Meuse river, which passes through the center of the city, no doubt makes it quite a very active business center during peace times.

The Cathedral, which had all the beautiful glass destroyed in it, is also worth going to see. There are whole squares where only here and there can you see any signs of ever having been a well built house on it. Then you will go another square or so, and buildings don't seem to have a scratch on them. So such are the miracles of war. Anyway, "Fritzy" never was able to pass here and thereby pass down the Meuse Valley to Paris.

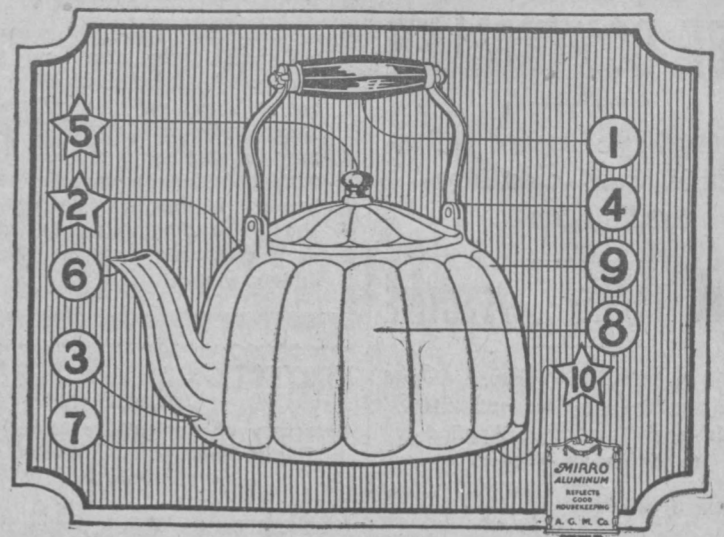
Remember me to all the boys in the office, and all the members of your family. Hoping you are enjoying good health, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
"JACK" CRAPSTER.

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TANEYTOWN, MD.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the Elias Keefe farm, 1 1/2 miles west of Tyrone, near the State Road, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 4th, 1919,

at 10 o'clock, the following described personal property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES,
1 roan horse, 13 yrs old, will work anywhere hitched; 1 black cow, 10 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 roan mare, 9 yrs old, off-side worker and driver; 1 roan horse, 17 yrs old, works anywhere hitched; 1 bay colt, coming 3 yrs old, has been worked some, is quiet and gentle; 1 pair Black Mules, coming 2 yrs old, quiet and good size.

10 HEAD OF BORNED CATTLE,
4 fresh cows—1 fresh cow and calf, 1 will be fresh in May, 1 will be fresh in the Fall; 2 will be fresh by day; 2 heifers, 2 heifers, 13 months old; 1 Durham Stock Bull, fit for service; 1 Fat Bull, will weigh 1300 lbs.

31 HEAD OF HOGS,
ranging in weight from 40 to 125 lbs.; 2 brood sows, one will farrow in March and the other has pigs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
one 4-horse wagon and bed, one 2-horse wagon and bed, 1 Bickford & Hoffman grain drill, 1 Deering mower, 1 horse rake, 1 New Way check-row corn planter, 3-block land roller, 1 pair hay cranes, 20-tooth wood-frame harrow, 1 lever harrow, 1 double walking corn plow, 2 single corn plows, 1 shovel plow, good as new; 2 furrow plows, one Syracuse No. 301 and 1 South Bend, No. 15; 1 hay fork, rope and pulleys; scoop shovel, digging iron, single, double and triple trees; log, cow and breast chains; dung and pitch forks; dung boards, 2 sets of breechboards, 4 sets lead harness, 5 collars, 5 bridles, wagon saddle, wagon line, lead reins, counting straps, check lines, 35-nets, good as new; 1 set of buggy harness, good as new; 7 halters, 1 Colony brooder stove, 2 new 7-brooders, chicken coop, 1 clover seed sower, 2 bugles, 1 rubber tire, in good shape, the other a steel tire.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,
1 Whole range, 1 Simmons 3-burner oil stove, good as new; 1 extension table, 1 center table, 1 kitchen cabinet, 6 kitchen chairs, 14 yds. of blue, carpet and matting, by the yard; 6 dining-room chairs, 3 rocking chairs, 1 bedroom suit, lot of home-made brooms, jarred fruit and preserves of all description, knives and forks, pans and dishes, 1 sewing machine, 1 kitchen safe, washing machine, wringer, iron, kettle, 1 American cream separator, 2 churns—1 a swing churn and the other a cylinder churn; 1 Red Tooter worker, cream cans, milk buckets, lawn mowers, good as new, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$10.00 a credit of 10 months will be given on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will offer at Public Sale, on his premises on the Taneytown--Emmitsburg State Road, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th, 1919,

at 10 o'clock, the following described personal property, to-wit:

5 HORSES, 2 COLTS, 1 PONY.
"Tobe," bay horse, coming 14 years old, work anywhere hitched; good driver; "Frank," grey anywhere, a fine driver and good rider; "Charlie," black horse, coming 10 years old, will work anywhere hitched, a good saddle horse; "Pet," sorrel mare, coming 6 years old, a good off-side worker and driver; "Chif," sorrel horse, coming 5 years old, a good off-side worker and driver; 2 heavy draft colts, coming 2 years old, one bay, one steel roan; "Pony," a spotted pony, coming 12 years old, is a good driver and rider, safe for any child to handle. All the horses and pony are fearless of all roads.

10 HEAD OF MILCH COWS,
3 will be fresh in the Spring; 7 in the Fall; 3 heifers, one fresh in the Spring; 2 good stock bulls, 1 fat bull; 18 head hogs, 1 brood sow, will farrow by last of March; 1 male Berkshire, will weigh about 200 lbs.; 6 shoats, will average from 25 to 60 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
one 4-in. tread, 3 1/2-in. skein wagon and bed; narrow tread wagon, one 2-horse

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- 25-12 o'clock. Alvia Hyser, near St. James' church, Cows, Hogs and Horses. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
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MARCH.

- 1-10 o'clock. Harvey Corvell, near Mt. Union. Live Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
- 1-1 o'clock. Mabel N. Copenhaver, near Black's School-house. Stock, Implements, Household Goods. George Bowers, Auct.
- 3-1 o'clock. John D. Hesson, Harney. Live Stock and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- 4-10 o'clock. Walter Keefer, near Tyrone. Live Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
- 4-10 o'clock. Harry C. Harner, 1 1/2 miles east of Emmitsburg, on state road. Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- 5-12 o'clock. John T. Fleming, on Buckley farm near New Windsor. Live Stock. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
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- 6-12 o'clock. Harry Devilbiss, on Ritter farm near Mt. Union. Live Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
- 7-10 o'clock. Chas. Hoffman, on D. W. Shoemaker farm, on Monocacy. Live Stock, Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
- 7-1 o'clock. R. F. Hartman, Auct., 1 1/2 miles west of Emmitsburg, on road to Annandale. Live Stock, Implements & Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
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- 8-12 o'clock. R. G. Shoemaker, near Harney. Live Stock, Implements and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
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- 12-1 o'clock. Luther Hess, near Bethel church. Live Stock and Implements. John Basehear, Auct.
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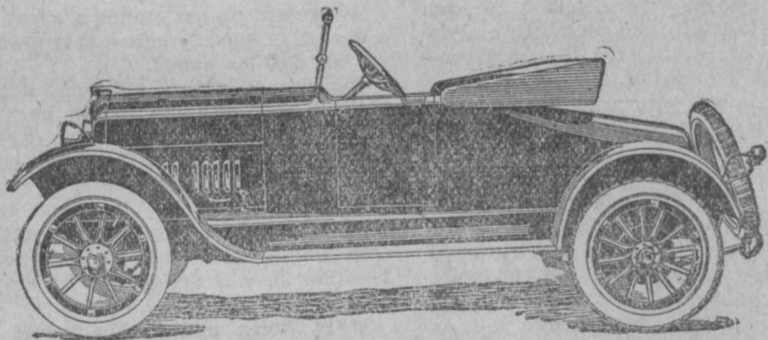
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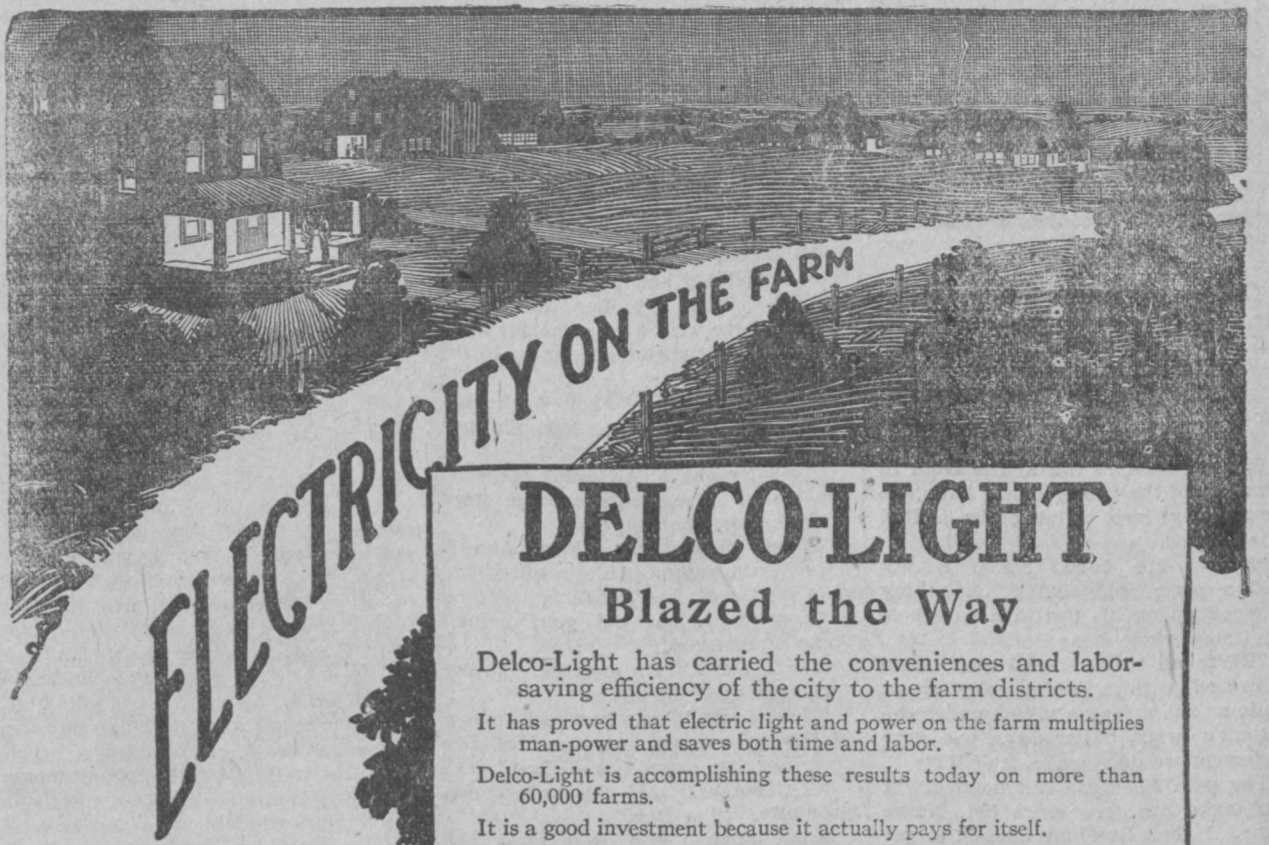
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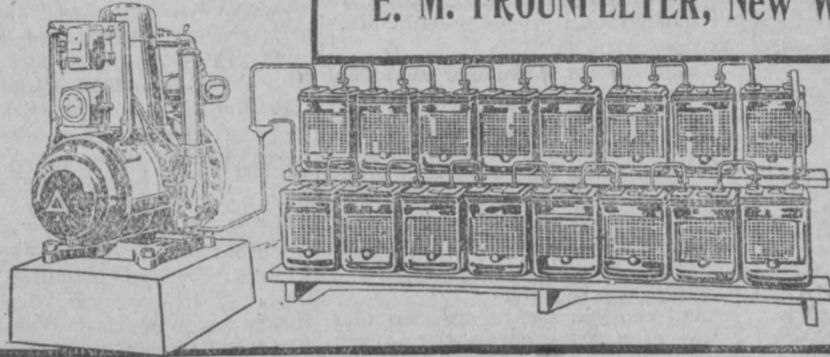
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of DANIEL HARMAN, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 7th day of September, 1919; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hands this 14th day of February, 1919.

GEO. L. HARMAN, Executor.

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CARROLL RECORD

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at Public Sale, at his premises, near Harney, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 8th, 1919,

at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following described Personal Property, to-wit:—

ONE DARK BAY MARE, coming 4 years old, an excellent worker and good size.

25 HEAD OF SHOATS, full Berkshire, weighing from 35 to 85 lbs.

ONE 2TON SHUTTLE WAGON, and bed, 2-in. tread; good home-made wagon bed, 12-ft. long; 3 1/2-ft. wide, holds 100 bushel corn; 2 scarp shovels.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, kitchen range, Penn Esther, good as new; 2 parlor stoves, New Perfection oil stove, lot stove pipe, oil heater, 2 extension tables, one a 12-ft. the other 6-ft.; sink, safe, parlor lamp, a lot dishes, knives and forks, aluminumware, irons, pots and pans, food grinder, fruit press, iron griddle, smoothing iron, oak bedroom suit, white iron bed, three-quarter size oak bed, 2 bed springs and mattresses, bureau, parlor suit, lot rocking chairs, and kitchen chairs, parlor stand, 2 couches, lot of good ingrain and home-made carpet, over 50 yards of good matting, 2 sewing machines, one a White in good condition, the other a Domestic; washing machine and tubs, iron kettle, large copper kettle, 1 small brass kettle, spinning wheel, sausage grinder, lot of glass jars, stone jars, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS.—Sums of \$500 and under, cash. On sums above \$500 a credit of 12 months will be given on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

R. G. SHOEMAKER, 2-14-3t

WM. T. SMITH, Auct.

Also, at the same time and place, and on the same terms, I will offer the following:—

2 FALLING-TOP BUGGIES, the one good as new, leather upholstered, portable top; 1 horse wagon in good condition; 1 top wagon, suitable for 1 or 2 horses, with pole and shafts; 2 sets buggy harness, 1 set good as new; 1 set 1-horse harness, 2 sets backhold straps, pair check lines, used only a few times; 1 light weight fly-net.

H. J. WOLFE.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will offer at Public Sale, on the Ritter farm, along the Middleburg and Untontown road, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th, 1919,

at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following described personal property, to-wit:—

4 HEAD BLACK HORSES,

1 mare, 11 years old, will work anywhere hitched, a good leader and driver, safe for any woman to drive; 1 mare, 14 years old, a good offside worker and driver; 1 horse, 10 years old, will work anywhere hitched; 1 horse, 3 years old, will work anywhere but lead; 1 colt.

7 HEAD OF MILCH COWS,

1 fresh by day of sale, 1 fresh in the Spring and the rest Fall cows; 1 yearling Holstein heifer or bull, 9 months, weighing about 75-lbs.; 1 brood sow.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,

4-horse wagon and bed, 1 running gear and hay carriages, home-made running gear, 3 sets of hay carriages, Deering binder, 8-ft. cut, cut about 30 acres; Deering mower, nearly new; Bricker's Favorite drill, used 3 seasons; Farmers' Favorite late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 7th day of September, 1919; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hands this 14th day of February, 1919.

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"Lady Anne's Cross"

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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The soldiers called her Nurse Anne, her friends called her Lady Anne, and she called herself merely Anne Gay. Conventionally speaking, she was Lady Anne Margaret Clevedale; her young husband, Major Reginald Clevedale, had been one of the first of his regiment to fall at the front in France and the young widow had gone strenuously into training for a Red Cross nurse.

"Nurses are born, Nurse Anne," said a poor, pale soldier, as he lay propped up on his bed in a base hospital somewhere near Paris.

"We're all born—we all die," Anne answered with a whimsically sweet smile as she moved a pillow under the patient's arm. "That's the one sure statement we dare make, isn't it?"

The pale American lad nodded. "I can make one more sure bet, Nurse Anne. I shall live long enough to get back and have one more crack at those Huns!"

"I should say you would," Anne laughed. "But I wouldn't be thinking about it yet a while."

"Let me think—it's all I can do on that or any other subject—just think and think and think!"

Nurse Anne turned away from his cot for a moment. "All right," she said gayly, when she faced him again, "and I'll go on my rounds. Perhaps some time I'll bring you a good American penny and buy some of your thoughts with it."

She had fled before he could say more.

Next day, with five other nurses, she was moved to more urgent work



"Yassum, yassum," bowed the Old Man.

nearer the battlefield, and the pale American had asked for her in vain. He thought of her lovely face each day that he lay on his cot, and afterward, when he was taken across the channel and down into sunny Bourne-mouth by the sea to convalesce with many other soldiers he always watched for that face among the crowds that passed him by. And always he was sure that he would offer her those thoughts, whether or not she had found the penny.

For Lady Anne there was little time to think of foolish penny bargains for thoughts. Her task was to cheer the last hours of many brave lads from her own country and take what messages she might from their lips.

"My cross—take it home to mother," a young southern captain told her. "You'll be going back, now that we've nearly finished this game. Keep it till you go, Nurse Anne, and give it to mother to pin on her flag."

In time Lady Anne did cross the Atlantic—the great sea made so much smaller by the world war. She had not been on her own side since she had left there a bride two months before the beginning of the Atlantic. How she had lived since then! She thought of the years of experience that had been crowded into the short five so-called years that she had been on foreign soil. She would go home again to her own people, and, after a rest, continue the profession in which she had had such wonderful experience. Thus she planned in the moments when she found time to look into the future.

Among the many messages she was carrying home personally to mothers and sweethearts of brave American lads was this one French cross of war that she had promised to deliver into the mother hands.

The cross was wrapped in a khaki silk handkerchief on which was embroidered an H. "Capt. Harold Lee," she said to herself one day, as if she were communicating with the lad who had gone, "what is it that makes me keep your medal so close to the V. C. that my own dear Reggie sent me from the front when he passed on? What is it? It is weird the way I always treasure them together—it's inexplicable. But—I've learned not to try to fathom the depths of mystery

Dame Fate spreads out before us. Something compels me to take this cross at once to your dear mother."

Lady Anne traveled well out of her way to seek the mother of Captain Lee. She did not announce her coming. She found her way up the shaded Southern street to the old red brick mansion back among the trees. She opened the gate and walked slowly up the gravel path to the white porch ahead of her.

An old colored man opened the great door hospitably and bowed low.

"Please Tell Mrs. Lee that Nurse Anne is here with a message for her," she said, quite unconventionally, to the old dandy.

"Yassum, yassum," bowed the old man, as he showed her into the cool shadowed room at her right.

Presently she heard quick steps on the stairs. They were not the steps of Mrs. Lee, she knew.

"Nurse—Nurse Anne—Nurse Anne!" a voice was saying, while a tall young man held both her hands.

"Your face, but not your name," Anne stammered.

His face fell for a moment. "You've forgotten me?" he asked.

"No—oh, no," Anne hastened to say. "I have a cross of war for Mrs. Lee from her son, Capt. Harold Lee."

"My brother," said the young man, promptly. "I'm Bob."

Anne laughed and drew away her hands. "Oh, yes," she said, recalling something sweet from her memory. "I went in search of a penny to buy your thoughts about killing Huns, didn't I?" she asked, naively.

"My thoughts—yes—but they weren't about killing Huns. But here comes mother. Oh, this is too, too good of you, Nurse Anne. Come." He took her to meet his mother in the doorway. "Mother, this is Nurse Anne Gay. She brings Harry's cross to you, and, oh, mother, it will take forever for me to tell you what she meant to me when I was in the hospital after my first skirmish."

The three sat down and untangled a part of the skein that fate had wound around them. They shed tears together, they laughed together, and, of course, being Southern, they broke bread together. Anne promised Mrs. Lee that she would return to visit them and tell them all she could remember about the dear brave soldier who had not returned.

"And can you not promise me that I may come to you even before you can get back here to see mother?" asked Bob Lee, as he said farewell to Nurse Anne at the station.

"I'd love to have you. It will mean much to my mother and father to show them a real soldier who believes I did help him over a rough place. They—they did not want me to stay; they thought I could not stand it after—after—" She stopped; she had been through too much emotional strain already.

Bob patted her hand. "Don't try to say more, Nurse Anne. Wait till I come; and as soon as I dare, for I have so much to say to you. Will you listen?"

"I'm terribly afraid I will," Anne confessed, her voice trembling. "And—and I meant not to do anything like—like this. I carried that cross home to your mother, and—and that was to be all."

"You knew it wasn't all. You knew something dragged you to me. Anne, you knew it."

"All right, I knew it," she said as she passed through the train shed. "And I'll have a nice new penny for you now."

GOLDEN TOWER OF SEVILLE

Its Marvelous Beauty, When Seen in the Setting Sun, Graphically Depicted by Writer.

As the sun is descending it is enchanting to glance back from this place in the direction of the city; the prospect is inexpressibly beautiful. Yonder in the distance, high and enormous, stands the Golden tower, and now used as a tool house, but the principal bulwark of the city in the time of the Moors. It stands on the shore of the river, like a giant keeping watch, and is the first edifice that attracts the eyes of the voyager as he moves up the stream to Seville. On the other side, opposite the tower, stands the noble Augustine convent, the ornament of the faubourg of Triana, whilst between the two edifices rolls the broad Guadalquivir, bearing on its bosom a flotilla of barks from Catalonia and Valencia. Farther up is seen the bridge of boats which traverse the water. The principal object of this prospect, however, is the Golden tower, where the beams of the setting sun seem to be concentrated as in the focus, so that it appears built of pure gold, and probably from that circumstance received the name it now bears. Cold, cold, must be the heart which can remain insensible to the beauties of this magic scene, to do justice to which the pencil of a Claude himself were barely equal. Often have I shed tears of rapture whilst I beheld it, and listened to the thrush and the nightingale piping forth their melodious songs in the woods, and inhaled the breeze laden with the perfume of a thousand orange gardens of Seville:

"Kennst du das Land we die Citronen blühen?"—George Borrow.

The Champéen. Said the near-cynic, "Some people are just naturally stingy, but the champion tightwad is the man who makes his seven-year-old daughter suck her thumb in a street car so the conductor will think she isn't old enough for a fare."

CAPRI HAS WORLD WONDER

Marvelous Beauty of Blue Grotto Elicits Admiration From All Privileged to Visit It.

The Blue Grotto is one of a number in the high cliffs on the Isle of Capri, Italy. There are several of these grottoes. There is the Red Grotto with rosy lights and gayly-tinted waters, and the Green Grotto with mossy agate-colored walls and lacy draperies of green fern, but the Blue Grotto with its silvery sands and waters and the wonderful blue dome, and blue vapor seeming to envelop everything, is conceded by most visitors to be the most beautiful of all.

The single opening of the Blue Grotto is a low arch, hardly three feet in height. The passenger lies flat in the bottom of the boat and his guide stoops low. Thus they wait until a generous wave happens along and sends the boat shooting through the opening. Once into the cave, the visitor is allowed to raise his head. The boat he rides in seems silvered and the sands and waves beneath his boat are like mercury. If the traveler dips his hand over the edge of the boat into the water it likewise turns to silver. The guide, as well as the lights and domes of the cave, assume cerulean tints and the visitor wonders if he has become permanently dyed with the color of this subterranean sky. The rocky walls at the side are black and it is hard to realize that this wonderful "La Grotto Azzurra" of the Italians is only a trick of the gay southern sunshine.

In the days of ancient Rome there were secret passages to the Blue Grotto from the villas on the cliffs, but since those days either the sea has risen or the island has sunk so that for a long period the Blue Grotto was lost to the ken of man. In 1826, it has been said, a German poet named August Kopisch dived through the present tiny opening and became the first of modern men to find himself in the azure and silver enchantment of the Blue Grotto.

PROOF THAT BEETLES REASON

Experiment Made by Scientist Shows Insects Have More Than Small Amount of Intelligence.

The psychological value of M. Fabre's work and testimony is great, quite apart from its passing interest for him who runs as he reads. Once for all he must surely have exploded the myth that instinct is reason in little, or that reason grows out of instinct. Quite obviously they are plants of a different species. He quotes Lacordaire, in his "Introduction to Entomology," referring to the burying beetles, as a glaring instance of an advocate of the reason-ex-instinct myth: "The following case, he (that is, Lacordaire) continues, recorded by Gleditsch, has every indication of the intervention of reason. One of his friends, wishing to desiccate a frog, placed it on the top of a stick thrust into the ground, in order to make sure that the Necrophori (burying beetles) should not come and carry it off. But this precaution was of no effect; the insects, being unable to reach the frog, dug under the stick, and, having caused it to fall, buried it as well as the body."—Westminster Gazette.

A Woman's Beauty.

There was once a movie queen who had ears that stuck out like door-knobs. Likewise in a moment of anger a jealous husband bit a piece out of one of them. Did it leave her a broken-hearted wreck on the shoals of beauty? It did not. She forthwith did her hair up in a cute way that covered her ears completely from the critical gaze of the public. Now every woman in the world is wearing her hair the same way. The bovines and the hatched faces are all in the same class. The girl whose greatest physical charm was her little, pink, shell-like ears now has them buried 'neath a whirlwind of hair. The fashion makes most women ugly, but they are still in fashion. Women are said to be quite clever, but a lot of them never learn how to do up their own hair to advantage.—Los Angeles Times.

How Banana Grows.

What most people regard as the top of a bunch of bananas is the bottom. In the stores the bananas hang bottom side up, the way they grow. The bunches on each stalk are called hands, the hands grow alternately on the stalk, the hands that number odd numbers are on one side of the stalk and those that number even numbers or the opposite side, and on a full stalk the number of bananas to a hand can be definitely computed, as the number of bananas in a hand contains one less than the previous hand, this being invariably true. A section of a banana divides naturally into three pieces shaped like a piece of pie. Natives of banana-growing countries always scrape the mealy coating off the banana before eating it.

Neutrality That Counts.

Companionship, business co-operation and home discipline and happiness—depend upon neutrality that knows when to refrain, withhold, submit and even to submerge one's ideas and personality for the sake of letting otherwise drab, uninteresting people or subjects come out in the clear light.

But let us not permit our neutrality to make us so indifferent and inattentive to faults or errors of indiscretion that we cannot voice some protest helpful to delinquent warring factions, whether it be in the home or in the larger workaday world.

YOUTH IS PRIDE OF ITALY

Only Twelve Years Old, but He Has Won Great Distinction as a Brave Soldier.

On going to see the army of the Grappa a writer for the Marzocco met the smallest soldier in the Italian army—a boy refugee of twelve, in the telephone service. His uniform bears distinctive marks for wounds. Besides he has been decorated. His name is Patriarca. He was born at San Daniele di Friuli. His parents died when he was very young and he worked in a carpenter's shop.

After Caporetto he left his native country, and from that day the war began for him. In the retreat he joined a detachment of arditi, and with them performed prodigies of valor. On Monte Tomba, in November, when the German hordes pressed on from the Quero to overcome the defenses of Mount Grappa and of the Piave at one stroke, he went out in a squad with several arditi. He carried three hand grenades, larger than his little hands, but the arditi had taught him to throw them like stones at the swallows.

He arrived at the lines and pushed on to a point well within the enemy lines till he reached a group of Germans, comprising a Prussian officer and three soldiers with machine guns. A grenade shot out from his hand, and it was well aimed. The officer was crushed to earth. The frightened soldiers raised their hands. The boy threatened them, gesticulating with the other bombs.

He drove the three big soldiers before him like sheep, dragging their machine gun. This story, which reads like a fable, is only a single page in the marvelous military history of Master Patriarca.—Italian-American News Bureau.

QUIET AND PATIENT PEOPLE

American Official in Russia Pays Tribute to the Good Manners of the Street Crowds.

In spite of the excesses that have marked the ascendancy of the bolsheviks in Russia, the typical Russian is a patient, kindly and orderly sort of person. Mr. Greiner, who visited Russia as a member of the American railway commission, tells the readers of Russia that he found Russians better behaved in public than Americans often are.

The trolley cars, he says, were always jammed with people, mostly by soldiers who did not pay fare. In America, in such circumstances, we find that as soon as a car stops the rule is usually each man for himself and the devil take the hindmost. It was therefore a surprise to us to observe that in Petrograd the people would of their own volition form a line and take their turn in getting on the car. We saw the same characteristic everywhere. Although there were no traffic officers on the streets, vehicles of all kinds in the most crowded thoroughfares worked their way through without undue disturbance or interference with each other.

All Russians smoke cigarettes, and the supply is short. When a dealer gets in a new stock he puts up a sign to that effect; but the people do not crowd into the store in the way that American storekeepers like to see, but form a long line on the street, each person taking his turn in getting cigarettes, and all without any confusion or apparent regulation. They followed the same procedure in getting food, especially bread and milk; we saw lines of people standing all night long in order to get an early supply in the morning. They talked to each other cheerfully and constantly and appeared to be enjoying the occasion.—Youth's Companion.

New Alloy of Great Value.

On account of the high temperature required for suitably hardening fine-edged tools of tungsten high-speed steel, Sheffield tool-makers have sought a substitute material. A new alloy produced by adding cobalt to chromium-carbon steel is reported to be best hardened by a temperature not exceeding 1,200 C. For most purposes the hardening needed is obtained when the tool is cooled naturally in draft-free air. In a comparative test saws of "cobalt crom," as the new steel is called, continued cutting four days without regrinding, while saws of tungsten high-speed steel were dulled in two days and those of carbon-steel in half a day.

German War Gardens.

In the German army, as in the American, garden patches supplemented the food ration. German military gardens in the reclaimed salient, however, were so numerous and of such size that the impression the Americans got was that the German soldiers in this sector depended largely for food upon what they themselves produced and upon what was grown by the French natives forced to work in the fields for three sons an hour.

Our captures include several thousand acres of gardens, and, although it is rather late in the season, the pickings will be far from poor for many resourceful mess sergeants.—Stars and Stripes.

Personal Reasons.

The Liberty bond squad had some interesting experiences. "I am not subscribing for this \$50 Liberty bond to please you," explained a woman, as doleful as she is wealthy. "I am doing it to please my own self." "Make it \$100," said the young selector, "and give yourself one roaring, rousing good time."

PLAITS AND PANELS MODEL



Accordion plaits and panels are very popular this season. This skirt is of lustrous black satin and the panels are edged with broad silk fringe.

CARE OF SILVER GRAY HAIR

Tonic Containing Glycerin Should Not Be Used—Ornaments Detract More Than They Add.

Gray hair, more than hair of any other color, should be beautifully arranged. The hairdresser is three-fourths of the trick of an admirable coiffure. The length, thickness, color and texture of the hair, notes a correspondent, do not matter so much, if it is beautifully undulated and becomingly coiffed. What the hairdressers nowadays can do with a skimpy little thatch of thought dome roofing is something marvelous. And they will teach you tricks of which you may well be proud.

To gray hair only certain tonics should be applied. Any tonic containing glycerin will discolor the silver sheen.

As a rule, hair ornaments detract more than they add. Brilliant ornaments or any elaborate coiffure fresco effects are suitable only for the grand hope-to-die social occasions. Shell pins are out of style. This is the day of the simple effect, of good lines and a deletion of everything that has neither meaning nor place. Hence, beautiful hair is considered sufficient unto itself, without any of the claptrap, fuss stuff for which in times agone we used to exchange our good cash, coin, spending change.

HATS MUST BE PRACTICAL

Becomingness, Serviceability, Individuality, Always Figure Prominently in All Headgear.

War has not robbed woman of her natural desire to please, but it has taught her that discrimination is a far better part than display.

At present no hat stands a ghost of a chance of success unless it is practical as well as smart.

The woman with a taste and a talent for dress realizes that a hat, no matter how beautiful or how expensive it may be, is worth to her only its measure of becomingness.

So the autumn hat is a combination "bunnet" of chic, serviceability and individuality—just such a combination as will delight the feminine heart.

It is worth noting that velvet is the vogue for all the hours of the day and night, but it is developed in so many ways and allied to such a variety of things that it never fails.

It does not now matter half so much what hat one wears as how one wears it, and the head must fit way up into the crown and the hat must droop down well over the eyes if one would not be hopelessly out of the prevailing style.

SAPPHIRE TO SUPPLANT RUBY

Precious Stone Has Increased in Price on Account of War and Imitations Are Almost Impossible.

According to advices from London jewelers, the sapphire is to supersede the ruby as a fashionable jewel. For a long time the ruby has held first place, having succeeded the sapphire in favor, which was deposed by the fashionable world, despite its magnificence of color, as it had become cheaper in price. It appears now that the ruby, while bringing high prices, is nevertheless the simplest of all stones and can readily be imitated. In fact, it is difficult to detect imitations.

Consequently the sapphire will now be preferred, it having greatly increased in price during the war and it being almost impossible to manufacture imitations.

Diamonds and pearls will, of course, continue to be worn as usual and are always in fashion. Diamonds are now at the highest price in history, and may continue to increase in price.

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 16

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 20:1-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—Luke 10:27.
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Ex. 19;
Lev. 19:18, 32-37; Matt. 5:17-46.
PRIMARY TOPIC—God gives his
commandments to Moses. Memory Verses—
John 4:8; Luke 10:27.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Giving command-
ments to the people. Memory Verses—
Matt. 23:37-40.
INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Jesus and
the ten commandments.
SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The
commandments in modern life.

The ten commandments furnish us
the world's greatest moral code.

I. The First Commandment (20:3).
"Thou shalt have no other gods be-
fore me." Means literally, "Thou
shalt have no other gods before my
face." This commandment enjoins
the obligation of single-hearted wor-
ship and service. It may be broken
by (1) living for one's self. If life's
activities center in self then one is
an idolater. (2) Making pleasure the
goal of living. (3) Being covetous
(Col. 3:5). Every one who is greedy
for gold is an idolater. (4) Actually
worshipping idols.

II. The Second Commandment
(20:4-6).
While the first commandment is di-
rected against false gods, the second
is directed against the worship of the
true God under false forms. It can
be broken by (1) the use of images
in worship; (2) putting sinful man in
the place of Christ; (3) putting God's
ordinances and institutions in the
place which he alone should have.

III. The Third Commandment
(20:7).
The Hebrew word "vain" translated
means lying, deceptive, unreal. "Guilt-
less" is from the word meaning clean,
unpunished. The meaning is that God
will not hold to be clean and will not
allow to go unpunished him who uses
his name in a lying, hypocritical man-
ner. This commandment may be broken
by (1) profanity, (2) perjury, (3)
levity and frivolity, (4) hypocrisy,
which is professing to live for God
yet living for self.

IV. The Fourth Commandment
(20:8-11).
The command to work six days is
as binding as to rest on the seventh.
The resting one day in seven applies
to servants and horses as well as to
the man and his family. This com-
mandment may be broken by (1) living
in idleness, (2) working on the day
set apart for the worship of God, (3)
engaging in carnal pleasures on the
Lord's day.

V. The Fifth Commandment (20:12).
This commandment rests upon the
fact that parents stand in their chil-
dren in the place of God. It may be
violated by (1) disrespect to parents,
(2) disobedience, (3) failure to give
proper care in old age.

VI. The Sixth Commandment
(20:13).
The sanctity of human life is due
to the fact that man was created in
the likeness and image of God. This
commandment may be broken by (1)
sinful anger (Matt. 5:22), (2) hatred
(1 John 3:15), (3) neglect of means to
preserve life, (4) oppression of the
weak, (5) suicide, (6) infanticide
(7) unrighteous wars.

VII. The Seventh Commandment
(20:14).
The sin which strikes at the home
is most deadly, for it undermines the
whole human fabric. It may be broken
by (1) unclean imaginations,
thoughts, and affections (Matt. 15:19;
5:27, 28), (2) unchaste conversation
and wanton looks (Isa. 3:16; 2 Peter
2:14, 15), (3) divorce, which is for
the most part legalized adultery.

VIII. The Eighth Commandment
(20:15).
This strikes at the sin of theft.
Many things are legally right but mor-
ally wrong. This commandment may
be broken by (1) taking what belongs
to another, (2) false weights and
measures, (3) extortion, (4) usury,
(5) "graft," (6) making assignments
to escape payment of debts.

IX. The Ninth Commandment
(20:16).
The unfalling test of a man's re-
ligion is the use he makes of his
tongue (James 1:26; 3:2-8). This
commandment may be broken by (1)
open lying, (2) perjury, (3) slander,
(4) talebearing, (5) breach of promise,
(6) withholding truth, (7) flat-
tery.

X. The Tenth Commandment
(20:17).
This commandment strikes at the
desire for things which belong to an-
other. It applies not merely to the
open violation, but to the very pur-
pose of the heart.

Religion Worth Having.
A religion that cannot be brought
into every phase of life is not worth
having; and the affairs of life that
cannot be maintained side by side with
Christ's teachings ought to be scrapped
without delay. And until the brother-
hood movement rises to its responsibility
and makes these facts plain, it
will fail to be the power it may be its
privilege to become.

A Real Cure.
Progress is the real cure for an over-
estimate of ourselves.—G. Macdonald.

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FEBRUARY 16.
Our Relation to God—Trusting,
Psalm 91:1-16

"Trusting in the Lord with all
thine heart and lean not to thine own
understanding. In all thy ways ac-
knowledge him, and he shall direct
thy paths." Here in simple terms
the life of trust is described. Instead
of leaning on ourselves we lean on
the Lord.

The word "faith" comes from a
word meaning "to prop" or "to stay."
It is to stay oneself upon another for
support and security. It implies con-
fidence in that other and the com-
mittal of all to Him. This presupposes
knowledge of the One in whom we
put our trust. 2 Timothy 1:12 illus-
trates this point. "I know whom I
have believed and am persuaded that
he is able to keep that which I have
committed to him against that day."
Knowledge, confidence, trust and com-
mittal are all bound up in this verse.

Our knowledge of God leads us to
trust Him. We can trust those who
love us if we are persuaded concern-
ing their love. Well, "herein is love,
not that we loved God but that he
loved us and sent his Son to be the
propitiation for our sins" (1 John
4:10). Faith is belief in a record
and trust in a person. The record is
that God has put away our sins in a
righteous manner. He set forth Christ
to be a propitiation,—that offering
for sin which righteousness required.
God commendeth His love towards us
in that while we were yet sinners,
Christ died for us. We believe the
record and trust the One who so loved
us as to do this.

Another part of the record is found
in 1 John 5:11, "This is the record, that
God has given to us eternal life." This
is another expression of His love and
like the matter of the putting away
of sins it is to be found and received
"in his Son." So again we believe the
record and trust the One who so loved
us.

Our trust in God leads to the sur-
render of our lives to Him. We put
ourselves quietly into His hands to be
fashioned according to His will, to be
conformed not to this world, but to be
transformed by the renewing of our
minds that we may prove what is that
good and acceptable and perfect will
of God. This submission to Him leads
to a life of separation unto Him,
"alive unto God through Jesus Christ
our Lord," quick to discern and do
Christian separation is not only a
void or vacuum but unto the doing of
His will in a life of joyous victory and
activity.

Submission and separation natu-
rally and logically lead to service, not
a service lost in the whirling of
wheels, but the service of a life fragrant
and fruitful unto God.

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good until I gave him Chamberlain's
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right away and before he had finish-
ed taking one bottle, he was cured. I
think it is just fine for children."

Impress Left by Romans.
The old Romans and still older
Celts have left their traces thickly
strewn in the place-names of the coun-
try through which the victorious al-
lied armies advanced during the latter
part of the war. Valenciennes was
named after the Roman emperor, Val-
entinian, just as Orleans was named
after Emperor Aurelian. The mark of
the Celt is seen in the dun, or fortress,
of the ever-famous Verdun, and,
though now contracted out of exist-
ence, in the towering old city of Laon,
the stronghold of the Merovingians.
The River Meuse, perhaps the river
most connected with war, has the most
peaceful of names, Meuse being Cel-
tic for the River of Meadows.

Barbara Frietchie and Young China.
The fame of Whittier's poem, "Bar-
bara Frietchie," has swept to China,
where school children in Hongkong
are interested in the native town of
the heroine of the poem. The Chinese
boys have read the poem and now de-
sire information and a picture of the
town. Reverend Mr. Bird of the Ellis
Kadoorie school, Hongkong, has writ-
ten to Mayor Lewis H. Fraley asking
for a picture postal card of the town.
The mayor has sent one of the cen-
tennial memorial books.—Baltimore
News.

Fish to Combat Mosquitoes.
An agent of the bureau of fisheries,
S. F. Hildebrand, who has been con-
ducting experiments in the vicinity of
Camp Hancock, near Augusta, Ga., has
met with noteworthy success in con-
trolling the breeding of mosquitoes by
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for munitionettes).

These foyers have been an ex-
cellent means for bettering the
physical conditions and the mor-
ale of our workers. They have
been constantly used by the wo-
men workers, who have found
there new elements of dignity
and social education.

I must thank you for bringing
this to pass, and I hope that
Y. W. C. A. work will not disap-
pear with the war, but will be
carried on in order to develop
the principles of social solidar-
ity which it has inspired.
(Signed) M. LOUCHER,
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tions Manufacture.

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more served in the cafeteria in one
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ican Lake, Wash.

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were mothers, wives, sweethearts and
friends who went to the camp to visit
their soldiers. The remainder were
soldiers themselves who broke the mo-
notony of "chow" with home cooked
meals. In addition to all these guests,
25,000 little children were cared for in
the nursery and the rest room served
70,000 tired wives and mothers.

The workers at the information
desk received and answered 97,000
questions varying from how to get the
best connections to a destination clear
across the continent, the rates of sol-
diers' insurance and the kind of cre-
tonne a girl bride should have in her
living room now that Private John is
coming home from France. Eleven
thousand of these queries required tele-
phone conversations with various
company commanders relative to hunt-
ing up a soldier whose parents had ar-
rived unexpectedly.

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Porto Rico has a cafeteria. It is the
first one established on the island, and
when it was opened in the Y. W. C. A.
Hostess House at Camp Las Casas the
natives crowded around, much amused
at the innovation. They insisted upon
having American dishes.

The house became very well known
in a short time, and a group of women
from San Juan volunteered to go out
every week to mend socks and sew on
buttons for the soldiers.

RUSSIAN PRINCESSES
LEARN TO TRIM HATS

Y. W. C. A. Saves Wife of General
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When the war work of the Y. W. C. A.
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There day after day princesses work
side by side with peasant girls, wives
of high Russian officials make dresses
or trim hats at long tables with simple,
unlettered women, and the money is
used for self support of these prin-
cesses and notable women as well as
for the peasant classes.

The need and suffering throughout
all Russia was so great at the time
the Association was established that
it was a problem to find where the
money would help the greatest num-
ber of people. It was thought best to
expend it to help capitalize organiza-
tions for giving work and permanent
opportunities to families and individ-
uals to earn their own living.

The women bring their handwork
to the Association for sale or take or-
ders to do dressmaking, millinery, etc.,
in the rooms of the society or at home.
Suitable work was found just in time
not long ago to keep the wife of one
of Russia's greatest generals from going
out as a charwoman to earn bread for
her husband, who was ill.

The Overland

Place your order NOW for that
OVERLAND CAR that you will want
in the Spring, as Cars will be as scarce
as they were last Spring. Our allot-
ment for the first six months on
OVERLANDS will be very small.

We are booking Orders now, for
a limited number only, and can Guar-
antee Deliveries on a few at this time.

Hoping to receive your order
early, and wishing you a prosperous
year.

THE TANEYTOWN GARAGE.

**OLD AGE STARTS
WITH YOUR KIDNEYS**

Science says that old age begins with
weakened kidneys and digestive organs.
This being true, it is easy to believe
that by keeping the kidneys and dig-
estive organs cleansed and in proper
working order old age can be deferred
and life prolonged far beyond that en-
joyed by the average person.

For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL
Haarlem Oil has been relieving the
weakness and disability due to ad-
vancing years. It is a standard old-
time home remedy and needs no intro-
duction. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil is
inclosed in odorless, tasteless capsules
containing about 5 drops each. Take
them as you would a pill, with a small

swallow of water. The oil stimulates
the kidney action and enables the
organs to throw off the poisons which
cause premature old age. New life and
strength increase as you continue the
treatment. When completely restored
continue taking a capsule or two each
day. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Cap-
sules will keep you in health and vigor
and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not wait until old age or disease
have settled down for good. Go to your
druggist and get a box of GOLD
MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money
refunded if they do not help you. Three
sizes. But remember to ask for the
original imported GOLD MEDAL brand.
In sealed packages.

**FEBRUARY
CLEARANCE SALE**

— AT —
HAINES' BARGAIN STORE
MAYBERRY, MD.

Sale begins Feb. 10. The big-
gest Bargains in Shoes ever
offered.

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| \$5.00 Shoes | \$2.69 |
| 4.00 Shoes | 2.25 |
| 3.00 Shoes | 2.19 |
| 2.50 Shoes | 2.00 |
| Lot Men's Large Arctics | 1.00 |
| A few Odd-sized Boys' Shoes | .75 |
| A few Women's and Child's 69c up | .50 |
| Boys' and Men's Cord and Cotton
Pants, Overall, Blouses and Work
Coats, cheap—must be sold. | |
| Men's Work Shirts | .98 |
| Men's \$4.00 Sweaters | \$2.75 |
| Men's \$1.00 Leggings | .75 |
| 50c Dress Gingham | .33 |
| 25c Gingham Prints | .15 |
| 35c Gingham | .24 |
| 40c Dress Goods | .34 |
| 50c Worsted Goods | .34 |
| 35c Muslin | .22 |
| 18c Muslin | .13 |
| 25c Canton Flannel | .15 |
| 60c Feather Ticking | .48 |
| 35c Feather Ticking | .27 |
| 25c Percale | .20 |
| \$5.00 Bed Blankets | \$3.49 |
| Big lot of light and heavy Under-
wear at a big reduction. | |
| Horse Blankets at Cost. | |
| \$1.75 Linoleum | 1.35 |
| Big lot Gloves | 10c and up |
| All Ribbons at reduced prices. | |
| Sweet Clover Table Syrup | 75c gal. |
| Big lot Batchelor Manure Forks | 90c. |
| Lot Aluminum Ware will be sold
cheap. | |
| Felt Boots | 50c and up |
| We are selling guaranteed Asbestos
Roofing. | |
| Don't fail to see the 10 to 25c table.
Come one and all and get some of
these Bargains. | |

GUY W. HAINES,
MAYBERRY, MD. 27-2t

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County:
December Term, 1919.
Estate of Samuel L. Angell, deceased.
On application, it is ordered, this 28th
day of January, 1919, that the sale of the
Real Estate of Samuel L. Angell, late of
Carroll county, deceased, made by Harry
F. Angell, Acting Executor of the last Will
and Testament of said deceased, and this
day reported to this Court by said Exec-
utor, be ratified and confirmed, unless
cause be shown to the contrary on or be-
fore the 1st Monday, 3rd day of March,
next; provided a copy of this order be in-
serted for three successive weeks in some
newspaper printed and published in Car-
roll county, before the 4th Monday, 24th
day of February, next. The report states
the amount of sale to be \$2500.00.

THOMAS J. HAINES,
Moses J. M. Troxell,
True Copy, Test: Judges.

WILLIAM ARTHUR,
Register of Wills for Carroll County.
1-31-4t

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DR. GREENWOOD

RHEUMATIC CASE.
I had been troubled for a long time with
Rheumatism. After taking a course of
treatment with Dr. Greenwood, I am now
feeling good.

EMILY L. WAGNER,
Westminster, Md.
NOW ABLE TO WORK.
I had been sick since last Spring; not
able to work. I took up treatment with
Dr. Greenwood and am now feeling well
and working hard at the oysterling busi-
ness.

CHARLES W. DEAN,
Wingate, Md.
GLAD HE IS BETTER.
I had been troubled for a long time with
a skin disease, besides felt bad all over.
I commenced treatment with Dr. Green-
wood, and am now alright.

R. S. ANDREWS,
Wingate, Md.

DR. GREENWOOD
Westminster Hotel.
WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND.
Next Visit—Monday, February 17th.
Hours: 10 A. M. to 8 P. M.

**WOMAN'S STATEMENT
WILL HELP TANEYTOWN**

"I hated cooking because whatever
I ate gave me sour stomach and a
bloated feeling. I drank hot water
and olive oil by the gallon. Nothing
helped until I tried simple buckthorn
bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Ad-
ler-i-ka." Because it flushes the EN-
TIRE bowel tract completely Adher-
i-ka relieves ANY CASE, sour stomach,
gas or constipation and prevents ap-
pendicitis. The INSTANT action is
surprising. Robert S. McKinney,
Druggist.

Advertisement

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the sub-
scriber has obtained from the Orphans'
Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters
of administration upon the estate of

CHARLES W. COPENHAVER,
late of Carroll County, deceased. All per-
sons having claims against the deceased,
are hereby warned to exhibit the same,
with the vouchers properly authenticated,
to the subscriber on or before the 28th
day of August, 1919; they may otherwise
by law be excluded from all benefit of
said estate.

Given under my hand this 7th day of
February, 1919.
MABEL N. COPENHAVER,
Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the sub-
scriber has obtained from the Orphans'
Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters
of administration upon the estate of

WILLIAM D. HESS,
late of Carroll County, deceased. All per-
sons having claims against the deceased,
are hereby warned to exhibit the same,
with the vouchers properly authenticated,
to the subscriber on or before the 4th
day of August, 1919; they may otherwise
by law be excluded from all benefit of
said estate.

Given under my hands this 24th day of
January, 1919.

JOHN E. DAVIDSON,
Administrator.

Subscribe for the RECORD

TANEYTOWN LOCAL COLUMN

Brief Items of Local News of Special Interest to Our Home Readers.

Mrs. Edward Shriver, of Hanover, visited Mrs. J. S. Bower, this week.

Maurice Hull near Taneytown, has recently had installed a Delco-Light plant.

Philip C. Stuller has bought the Mrs. Wm. H. Crebs property, near town, and will remove to it April 1.

Sergeant Martin L. Peters, Co. A., York, Pa., spent several days with his sister, Mrs. Maurice Schwartz.

Harry I. Reindollar is attending the National Hardware Dealers' Annual Convention, in Pittsburg, this week.

Miss Leah Hammond, of near Sykesville is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reindollar's, on Fairview Ave.

Chester Creager, wife and son, and Clarence Creager, of York, visited their mother, Mrs. John S. Bower, last Sunday.

Albert M. Rowe has sold his property, near town, to Jacob H. Uhler, of Baltimore, through D. W. Garner, real estate agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Valentine attended the funeral of Mr. Valentine's sister, Mrs. Ervin Fair at New Chester, Pa., on Wednesday.

Carroll C. Hess, who had been at Frederick Hospital, for several weeks, for a slight operation, is at home again and getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams and son, Herman, of Dumbarton Farm, took dinner, on Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, of Pikesville.

Fern R. Hitchcock, one of our returned soldier boys, is temporarily engaged as teacher in Miss Emma L. Reaver's room, due to the ill-health of the latter.

Merwyn C. Fuss was among the list of arrivals at Newport News, last Sunday. He will go to Camp Meade to be mustered out, and will therefore soon be home again.

Mrs. Geo. Baumgardner and son, Delmar, accompanied by her sister, Miss Louetta Currens, of York, Pa., left on Tuesday evening to visit relatives in Dayton and Fostoria, Ohio.

We have another supply of "free seed," this one from Hon. Carville D. Benson, the variety being different from the first lot—beet, carrot, lettuce, radish and watermelon. Come and get a package.

The Middle Conference of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Lutheran Church, met in the Taneytown church, on Wednesday. A number of matters of interest to the body were transacted. Miss Lizzie T. Birely, presided.

Mrs. Harry L. Baumgardner left, this Friday morning, to take a course of treatment at the Sabillasville Sanatorium. The very severe case of pneumonia she had, following the influenza, left her lungs in a weakened condition.

(For The Record.)
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Zeigler and daughter, of Hanover, spent last week at the home of Mrs. Zeigler's parents, J. Henry Hawk and family, near Littlestown. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson and grandson, of Taneytown, also spent Sunday at the same place.

Elias O. Grimes, of Westminster, paid his relatives and friends in Taneytown a surprise visit, on Thursday. Mr. Grimes still retains a warm feeling for "old Taneytown" where he lived as a youth. It goes without saying that his visit was greatly enjoyed.

William Stouffer, of near Kump, who recently bought the Ohler place, on the State Road, for \$8000, has bought the Essig land, adjoining, for \$4000, and will remove to his purchase April 1. His son-in-law, Clarence E. King, has rented his farm on the Littlestown road.

Walter C. Fringer is another of "our boys" to return home. He came on Tuesday evening, from Camp Meade, after having been detained for some time in a New York hospital. He seems in fine shape, having practically recovered from his wounds. His family and the community gladly welcome him.

We understand that the canvassing for contributions for the purchase of new fire hose, has so far met with fairly satisfactory results, especially from those who have contributed. This is an object that should meet with response from every property owner, and not from just a few. As some of the present hose has been in use 18 years, it necessarily needs replacing.

Carl, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shorb, died Thursday night. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at the house. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery.

There will be another class initiation, on Thursday night next, by the P. O. S. of A. A general attendance of the members is requested. In a sense, this will be a "Washington's Birthday" meeting, as well.

As will be seen by a special notice in this issue, Taneytown Lodge No. 36, Knights of Pythias, will have a special meeting next Tuesday evening. Officers of the Grand Lodge will be present. The Lutheran Sunday School Orchestra will furnish music and refreshments will be served. The ladies, and other friends of the Lodge, are invited.

Rev. Seth Russell Downie received news of the sudden death of his mother, last Friday morning, at her home in Harrisburg. She had been ill from asthma, for some time. Rev. and Mrs. Downie and family left for Harrisburg, at once, and remained for the funeral services, which were held on Tuesday. Mrs. Downie was 62 years of age.

A Worthy Appeal Neglected.

The reports of money contributed in the recent campaign for relief in the Bible lands show a total of \$323.72, as the contributions for Taneytown District. Other contributions reported to us have been \$31.00 from Mt. Union Lutheran church in Middleburg District, and \$15.00 from Baust church (\$10.00 from the Reformed side and \$5.00 from the Lutheran C. E. Society) in Uniontown District.

We have no way of knowing exactly how many people contributed to make up the above amounts, but about two-thirds of the amount from Taneytown District was from 136 contributors. It is clearly indicated that not more than 225 contributions were included in the whole amount. As the number of homes in the district is probably about 600, it is apparent that only a little over one-third of these have responded with even a single contribution to an appeal that ought to touch the heart of any one who knows the meaning of sympathy.

In many parts of the country, and even of this county the appeal was delayed. Even if other things are calling, it is not too late yet to help to relieve the distress in Armenia, Syria, and other places where the American Committee is doing its work. Send a contribution yet to your pastor, your bank, or to the Record Office.

THE VICTORY LOAN

The Victory Loan that will be floated in April, will likely be for Ten Billions of Dollars—Ten Thousand Millions. Will it be the last loan? Some think not. Further loans will depend on the receipts from the war revenue bill, which can not now be positively forecasted, as well as on future expenditures of the government, and on other things.

The immediate duty that concerns the country is to prepare for the coming loan; not to criticize it, nor resist it but to welcome it and make it a success. The war is over—we hope—but it has not been paid for. Even a safe and lasting peace does not mean that our financial obligations are at an end. Because the country is asked to finance another tremendous loan, does not mean that we are asked to give the government our savings. The buying of Bonds does not represent paying taxes.

Those who have not bought largely of the other issues—and there are many such—should be the ones to come to the front now and take the major part of the Victory Loan. It would not be out of place, indeed, if some compulsion was used in this direction—some effective plan of reaching the "slackers" who have not been backing up the government, but have been profiting largely by the war.

CHURCH NOTICES.

U. B. Church.—Harney: Bible School at 9:30, and preaching at 10:30 A. M.

Taneytown: Bible School at 1:30, and preaching at 2:30, P. M.

Uniontown Church of God.—Sunday School, 9, and preaching service, 10:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Frizellburg, 2:30 P. M.

Reformed Church.—Taneytown: Service at 10:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 9:15 A. M. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Heidelberg Class, Saturday afternoon at 1:30. Catechetical Class at 2:15.

Keysville.—The pastor is required to be absent on Sunday afternoon, to attend to a duty, given him by Md. Classis. There will therefore be no service at Keysville.

In Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday the pastor will preach at the morning service on "The Task of the Church in the New Age." Read the fifty-fourth Chapter of Isaiah. The evening sermon will be, "The Christian in Action."

Union Prayer Meeting service in this church, on Wednesday evening, instead of in the Presbyterian Church.

Mt. Union, Lutheran-Sunday School will be held at the usual hour, 1:15 P. M. At 2:30 there will be preaching service with sermon by Rev. L. B. Hafer, Taneytown.

Union Bridge Lutheran Church.—Sunday School, 9:30, and preaching at 10:30 A. M. Theme: "A Macedonian Call." Evening, 7:30, preaching.

Winter's Lutheran Church.—Preaching services will be conducted by Rev. W. O. Ibach, at 2:30 P. M.

Presbyterian Church.—No services on Sunday, at either Taneytown or Piney Creek, owing to the absence of the Pastor.

The Story of a Merchant Prince.

There was an old geezer and he had a lot of sense; He started up a business on a dollar-eighty cents. The dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad Brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad;

Well, he bought more goods and a little more space And he played that system with a smile on his face. The customers flocked to his two-by-four

And soon he had to hustle for a regular store Up on the square where the people pass

He gobbled up a corner that was all plate glass. He fixed up the windows with the best that he had

And he told 'em all about it in a half-page ad. He soon had 'em coming, and he never, never quit, And he wouldn't cut-down on his ads one bit.

Well, he's kept things humming in the town ever since And everybody calls him the Merchant Prince.

Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk— Why, he was doing business when the times were punk. People have to purchase and the geezer was wise— For he knew the way to get 'em was to advertise.

—Exchange.

Columbia National Bank, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Says: We were bothered quite a little by rats in our basement, destroying our stationery, but after distributing your RAT-SNAP very thoroughly, we are pleased to report that we are no longer bothered with them. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Reindollar Bros. & Co., Taneytown, Md.

—Advertisement

Horses & Mules



75 HEAD OF WEST VA. HORSES, MULES and MARES.

One pair of Brown Horses, will weigh 300 lbs.; a number of good single line leaders, for sale or exchange, at my Stables at Littlestown, at moderate prices. Will also pay the highest cash market price for Fat Horses and Mules suitable for the Southern Market.

H. A. SPALDING.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

FEBRUARY 22nd., 1919, at 2:00 o'clock, prompt on the following premises:

THE FARM, known as the Kanouff farm, situated on the road leading from Thurmont to Appold's Station, and lying along the Emmitsburg Railroad, containing

98 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, of good farming land, under good cultivation, and improved by a large Stone House, Barn, Hog Pen and Chicken House. This is a very desirable property, being of a convenient size, close to markets, schools; ideal for a dairy farm, with several springs of water on the place, and an artesian well at the back door.

TERMS—\$5.00 on day of sale; balance in two equal payments of 6 and 12 months, with approved security, bearing interest from date of sale.

W. C. MILLER, E. L. Stitely, Aucr. 2-14-19

FOR SALE.—3-year-old Horse and pacing Mare, safe for anyone to handle. —MARSHALL SENESEY, Linwood, Md. 2-7-19

S. L. FISHER, Optician, of Baltimore, will hereafter be in Taneytown, at Bankard's Hotel, every two weeks. See ad for dates. Next visit will be Tuesday, Feb. 18. Eyes examined free; glasses fitted at reasonable prices. 2-7-19

FOR SALE.—One nearly new No. 7 Range and Pipe, only used several months. Can be seen at CHAS. E. H. SHRINER'S.—MRS. GEO. W. SHRINER. 2-7-19

OLD IRON AND JUNK. Will pay highest cash prices. Old Sacks, Rags, Rubber, Copper and junk of all kinds wanted.—CHAS. SOMMER, Taneytown.

DID YOU SEE the Fordson Tractor? If not, come in and look it over. We have one on our floor at this time. Mr. Farmer, it will pay you to investigate the Fordson before you buy your Tractor.—TANEYTOWN GARAGE CO. 1-10-19

FOR RENT.—Store room 107 ft. deep, two plate glass show windows. Possession April 1. Suitable for Picture Parlor, Furniture Store, or Plumbing and Heating Room.—D. W. GARNER, Taneytown, Md. 1-17-19

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RAW FURS of all kinds wanted. Highest prices paid. C. L. Robt, Greenville, near Taneytown. 12-13-10

FARM HAND WANTED.—Single man, or married man with small family.—Apply at RECORD OFFICE. 1-31-19

FOR SALE.—Ford Touring Car, all new tires; in first-class running order.—H. C. BRENDELLE, Taneytown, Md.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

General Advertisements will be inserted under this heading at one cent a word, each issue. Real Estate for sale, Two Cents each word. The name and address of advertiser must be paid for at same rate; two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Minimum charge 15c—no 10c charges hereafter.

Real Estate Sales, minimum charge—25c. When black face type is desired, double rate will be charged.

BUTTER AND EGGS, Also Poultry, Guinea, Squabs and Calves wanted at all time at highest cash prices, 50c a head for delivering Calves. Open every evening until 8 o'clock. Hides and Furs highest prices. The Farmers' Produce, H. C. BRENDELLE, Prop.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid every day for delivery of Poultry, Butter and Eggs. Specialty, 50c for delivery of Calves all day Tuesday, or Wednesday morning.—Geo. W. MOTTER.

FOR SALE.—One fine, obedient Collie Dog; a good home required. Apply at home of Mrs. LAURA E. VAUGHN, near Taneytown.

EARLY CLOSING.—I will close my Store, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening, at 6 o'clock, beginning March 3.—J. S. BOWER. 2-14-19

WOMAN with child five years old, wishes a position with family where there are no small children, or as a housekeeper.—MRS. MABEL THOMSON, care of Dr Hitchcock, Taneytown, Md.

ONE-HORSE WAGON, home-made, good as new, for sale by D. F. EYLER, near Taneytown. Phone 48-3.

FOR SALE.—One pair of extra good black Mules, 6 years old; weigh about 1050 lbs. each.—WM. J. STONISPER, Keymar, Md. Route 1. 2-14-19

EGGS FOR HATCHING from Standard Bred Anconas, Cornish Games, White Leghorns, Golden and Silver Wyandottes, R. I. Reds, Silver Hamburgs and Black Minorcas, at \$1.25 per setting. 1 Robert Essick Brooder, in perfect order, at \$10.00.—P. D. KOONS, JR., Detour, Md. 2-14-19

FOR SALE.—One pair of black Mules, 8 years old, one a very good leader and saddle Mule, the other a good off-side worker, fearless of road objects.—MAURICE E. SCHWARTZ, along State road on the Schwartz farm. 2-14-19

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—You are wanted at a special meeting, next Tuesday evening, at 6:45 o'clock. Meeting open to the public at 7:30. Officers of the Grand Lodge will be present. Music by the Orchestra. Refreshments. Bring your wives and sweethearts. Persons interested, especially good men, come without a special invitation.

SPIDER-WEB Social at Oak Grove School, this Saturday evening. If the weather is unfavorable, then on Monday evening. All come.—RUTH LEMMON, Teacher.

NOTICE.—I am in a position to pay highest cash price for clover, mixed or timothy baled hay. Phone Hamilton, 302-J, or write—JESSE F. REISSNER, Parkville, Baltimore Co., Md. 2-14-19

FOR SALE.—3 fine Shoats, weigh from 60 to 70 lbs.—Apply to CURTIS G. BOWERS at S. C. Ott's Store, Taneytown, Md.

FOR SALE.—Fresh Cow.—RUSSELL A. MYERS, near Marker's Mill.

ENTERTAINMENT at Walnut Grove School House, Friday evening, Feb. 21, at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

WOOD! WOOD!—4 or 5 Acres of tree tops and standing timber to be cut for the half, midway between Mayberry and Pleasant Valley. Must be cleared by April 1st, 1919.—H. E. FLEAGLE. 2-14-19

MY HOUSE and LOT, in Harney, for sale or rent, all good buildings, 1 of an Acre of Land.—Apply to GEORGE MCGUIGAN or ERVIN HYSER, Taneytown, Md. 2-14-19

FOR SALE.—O. I. C. Sow and 9 Pigs.—S. C. REAVER.

SMALL ENTERTAINMENT and Box Social at Harney Schoolhouse on Saturday evening of this week.

3rd ANNIVERSARY SALE.—When you are in town, stop in to see me. Will have a lot of Goods on Special Sale. Sale will last from Saturday, Feb. 8, until Saturday, March 1. Call to see me for Specials at any time between these two dates.—L. M. SHERMAN. 2-7-19

FOR SALE.—1916 Ford Touring Car, in good condition, by GUY W. HAINES, Mayberry, Md.

WE HAVE for sale 110 bushels choice home-raised Clover Seed. It was grown in the famous "Glade Valley" near Frederick. Price 45 cts. per pound—while this lot lasts. Write or phone your order, we will reserve it.—W. F. COVER & SON, Keymar, Md. 1-31-19

FOR SALE.—One pair of Mules, 3 years old, have been broke; two pair of Mules, coming 2 years, have been broke some; one Mare coming 5 years, work wherever hitched; one Mule, coming 2 years.—HARRY M. MYERS, Tyrone, Md. Phone 37-F5. 1-31-19

MR. FARMER let me book your order for Acme Farm Wagons. No war prices on the Acme Wagons—only a very small margin over wholesale.—D. W. GARNER, Agt., Taneytown, Md. 2-31-19

WILL DO SHOE and Harness repairing until further notice; no work while waiting. Terms cash.—H. E. REEK. 12-27-11

FOR SALE.—Power Washing Machines, Hand Machines and Winners, Engines, Cutting Box, Belting, Mill Plates, Step Ladders, Extension Ladders, Corn Shellers, Wagon Jacks, Milk Cans, Wheelbarrows, etc. Write or Phone—L. K. BIRELY, Middleburg, Md. 1-24-19

SEE D. W. GARNER for prices on Silos; all kinds of Lumber and Tile Silos.—D. W. GARNER, Taneytown, Md. 1-24-19

NOTICE.—Parties having Broom-corn can deliver same at Mr. Staley's, next to Grange Building, and I will deliver brooms back.—F. P. PALMER, Phone 48-F6. 1-18-19

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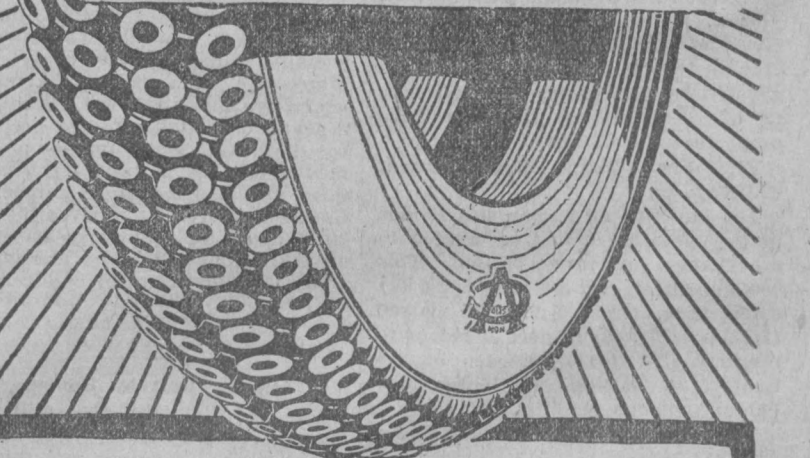
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