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FARMERS PLAN REORGANIZATION.

Not a Political "Bloc" but for
Practical Needs.

From January 10th. to 12th., at Frederick, there will be held a great convention of Farmers' organizations from six counties; Washington, Frederick, Carroll, Anne Arundel, Montgomery and Howard, which will organize in one great unit, with individual dues of \$10.00 each, which will mean an annual income of \$30,000 to \$60,000, depending on how many more of the 23 counties organize and take part in the state union. The various organizations eligible to membership are the State Horticultural Society, the Crop Improvement Association, the Dairymen's Association, the Bee-keepers and Vegetable growers, the Sheep and Tobacco growers.

According to Dr. T. N. B. Symons, head of the agricultural extension service of the University of Maryland the farmers will not form an "agricultural bloc" as has been reported, nor will they exert more pressure on the State Legislature than they ever have, he feels.

"In fact," said Dr. Symons, "the Legislature always has had a record of treating the farmers fairly."

He gave as an instance the co-operative marketing act of 1922 and the \$150,000 appropriation to test cows for tuberculosis.

Instead of the work of co-operation, of better marketing methods, of work at Washington through the National Farm Bureau, will occupy the new organizations.

"There will be no farmers' bloc propaganda in this State," he said. "The farmers will have no absolute program. It is to be expected in the future that the farmers may line up on one side and certain interests, especially of the city, may line up on the other, but nothing is further from the farmer's mind than to set up any fixed slate of demand."

"Is there any chance of a farmer-labor alliance such as has proved successful in Minnesota?" he was asked. "Not a chance," said Dr. Symons. "There are very few radicals among our farmers; their whole temperament and outlook is different. They would never break off into a new party."

Nor will the farmers attempt to enter politics and put up farm candidates, he said. He quoted a section of the Farm Bureau program, which requires any officer of such a bureau instantly to resign should he become a candidate for any public office.

Funeral of Mr. Sterling Galt.

The funeral services for Mr. Sterling Galt, of Emmitsburg, were held last Saturday, in Washington. Simple services were held at the chapel in Oak Hill cemetery, conducted by his former pastor, Rev. Herbert Smith, of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, burial following in the family lot.

His wife and two children, Sterling Galt, Jr., and Miss Virginia Galt, of New York, were at his bedside at the time of his death. These, with one sister, Mrs. Reginald Fendall, Washington, are his surviving relatives. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson is a sister-in-law. Mr. Galt had been married twice, his first wife being Miss Harriet Virginia Wingerd, whom he married in 1890. He was married to Miss Harriet Lucy Higbee in 1896.

He was educated at Emerson Institute and later Gettysburg College, Columbia University Law School, New York, and the University of Virginia. He was awarded an LL. D. degree by St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg.

Mr. Galt was first employed in New York city. He was manager of the art department of the Gorham Manufacturing Company from 1892 to 1896. In the latter year he became manager of the retail depot of R. Wallace & Sons, of New York, which position he held for two years. He removed to Emmitsburg in 1906, when he became Editor and publisher of the Weekly Chronicle and continued its editor until 1918.

The Chronicle says, "In the death of Mr. Galt, Emmitsburg lost, not one of its good friends, but its best."

Small Barn Burned.

On Saturday last, about noon, fire destroyed the barn, shed, foggery and hog house, a lot of fodder and feed, at Edward Crushong's, between Mayberry and Marker's Mill. The cause of the fire is unknown. Insured in the Carroll County Mutual for \$250.00 which will not half cover the loss. Mr. and Mrs. Crushong thank all neighbors and friends for their efforts which saved the dwelling, that would surely have burned without their help as all of the buildings were close together.

Our Sale Register.

If your sale is not in our Register, we will be glad to place it there, if you will give us the information. A few of the entries are not complete, and these will be corrected, if notified. In a few cases, we have added sales, in our territory, from Auctioneer J. N. O. Smith's list, without authority from the person having sale, and in such cases, when registration in the Record is not desired, we will drop same, on notification.

GROWTH IN THE CHURCH.

Nearly a Million New Members Reported for the Year, 1922.

The year which ended just recently was the most remarkable in religious annals of recent times in increase in membership and in the amount of money contributed.

Membership growth of American religious bodies in 1922 reached the total of 980,000 a larger increase by 245,000 than in any recent year. A striking feature is that the smaller bodies stand still in membership, or actually lose, while the steady growth occurs in the large bodies, the Roman Catholic, Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, Disciples, Episcopal and Congregational.

The actual membership now stands at 43,120,000. Episcopalians increased last year by 40,000 the largest in their history; Baptists increased also the largest in their history, especially in the south. Officials figures will not be ready before February.

Financial gifts broke all records. The total will reach very nearly \$600,000,000, an increase of at least \$170,000,000 since the end of the World War. Many religious bodies have doubled gifts to missions within the last three years, and all of the principal bodies, the Roman Catholic, Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, and Lutheran, have recast their organizations upon sound business lines not exceeded in efficiency by commercial enterprises.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1922.—Grace H. Burkholder, executrix of Ernest G. Rout, deceased, returned inventory of current money.

Carroll L. Crawford and James E. Boylan, Jr., administrators of Ernest N. Warfield, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts due and real estate.

Daniel Ohler and Harry Koons, executors of Phebe Koons, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

The last will and testament of Emanuel Schaeffer, deceased, was duly admitted to probate.

Walter T. Hape, executor of George W. Hape, deceased, returned inventory of money, reported sale of personal property and settled his first and final account.

Ira E. Whitehill, administrator of Margaret E. Whitehill, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Frank S. Rowe, executor of Emma F. Dungan, deceased, received order to sell real estate.

Wednesday, December 27, 1922.—Mary Louisa Pfoutz and G. Ernest Senseney, executors of John E. Senseney, deceased, returned additional inventory of personal property, received order to transfer the same and settled their supplemental and final account.

Letters of administration d. b. n. c. t. a., of Wesley A. Steele, deceased, were granted unto Francis Orndorff.

Letters of administration on the estate of Lydia E. Albaugh, deceased, were granted unto Morris E. Albaugh, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Susan Tudor Eckels, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto T. William Mather, Jr., and Frank W. Mather, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Jeremiah A. Kump, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Louisa Kump, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Ephraim Williams, deceased, were granted unto Susie C. Williams, who received warrant to appraise.

Mary A. Wantz, administratrix of George Z. Wantz, deceased, reported sale of stock, returned additional report of sale and settled her first and final account.

Francis Orndorff, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a., of Wesley A. Steele, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Tuesday, Jan. 2nd., 1923.—The last will and testament of George Schreeder, deceased, was duly admitted to probate.

Letters of administration on the estate of Emanuel L. Ohler, deceased, were granted unto Harry J. Ohler, Birnie S. Ohler and Joseph H. Harner, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Frank S. Rowe, executor of Emma F. Dungan, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the Court issued order n. si.

Bessie L. Smith, administratrix of Truman C. Smith, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, current money and debts due.

Susie C. Williams, administratrix of Ephraim Williams, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and debts due and received order to sell personal property.

James E. Evans, administrator of Kinsey Evans, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Abalona Stambaugh, executrix of Jacob Stambaugh, deceased, returned inventory of current money.

John Brooke Fink and J. Bernard Fink, administrators of Charles E. Fink, deceased, settled their second account.

Francis Neal Parke, executor of Sarah Fisher Roope, deceased, received order of the Court to sell real estate.

Wednesday, Jan. 3rd., 1923.—Francis Orndorff, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a., settled his first expense account.

TREASURY EXPENSE FOR AGRICULTURE

More Appropriations Than For Any
Other Class.

A dispatch to the Baltimore News, from Washington, gives the following comment and figures with reference to public expense on account of agriculture.

"The Federal Government spends more money every year for the benefit of the farmer than for any other class of the country's population, while the farmer contributes comparatively little to the expenses of the Government.

This fact has been developed by Senators who have been carefully studying the agrarian situation to determine the justice of the claims of farm bloc and the radical group for "relief for the downtrodden farmer."

With one breath the farm bloc and the radicals are asking for between \$100,000,000 and \$500,000,000 for farm credits, and \$350,000,000 for reclamation and irrigation projects, and with the next they are threatening to block the entire Administration program unless their demands are complied with.

The Agricultural Department of the Government, which is for the sole benefit of the farms, cost the taxpayers of the country \$36,404,359 for the fiscal year of 1922. Approximately the same amount is appropriated every year.

Something like \$40,000,000 is spent annually by the Federal Government for good roads. That the farm derives the greatest amount of benefit from good roads is conceded by the staunchest adherents of the agricultural bloc.

The War Finance Corporation, for the benefit of the farmers, was established in 1917 and \$500,000,000 appropriated for it. Altogether the loans authorized for agricultural and livestock purposes, including reports of agricultural products, totaled \$470,000,000. Only \$109,938,000 of that amount has been repaid to the Government. The Federal land banks are now making loans to the farmers at the rate of about \$18,000,000 a month.

Approximately \$171,873,632 has been spent by the Government since 1902 for irrigation and reclamation projects, from which the farmers obtain the major if not the sole benefits.

According to the 1920 census there are 6,448,343 farms in the United States, the holders of which are about one-fifteenth of the entire population. Only four per-cent of the farm properties made income tax returns to the Federal Government for that year, while fewer still actually paid a tax on their income. Of the \$1,625,234,643 collected in income taxes in 1920, the farmers contributed only \$12,857,665, or less than one percent.

Those Senators who have been studying the agrarian situation and the demands of the farm bloc in a non-partisan way, declare that the advocates of that group are hardly consistent when they denounce the merchant marine bill and other measures as partisan legislation and yet demand several hundred million dollars for the benefit of the farmers."

Rev. Leatherman Accepts Call.

The Rev. Clarence G. Leatherman, now pastor of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Manchester, has received an unanimous call from the Zion Lutheran Church of Hummelstown, Pa. Rev. Leatherman has presented his resignation to his present charge to become effective on February 1, 1923.

Rev. Leatherman has been pastor of Immanuel Church for the past six years of work, and his influence had not been confined only to his own parish, but has been felt in the entire community as well.

The church charge to which Rev. Leatherman has been called is located near Harrisburg, Penna., and is one of the best parishes in the Eastern Pennsylvania Synod. The church buildings consist of a handsome brown stone edifice, large stone parish house and a brick parsonage. The Sunday school enrollment is over 550 members and an active church membership of 450.

Carroll County Society Baltimore.

The fourth annual banquet of the Carroll County Society, of Baltimore City, will be held at the Emerson Hotel, on January 19th. The committee is arranging a program that will exceed anything ever held by the Society. It is expected that many residents of Carroll will attend.

W. M. Coal Train Wrecked.

Traffic on the Hagerstown division of the Western Maryland Railroad was held up on Tuesday when 10 freight cars filled with coal and destined to Harrisburg were derailed one mile east of Hagerstown. The wreck was caused by one of the engines becoming detached from the train. The train, rushing coal north, was running at a high rate of speed at the time of the derailment, and as a result the rails for some distance were torn up. Eastern trains of the Western Maryland were derailed over the Pennsylvania while wrecking crews repaired the tracks.

AUTO OWNERS WARNED.

Danger from Exhaust Gases in Cold Weather.

It is better to breathe cold air than carbon monoxide gas, in the opinion of R. W. Carpenter, professor of farm engineering at the University of Maryland, who cautions automobile owners against the danger of shutting garage doors, on cold mornings, while starting their machines.

A considerable number of people are killed every year, says Mr. Carpenter, because they do not understand that the exhaust gases from an automobile in cold weather often contain large amounts of carbon monoxide gas, which is a deadly poison. Carburetion is poor in cold weather, explains Mr. Carpenter, and instead of complete combustion which would result in carbon dioxide gas, the gasoline is only partially exploded and produces the deadly colorless and odorless carbon monoxide.

The simple remedy of opening the garage doors, while the engine is running, is Mr. Carpenter's suggestion for preventing fatalities.

Autos Cause Loss to Farmers.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—American farmers are losing approximately \$30,000,000 a year on their oats crop and probably a like amount on their hay crops through the use of automobiles, motor trucks and tractors which have largely supplanted the use of horses in the cities, according to Robert McDougal, president of the Chicago Board of Trade, in analyzing the effect of motorized hauling on the horse and grain market. Mr. McDougal believes, however, the pendulum is swinging the other way, pointing out that the prices on good draft horses are advancing.

"In 1910, there were 3,500,000 horses in the cities," said Mr. McDougal, "while in 1920 there was a trifle more than half that number. Most city horses are fed upon oats and hay. Oats prices recently averaged 65 cents below wheat prices, whereas before we began using gasoline they averaged 62 cents below wheat. This is a loss of three cents per bushel, which based upon an average crop of one billion bushels nets the farmer a tidy loss."

"There is no doubt the big power tractor has reached the saturation point. In many farming sections high-powered tractors were bought by small size farmers. It was a disastrous venture for many. In the cities, many business turned their backs upon the horse for short hauls with frequent stops. Today the farmer is feeding a yard of colts and the horse is coming into his own for short hauls. "The horse will never come back to his old place in the city, but he is going to be sure of an important place in moving several varieties of commodities."

Transfers of Real Estate.

Real Estate Improvement Co. to Uriah Peugh, \$540 for 1 1/2 acres.

Lillian B. Benson and husband to G. Vernon Rhoton and wife, \$5 for 45 sq. per.

Daniel F. Shipley and wife to Anna E. Beaver, et. al., \$10 for 7340 sq. ft.

Mary H. Gorsuch, et. al. to Mary G. Jackson, \$1 for 6243 sq. ft.

J. Herman Allender and wife to Harvey H. Nott and wife \$10 for 41 sq. per.

John Honaker and wife to Dinst T. Meade, \$7500 for 58 acres.

Maurice C. Duttera and wife to Marshall A. Myers and wife, \$5 for 1/2 acre.

Missouri Myers to Marshall A. Myers, \$10 for 2 1/2 acres.

Euliah B. Flohr to George B. Stoop \$1500 for 11,000 sq. ft.

Marriage Licenses.

Harry Vernon Harbaugh and Helen C. Ditman, Westminster.

Percy J. Bollinger and Pauline Becker, Taneytown.

William A. Blum and Jane R. Grove Baltimore.

Burnell K. Trone and Hilda J. Witmer, Hanover.

Floyd A. Barnhart and Maggie E. Garvich, Union Mills.

Paul E. Gheen and Elma A. Gremus, Baltimore.

Angelo Mocco and Banca Gerkonie, Union Bridge, Md.

Charles F. Snyder and Adeline J. Miller, Union Mills.

Lutheran Church Improved.

Grace Lutheran Church, Westminster, is being handsomely improved in the interior, with frescoed walls, and a painting of "the ascension." Furniture designed to harmonize throughout, and a new pipe organ, will soon be set up, the aim being to have the whole ready for rededication in about a month. The work will be beautiful, artistic and harmonizing.

The "Red Lantern" at Reisterstown, was raided, last Saturday, and its proprietors are held under bail for alleged violation of the prohibition laws. A hearing will be held next Tuesday. Quantities of alleged liquor were found.

An old darkey got up in meeting and said: "Brothers and sisters: 'Yo'all know, an' I know, that I ain't been what I oughter been. I've robbed hen-roosts an' stole hogs an' stole lies an' got drunk an' slashed folks with mah razah. But I thank the Lawd there's one thing I ain't never done—I ain't never lost mah religion."

PRESIDENT AGAINST LARGER PENSIONS

Measure Scored for Disregard of
Financial Situation.

The President has returned to the Senate a bill for largely increased pensions to Mexican and Civil War veterans, along with a message attacking it as a whole and specifically. He declared it would cost the Government \$108,000,000 annually and set a precedent entailing pension obligations of \$50,000,000,000 within the next 50 years. He also disapproved specially provisions giving pension rights to widows of veterans who had been married only two years.

When the bill passed the Senate, there was comparatively little discussion, but there was no roll-call and, therefore, no indication of the Senate lineup. Administration leaders indicate that they would generally stand behind the President's veto. They also said Democratic votes to sustain the veto were expected, and there was considerable doubt whether the necessary two-thirds vote could be mustered. A two-thirds vote in the House also would be required.

The veto, which was declared by attaches to be the first given a general pension measure by a President, was generally a surprise. Senator Bursum, expecting its signature before Christmas as a holiday gift to the pensioners, had arranged for the executive signature with some ceremony. The President's action came only a day before the expiration of the 10 days of statutory limit for him to affix his signature and after the bill had been referred to the Interior Department and Pension Office for study and a report.

In his message the President stated that the bill made "no pretense of new consideration for the needy or dependent" among the pensioners, and added that it was a "bestowal" upon the pension roll with "heedlessness for the Government's financial problems which is a discouragement to every effort to reduce expenditures and thereby relieve the Federal burdens of taxation."

For Hog Cholera Prevention.

Farmers throughout the state will be asked to make 1923 a Hog Cholera Prevention Year, by adopting precautionary measures against the disease, and by promptly reporting all outbreaks to the authorities, according to Dr. I. K. Atherton, inspector in charge of hog cholera control work in Maryland.

Dr. Atherton believes that there will be a very substantial reduction in the number of losses due to hog cholera, if farmers will observe more closely a few simple rules of sanitation. One of these rules involves the disinfecting of the common practice of feeding garbage, table scraps, or kitchen swill. According to Dr. Atherton, feed of this kind containing bones, rinds, or scraps of pork, is one of the most fruitful sources of the disease, and records during the past year disclose the fact that several counties of the state would not have reported a single case of hog cholera had it not been for the general practice of feeding garbage.

Among the other sources and means of spreading the disease, which Dr. Atherton mentions are; the introduction of hogs from other localities without careful examination; the failure to dispose promptly and properly of carcasses of animals which have died; and the failure to have swine protected by inoculation where warning has been given of the existence of the disease nearby.

The campaign which Dr. Atherton is planning for Hog Cholera Prevention Year will include the widespread distribution of information on the methods of preventing the disease and checking its spread and in enlisting the co-operation of farmers in guarding against it. He points out that preventative measures cost nothing and will actually save many farmers large sums of money if the number of outbreaks can be decreased. It is a farm management problem, however, he says, and can only be made effective by the active interest of the farmers.

A Herd of Buffalo Found.

In the efforts which have been made in recent years to offer adequate protection for the buffalo to prevent their extinction, every animal in North America was, it was thought, known and numbered. The United States and Canadian Governments have been taking care of this and herds have been so carefully looked after that they have increased in numbers. For instance, a herd of 700 animals purchased by Canada from the State of Colorado now numbered 7000. Not very long ago word reached the Canadian officials that a herd of 5000 animals, whose presence had not been suspected, had been observed by some hunters on the country of Northern Alberta, between the Peace and Slave rivers, near the Great Slave lake. Investigation proved the story to be true and the find is considered a very valuable one. The animals are all fine specimens and some of the bulls are said to weigh about 2000 pounds. The find has aroused so much interest that it is likely that the herd will be given some special protection by declaring the land frequented by the animals to be a national sanctuary.

COAL GAS KILLS ATTORNEY.

Defective Fire Place Stove Produced
the Fumes.

Frederick, Jan. 2.—Baker Johnson, a well-known attorney, son of the late Dr. George Johnson, and brother of Dr. William Crawford Johnson, and Thomas Leakin, a negro servant, were found dead, asphyxiated from coal gas, at the Johnson home, West Third street, tonight. Mrs. Eloise Young English, sister-in-law of Mr. Johnson, and her two daughters, Ruth 14, and Louise, 12, were made ill by the fumes. Mrs. Johnson, ill in another part of the house, was not affected.

Mr. Johnson, who had been an invalid for a long time from rheumatism, was found dead, partly dressed on his bed and the negro was dead in a chair. About three hours before the bodies were discovered Dr. William C. Johnson, prescribed for his brother. Later a trained nurse went to the house to relieve the negro attendant. She detected the fumes of gas and immediately went to the room occupied by Mr. Johnson. He and the negro were found dead, and Mrs. English and her two daughters, in bed in another room, were ill from the fumes. They were removed and soon recovered.

Prior to his illness, Mr. Johnson was an active attorney. He was a graduate of Princeton University, class of 1877, and was 65 years old. It is thought that he and the negro had been dead for more than four hours before the nurse arrived.

The gas escaped from a small fire-place stove in the dining room. Earlier in the day gas was noticed in the house, but no attention was paid to it. Shortly after 5 o'clock Mr. Johnson went from his chair to his bed and the negro sat in a chair near the bed. This was the last seen of them alive.

Because of the illness of Mrs. Johnson, her sister, Mrs. English, and her two daughters prepared supper. The three were taken ill from the fumes while preparing supper and went to their room. The timely discovery by the nurse prevented the entire household from being asphyxiated.—Balt. Sun.

Americans in Mexico.

If recognition of Mexico is not near then why the rush of Americans to the City of Mexico? It is certainly mysterious. Americans of the "better class," that is the well dressed, well fed and extremely energetic fellows, so styled, arrive here daily. Many have their wives with them. The Hotel Regis, the largest and most comfortable American hotel in Mexico, is compelled to send newcomers to annexes. What do all these persons seek here? Why do they make silent tracks to the Department of Agriculture and to the wholesale districts with obsequious guides?

Obviously they are looking for business and a sort of development that will cause them to be permanently interested in this lovely country. Few, if any, show the least disposition to go back.

The country, particularly Mexico City, is at present as near heaven as many of the hard drinkers will ever see with any pair of eyes. There is absolutely hot sunshine during the day that gives way to a cool evening and a brisk night that makes the overcoat and later the warm blanket most grateful.

Those men who show a bit of fatigue and are making preparations to go away, are men who have had a hard season of business, appointing agents and making contracts or establishing branch offices, the others are just lolling in the sunshine. They work a few hours, eat well, drink better and tell each other the sort of stories that make the bronze goddess in the foyer of the Hotel Regis blush. Wise persons know that there are good times ahead for all the world in Mexico.—Adolfo de Castro.

Freed Seed Voted Down.

By a vote of 74 to 71, members of Congress voted down an amendment in the House to appropriate \$360,000 to the agricultural bill for the distribution of free seed, which apparently puts to an end a custom which the Department of Agriculture has continued for years of sending out free seed to farmers and others. In voting down the Langley amendment the House upset a precedent of years' standing, the usual course in the past having been for the appropriation committee to eliminate the item, and for the House to vote it back into the bill.

Whether this action will stand on the final passage of the bill, remains to be seen. It has heretofore been the case that the "free seed" proposition has been voted out, then at the last minute voted in again.

Cession of the Chigi palace library to the Vatican by the Italian Government evoked an expression of gratitude last week, from Pope Pius, who declared it the best New Year's present that could be given him. By this addition, he asserted, the Vatican library becomes the most important in the world from the standpoint of the rarity of the works it contains.

A 25-year-old ordained minister and his wife have entered grammar school in the seventh grade at Beaumont, Texas. Regular attendance at school was denied them during their childhood because they lived in an isolated district. The theological seminary is his educational goal as he wishes to qualify to minister to larger congregations.

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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.

Mr. Sterling Galt.

The death of Sterling Galt, of Emmitsburg, last week, represented more than the loss of an average good citizen to his town and community, for he was above the average man in intelligence, public spiritedness, in a genial optimism that was contagious, and in that too little practiced virtue—the courteous gentleman.

Emmitsburg, especially, will greatly miss him. The town was the better, in many ways, for his having lived in it a little while, and will benefit by his good deeds that will live after him. He was progressive in spirit and in practice, and led with his convictions as well as with his financial support. His influence was for life and progress—putting Emmitsburg "on the map", and his efforts were not prescribed nor self-centred.

We feel like giving this little personal tribute, for men too often come and go, make their wider efforts, and spend their energies, without more than mere passing notice greatly to the loss of community welfare. All can not be leaders, but, all can follow good leaders and play their part for the general uplift.

"About the Same."

The Record has no special "New Year greeting" to make, and no special policy nor plans to announce for the year. In general, we suppose The Record itself will be "about the same", not greatly better, and we trust, not worse. Year in and year out, the program is varied but little; and, while persons and things are ever changing, the country weekly merely records these changes, never getting far away from a certain beaten course.

It is quite natural for us to take things "about the same." It is the one big reason, perhaps, why the country weekly settles into a sort of channel, and does not try hard to get out of it. The fact is, it is the experience of this particular fraternity that it does not pay—financially, at least—to be very good, nor to become too much tied to such things as "uplifting policies." If any man enters the country weekly editorship with the idea that outstanding morality boosting will help his business, he is egregiously mistaken.

The good people who talk most of a lot of errors that ought to be corrected, and crooked ways that ought to be made straight, take the little weekly paper's help for their pet hobbies as a matter of course, and often do not spend the price of a year's subscription in the way of recognition. This is not a pleasant statement to make, but it is the truth, backed by the experience of twenty-eight years.

It is the poorest sort of economy ever practiced, to reduce the support of local papers to the minimum. The city dailies are not noted for their "uplifting" tendencies, but aim at circulation, regardless of preaching the straight and narrow way that leads to Prohibition, Sabbath observance, and the like, and get away with profits just the same—and, it must be said, that many country papers are not unobservant imitators.

These are not new facts, nor new thoughts in the Editor's mind, but are "about the same" that occur to him, every once in a while, when he feels like chucking the whole job, as a sort of "what's the use" experiment. But the little home paper has perhaps gripped him, and he can't let loose; besides, he may be enough set in his ways—not to say, conscience—to keep on "about the same" whether others seem to care, or not.

House Money.

We are hearing a great deal these days about the "budget system" concerning expenditures, from state governments on down to business concerns, and even to family expenditures. Briefly, the "budget system"

means estimating and apportioning certain fixed sums for the various expense items encountered during a year, arrived at, of course, after as careful as possible figuring on what each item should call for.

We do not believe this plan can be worked successfully for domestic household expenses, nor is it our purpose to enter into the matter at all. What we do believe in, and advocate, is that the income earner of each home—the male head of the family, as a rule—should turn over the female head of the house, for household and her individual expenses, a certain fixed amount, each week, without too much questioning as to what she does with it, and without expecting the amount to cover the whole catalogue of house expenses.

This may not always be possible, especially in cases in which incomes are irregular, as they are quite apt to be in the country, and especially with farmers; and yet, it might be quite possible for nearly all men to maintain a regular weekly house allowance, especially when he is likely to have, undeposited, certain sums not always needed for his own end of the business.

The average woman can be safely trusted with the handling of money, economically, in many cases more so than the men; and in almost all cases are fully deserving of managing a little fund all their own way, without being required to ask the husband for every little amount she needs, and to tell what she wants it for.

As a good New Year proposition, we advise the beginning of a weekly allowance to the Mrs., and as liberal as circumstances will permit. The result will be a more cheerful atmosphere, a feeling of greater mutual interest—a stronger partnership in financial affairs, and the absence of that embarrassment that implies lack of trust, when compelled to ask for every small sum needed. Try the plan for 1923, and the chances are it will be kept up afterwards.

The amount? It can't be fixed, as there are too many variations to income and needs; but, on a guess, perhaps one-third, at least, of the weekly income. At any rate, it ought to be a mutually agreed amount, perhaps after a discussion of the "budget" question.

Prices and Acts of Congress.

Too many folks think that Congress can do almost anything, even suspend the laws of finance and economics, create wealth and regulate and stabilize prices. During the agricultural crisis of 1920 and 1921 it was stated repeatedly by many who do not stop to think that the cause of the decline in prices of farm products was "deflation" of the currency, and that Congress could cure the trouble and prevent prices from falling, nay raise prices, by simply passing a law to that effect.

The laws of economics and finance are inexorable. Congress cannot stop their operation any more than an act of Congress can cause the sun or moon to stop in their courses. The Good Book tells us that the Hebrew general Joshua caused the sun and the moon to stand still; but science tells us that Joshua did nothing of the sort. Joshua saw a phenomenon which caused him to utilize the incident to impress upon the simple minded people his supernatural power. It worked.

When prices of farm products are low, an appeal is made to Congress to raise them or prevent them from declining still further. When wheat was down to one dollar and less a bushel, Congress was urged to remedy the trouble. Now that wheat has advanced to \$1.25 a bushel, there is less demand for congressional action. The demand is for some law to stabilize prices.

Congress cannot permanently regulate prices, prevent them from falling or rising. Prices are determined by supply and demand, and by the volume of paper or credit money in circulation. High prices, in normal times mean increased demand; low prices mean increased supply. In abnormal times, for instance during the World War, prices advanced in proportion as currency inflation increased. This was simply another way of manifesting the decline in the purchasing power of the paper or credit dollar. Prices declined after the war in almost direct proportion to the reduction in the volume of paper or credit money.

No act of Congress can successfully suspend or alter the laws of finance, trade, supply and demand, or economics in general. The recent advance in the market price of wheat and corn is an indication that the balance between the prices of what the farmer has to sell and what he has to buy is being restored slowly. This is highly significant and will tend to demonstrate what straight thinkers know—that the only permanent restorer of general good times, outside of the broad program of protection, is

the free play of economic and financial laws. There is no short cut by an act of Congress to domestic felicity and happiness.—National Republican.

Mere Motions.

He who contents himself with the mere "dull, mechanic round" of a task will forever be mastered by it and stay in a rut to the end of his time on earth.

Every one of God's human creatures needs a spur or stimulus to keep him from acquiescence in a fat and safe and tame complacency. It is so easy to "stay put," to rest in a place, to decline to move or make any change, because that means trouble or risk.

It seems, to the narrow mind or the short vision, so much cheaper to repair an old machine and make it do than to get a new one; and it may be an economy to worry along with the old apparatus for a while. To spend money recklessly is not business genius. But when the time comes to part with the outworn equipment, then there must be the courage to scrap it and install the new and the improved device.

"Rather be safe than sorry." That adage of prudence has often knocked in the head a bold design. For every saying of the kind proverbial wisdom might be quoted on the other side; there is no wise saw which is not contradicted by another wise saw. "Fortune favors the brave" was said to encourage those who, with science and forethought, took a chance and were willing to try something they had not done before.

But if one's soul is of the kind that prefers to vegetate, to sit idle, to dodge risk, to evade burdens, to shirk decisions, then that soul needs education, and it needs to be roused from its nonproductive torpor. One of Sir Isaac Newton's famous physical laws is that the tendency of a body is to remain at rest till some force comes along that moves it. There have been lots of men and women who never did anything much with their lives till they encountered some strong personal influence that made them eager and striving and desirous of being useful, as they never were before. They became displeased with themselves and gave battle to their old and lazy inclinations.

When the "divine discontent" possesses the one who has not been using all of himself not employing to the limit his natural endowment, he feels that he is not justified in doing the same old thing in the same old way, in the spirit of a time-server and a hireling. He must make his little life on earth, "with darkness and the death-hour rounding it," count greatly and not meanly. He cannot satisfy his conscience, or feed the insatiable fires of his spirit, or realize his destiny, or even count as a citizen in plain and homely duties, if he is only marking time and merely clinging to life as a bivalve adheres to a rock. He was put on earth by his Maker for a great deal more than that.—Phila. Ledger.

A Good Thing—Don't Miss It.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.—Advertisement

Man's Realistic Dream Would Seem to Constitute Almost Last Word in Torture.

They were discussing dreams. "I don't believe in dreams," Roberts announced.

"I don't particularly believe in them either," Asbury agreed, "if you mean by that that they foretell the future or explain the past, but some of them are certainly most terribly realistic." "Well, what is the worst dream you ever had, anyway?" Roberts asked.

Asbury thought the matter over a moment. "The worst one I can think of now is a dream I had just a few nights ago. I dreamed I was in hell and—"

"That certainly was bad enough!" Roberts interrupted. "Yes, but wait; that's just the start of it! As I said, I dreamed I was in hell. However, I was getting along as well as could be expected, when the fall of the year came and the ragweed bloomed. My hay fever hit me with full force and I was nearly wild with sneezing when along came the old devil himself and took away my handkerchief!"—Kansas City Star.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This is a pleasant, safe and reliable medicine for coughs and colds. It has been in use for many years and is held in high esteem in those households where its good qualities are best known. It is a favorite with mothers of young children, as it contains no opium or other harmful drug. Try it when you have need of such a remedy.—Advertisement

COULD NOT BORROW ON BOND

Acknowledged Gilt-Edged Security of Little Value to Owner Unless He Would Sell.

Gilt-edged securities are not always available as assets when the owner does not want to sell them. A man from the South visited New York recently. He brought along a bond for \$1,000 issued by one of the big railroad companies, thinking that he might want some money quicker than he could get it from home. That exigency did arise.

"I wanted \$500 for a few days to complete a deal," he said, "and I took the bond to a bank. The bank officer asked if I had an account with the bank, and when I told him I was not a resident of the city he lost interest in me. Then I went to a savings bank and was told the state law prohibited such a transaction.

"On my way to another bank I passed a pawn shop, and I thought I would pawn the bond. The pawnbroker said he was not allowed to make loans on securities, that he could lend only on tangible personal property, such as diamonds, gold or jewelry. In the Wall street district I saw brokers who offered to buy the bond or sell it. I did not want to sell. I put in an entire day vainly trying to get a loan on that perfectly good bond."—New York Sun.

WHY, HE KNEW ALL ABOUT IT!

Bill Naturally Indignant at Statement That He Was Not Familiar With Political Economy.

Bill was a politician of the ward-heeler type and a fairly successful one. For years he had been content to accept such crumbs of patronage as the organization saw fit to give him. Then, all of a sudden, his wife developed ambitions and decided that Bill ought to be a member of congress. There was nothing for Bill to do but to go and see the boss about it.

The boss listened patiently to his arguments, but was unconvinced. "You've done good work for the party, Bill," he admitted, "and I'd like to help you, but this congress thing is not in your line. You haven't got the class, and you haven't got the education. Where would you be when some one of those highbrows down there began to talk about political economy? You don't even know what it is."

"I don't, hey?" retorted Bill, angrily. "You just show me a guy that gets the votes any cheaper than I do!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Surprise for the Worshipers.

Two women on a Pennsylvania railroad train, suburb-bound, were talking of—oh, just the usual things two women talk of after a day's shopping with a matinee thrown in. Said one of them: "Of course, you have heard the story they are telling in the Tuesday Afternoon club about Mrs. S—?"

Poorly suppressed interest and excitement was registered in the eager reply, "No! Do tell me." The story followed and was overheard by a joyous eavesdropper. Mrs. S—, it seems, had been kept late at an afternoon card party and had been forced to hurry through dinner in order to get to prayer meeting in time. Weary and relaxed, she sank into an exceedingly pleasant slumber from which she was only partially aroused by the preacher's softly insistent voice asking, "Will Mrs. S— lead us in prayer? Mrs. S—."

Sleepily she stirred, half opened her eyes, and, hazily recalling the afternoon's interesting game, said: "It isn't my turn. Mrs. Jones took the last trick."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Reverse Expressions.

"Two or three" always means at least three, or three and upwards. "One or two" seldom means one. "In a minute" means anywhere from five to 50 minutes. "That reminds me of a story" means "Now you keep quiet while I tell my joke." "I hold no brief for" means "I am now going to defend—." "While I do not wish to appear critical" means "But I am going to have my say out anyhow." "Of course it's no business of mine" means "I am simply devoured with curiosity." "My conduct calls for no apology and needs no explanation" is the usual introduction for an apology or an explanation. "No one could possibly have mistaken my meaning" is what we say when some one has mistaken it.—Independent.

Chrysanthemums Centuries Ago.

Six centuries before Christ the chrysanthemum gave Confucius the subject for a rhapsody; when describing the beauties of autumn, he drew attention to "its shining glory, its delicate petals hanging from around the center in sheaves of golden threads, and its tassels on which the light of the sun has been filtered ten thousand times." A thousand years after Confucius Tao Ming Yang, gardener and writer, sang of the flower in such accents of genius that the name of his native town was changed to that of Town-of-the-Chrysanthemum (Chu-Hsien, the Chu-San of today). The flower, native of China and Japan, was destined to a glorious career in both Europe and America.

Training Her Ear.

Signor Tonisilini—Your daughter has an impossible voice. Why do you wish me to teach her?

Mr. Longsuffer—I want her to learn what a horrible voice she has so she'll quit trying to sing.

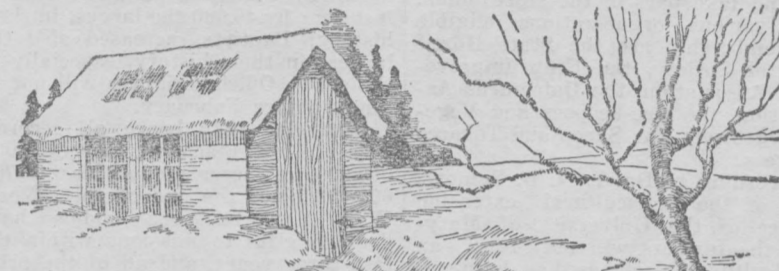
Profitable

We have had the assurance that many people have read our advertisements regularly throughout the year and that the time thus spent was considered profitable indeed.

Many customers have been drawn to this old, reliable bank through these weekly messages. Many have told us that their start toward forming the habit of saving their money was due to our repeated suggestions. We are glad to know this. Our bank is growing, our friends increasing. We thank you for your trust, confidence and patronage.

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TANEYTOWN, MD.

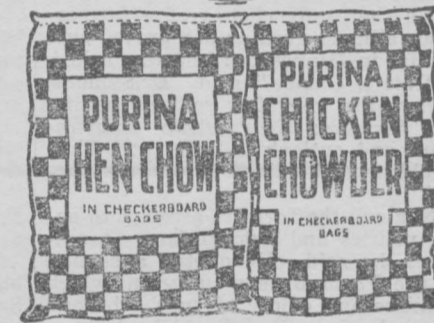


The Way to More Winter Eggs

There are plenty of fair weather hens that lay when eggs are cheap. Then cold weather comes, egg prices are highest, and those hens stop laying. Their owners lose the best winter profits.

Get More Eggs Now!

Proper feeding is the way to more winter eggs. Feed your hens Purina Hen Chow and Chicken Chowder on a guarantee of More Eggs or Money Back. You run no risk. Ask for the Checkerboard Bag.



For sale by

Taneytown Grain & Supply Company

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, State of Maryland, at the suit of Amanda I. Baker, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John J. Baker and Helen E. Baker, and to me directed, I have seized the following property, viz:

4 Dark Bay Mules, 5 Cows,

white and red, black, white and black, white and drab, white cow and calf, 2 sets of breaching harness, wagon saddle, 4 sets of lead harness, 6 collars, 5 bridles, 5 halters, 4 housings, 2 sets of flynets, lot of old harness straps, 7 cow chains, check row corn planter, 4-horse wagon and bed, choppin mill, 6-inch belt, pair check lines, grain cradle, spreader and single trees, pick, 2 jockey sticks, lead lines, 2-horse wagon and bed, Oliver gang plow, land roller, International tractor, oil drum, oil barrel, 4-horse hitch, pair breast chains, spring wagon, hay carriage.

DEERING MOWER,

drag sled, side delivery hay rake, wagon bed, manure spreader, 4-horse wagon and carriage,

CHAMPION BINDER,

hay forks, ropes and pulleys, half interest in hay that is in barn, disc harrow, disc drill, 9 forks, 2 riding corn plows, about 70 barrels of corn in crib; 11 shoats, furrow plow, 200 chickens, Chevrolet touring car, 2 lever harrows, log chain, crosscut saw, iron kettle, scoop shovel, and also household goods. And I hereby give notice that on

Tuesday, January 9th., 1923,

at 12 M., I will sell at public sale the above described property, one mile west of Taneytown on the Keysville road, to the highest bidder for cash.

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E. EDWARD MARTIN, Sheriff of Carroll County.

Your Shoes are Here.

We are showing a wonderful line of Fall and Winter Shoes, for all the family, from Baby to Grandma and Grandpa, our styles are new, our prices right and quality better than ever.

A Dandy Line of Men's Hats and Caps

We have the best line of Men's and Boys' Work Shoes that are made. We will be pleased to have you look.

J. THOMAS ANDERS

WEST MAIN STREET
Westminster, Md.

Use the RECORD'S Columns for Best Results.

Hesson's Department Store

TEN-DAY ANNIVERSARY AND INTRODUCTORY SALE!



ANOTHER YEAR of very pleasant Business Relationship has passed, and it has been our aim, during the year, to PLEASE OUR CUSTOMERS by furnishing them with the Better Grade of Merchandise at the Lowest Possible Prices, and it shall be our constant purpose to be of Greater Service to the Public in our NEW AND LARGER QUARTERS, in the future; and in order that you may be thoroughly convinced that this is our aim, and that you may become more thoroughly acquainted with our Store, we are going to make a TEN-DAY INTRODUCTORY SALE ON MERCHANDISE in every Department.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, JANUARY 6. AND ENDS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1923.

DRESS GOODS—SILK POPLIN.

85c Silk Poplins in all the leading shades, full yard wide, during this sale will be sold for 76c.

MESSALINE, \$1.39.

During this sale, all Messalines that have been selling at higher prices, will be sold for the very low price of \$1.39.

CREPE DE CHINE, \$1.58.

We will offer during this sale period, our stock of leading colors of Crepe-de-chine, that have been regularly selling at \$1.75 for \$1.58.

85c WOOL DRESS SERGE, 76c.

An all-wool Dress Serge in either brown, blue or black, 38 inches wide that sells for 85c, will be sold during this sale, for 76c.

\$1.25 WOOL DRESS SERGES, \$1.13.

A excellent quality Dress Serge, that sells regularly, at \$1.25, will be sold during our sale, at \$1.13.

SWEATERS—\$5 Ladies' Sweaters, \$4.25.

A very attractive Wool Sweater for women, that has been selling right for \$5.00 and more, will be sold during this sale at \$4.25.

\$4.25 LADIES' SWEATERS, \$3.79.

What we have left of our beautiful \$4.25 Sweaters for women, will be offered during this sale at \$3.79.

\$3.50 MISSES SWEATERS, \$3.19.

A very good quality Sweater for the growing girls, in Blue or Brown, that sells regularly at \$3.50, will be sold during this sale, at \$3.19.

\$3.00 MISSES SWEATERS, \$2.69.

They are in colors brown and peacock of good quality, and indeed a real bargain, at the price of \$3.00, our sale price \$2.69.

\$1.50 WOOL SERGE, \$1.32.

During this sale we will offer our better quality good width Dress Serges, that have been selling at \$1.50 for \$1.32.

\$2.50 DRESS SERGE, \$2.19.

Our best quality all-wool extra wide Dress Serges, in blue and black, that have been selling for \$2.50 and more, will be sold at \$2.19.

75c PLAID DRESS GOODS, 67c.

A very nice assortment of Dress Plaids, suitable for school or business wear, that sell regularly at 75c. Our sale price 67c.

\$1.25 DRESS PLAIDS, \$1.13.

A better quality good widths and beautiful patterns of Dress Plaids, part wool, that we have been selling regularly for \$1.25, will be offered during this sale period at \$1.13.

\$1.90 WOOL CANTON CREPE, \$1.69.

Our Wool Canton Crepes that have been selling at \$1.90, will be sold during this sale at \$1.69. They are extra wide, all-wool and fine texture.

LONG CLOTH, \$1.35 BOLT.

Good quality Long Cloth in 10 yard bolts, during our sale will go for \$1.35 per bolt.

LONG CLOTH, \$1.79 PER BOLT.

Excellent quality Long Cloth in ten yard bolts, will be offered during our sale, at \$1.79 per bolt.

WOMEN'S \$1.00 GRADE UNION SUITS, 79c.

A medium weight Ribbed Union Suit, for women, that we have been selling regularly for \$1.00, will be offered during this sale, at 79c.

MEN'S \$1.50 UNION SUITS, \$1.29.

Good quality standard make Ribbed Union Suits, for Men, that have sold regularly for \$1.50, will be sold during our sale at \$1.29.

MEN'S HEAVY UNION SUITS, \$1.39.

Men's Genuine Red Lable High Rock Union Suits, good heavy quality, during this sale only at \$1.39.

BOYS' HEAVY UNION SUITS, \$1.13.

An excellent quality Union Suit, for boys, that have been selling at \$1.25, will be sold during our sale at \$1.13.

MISSES' UNION SUITS, \$1.13.

The same line we have been selling right along at \$1.25, will be offered during this sale at \$1.13.

MEN'S \$1.00 SWEATERS, 89c.

Grey all cotton Sweaters, no collar, that have been selling regularly at \$1.00, will be sold during this sale, at 89c.

MEN'S \$1.50 SWEATERS, \$1.29.

Men's grey cotton Sweaters, with roll collar, good heavy quality, that sold for \$1.50, will be offered during this sale for \$1.29.

MEN'S \$2.00 SWEATERS, \$1.79.

We have only a few of these without collars in heather that sold for \$2.00, to go during our sale at \$1.79.

\$5.75 ALL-WOOL SWEATERS, \$4.98.

Most excellent quality and of fine workmanship, that have sold right along at \$6.00, in navy or heather, will be sold during our sale at \$4.98.

BOYS' \$1.35 SWEATERS, \$1.19.

Our Boys' grey roll collar cotton Sweaters, that have been selling regularly at \$1.35, will be sold during our sale, at \$1.19.

BOYS' \$2.00 SWEATERS, \$1.79.

Navy Blue Sweaters for Boys' of excellent quality, that have been selling this winter for \$2.00, will be sold at this sale for \$1.79.

\$3.75 SWEATERS FOR BOYS', \$3.29.

Boys' Navy Blue Sweaters with orange roll collar, part wool, that sold regularly for \$3.75, our sale price, \$3.29.

DRESS GINGHAMS, 13c PER YD.

Fair quality Dress Gingham, in good width, while it lasts, will be sold at 13c.

DRESS GINGHAMS, 21c.

During this sale only we will sell our line of Red Seal and Toile-du-Nord Ginghams, that have been selling at 23c and 25c for 21c.

DRESS GINGHAMS, 27c.

Our line of 32-in. Ginghams, that have been selling regularly at 30c; our sale price 27c.

BED BLANKETS—\$2 BLANKETS, \$1.78.

A good sized cotton Blanket, that has been selling regularly at \$2, will sell during this sale, at \$1.78.

\$2.50 BLANKETS, \$2.19.

Good heavy Single Blankets, large size, in plaid designs that we have been selling regularly at \$2.50; our sale price, \$2.19.

\$3.00 BLANKETS, \$2.73.

A fine heavy large sized Blanket in pairs, that we have been selling at \$3.00; our sale price, \$2.73.

\$3.50 BLANKETS, \$3.19.

They have been real values at the regular price of \$3.50. Get one of these pairs while our sale is on at \$3.19.

\$4.00 BLANKETS, \$3.55.

Fine wool Nap Blankets, large sizes, excellent quality, that have been selling at \$4; our sale price, \$3.55.

\$5.50 BLANKETS, \$4.89.

A fine large wool mixed Blanket, that has been selling at \$5.50, will go during this sale at \$4.89.

\$7.00 BLANKETS, \$6.29.

A splendid weight, extra large sized Blanket, a bargain at \$7; our sale price, \$6.29.

\$8.50 BLANKETS, \$7.59.

A fine grade all-wool Blanket, with beautiful fancy borders, large size, that sells for \$8.50 or more; our sale price, \$7.59.

LADIES' \$2.00 WRAPPERS, \$1.79.

These Wrappers are made of a fine grade of Percale, of excellent patterns and well made; our sale price only \$1.79. They are in colors gray, blue and black.

50c TABLE DAMASK, 43c.

Very nice grade of cotton Damask, color, white, about 58-in. wide, that sells regularly for 50c, will sell during our sale for 43c.

\$1.00 TABLE DAMASK, 89c.

A wide good quality Damask in either blue and white or red and white plaids, that sells regularly for \$1.00, will sell during our sale for 89c.

\$1.25 TABLE DAMASK, \$1.09.

An excellent quality of mercerized Table Damask that sells regularly for \$1.25; our sale price, \$1.09.

KOTEX, 45c PER PACKAGE.

This price prevails only during our sale.

CLOTHING—BOYS' \$6 SUITS, \$5.39.

Our line of Boys' regular \$6.00 Suits, will be sold during this sale for \$5.39.

BOYS' \$5.00 SUITS, \$4.39.

A very nobby looking two-piece Suit, for boys, that has been selling for \$5.00; our sale price, \$4.39.

BOYS' \$7.00 SUITS, \$6.25.

An excellent quality of material in this lot of Suits, that we have been selling for \$7.00, will go for \$6.25 during this sale.

BOYS' \$8.00 SUITS, \$7.19.

This fine lot of Boys' Suits, that we sell regularly at \$8.00, will go during our sale at \$7.19.

MEN'S CORD PANTS, \$3.98.

Genuine Shippensburg Cord Pants, that sell regularly at \$4.50, will go during our sale for \$3.98.

MEN'S BEST GRADE CORD PANTS, \$4.89.

The best grade of Shippensburg Cord Pants, that sell regularly at from \$5.25 to \$5.50; our sale price, \$4.89.

BOYS' CORDUROY SUITS, \$6.90.

A well made Corduroy Suit for Boys, that we sell regularly at \$7.75; our sale price \$6.90.

CORDUROY COATS, \$4.98.

The well made Shippensburg Corduroy Coat, that we sell regularly at \$5.75; our sale price, \$4.98.

WOOL KERSEY WORK COATS, \$4.75.

Our line of \$5.25 well made Wool Kersey Coats, for men, will be offered during this sale for \$4.75.

\$6.50 WORK COATS, \$5.75.

An excellent weight wool work Coat, that we have been selling for \$6.50, will be offered during this sale for \$5.75.

25c BOYS' BLACK OR BROWN HOSE, 20c.

25c MISSES' BLACK OR BROWN HOSE, 18c.

\$1.00 LADIES' DRESS WOOL HOSE, 89c.

\$1.25 LADIES' DRESS WOOL HOES, \$1.09.

OUTING NIGHT GOWNS.

Women's good quality Outing Night Gowns, that sell regularly for \$1.00; our sale price, 89c.

Women's best quality Outing Night Gowns, that sell regularly for \$1.35; our sale price \$1.19.

Men's best quality Outing Night Gowns that sell for \$1.35; our sale price, \$1.19.

OUTING SLEEPERS FOR CHILDREN, 55c.

Just the thing to keep the children warm while they sleep. These have been selling for 60c regularly, but will be sold during our sale for 55c.

\$3.00 ALUMINUM ROASTER, \$2.45.

A medium sized high grade Aluminum Roaster, that sells regularly for \$3.00; our sale price, \$2.45.

\$4.00 ALUMINUM ROASTER, \$3.39.

A fine large sized high grade Aluminum Roaster, good weight, that sells for \$4.00 or more; our sale price, \$3.39.

\$2.50 GRANITE ROASTER, \$2.19.

A good quality large sized Granite Roaster, that we sell right along for \$2.50, will be offered during our sale for \$2.19.

\$1.25 ALUMINUM DOUBLE BOILERS, \$1.09.

They are bound to go for this sale price of \$1.09, for they are indeed worth much more.

MEN'S WORK SHOES.

Men's Scout Shoes that sell regularly for \$2.00 or more; during this sale will sell for \$1.79.

Men's fine quality Scout Shoes, that we sell regularly for \$2.85, can be bought during this sale only for \$2.59.

Men's \$2.75 Heavy Work Shoes, that are well made, will go during this sale for \$2.39.

Men's \$3.00 Black Dress Shoes, during this sale, only for \$2.59.

BOYS' SHOES.

Boys' Heavy Tan Work Shoes that sell regularly for \$2.25, will sell during our sale for \$1.90.

Boys' Tan Dress Shoes, which sell regularly for \$2.90 and \$3.00, will sell at the sale price of only \$2.65.

Boys' Black Dress Shoes that sell regularly for \$2.85, will go for the sale price of \$2.60.

LADIES' SHOES.

A medium weight Tan Shoe for women, and growing girls, that has been selling regularly for \$3.00 our sale price, \$2.69.

An excellent quality Shoe for young women suitable for school or business wear, that sells regularly for \$4.25; our sale price, \$3.75.

Misses' Tan Dress Shoes that sell right along at \$2.65, will sell during this sale for \$2.35.

SALE PRICES OF MUSLIN.

Genuine Hill Bleached Muslin,	18c
Good Quality Bleached Muslin,	14c
Fair Quality Unbleached Muslin,	10c
Good Quality Unbleached Muslin,	15c
A Better Grade Unbleached Muslin,	16c
An excellent grade Unbleached Muslin,	18c

QUILTING GINGHAMS, WHILE THEY LAST, 13c

OVERALLS AND BLOUSES.

Good heavy Blue Overalls or Blouses, that sell regularly for \$1.35; our sale price \$1.23. They are Shippensburg make.

Extra heavy Blue Striped Blouses or Overalls, that sell regularly for \$1.50, and promise soon to sell for more, will sell during this sale for \$1.35.

DRESS SHIRTS FOR MEN.

Men's \$1.35 Dress Shirts of a good grade of Percale; our sale price \$1.19.

Men's fine Percale Shirts that sell regularly at \$1.50, and are well made, will be offered during our sale for \$1.35.

Men's good quality Madras Shirts, that sell regularly for \$2.00, will be offered during our sale for \$1.79.

Men's fine quality Madras Shirts, beautiful patterns, well worth their price of \$2.50, will sell during this sale for \$2.19.

This is not a sale of Merchandise bought especially for a Special Sale, but is an actual cut on goods from our Regular Stock, and these prices will only be good during the dates mentioned at the beginning of this advertisement.

N. B.—Wednesday morning, January 10th., 1923, at 8 o'clock, we will pull the curtain from our Centre Table, where you will find a Choice Lot of Remnants of Dress Goods, Percalés, Gingham, Muslins, Laces, &c.

HESSON'S DEPARTMENT STORE, - Taneytown, Md.

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

All communications for this department must be signed by the author; nor for publication, but as an evidence that the items are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted. We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesday, or by First Mail, west, on W. M. K. R. Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Last week, our Emmitsburg correspondent went to the trouble to telephone us the death of Mr. Sterling Galt, a very prominent citizen, enabling us to get the item in The Record, instead of a week later. We appreciate this very much, and of course pay such telephone charges.

It has happened frequently, during the past year, that some of our correspondents have failed to send us just single important happenings, thinking perhaps that there is no use in sending one item. Sometimes one real new item is worth a dozen of visits, or little events.

We do not care for a little extra postage expense—nor telephone charges in important emergencies. Even after the regular letter has been sent, if something important occurs we would like the second letter. Of course, we do not want to impose on good nature, nor ask too much free service, but want to assure all of our correspondents that we are not "stingy" about postage stamps when they carry news to us in time.

THE EDITOR.

FAIRVIEW.

Mrs. John Cartzendafner is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Smith, and helping to care for her grandson, Ralph, who has been suffering with stomach trouble.

The annual Christmas dinner was celebrated at the home of Mrs. John Cartzendafner, at which all her children and nearly all her grandchildren were present; also Harry Bowers, wife and children. Mrs. Cartzendafner also wishes to thank all her kind friends and neighbors for the many beautiful cards which she received, which numbered 101.

Charles Foreman, wife and daughter, Nettie Belle, and Walter Selby, called at the home of Samuel King's, on Sunday.

Lawrence Smith and son, Evan, called on the former's father, Evan Smith, who is very ill at this writing. John Cartzendafner and wife, Walter Selby, wife and son, John; Mrs. Samuel King and daughters, Margaret, Kathryn and Helen; John Miller and daughter, Anna, all spent New Year's day with Lawrence Smith and family.

Luther Carbaugh, of York, spent several days with his parents, C. J. Carbaugh and wife, G. T. Billmyer and wife, and Mrs. Wilson, all of Baltimore, also spent the week-end at the same place.

Howard Brumbaugh and wife, of New Jersey, spent several of the holidays with William Eckenrode and wife, of "Ever Green Lawn."

Mary Smith recently visited her cousin, Annie Miller, and grandmother.

Joshua Reinaman, who has been on the sick list, is improved at this writing.

Misses Annie Reinaman and Gladys Baker visited Mrs. Russell Reinaman on Friday.

David Carbaugh and sister, Sarah, visited in Westminster and Frizellburg, on Tuesday.

Little Reda Reinaman, who was threatened with pneumonia, has recovered and is able to be around again.

Mrs. C. J. Carbaugh returned home on Saturday eve, after spending a week with her son, G. T. Billmyer and wife, of Baltimore.

Levine Carbaugh is spending some time with his brother, in Baltimore.

Russell Reinaman spent Sunday with his parents, J. T. Reinaman and family.

John Wolfe, of Baltimore, visited his sister, Mrs. Emory Baust, the past week.

Emory Baust and family, entertained at dinner, New Year's day; Lewis G. Wantz, wife and children, Luyetta and Lloyd; Wilbur Wantz and wife, Mrs. Marshall Myers and son, Irvan, of Uniontown; John Wolfe Marie Bollinger and Daniel Fiscel.

Miss Esther Beach returned on Monday evening to take up her school duties as principal here.

KEYSVILLE.

There will be no Lutheran preaching, this Sunday, at this place. Sunday School, at 9:30, Sunday morning.

Mrs. James Kiser and son, Roscoe, spent Sunday with the former's sister: at Fountain Dale, Pa.

Maurice Clabaugh, wife and family, of Middleburg, spent Sunday at C. W. Young's.

Miss Blanche Creager, of Baltimore, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Charles Van Fossen and other relatives.

Thomas Fox and wife, visited Joseph Fox, near Woodsboro, on Sunday.

Miss Anna Ritter and Russel Stonesifer, visited friends in Westminster, Wednesday.

Norman Baumgardner, wife and daughter, Mildred, spent the week-end at Peter Baumgardner's.

John and David Meding, of Sparrows Point, visited John Kiser and wife, a few days last week.

Chicken Pox is the latest fashion among the children here.

MT. UNION.

Lella Saylor and Belle Myers visited, Susie Birely, Friday.

Mrs. Glenn Reberts is visiting with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Grimes and Clinton Nusbaum, of Good Intent, spent Sunday with U. G. Crouse.

Wm. Hahn and wife and children, spent one day with Luther Hahn and family, near Mayberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rentzel and children, of Uniontown, visited U. G. Crouse and family, Thursday last.

Glenn Reberts and son, Garrison, spent New Year's with Mrs. Reberts, in Walkersville.

U. G. Crouse, wife and daughters, Lola, Esther and Dorothy, spent New Year's day with Walter Rentzel, in Uniontown.

Howard Davis and wife, spent Sunday with John Davis and family.

BRIDGEPORT.

Jacob Stambaugh, wife and children; Harry Fleagle, wife and daughter; Mrs. Elmer Motter and children, and Master Charles Hobbs, spent Thursday evening of last week at the home of Emory Ohler and family.

Clarence Naill, wife and two children, of Harney, spent one day last week with Wm. Naill, wife and family.

Russell Ohler, wife and three sons, spent Friday with John Baumgardner and wife, of Fourpoints.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

After being entirely deserted for two weeks, Blue Ridge sprang into the lime-light again on Tuesday evening with the return of the students from their Christmas vacation. Practically all of the girls and boys were back by Wednesday morning when work began at 8:30, and all professed great joy at being back; whether this was real or assumed will never be known. The only thing that makes you reflect over their enthusiastic statements is to listen to the descriptions of turkey dinners, marshmallows, sleighing, skating and gay parties, and then compare this with intricate Greek, grinding mathematics and many other student problems, and then you are made to wonder whether or not they are really glad to be back.

Basketball practice under Coach Blethen is being earnestly carried on in preparation for the important games which now face the squad. On Friday night Penn State Forestry five will invade New Windsor, and if their basketball team in any way compares with the baseball nine which they turned out last spring, a fast game is assured.

Prior to the Varsity game on Friday night, the second team will encounter the Westminster High School five. The Westminster boys have yet to lose a game this season. Up to the present time their string of consecutive victories amounts to five. This should be an interesting game as Blue Ridge has some husky men on her reserve quint.

Girls' basketball is going nicely and several games are to be played within the next few weeks.

LINWOOD.

Miss Lois Robertson, of Warfieldsburg, is visiting her uncle, E. B. Garner and family.

Mrs. Harry Long, daughter Marie and son, Elsworth, spent the week-end with friends at Keymar.

L. U. Messler, wife and son, Frank, C. U. Messler, wife and son, Charles, were entertained, on Thursday, by Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Messler, of Johns-ville.

Mrs. Elmer Barnes and son, Billy, visited friends in Westminster, during the week.

Mrs. Robert Etzler and children, have returned home after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Metcalfe, of Libertytown.

Mrs. Joseph Langdon and son, James, of New Windsor, Mrs. John Albough and son, Jack, and Miss Mollie Carter, spent Friday with Mrs. Laura Etzler.

Robert Patterson and wife, of Washington, and Thomas Miller, of Baltimore, were visitors at John A. Englar's, during the week.

Mrs. L. U. Messler will entertain the W. M. S., at her home Friday evening, Jan. 12. Leader, Mrs. Joseph Dayhoff.

Howard Plaine, of Penora, Iowa, was a caller at J. W. Messler's, on Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Messler and daughter, Adelaide, spent Saturday with John S. Messler and family, of Union Bridge.

Mrs. Martha Englar and daughter, Miss Vivian, were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. L. Shriner and family, of Westminster.

Robert Myers is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

KEYMAR.

Mrs. William Zentz spent Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Nora Ambrose, of Thurmont.

Miss Irene Davis has returned to Keymar, after spending the holidays with her parents, at Cumberland.

John Leakin and family had as their guests, this week, Allen Fogle and family, Harry Clabaugh and wife, and Elwood Hilderbrand, of Johnsville.

We are glad to see John Drenning back at this office, after spending the holidays with his wife's parents, in Ohio.

Otto Bell and family, near Frederick, were guests at the home of his brother, W. M. Bell and wife this week.

Mrs. Fannie Sappington entertained, during the holidays, Artie Angell and family, and Mrs. Edward Gamble, of Baltimore; Sterling Grumble and family, of Unionville; Mary, Francis, Peaire and Shriner Sappington, of Hagerstown; Reuben Alexander and wife, of Taneytown.

Mrs. Wilbur Otto entertained at dinner, on Sunday, Mrs. Elizabeth Abra, Harry Stonesifer and wife, near Emmitsburg; Charles Haugh and wife, Detour; Catherine, Ruth and Kenneth Koons, near Keymar.

UNIONTOWN.

Rev. J. H. Hoch and family, spent the holidays with relatives in Pennsylvania. Their children not being well, Mrs. Hoch did not return with Mr. Hoch.

G. Fielder Gilbert and family entertained quite a company of relatives and friends, Tuesday evening, Dec. 26, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Talbott who were recently married.

Miss Effie Wagner spent the week in Baltimore.

Monday, Hugh Heltbridge, LeRoy Haines, Edward and Will Caylor, and Horace Simpson, left for Wilmington, Del., where they expect to be employed by some car construction company.

Mrs. Flohr, formerly Miss Avis Ecker, resigned her position as assistant in our school, and Mrs. H. B. Fogle accepted the same and will teach the remainder of the school year.

The body of Mrs. Margaret L. Roberts, daughter of the late Augustus and Caroline Shriver, was brought here on New Year's day and buried in the M. P. cemetery.

Miss Martha Haines, who has been an invalid in the home of Milton Shriner, the past year, suffered a stroke of paralysis latter part of the week, and passed quietly away Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 2, aged 85 years. Funeral was held Thursday, Jan. 4, sermon and burial at Mt. Union Lutheran Church, in charge of her pastor, Rev. J. E. Lowe.

Samuel Talbott has accepted a position at the Linwood elevator, made vacant by the resignation of Alfred Zollickoffer, who with his wife are contemplating an extended visit to California.

The Week of Prayer services have been very helpful. The speakers at the Bethel were: Rev. J. E. Lowe, Sunday evening; Elder W. P. Englar, Monday; and Rev. Earl Cummings Tuesday night; Wednesday and Thursday evenings at M. P. Church, and Friday and Sunday night in the Lutheran Church.

List of interments in Uniontown cemeteries, 1922: Methodist Protestant; Mrs. Emma P. Duncan, June 28; Amos Dutera, August 2; Miss Louisa Harbaugh, October 5. Hill cemetery, Mrs. Emma Susan Betts, Feb. 22; Sallie E. Yingling, March 1; Infant Dingie, August 15. Lutheran: Mrs. Clementine Mering, April 8; Miss Marie Angel, June 30; Miss Louisa A. Eckard, August 20; Garfield Rout, November 12; George W. Lambert, December 7th.

Bilious Headache.

When you have a severe headache, a disordered stomach and constipation, take three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will correct the disorders of the liver and bowels, effectually curing the headache.

—Advertisement

UNION BRIDGE.

Emory Baugher met with a painful accident while handling a revolver. The bullet entered his hand.

Mr. Leforge entertained the heads of departments with a New Year dinner.

Miss Cleo Pittinger has returned to her duties in the Baltimore schools.

The shirt factory has resumed operations, having closed for the holidays.

Mr. Banks and family have returned from the Eastern Shore where they visited the home folks.

Mrs. Charles Devilbiss, of Middleburg, visited her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Kelso, in New York, last week.

Some of our colored men celebrated with booze and bullets last week.

Mrs. Chas. Angel and daughter were in New York last week.

Mrs. S. D. Senseney entertained the Women's Club, on Saturday.

Fording the creek is hazardous, especially with automobiles. One spent Sunday night in the water.

Santa Claus should not bring air rifles for the boys. They are dangerous.

Do not forget to date your letters 1923.

CLEAR DALE.

Master Bernard Selby has returned to his home at Hagerstown, after spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blizard.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Eckenrode entertained the following guests at dinner, on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Amos Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Feeser and sons, Bernell and Donald, of Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckenrode, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spalding and daughter, Elizabeth, and sons, Malcolm and Fred, of Eckenrode's Mill; Misses Irma and Oneida Collins, Messrs Jennings Collins and John Smith, of near Two Taverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crouse and Miss Rena Mirkle, of Columbia, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crouse.

Mrs. Samuel Hawk and Miss Catherine Sauerwein spent Tuesday at Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lockner and daughters, Edna and Odetta, and son Harvey, and Clarence Hoover, of Glen Dale, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blizard.

The quarantine has been lifted from the homes of William Bankert and Harry Byers. At this time there are no cases of scarlet fever in this immediate neighborhood.

A Wedding Reception.

(For the Record.)

A wedding reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fream, on Jan. 1, in honor of their son, John Ernest Fream. The day was spent very pleasantly in music and social conversation.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Fream, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fream, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wantz, Mr. and Mrs. John Fleagle, Mrs. Lovie Ridinger, Misses Annie Dern, Louella Riffle, Alice Fream, Laura Fream; Messrs Walter Koomtz, Howard Kump, John Harman, Walter Fream, Charles Wantz and Roland Fleagle.

AWARD HONOR TO CONFUCIUS

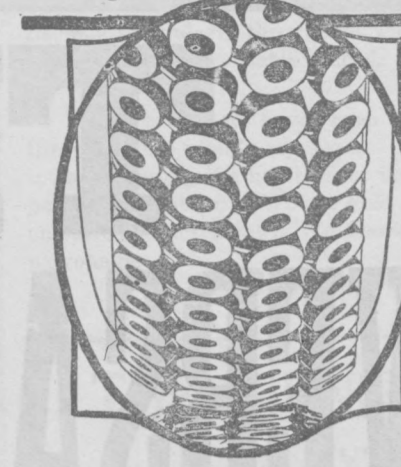
Earliest Idea of the "Shadow Show" Said to Have Been Recorded 500 Years B. C.

That the earliest idea of a moving picture was recorded in the time of Confucius, the Chinese philosopher who lived 500 years before Christ, is the deduction drawn from study of the question by Will Day, a well-known figure in the English film world, who has exhibited in London a collection of relics and machines tracing the growth of the moving picture from the first primitive idea to its present form, says an exchange.

The "shadow shows" of Confucius are the first of all known endeavors to present animated pictures. The next period of progressive achievement is found in 1646, when Athanasius Kircher published a book in Latin entitled "Ars Magna lyncus et Umbræ," in which a description and illustration are given of a moving picture which the writer had evolved with mirrors and a tallow candle for illumination.

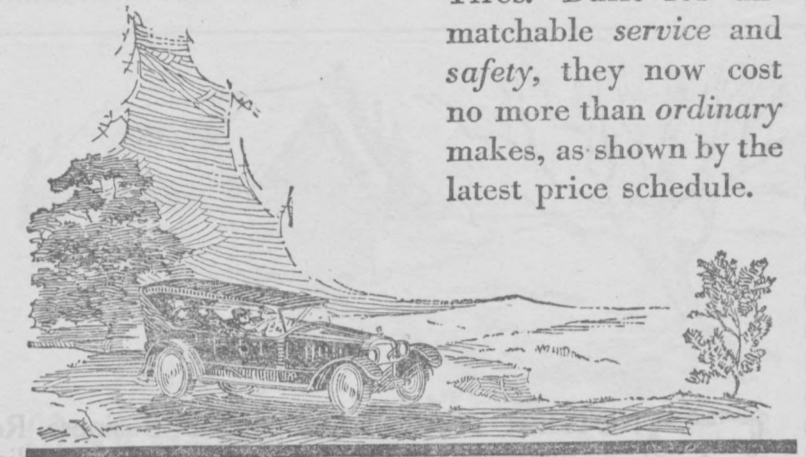
Included in the collection is the original disk which Eadweard Muybridge used to settle the controversy between two American millionaires on the Alto Palto race course as to whether the four feet of a trotting horse were off the ground at the same time.

Pennsylvania
VACUUM CUP TIRES



HERE are the **H**enduring, massive cups, famous the country over for "The Sound of Safety."

Whatever the roads and distance, they are no barrier to Vacuum Cup Tires. Built for unmatched service and safety, they now cost no more than ordinary makes, as shown by the latest price schedule.



Reindollar Brothers & Co.
LEADING HARDWARE DEALERS

LARGE AUCTION SALE.

As I am going out of business my first auction sale will be held on

Saturday, Jan. 6, 1923,

starting promptly at 12:00 o'clock. Be sure to be on hand. All seasonable articles will be sold, such as

Underwear for Men, Women and Children. Hosiery of all kinds. Shoes for the whole family, Overshoes, Arctics, Gum Boots and Felt Boots, Men's and Boys' Pants, Men's and Boys' Overalls and Shirts. And many other articles if the time allows.

If you do not come, you will be sorry, as the goods will be sold regardless of price.

I will sell private, my show case, scales, tables, or any of my fixtures.

Respectfully,
C. B. WINTER, Ladiesburg, Md.

If not fair, will be held the following Tuesday.
12-29-2t

TRY A SACK OF

"Gilt Edge" Flour

ON SALE AT

WM. M. OHLER'S Store

A Coupon, good for one 12-lb. Sack of Flour, in every barrel of Flour, redeemable at Ohler's Store. 12-29-tf

Valuable Cut.

A conservative old lady was once discussing with her son-in-law the what seemed to her curious fact that a certain Mr. Ketchum had been able to effect on entrance into the homes of the fashionable set.

"In my day," said the old lady, "a man with his table manners would not have been considered a desirable addition to any dinner company. Why, he has no idea how to use his knife and fork!"

"No-o," said the young man, slowly, "that's perfectly true; but his ability to cut coupons is such that they overlook his awkwardness with steak, fish and game."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Gift of a Tightwad.

Jeff Doakes was known far and wide for his economical habits, and gloriied in them.

"I'll bet, Jeff," remarked an acquaintance, "that you didn't even spend money to buy your wife a birthday present this year."

"Well, yes," admitted Doakes regretfully. "I weakened a little when her birthday came around. I went and spent \$2 puttin' an ad in the paper that she takes in sewin.'"—American Legion Weekly.

UNWORTHY RULER OF ROME

History Accords Low Place to Commodus, Whom Fortune Capriciously Lifted to High Estate.

Commodus was a Roman emperor, notorious for his cruel and voluptuous character. He was endowed with extraordinary strength, and often appeared in imitation of Hercules, dressed in a lion's skin and armed with a club. To display his skill and strength in arms he appeared publicly in the amphitheater. As his opponents were armed with weapons of tin or lead, while he was encased in impenetrable armor, he had naturally an easy victory on every occasion. For his amusement he cut asunder persons, put out their eyes, and mutilated their noses, etc.

Commodus was strangled by the gladiator Narcissus, who was hired to commit the deed by Marcia, the mistress of Commodus, who had plotted with members of his official family, to put him out of the way. When he died the senate declared him an enemy of the state, ordered his statues to be broken to pieces, and his name to be erased from all public inscriptions.—Detroit News.

TEST TO PROVE FORTITUDE

Indian "Braves" Subjected to Hideous Torture Before They Were Classed as "Warriors."

The Sun dance was a ceremonial performance in which the young Sioux aspirant gave that final proof of endurance and courage which entitled him to the honors of a full-fledged warrior.

The afterward famous Rain-in-the-Face, in submitting to this test, hung suspended for two days with the rawhide rope through deep slits in his back over the kidneys, while he taunted his tormentors, and sang his war songs, and boasted of his deeds.

BIRD HAS CHANGED ITS COLOR

Circumstances Somewhat Rare, but Not Unknown to the Students of Ornithology.

The leopard may not be able to change his spots, but the feathers on the ground finch of Chimbo valley in western Ecuador have changed their color. This mystery was explained to the American Ornithologists' union meeting in Chicago by Dr. Frank M. Chapman, curator of birds of the American Museum of Natural History.

The ground inhabiting finch ranges from Mexico to southern Peru. In all this 5,000-mile stretch of country these birds have a conspicuous black throat band and underparts of gray and white.

Doctor Chapman said that this different dress was not due to environment, but one of the rare instances in which such a change had been detected in birds.

Passing of the Cousin. Cousins seem to be much less in evidence than they once were.

Remember when everybody not only had cousins but addressed them as cousin, says a writer in Colliers. It was "Cousin Fred, do have more asparagus," or "How are Cousin Jim's hives?" Today one seldom hears a cousin referred to as such.

Cuckoo Lays Smallest Egg. The ostrich, of all extant birds, lays the largest egg in actual dimensions.

The smallest birds' eggs are those of the minuter species of hummingbirds. Nevertheless, the cuckoo lays the relatively smallest egg.

Blue Heron Feeds on Fish. Some persons call the great blue heron a "squawk-bird," because of its peculiar call, which is a squawk. Others call it a "crane." It is more water-bird than crane, however, and feeds largely on fish.

In the spots from which he has not yet been driven by man and his various noises and methods of destruction, the heron is an industrious and patient hunter.

"The Grace of God." Grace of God is an expression from the writings of St. Paul, who frequently used the term grace in the sense of a gift which enables those who have it to do that which they could not do without it.

BROOMS—Bring in your broomcorn. I am making brooms again, this winter.—F. P. Palmer, Taneytown, Phone 40-R. 12-8-tf

FARM FOR RENT—130 Acres, near Mayberry and Baust Church. Possession April 1, 1923.—Apply to Clayton E. Myers, Westminster. 11-17-tf

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SPECIAL NOTICES

SMALL ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted under this heading at One Cent a word, each week, counting name and address of advertiser—two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Minimum charge, 15 cents.

REAL ESTATE for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents. APPLY AT RECORD OFFICE ads not accepted—but will receive sealed replies. No personal information given.

THIS COLUMN is specially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc. ALL NOTICES in this column must be uniform in style.

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.

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for Butter, Eggs, Calves and Poultry, at the New Produce House, formerly Schwartz's Produce. 50c for delivery of Calves.—W. A. Myers, Phone 57-M. 6-20-tf

FOR SALE—Two used International Feed Grinders, in very good condition, at an attractive price.—C. E. King.

DENTISTRY—I will again visit Taneytown for the practice of my profession, on Jan. 9, 1923, and as long as my services are required, at Hotel Carroll.—Dr. A. W. Sweeney, Dentist. 1-5-tf

FOR SALE—One used Empire Cream Separator; two used Sharples Cream Separators, in good running order, priced for quick sale.—C. E. King.

TWO GOOD SLEDS, with top, for sale by Baumgardner & Baumgardner, Taneytown.

FOR SALE—One used International Engine, in good mechanical condition.—C. E. King.

BIG TEN DAY SPECIAL SALE at Hesson's Department Store. See full page ad in this issue, and take advantage of genuine price reductions.

FOR SALE—Owing to lack of room, I will sell a small pen of large Fancy Pigeons cheap.—Bowers' Pigeon Lofts, Taneytown, Md. Phone 61-F-5.

WANTED.—Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Hides, Furs, Lard, Squabs and Calves at highest prices. 50c a head for delivering Calves. Open every evening until 8 o'clock.—H. C. Brendle's Produce. 1-5-3tf

FOR SALE—2 Holstein Cows, carrying second calves, will be fresh this month.—P. H. Shriver.

LOST—Keys to Savings Bank Lock Box. Finder return to Wm. M. Ohler, Sr.

FOR SALE—Six large Shoats, and a good Fodder Shredder.—R. C. Hiltner.

WANT 3000 Old Pigeons, at once.—H. C. Brendle. 1-5-2t

CUSTOM HATCHING. I have started my hatchery. Those who want chicks hatched this month for broilers, should let me know at once.—Bowers' Chick Hatchery, Taneytown, Md. Phone 61-F-5. 1-5-2t

FOR SALE—Pair of Goats, a set of goat harness, and wagon.—Mrs. Grace Burkholder, Copperville.

LEFT OVER—Several Boxes fine Stationary, good value, one-third off regular price for ten days if they last that long.—McKinney's Drug Store.

SILO 8x20 ft., practically new, for sale by D. F. Eyer, Phone 48-F-3, Taneytown.

SUPPER in Firemen's Hall, Saturday evening, January 20, by Lutheran Mite Society.

A GOOD NEW YEAR'S Resolution.—I will remember to call up Square Deal Garage when my car or truck is in need of any repairs, because I will get quality work at reasonable prices. Phone 7-R Square Deal Garage, Taneytown. 1-5-4t

2 FAT HOGS will dress about 175 each. For sale by—Percy V. Putman

POTATO CHIPS—Can be had on short notice, in small or large quantities, from Mrs. John Byers, (nee Sherman). Will deliver same. 12-29-3t

CHOPPING DONE Monday, Wednesday and Friday each week.—Frank Harman. 12-29-3t

WHIZ ANTI-FREEZE Compound, alcohol and glycerine, will keep your radiator from freezing. A gallon at 90c is enough for most cars.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 12-29-2t

FOR SALE—2 Pure bred Holstein Bulls, one 15 months old, nicely marked, the other 3 weeks old, seven-eighths white.—Curtis L. Roop, Keymar, Md. 12-29-2t

FOR RENT—My house on farm, near town.—L. W. Mehring, Taneytown. 12-29-2t

EGGS, STOCK AND CHICKS that live and grow. Place your order now and get your chicks when you want them. White Leghorns, Reds, Black Minorcas; bred to lay and to win.—S. V. Williams, Keymar, Md. 12-8-8t

BARGAINS IN REGISTERED Guernseys—Young Bulls, a cow and heifer; also bull calves, from 5-gal. grade cows.—Summit Farm, Blue Ridge Summit, Pa. 12-22-3t

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SALE REGISTER

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JANUARY. 10-1 o'clock, John Shirk, Mgr. Wood by the Cord, and Rails, on New Fair Ground, Taneytown. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

MARCH. 7-12 o'clock, Daniel J. Null, on the old Spangler farm, near Basehart's Mill. Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

5-12 o'clock, George Baker, near Copperville, Live Stock. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

6-11 o'clock, Ray Parrish, near Union Bridge, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

8-10 o'clock, D. J. Smith, on Goulden farm, along State Road, Stock, Implements, Household Goods. E. L. Stitley, Auct.

9-11 o'clock, Edward Bankard, near Taneytown, Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

10-10 o'clock, Samuel Harner, in Harney, Stock and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

12-10 o'clock, Newton Eckard, near Uniontown, Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

13-11 o'clock, Roy Hiner, near Baust Church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

14-11 o'clock, Birnie S. Ohler, near Walnut Grove, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

15-12 o'clock, J. Frank Null, north Taneytown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

16-10 o'clock, Thomas Fritz, near Uniontown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

17-12 o'clock, William Fagle, near Copperville, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

17-12 o'clock, Jones Ohler, Mt. Joy Twp, Pa. Stock and Implements. Luther Spangler, Auct.

19-12 o'clock, Thomas Angell, on Sharretts farm, Bruceville, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

19-12 o'clock, Harry B. Fleagle, 1 mile west Bridgeport, Stock and Implements. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

20-10 o'clock, Jesse P. Weybright, near Detour, Stock Implements, and Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

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SMILE ALWAYS WORTH WHILE London Writer Undoubtedly Is Correct When He Declares There Is Magic In It.

The anonymous writer who supplies "A Woman's Cause" to the Saturday Review in London, pays this tribute to the woman who smiles: "Wherever she goes she is met by welcoming faces and gracious acts; even a head waiter will leave the pompous politician to find her a pleasant table, and will daily in suggesting food that may tempt her.

"In shops she waves aside the tired girl, 'Don't worry about me, I have plenty of time,' with a look that makes the girl scramble to serve her other customers to be quickly ready to attend to her.

"For her there is always a seat in an omnibus or a train, and porters never grumble at the weight of her boxes, for being as she is, she takes care that they are not of a back-breaking size.

"Her path in life, in spite of sorrows and difficulties, is, on the whole, an easy one, because she radiates happiness wherever she goes and the reflection of it is in everything around her."

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WHICH Are the Earliest Snap Beans—the Best Yielding Garden Peas—the Sweetest Cantaloupe? The Select-Rite Charts in the 1923 Catalog of WOODS SEEDS Show at a glance the varieties of each vegetable to plant for earliness, yield, length of bearing season, or for whatever purpose is most desired.

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The Creator's Responsibility. Teddy and Bobby were sitting out on the front steps, eating some pie Bobby's mother had been kind enough to give to them.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TANEYTOWN SAVINGS BANK at Taneytown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business Dec. 29, 1922.

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It Was a Perfect Quarrel

By JOAN M. GRAY

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Moore had been married exactly eight weeks. Their new home was perfect and Mrs. Larry was a perfect cook. That is, all except her coffee, but being only eight weeks married, Larry was willing to overlook the coffee.

Larry had been a boy of seven, battling other boys his size and larger when Mrs. Larry first opened her blue eyes, and he had been battling the world ever since, and winning with a smile. But in the fight, he had gradually come to hide his deeper feelings under an armor of jest.

When he kissed Mrs. Larry good-by that morning of their eighth anniversary, he said, quite casually, "How about some doughnuts?"

"I'll make some, dear," Mrs. Larry said, and Larry ran off down the steps without kissing her again—and he was going on a trip and wouldn't see her for one whole day.

That started everything wrong. Mrs. Larry brooded over it all day as she worked upon her new overhangings. She went to sleep with it tucked into her pretty head, and thought about it the first thing the next morning. She tried to remember that Larry was a busy man and had a great many things to think of—but he had had thoughts of doughnuts the last thing before leaving her and hadn't kissed her again!

"I suppose he's still thinking of doughnuts," she thought bitterly, as she munched her toast. "Well, I'll make the old things and not disappoint him."

First she went downtown and did her marketing and bought a bright, new cushion for the den and a market basket and a shining biscuit pan, to be sent up at once. She came back and made her house immaculate and then she started the doughnuts. She dropped one into the hot fat and remembered that she had forgotten the shortening. It was a bad moment, but then she remembered that her mother said some people never put shortening in their doughnuts, so she went ahead and fried them all. They came out awfully good, too, she thought.

Then the ice man came in and tracked big pieces of mud on her clean kitchen floor, which had to be cleaned up. Her dessert hardened a little too quickly; she had all those horrid pans to wash; the man came with her things from the store while she was changing her dress; she had to hurry to the door in a kimono. Then her dress, when she did get it on, didn't look right; her hands seemed to be getting rough; Larry hadn't kissed her good-by!

She began to get dinner in a very precarious state of mind, and broke one of her new plates. She put the pieces on the pantry shelf and saw that the beans weren't boiling as they should. Well, she didn't care.

Suddenly she heard Larry's quick step, but she didn't run to meet him, as usual. She stayed where she was, in the pantry, and he came out to find her. His eyes rested upon the broken plate.

"Getting careless, old kid?" he asked, and kissed her. (Gee, it was good to be back again.)

"It slipped, that's all," she said coldly. So he thought more about dishes than about her, did he?

"What have you been doing today?" he asked.

"Oh, the same thing. I bought some things this morning. There's a new pillow in the den." She kept steadily at work. He went in to look at the pillow, then came back. His little wife certainly had good taste.

"How much?" he asked. She told him. "Got stung!" he said. "When's dinner?"

"In about a half-hour," she said. "Everything's slow today."

"Well," he hesitated. She certainly acted as if he was in the way. He decided to take himself off for half an hour. "I guess I'll run over to Bill's and bat a tennis ball around. I'll be back at 6:30." He wanted to kiss her again, but she kept her back squarely towards him, because her eyes were full of nervous tears. So he went off whistling to cover up a rankling disappointment.

At 6:25 he was back and found everything ready. They sat down opposite each other, instead of side by side, but she looked so adorable there that he said nothing. She noticed that he did not seem to notice the distance between them, and put another spoonful of creamy potato viciously upon his plate.

Dinner was rather silent. After he had finished his steak he said: "Well, what have we got coming now?"

She half smiled and brought in the pudding. "It's a little bit hard, I'm afraid," she said.

"Well, be more careful next time," he said playfully, and she went into the pantry and brought in a plate of golden doughnuts.

"Gosh, doughnuts, too," he said, and almost won a half smile. She handed him his dessert and he took a doughnut and began. What a darling she was to remember about the doughnuts!

"How are the doughnuts, Larry?" she asked.

"Pretty rubbery," he answered, intent upon his dessert. He heard a spoon clatter against a plate and looked up, surprised.

Mrs. Larry stood beside her chair, white with wrath. "Larry," she said calmly and without heat, "I think I

know your soul! You've found fault with everything I've done for two days and I'm going home to my mother, where I'm appreciated instead of my cooking. Not that you can appreciate anything," she finished witheringly, and left him open-mouthed.

He put down his spoon. He got up and hurried after her. He tried her door. It was locked.

"Dearest," he said.

No answer.

"Darling."

"Go away," came a dry voice. "I don't want to talk to you or see you or anything. I'm packing."

He turned away and sat down dazedly upon a chair in the hall. Mrs. Larry continued to pack. She went to her dressing table and found, among her toilet articles, a box tied in white ribbon. She opened it wonderingly and found a bar-pin that she had so often admired and wanted, with a card inscribed: "From an old married man for his wife on their eighth (week) wedding anniversary."

She stared at it. He had been thinking of her and not of the doughnuts, after all. Oh, how good! She began to cry and Larry heard her sobs. He went to the door.

"Dearest!" he cried.

Sobs.

"Darling!" he said frantically.

"Guh-go away," she said. "I'm packing."

But Larry was feeling pretty bad. He put his whole weight against the door and burst into the room. She was lying huddled upon the bed, holding the jeweler's box. Larry gathered her into his arms and held her very tenderly. His heart tightened when he saw her half-packed bag.

He said all sorts of soothing words until her sobs quieted and she lay quite still.

"Little girl," he said, gently, "Will you forgive me?"

No answer.

"You know I think everything you do is perfect. You know that I think you are the most wonderful—the only—girl in the world, and that I'm thinking of you all the time."

"Even when you talk about doughnuts?" she asked from his shoulder.

He stared down at her. "Even when I talk about doughnuts. Remember that," he said savagely, "and don't tear me to pieces again like this. Will you remember that?"

She promised after some little coaxing. After awhile he said: "Wouldn't you rather stay here than go home to your mother?"

"Oh, Larry, you know I'd rather be with you than anyone else in the world."

So you see it came out all right. They all must have their little quarrels, but just ask anyone if the making-up isn't great!

THANKFUL IT WAS NO WORSE

Negress' Somewhat Peculiar Idea of Reason She Had for Congratulating Herself.

The legal formalities of marriage and divorce are matters of small concern to a certain class of negroes in the South. And sometimes the irregularity of the family relationship is disclosed by the most naively innocent expressions.

In Wilmington, N. C., there was a middle-aged negress employed as cook in a white family. At her earnest solicitation her daughter, about seventeen years of age, had been engaged as a housemaid. One morning last spring the lady of the house overheard the mother scolding her daughter for some neglect of her duties.

"You sho is one no 'count nigger," she said. "Shifless, dat's what you is; shifless an' onery. Lazy is what you is, nothin' else but. You is jus' zackly like your pa. I suttinly is glad I didn't marry dat nigger. I never had no use for him nohow."—Los Angeles Times.

Taught by Nature.

The poet, the orator, bred in the woods, whose senses have been nourished by their fair and appealing changes, year after year, without design and without heed, shall not lose their lesson altogether in the roar of cities or the broil of politics. Long hereafter, amidst agitation and terror in national councils—in the hour of revolution—these solemn images shall reappear in their morning luster, as fit symbols and words of the thoughts which the passing events shall awaken. At the call of a noble sentiment again the woods wave, the pines murmur and the cattle low upon the mountains, as he saw and heard them in his infancy. And with these forms, the spells of persuasion, the keys of power are put into his hands.—Emerson.

Spectacles for Horses.

It appears that among the many odd inventions of a more or less practical nature there are spectacles for horses. The purpose is said to be not to improve the sight, but, by causing the ground in front to appear nearer than it really is, to induce the horse to take high steps. After a training with such spectacles, it is averred, the horse acquires and retains the habit of high stepping. These spectacles, it is said, are largely used in England by lovers of horses of the thoroughbred type.

No Use for Coyote-Dogs.

Wherever you keep dogs in a coyote country away from settlements you get an occasional mixed litter. I've had five such litters come under my observation in California and Arizona. I never saw a coyote-dog in my life that wasn't a pesky nuisance. You can't teach them a thing except by breaking their spirit, and they fight and steal at every opportunity.—Joseph Gray, in Adventure Magazine.

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Good Animals, Proper Care and Healthful Stables to House Them Are Three Big Essentials to Success as Dairy Farmer.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

It was not many years ago that dairymen with small herds looked upon the modern type of dairy barn as a "frill" that was designed to please the vanity of the so-called "gentleman farmer." Purebred animals came in much the same class.

The advent of cow testing associations, the investigations of the departments of animal husbandry of the state agricultural colleges and the testing of purebred cows under the direction of the different dairy breed associations put these old notions into the discard. Now the effect of good barns, proper feeding and care is pretty well

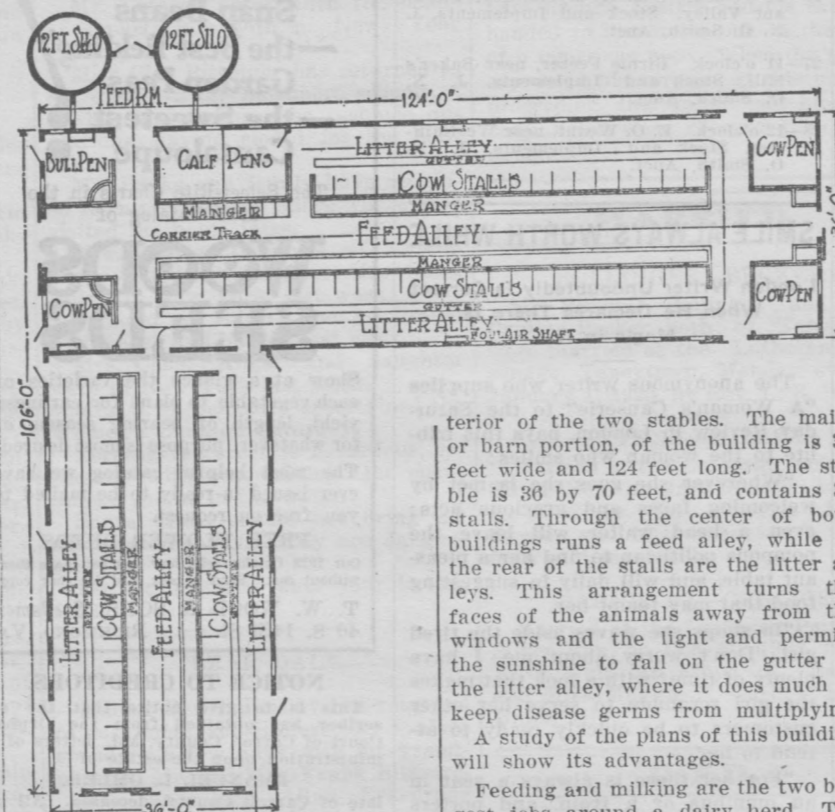
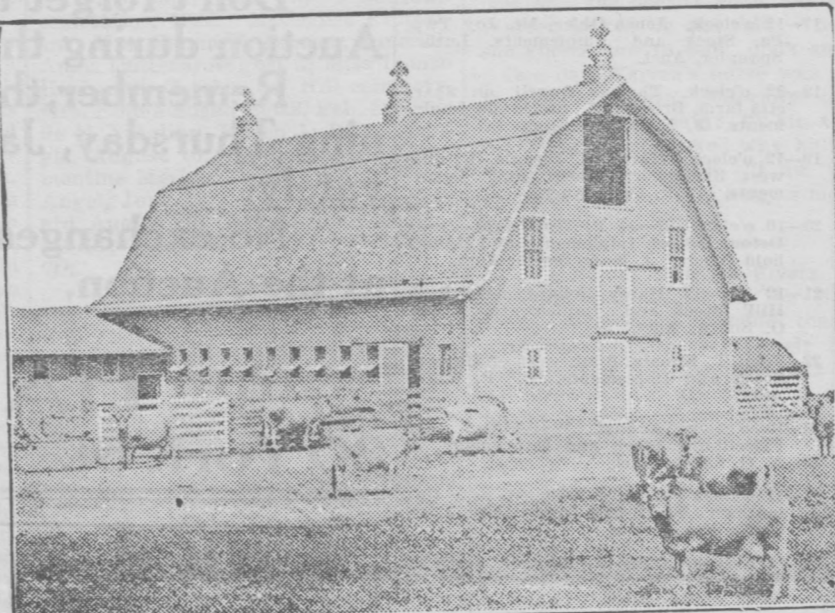
There is no gainsaying the fact that there are three essentials to success as a dairy farmer. First, good animals; second, proper care; and third, healthful stables to house the herd during the times of the year when pasture is not available. Even then, a great many dairymen keep the animals in their stalls at night, and not a few rarely turn the cows out.

The housing needs of dairy cows are fresh air, protection from cold and drafts, plenty of light and sunshine, and clean sanitary quarters. Given those things the cows will produce the maximum amount of milk of the best quality their breeding permits.

These cow needs are incorporated in the design of the modern dairy barn and stables. The buildings themselves are well constructed, they are equipped with ventilating systems that keep up a constant movement of air, the foul being replaced by fresh; there are plenty of windows so located as to admit the greatest amount of light and sunshine, and the stables are equipped with steel stalls and stanchions, concrete floors and gutters that are pitched so that they can be kept clean, and litter carriers and feed trucks that make it possible for the labor cost to be kept at the lowest possible point.

Shown in the illustration is the exterior of what is rather an innovation in dairy barn and stable. As will be noted only a section of the building is of two stories, while the adjoining stable is one story. The two-story building, or barn, has plenty of room on the second floor to store the roughage the animals need; there are two large silos that hold the ensilage, while on the first floor is space for more than forty stalls as well as pens for the bull, the calves and the mothers of the latter.

The floor plan that accompanies the exterior view shows the size, number of stalls and the arrangement of the in-



terior of the two stables. The main, or barn portion, of the building is 36 feet wide and 124 feet long. The stable is 36 by 70 feet, and contains 36 stalls. Through the center of both buildings runs a feed alley, while at the rear of the stalls are the litter alleys. This arrangement turns the faces of the animals away from the windows and the light and permits the sunshine to fall on the gutter of the litter alley, where it does much to keep disease germs from multiplying.

A study of the plans of this building will show its advantages.

Feeding and milking are the two biggest jobs around a dairy herd. The placing of the twin silos at the corner of the building makes them the shortest distance from the far corners of the "L" shaped structure. Over the feed alleys as well as the litter alleys there is a carrier track, which runs to the feed room between the two silos. Here the feed is loaded into the carrier, run along the track and distributed in the mangers. This same arrangement makes the removal of litter equally efficient.

The buildings shown are of frame construction, set on a concrete foundation, with a concrete floor in the stables. While the size of this building makes it larger than the average dairyman, or farmer will need, the width is correct for a stable of any length required.

whose history will compare with those fashioned from wood. Civilization itself has evolved along with the evolution of wood and its uses. Civilization would have been impossible without wood. Nations which have succeeded most are those which have followed the hardwood belts.

And all these facts must be weighed when furniture and better-furnished American homes are considered.

Starving Cats Fought for Fish. An eleven-year-old girl, living near Montseuil, France, was returning from market with a basket of fish, when about twenty wild and starving cats attacked her in a frantic endeavor to procure the fish. The girl crouched desperately to her basket, and the animals scratched her arms and face severely, nearly tearing out one of her eyes.

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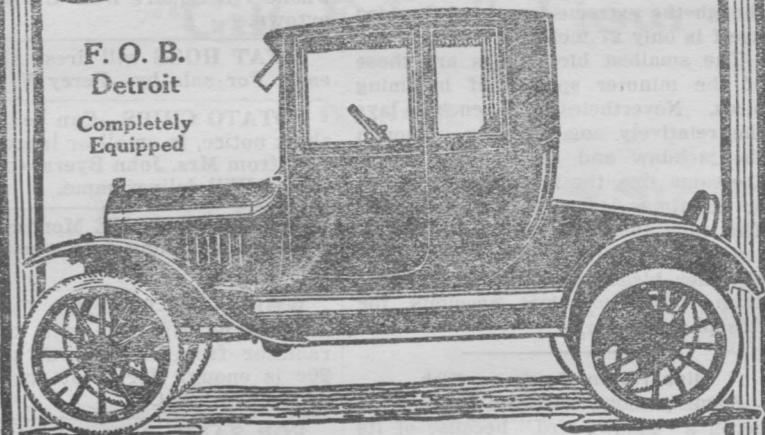
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Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR JANUARY 7

JESUS HEALING ON THE SABBATH

LESSON TEXT—Luke 13:10-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—It is lawful to do well on the Sabbath day.—Matt. 12:12.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Ex. 20:8-11; Isa. 58:13-14; Mark 2:23-3:5.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Doing Good.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Healing a Helpless Woman.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Right Use of the Lord's Day.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Right Use of the Lord's Day.

What Jesus did on the Sabbath frequently brought him into serious conflict with the Pharisees. Through the petty rules and regulations they had made this holy day, which God designed as a day of rest and the doing of deeds of mercy, a day of burden and hardship. Jesus did not disregard the Sabbath, but broke away from their traditions and showed that the Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath. Religious rites and ceremonies should not be hardened into fetters to bind the worshiper.

I. Jesus Teaching on the Sabbath Day (v. 10).

It was the Lord's custom to go to the place of worship on the Sabbath day. His disciples will imitate Him in this. At the place of worship there is opportunity to be nearest to God, to worship Him, and to show mercy and kindness to our fellow-man.

II. Jesus Healing on the Sabbath (vv. 11-13).

1. A Woman in Need (v. 11). This poor woman's back was bowed down with eighteen years of great suffering. Through this afflicted she found her way to the place of worship. Men and women are in great need today. Their bodies may not be bowed down with physical suffering, but there are many bowed down with the burden of sin and sorrow.

2. Called to Jesus (v. 12). He is always quick to discern those who are burdened. He spoke a word of healing to her. How welcome must have been His words. He is calling today to the many who are weighed down with guilty consciences to come to Him.

3. Laid His Hands Upon Her (v. 13). At His touch she was made straight and glorified God. It was not enough to teach. He showed His sympathy by coming into touch with the suffering woman. Christ's followers are to imitate Him in teaching, and also in coming into direct touch with the needy, sinful, and burdened world.

III. The Indignation of the Ruler of the Synagogue (v. 14).

Under the pious pretense of loyalty to God he showed that ritual is of more importance than mercy and love. It was not primarily concern for ritual, but hatred for Jesus that moved him to indignation. He was too cowardly to attack the Lord directly, so turned to the people and hit at Him over their backs. He pretended great concern for the healing of the people but advised that they come in the six days, and not thus have the Sabbath profaned by such a sacrilegious act as the healing of this poor woman. This man is the type of the many hypocrites among us today.

IV. The Lord's Reply to the Ruler (vv. 15, 16).

Jesus removes the mask of hypocrisy from the ruler as He points out their own custom as a condemnation of their pious pretense. He argues from the lesser to the greater. If it was right to take animals which had only been tied for a few hours, to water on the Sabbath day, certainly it was right to bring relief to this woman who had been bowed for eighteen years. Human beings are of more value than animals. This woman was a daughter of Abraham and not a sinner of low-down character. The principle which Jesus set forth restored the Sabbath to its true purpose.

V. Shamed Adversaries and Rejoicing People (v. 17).

The tide was now turned. Their exposure was so great that their consciences smote them. The arguments against morals and the church are of the same type today.

The Family Altar.

With the home resting on the family altar, a new religious life will come to the world; wholesome, unwavering. The world will learn by experience to rely on prayer. We shall believe that there is more good in the world than evil; more truth than falsehood; more love, mercy and forgiveness in God, than condemnation and punishment. We shall realize that prayer is the only weapon with which the world can overcome evil.

Defense.

For wisdom is a defense and money is a defense; but the excellency of knowledge is, that wisdom giveth life to them that have it.—Ecclesiastes 7:12.

The Saint.

A saint is one who brings the sense of God's nearness to others.—Washburn.

To Ascend Upward.

We must retire inward if we would ascend upward.—St. Bernard.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

From —
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January 7
Lessons from the Psalms
Psalm 1:1-6

The first Psalm presents a picture of the blessed or happy man. To be blessed in the Scripture sense is to be happy—righteously, that is, to be in harmony not only with one's surroundings but to be right with God, having the sin question settled and the heart confident and happy in Him. There is a fourfold view of the happy man in this Psalm.

First, the negative side: "He walks not in the counsel of the wicked." "He stands not in the way of sinners." "He sits not in the seat of the scornful." In other words he has made the great decision, he has chosen God and godliness and turned his back upon evil and that of itself brings blessing.

Secondly, the positive side: "His delight is in the law of the Lord and in His law he meditates," not merely on Sunday but continually—"day and night." The testimony, or the Word of God, is not only a rule of conduct but the delight of his heart; it affords him joy as well as instruction. In it he finds the necessary comfort and strength. See Joshua 1:8.

The third point of view is the figurative. This happy man is like a tree a planted tree, not a seedling. Moreover he is planted by the rivers of water and as a result he brings forth fruit in season. His life is a blessing to others and God is glorified in Him. In the time of drought, when spiritual conditions about him are disappointing and distressing, his leaf does not wither, for he is not dependent upon external conditions, but draws upon the hidden and inner resources, and his soul is constantly refreshed.

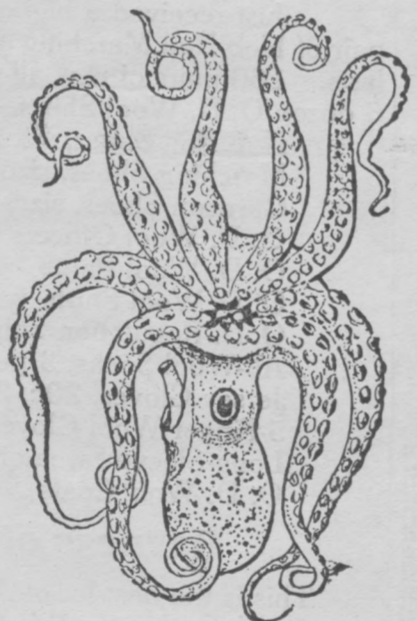
Last of all this happy man is looked at comparatively. He is presented in contrast with the ungodly who are altogether unlike himself; they are unstable, easily moved like the chaff which the wind driveth away. In the judgment they shall not stand the test, nor have any place with the righteous in the ultimate destiny of things.

DREADED DENIZIN OF DEEP

Few Fortunate Enough to Escape the Deadly Clutches of Even a Small Devilfish.

Following the recently published story of a strange fish of fabulous size which was washed ashore recently at Mozambique come other stories of wonderful monsters of the deep:

Among the most feared of the denizens of the deep are the squids—commonly known as devilfishes because of their strange shape and their deadly method of attack with their powerful arms. The great staring eyes, too, have a cold demonic expression, and the horny cups of the suckers of the arms and tentacles are driven into the



Octopus or Cuttle Fish.

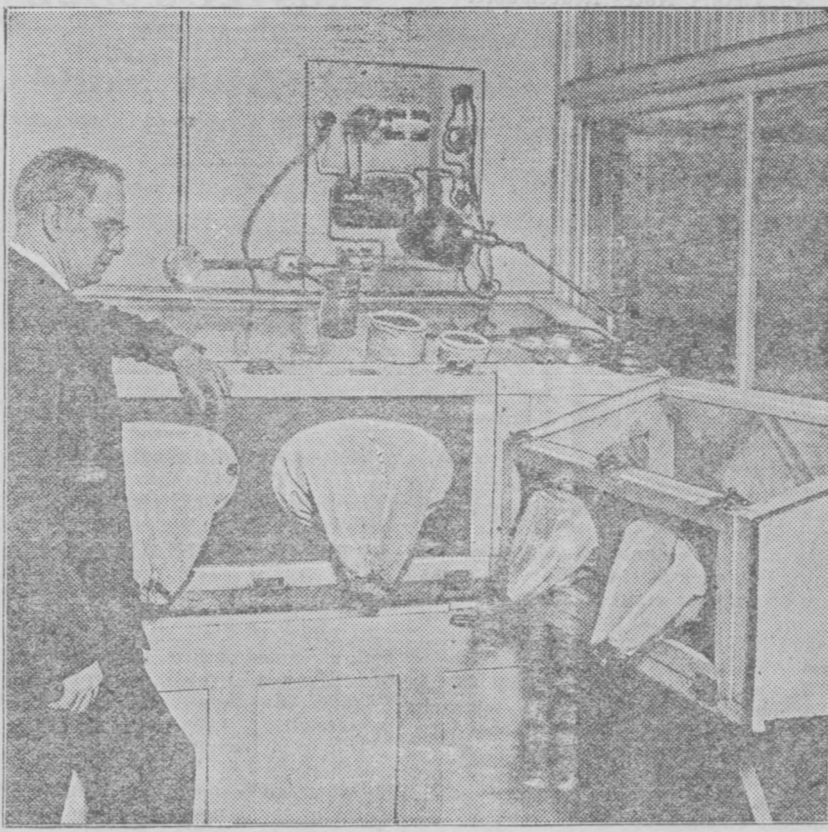
flesh not only by muscular force but by the pressure of the atmosphere.

They also have the faculty of changing their color like a chameleon, so as to match their surroundings and be practically invisible, as well as of squirting out an inky fluid to cover their movements. Even those with a body only a foot or so long are dangerous, and there are many cases of women and children wading in the pools at low water having been overpowered by them.

They lie in wait in the shallows. Fastening one arm to a stout stalk of the great sea wrack and stiffening out the other seven, the creature can hardly be distinguished from the wrack itself. It patiently waits until a fish touches one of the arms, which at once fastens on its prey, followed by the other arms and the two tentacles, which convey it to the center of the disk, where it is seized by the beak and rapidly swallowed.

Man is attacked exactly in the same manner, as may be seen in the following case, recently recorded in the press. A diver at work off the coast of Alaska had one of his arms pinned to his side by a devilfish that was firmly anchored to a rock. While he vainly attempted to free himself his other arm was also fixed, and he would undoubtedly have lost his life had he not been at once pulled up into the diving vessel, fast bound in the overlapping arms and tentacles. Even then he was with difficulty freed from the ferocious beast, that let go its hold and fell back into the sea.

WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS IN CATTLE



John T. Bowen of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, and the apparatus that he designed for controlling atmospheric conditions in the manufacture of medical tablets for fighting tuberculosis in cattle. The government, by use of this moisture-regulating device, can manufacture "cow pills" 12 months in the year whereas formerly only 28 days were suitable.

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Foreign Material Commonly Found in Government Investigations Consisted of Wild Oats, Buckwheat, Mustard, Etc.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Thrashed spring wheat usually contains much foreign material, consisting almost entirely of noxious weed seeds. Investigations conducted by R. H. Block and C. R. Haller of the bureau of agricultural economics, United States Department of Agriculture, show that in the 1920-21 crop there was approximately one bushel of foreign material, or "dockage," in every 22 bushels of spring wheat thrashed. This represents over 9,500,000 bushels of dockage for the spring wheat crop.

More than 200 kinds of weed seeds are found in spring wheat, but less than 20 of these appear commonly. The foreign seeds most commonly found in the department's investigations, named in the order of their frequency, were wild oats, wild buckwheat, cultivated oats, mustard, lamb's-quarter, barley, green foxtail, hare's-ear mustard, flax, rye, cow-cockle, pigweed, yellow foxtail, sunflower, corn cockle, wild rose, king-head, and wild pea (vetch). Wild oats appeared in over 99.0 per cent of the lots of wheat examined. Grain inspection statistics show that the percentage of dockage found in spring wheat is gradually increasing.

Several factors tend to increase the foreign material in spring wheat, the more important of which are the sowing of wheat on land that is already foul with weed seeds, and the use of seed wheat contaminated with weed seeds. Both of these practices are common in the main spring wheat area.

Foreign material in wheat is objectionable because it is an economic waste, says the department. The growing of weed seeds with the wheat reduces the yield of wheat and increases the cost of harvesting and thrashing. Foreign material occupies valuable space in wagons and freight cars in country and terminal elevators and mills, and it often has a bad effect on the milling and baking qualities of the wheat. That clean seed combined with good cultural methods will produce clean wheat is being demonstrated constantly on many farms, and that the marketing of only clean wheat is profitable, there can be no doubt. The farm is the logical place to clean wheat, preferably as part of the thrashing operation. When the cleaning is done on the farm, the cleaned wheat will bring a better price on the market, the freight on the dockage will be saved, and the screenings will be available for feed, and when finally ground can be substituted for the higher priced feeds, such as oats, corn, and commercial mill feeds.

Two methods of cleaning wheat are common. One method uses sieves and air blasts for separating the foreign material from the wheat, and the other method separates the grain according to the size and shape of the kernels. The former method is used in the general-purpose cleaning machines, such as fanning mills and receiving separators, and the latter method is used in machines designed to make special separations, such as cockle cylinders, ring graders, and disk machines.

Farmers Bulletin, 1287, Foreign Material in Spring Wheat, just published by the United States Department of Agriculture, describes methods of removing foreign material in spring wheat on the farm and at the country elevator. Copies may be obtained from the department at Washington, D. C., or from any office of federal grain supervision in the field.

TOAD IS USEFUL IN CURBING FEW PESTS

Little Creatures Not of Great Economic Importance.

While They Assist in Combating Abnormal Increase of Local Pests, Their Influence Is Not Always Strongly Felt.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Toads have been reputed to aid in curbing the numbers of injurious insects and other similar pests. To ascertain the facts in the case the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture has analyzed the contents of the stomachs of 502 common toads, and reports that while the findings regarding the choice of food are of interest they thus far fail to demonstrate that toads are of great economic importance. Toads go constantly about their own work of gaining a livelihood, and so undoubtedly fill their proper place in nature. They are never very numerous in one locality, however, and as they cannot adopt the methods of birds and traverse wide stretches of land to aid in combating abnormal local increases of crop and garden pests, their influence is not strongly felt. The investigation shows that a certain portion of the toad's food is made up of injurious insects and other pests of growing plants, and that the toad performs some service in such places as greenhouses, gardens, fields of small grain, and golf courses. Any harm that toads do in the consumption of beneficial beetles and other insects useful to man is of little economic importance and does not warrant their indiscriminate destruction.

CLOVER AND GRASS MIXTURE

Alfalfa, Red and Alsike Clover, Timothy, Red Top and Fescues Are Recommended.

There has been considerable breaking away from old notions in the matter of seeding for pastures and meadows, and in many instances with very conspicuous success. Clovers are subject to so many vicissitudes that good stands are no longer obtainable on many farms. On the other hand, just those conditions which may be adverse to clovers may be very favorable to certain kinds of grasses, and this has led to the sowing of mixtures of several clovers and grasses, in which grasses predominate.

The common notion is that clover and timothy is the only useful mixture, but clover quickly disappears and timothy does not furnish much aftermath, and consequently does not supply pasturage for any great length of time. With a rich mixture of alfalfa, red and alsike clover, timothy, red top, orchard grass and some of the fescues, a lasting, nutritious growth is obtained and as the clovers disappear these finer grasses come in and a durable and palatable pasture is assured all through the season.

VARIOUS SHADES OF BROWN

Copper, Sable, Bronze, Cocoa, Amber, Beaver, Topaz, Chocolate Among Many Tints.

Brown, as we all know by this time, is the color of the season. Of brown there are many shades and these shades have new names. Here are some of them:

Copper, sable, bronze, cocoa, amber, beaver, topaz, chocolate. Muffin and maple sugar are new shades of tan. Canna and wall-flower are new henna shades. Bob-o-link is a new brown that is very popular.

A good thing to remember this season when asking for a certain shade of brown is that "wood brown" is a name that will cover them all if necessary.

PUT AWAY "DUDS"

People of Today Universally Wearing Less Clothing.

Assertion Has Been Made That Health Has Improved Since Knee Lengths Supplanted Red Flannels.

How far this nation has departed from the ways of its sainted fathers! The pious old New England custom of sewing up the children from fall to spring in red flannel underclothes may still be followed in remote and God-fearing rural districts, but in larger centers of population people are wearing scandalously little protection against the blasts of winter. And they're wearing less every year! That the moderns don't all perish of pneumonia is only another proof that our grandmothers didn't know as much about hygiene as they thought they did. And everybody who was ever stitched up for six months in red flannel will admit that the boys and girls of today are happier as well as cleaner than those of the past.

With the modern girl exposing her chest and knees to the blizzards and the modern boy defying February with loose, sleeveless and knee-length lawn combinations, it is curious to realize that up to the last generation it was considered necessary to wear wool next to the skin, not only in winter but also in summer.

Listen to Younman's "Dictionary of Everyday Wants," published in 1884, the New York Sun enjoins:

"Dress children warmly, woolen flannels next their person during the whole year. By every consideration protect the extremities well. It is ignorant barbarism that allows a child to have bare arms, legs and feet, even in summer."

If the writer of that censorious declaration is still alive, having failed to expire from wearing wool next to his hide, he must be terribly shocked at the "ignorant barbarism" of 1922, with its shameless display of arms and legs—or "limbs" as he would probably call the latter.

Those were the days when people slept with their windows shut because they thought the night air was "poisonous." Don't blame them too much, for the doctors gave 'em that dope about the night air. Yes, and the poor old docs believed it themselves.

It was the doctors, too, who sprang that fuzzy one about wearing wool next the skin summer and winter. And then when the victims got feverish the doctors would bleed 'em. A fear of cold, a fear of fresh air, a fear of all nature was the keynote of medical practice in those good old days of our daddies. The irritated and exhausted wool wearers used to die plentifully from pneumonia, then called inflammation of the lungs.

When that happened the doctors shook their heads and said the victim must have sneaked out and breathed some poisonous night air, or that he must have left off his flannel night-cap, or neglected to take his blue pill and black draft, or that he should have called the doctor sooner and thereby parted earlier with his first quart of blood.

A New York doctor of today was called to a pneumonia case while an icy blizzard was blowing. The patient was very high. The windows were shut tight.

"Open the windows top and bottom as wide as you can," said the doctor to the horrified parents.

And despite protests and domestic inconvenience the thing was done. In response to the anxious forebodings of the father the doctor said:

"Why, if you threw that child into a snowbank she would melt the snow, but it would do her more good than harm."

The child lived to be a flapper with hardly more clothes on her in winter than in summer.

Meals on Dining Cars.

Some day when you are traveling on a dining car call the steward over and ask him about how many meals are served the traveling public during the course of a year; his answer will surprise you. According to one of the Pullman dining car stewards there are 1,400 stewards employed on the different railroads in this country, and he estimated that each steward during the year attends to the wants of about 30,000 people. When you come to figure up the total it will surprise you. The road on which he runs feeds over three and a half million people in its diners every twelve months, and none of these figures, however, include the old-time eating houses, where passengers are given 20 minutes to gulp down a five-course meal.

"English As She Is Spoke."

I am an English teacher in a small town high school. Otherwise, the incident which gave me the most embarrassing moment of my life might not have affected me so strongly as it did. The place was a church school, where the ruling forces of the town were gathered. A group of a few congenial souls was talking nonsense, pure and simple. In what must have been a penetrating voice, I said to one opposite me, apropos of something she had done, "I seen you when you done it."

A good old person, of whose presence near me I was unaware, patted me on the shoulder and said so that the whole roomful could hear. "My dear, you should say, 'I saw you when you did it.'"—Exchange.

GREAT VICTORY FOR SCIENCE

Cure of Insanity One of the Most Supreme Blessings Bestowed on Human Race.

Insanity is no longer considered hopeless in most cases. The hospitals are curing great numbers of patients through scientific treatment. Physical infections have been found to be the cause of many mental cases; and even where the cause is purely mental, specialists are making rapid progress in restoring the diseased minds.

The reclaiming of a lost mind is perhaps the greatest blessing science can bestow. An eye, a lung, a leg or an arm may be taken away, yet there always remains that handful of gray substance which can comprehend and direct the world. But when the mind is gone, everything is gone, as far as the unfortunate individual is concerned.

The attitude toward lunatics of savage or semi-savage peoples is rather odd, when one considers that an imbecile is always more or less of a nuisance and that savages, by natural inclination, make short shrift of all obstacles in the way of their comfort and happiness. Almost invariably savage tribes believe that their demented members are possessed of a supernatural presence, and treat them kindly and well.

The treatment of those mentally deficient by modern civilized people has been sometimes cruel and, until lately nearly always unwise.—Jacksonville Journal.

BUTTONS ONCE HAD PURPOSE

In Old Times There Was Good Reason for the Present Merely "Ornamental" Appendages.

A well-known speaker recently engaged in some captious remarks at a gathering of women, upon the frivolities of fashion particularly as concerned women's dress. He was getting considerable fun out of it until one of the ladies interrupted him and asked what the buttons on the back of his coat were for. They are clearly superfluous and just as much out of place as some of the feminine follies he was criticizing. He was unable to answer the question, whereupon the laugh was on him. The useless and supposedly ornamental extra buttons on a man's dress coat are relics of horseback-riding days, when it was customary to button up the skirts of the coat to prevent sitting upon them or getting the linings soiled from the horse. The slit up the back of the coat originally served the same good purpose. The buttons on the sleeves are inherited from the days when a really dashing blade had frequent necessity for turning up the sleeves of his coat to give his sword-arm play. Then the buttons served a real need. Finally the turned-up sleeve and its lining became a cuff that could no longer be turned down and the buttons became merely traditional.

The Fine Art of Conversation.

Quite often people who are willing to spend years in the perfection of other arts are loth to devote a little time daily to the interchange of good conversation. Practice three times a day, a few minutes at a time, during breakfast, luncheon and dinner, will enable the shyest boy or girl to become a ready conversationalist. Table talk need not be brilliant, but it must be agreeable. Impassioned arguments, malicious gossip, shop talk, housekeeping troubles, details of hospital operations or dental seances—these and kindred topics are not social subjects. Young people should be encouraged to report at the dinner table any pleasant incident of the day or to invite comment upon books, music, pictures, etc. Good stories—brief and well told—may be repeated at dessert time. What is essential is to acquire the habit of ready conversation.

Flow of Language.

A colored preacher, one of the men who are never at a loss for words, was commending to his congregation one of the organs of the church, and this is how he did it:

"The missionary bulletin of this church needs subscribers. It is young and unfinancial, but through the instrumentality of backbone and grit it will become an ideal. It was ushered into existence out of purely innocent contemplation of moral and religious good, which would, in all probability, result from carefully agitated principles or righteousness. The bulletin will be observed mingling in social conventions to furnish with sheaves of harvest those reasonable products common to social contingencies. The tone of the whole will be missionary work."—Kansas City Journal.

One of the Family.

Tillie had been placed by her aunt in a situation as maid of all work in a family of three. At the end of a week the aunt dropped in to see how she was getting on.

"Do you like your work?" she asked. "It's fair," said the laconic Tillie. "And are they making you feel at home?"

"Sometimes they do, and sometimes they don't."

"Now what do you mean by that?" demanded the aunt.

"Well," said Tillie, "they haven't asked me to go to church with them yet; but last night they went on with a grand quarrel they were having, all the three of them, with me taking the dishes off the table, just as if I had been one of the family."—Harper's Magazine.

TANEYTOWN LOCALS

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

Mrs. Guy P. Bready spent several days this week, with her mother, at Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. Chas. O. Fuss, spent New Year's with her daughter, Mrs. Olive Wolfe, in Baltimore.

During the month of January, The Record office will close at 5 o'clock, or until further notice.

Rev. Seth Russell Downie and family are now located at their new home in York county, postoffice address, Sunnyburn.

Meeting of Fire Company for the annual election of officers will be held Monday, Jan. 8, at 7 o'clock. Full attendance is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers entertained over last week-end, Miss Bertha Haines, of Hanover; Mrs. John Freyman and son, William, and Charles Byers, all of Westminster.

Postmaster Harry L. Feeser is getting acquainted with his new job, this week, assisted by the outgoing Postmaster and assistant. Mr. Feeser's son, Harry E., will be his assistant. They will move to town April 1.

Our long list of January expirations is paying up nicely, with a fair amount of new ones. We not only do not want to drop any of our family of readers, but are anxious to have the circle greatly enlarged. Our friends can help, if they will try.

Misses Daisy and Esther Fleagle, of Hanover, and Walter Fleagle, of York spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fleagle, of near Keysville. Misses Daisy and Esther Fleagle and Roland Fleagle, also spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Fream, in Harney.

Several cases of asphyxiation from coal gas have been reported, in the past two weeks. It is important that all coal stoves be working properly, and that no rusted pipes, dampers or cracks, allow gas to escape into the house. The use of the wrong kind of coal should be carefully watched.

The following visited at the home of Mrs. H. D. Hawk, the past week: Mrs. Nelson Hawk, Oliver Fogle, wife and children; Berry Fuss, wife and daughters; and Wm. Longley, wife and son, of Edgewood. Mr. and Mrs. Longley will leave for Florida, on Tuesday next where they expect to spend the winter.

This is the time of the year when business men should equip themselves with office stationery for the year—billheads, statements, letter heads, envelopes, and such other items as are regularly used in business. Look up your supply, now, and let us fill your orders before our office gets busy with public sale work.

Our electric light service made a poor start in the New Year, with light "off" on the streets, and some of the dwellings, until near 8 o'clock. It ought to be somebody's special job to check up all deficiencies in service, throughout the year. The street lights again went "off" about 10 o'clock, Wednesday night.

The annual business meeting of the Taneytown Public Library will be held on Jan. 13, at 7 o'clock, in the Fireman's building. All members of the Association are urged to be present. Also yearly subscriptions will be renewed. Let each old subscriber consider himself or herself a committee of one to get a new member.

(For The Record.) Those who spent Sunday with Emory Snyder and family were: Birnie Babylon and wife, and Mrs. Alice Hahn, of Taneytown; Claude Snyder, wife, and daughter, Ethel, and son, Glen, of Littlestown; Miss Dora Albaugh, Linwood; Mrs. Harvey Shorb and daughter, Katherine, son, Perry, and Frank Forney, all of Keysville.

Those who were entertained at the home of T. M. Buffington and wife, during the Christmas holidays were: J. D. Yohe, wife and daughter, of Baltimore; E. Roth Buffington, wife and daughter, of New Windsor; John Keagy and wife, Grover Frock and wife, and Mrs. Dan Geiselman, Hanover, Pa.; Edw. Yohe and wife, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Calendars for 1923 are about exhausted, everywhere, and the demand was not fully supplied. The trouble is, some people get too many, and others not enough. The average home does not need over 3 or 4 calendars, but we have heard of some that gathered up a dozen or more, and one person declared that in some houses the walls are practically covered with them. As calendars cost anywhere from 8c to 16c each, or more, they should not be "collected" for the sake of getting something free.

Mrs. John H. Marker, of Littlestown, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Merwyn C. Fuss.

The Christmas offering at the Lutheran Church—\$46.84—was donated to the Near East sufferers.

Miss Emma L. Reaver, who has been ill for two weeks, is improving. Mrs. Nora Shoemaker has charge of her school.

Mrs. Estella Burgoon, and daughter, of Littlestown, spent last Saturday on a visit to the former's sister, Mrs. David Baughman.

James Carson, youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Elliot, was critically ill with pneumonia, about a week ago, but is now out of danger.

Mrs. Deborah Flickinger, of Coperville, is reported to have been partly overcome by coal gas, on Monday, and has since removed to the home of her son, William H. Mrs. Flickinger is over 80 years old.

Miss Annie Starner Senft and Miss Beatrice Klann, of Lancaster, Pa., both students of Lankenau School for Girls, and Miss Laura Kessler, formerly one of the Faculty of the school at Philadelphia, after spending the holidays with Miss Senft's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Senft, returned to school on Tuesday last.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Sunday services, Church of the Brethren, New Windsor, in College Chapel: Mission Study Class, 8:45 A. M.; Sunday School and Bible Study, 9:45; church services, 10:45; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45 P. M.; followed by song service at 7:20; preaching at 8.

In Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday morning the pastor will preach on "The Blessedness of Pardon." In the evening, the closing service of the week of prayer will be held in this church, with the sermon by Rev. W. G. Shipley. Service Saturday evening with sermon by Rev. Guy P. Bready.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—S. School, at 9:15; Service, at 10:15. Installation of officers; C. E., at 6:30. No evening service on account of union service at Lutheran Church. Holy Communion, Jan. 14. Keysville—Service at 2:00 P. M.

Union Bridge, Lutheran Church—9:30 A. M., Keysville, Sunday School. No preaching services at Keysville or Rocky Ridge.

Church of God, Uniontown—9:30, Sunday School; 10:30 Preaching, Wakefield—2:30, Divine Worship.

Uniontown Lutheran, St. Paul's—9:30 Sunday School; 7:00 P. M., last service of Week of Prayer. Emmanuel (Baust)—9:30 Sunday School reorganization; 10:30, Worship and Sermon. Woman's Missionary Society, Thursday, Jan. 14, at 7:30, at Mrs. Ezra Spangler's. Mt. Union—1:30 Sunday School; 7 P. M., C. E.

Presbyterian, Town-Sabbath School at 9:30; Christian Endeavor, at 6:45. Union Service at Lutheran Church, at 7:30. Piney Creek—Preaching, at 10:00.

U. B. Church, Town—S. School, at 9:30; Preaching, at 10:30; Communion Service following. Sewing Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at Parsonage.

Harney—S. School, at 1:30; Preaching, at 10:30. Communion Service following; Y. P. S. C. E., in the evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Double Surprise.

An Englishman who knew no language but his own had lost his way in Rome. In his perplexity it occurred to him to write the name of his hotel in large letters on his card and hand it to the first benign looking individual he met.

The Italian thus accosted turned, and, with the charming manner of his race, accompanied the perturbed Englishman for about 20 minutes in solemn silence until they reached the hotel designated.

In a transport of joy at finding himself once more on known ground the tourist poured out voluble thanks in his command.

At this the Italian looked at him in amazement and remarked in perfect English: "I thought you were deaf and dumb."—London Mail.

The Worm Turns.

An engineer was giving evidence in a case in which a farmer was suing a railway company for damages resulting from the death of a cow which had been run into by a train.

The farmer's lawyer was heckling the engineer, and kept reverting to his pet question, which was: "Now, tell me, was the cow on the track?"

At last the engineer became angry, and answered the question: "Well, if you want me to tell the real truth, the cow was bathing in the stream the other side of the track. But the engine saw, leaped off the rails, dashed over the bank, and, landing right on top of the cow, strangled it to death without a word."—Engineering.

Constipation.

Constipation of the bowels is a stoppage of the sewerage system that removes waste matter from the body. It is as necessary that your bowels move regularly one each day to carry off this waste, as it is that the waste pipes of your home be kept open and carry off the waste from the house. If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed.

All Victory Notes Redeemable.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Retirement of all outstanding Victory notes in advance of their maturity date, May 20, was made possible to night by the Treasury, which announced it would redeem the notes upon presentation, whether or not they had been called for redemption.

The Treasury announcement will permit redemption of about \$850,000,000 of notes which have not been called, it was said. In addition, the Treasury is waiting to pay \$225,000,000 to holders of notes that were called for retirement December 15 and have not been turned in.

Although no official statement was made, tonight's Treasury announcement was regarded as indicating that its program of refinancing and of taking care of the earliest maturing of the war-time loans was progressing satisfactorily. The Treasury, it is shown by the announcement, is able to handle such of the Victory notes as are offered for retirement, in addition to meeting the call to pay for the 1918 issue of war-savings stamps, which matured January 1.

It was said tonight that about \$600,000,000 of the war-savings stamps were outstanding on the maturity date. The first day's redemptions were about \$100,000,000. Since most of the stamps are turned in through post-offices, officials expected there would be some delay before all were received by the Treasury for redemption and destruction.

The Baltimore News and American will have a new building before the summer is over, at Courtland and Centre Sts. The plan is to get out of the congested section of the city, and more convenient to railroad stations. The building will be 200x96 feet, and 2½ stories high, built expressly for handling newspaper publishing expeditiously.

UNABLE TO DECIPHER DISK

Archaeologists Admit They Are Puzzled Over Interpretation of Pictographs Concerning Egypt.

What is the Phaestos disk? Ever since 1903, when it was found on the site of the palace of Phaestos in southern Crete, it has puzzled archaeologists. It looks, says a contributor to the London Graphic, much like a phonograph record; it is from three-fifths to four-fifths of an inch thick and is six inches in diameter. It is made of fine clay and is supposed to have been shaped during the Middle Minoan period or approximately 1600 B. C.

The disk is stamped with 45 pictographs arranged in spiral form to be read, apparently, from the outer edge to the center. Four-fifths of the characters are entirely new. One that is exceptionally puzzling—the plumed head of a warrior—appears not less than 19 times.

At one time archaeologists hoped that the characters on the disk would prove to be elementary forms of the Phoenician alphabet. Then the thought of an alphabet was discarded, and students sought to interpret the characters by regarding them as notes of music. The results are encouraging. Perhaps some day the disk may tell us of the strains to which the beautiful Ariadne, daughter of King Minos, danced and prayed.

SAVED BY INTELLIGENT DOG

How Animal in Australia Brought Relief to Helpless Man Severely Injured in Accident.

A remarkable instance of intelligence in a dog, leading to the relief of an injured man, is reported from the neighborhood of Grafton, Australia. Riding a horse ten miles from home in a lonely spot, a man had his thigh broken by the horse stumbling, falling and then rolling on him.

The horse regained its feet and galloped away, leaving its master on the ground in great agony. His only hope was his dog, which ran around in a state of great excitement, evidently aware of the gravity of the accident.

The injured man thought out a scheme for making his whereabouts known. Calling the dog to him he tied his coat round it and ordered it to go home. At first it did not realize what the plan was, but suddenly it understood and raced away, and in two hours returned, guiding a rescue party of the sufferer's relatives.

Shall we say that the dog had no thought in understanding and carrying out this complicated process of relief?

Searching for Shock.

There are so many instances where speech and hearing have been restored by a severe shock that there is a general notion among deaf and dumb persons that their salvation rests in this direction. Consequently they are resorting to airplane trips as a means of restoring their functions. The manager of the air station at Croxford, England, reports that he is besieged with requests from these afflicted persons who are hopeful that an experience in midair might supply the necessary shock. The parents of an afflicted child brought their offspring to the station and made a request that the child be taken aloft with the idea of possibly curing her, but aside from the tonic effect upon the child there was no other result. The child returned to the ground in a very happy frame of mind and was delighted with her experience. It has been suggested that the trip aloft does not have the desired effect for the reason that the various experiences in the air are more or less expected and therefore the element of suddenness and shock are lacking.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VERY Desirable Home

in Longville, Taneytown District, Carroll County, Maryland.

The undersigned trustee, appointed by a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll county sitting as a Court of Equity, passed in a cause wherein Sadie E. Stonesifer and Oliver J. Stonesifer, her husband are complainants, and Mahlon T. Brown and others are defendants, being cause No. 5412 on the Equity Docket of said Court, by virtue of the authority contained in said decree, will offer at public sale on the premises, situated in Longville, or Greenville, on the public road leading from Taneytown to Harney, in Taneytown district, Carroll County, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1923, at 2 P. M., all that lot of land containing

61 and 9-10 SQUARE PERCHES of land, more or less, of which a certain Mary J. Brown, late of Carroll County, Maryland, died, seized and possessed.

The improvements consist of a weatherboarded dwelling house, stable, shed, and other outbuildings. Good water at the house, and some fruit on the property.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash upon the day of the sale, or upon the ratification of the sale by the court, and the balance in two equal payments of one and two years from day of sale, the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

OLIVER J. STONESIFER, Trustee.

JOSEPH D. BROOKS, Solicitor.

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

On the same day and hour on the same premises the undersigned administrators of Mary J. Brown will offer at public sale a quantity of household and kitchen furniture. For further particulars see hand bills.

OLIVER J. STONESIFER, MAHLON T. BROWN, Administrators.

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Farm for Sale at Half Price.

124 Acres with new Buildings for \$7500.00, or 177 acres for \$8500.00, located near Basehoar's Mill.

Will leave half purchase money, or more, in farm at 5 percent.

A. C. ECKARD, Taneytown, Md. 12-29-3t

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of The Taneytown Garage Co., that an election for seven directors of the Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, on Tuesday, January 2, 1923, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock.

D. J. HESSON, President.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

The Stockholders of The Detour Bank are hereby notified that the annual meeting for the election of thirteen Directors to manage the affairs of this Bank for the ensuing year, will be held on Monday, January 15, 1923, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, P. M., at said Bank.

12-22-3t E. LEE ERB, Cashier.

NEW THEATRE

Saturday, Jan. 6.

"ANNE OF LITTLE SMOKY" Comedy—"TROUBLE"

Thursday, Jan. 11.

"VERY TRULY YOURS,"

the Fox production in which Shirley Mason is to appear, furnishes that popular young star with a role somewhat "different" in that it carries her not merely to the edge of matrimony as the story closes, but right through the matrimonial bars and over a few post-matrimonial hurdles. It is the story of a charming little hotel stenographer with whom a big, bluff young lumber man falls in love. There's trouble enough comes out of the romance, but there's an abundance of humor as well, and so long as all ends as it should, what matter? Shirley Mason's the heroine—and that means a delightful hour or more.

The Modern Child.

Reading about the two little English girls who, according to Conan Doyle, discovered real fairies in the woods we were reminded of another child because he was so different. Robert, the four-year-old son of a scientific man, had lived in the country most of his short life. One day a visitor, wishing to make friends with the little fellow, took him on his knee and asked, "Are there any fairies in your woods here, Robert?" "No," responded the child promptly, "but there are plenty of edib' fungi!"

Taneytown's Leading Fashion Store. Standard Drophead Sewing Machines are cheaper.

Koons Bros.

DEPARTMENT STORE.

TANEYTOWN, MD.

Clean Up Sale of all Winter Merchandise.

We have cut the price on all Ladies' Coats and Sweaters; Men's stylish Overcoats and heavy Top Coats; Bed Blankets, in white, grey, red and plaid; Bed Comforts; Horse Blankets and all wool Auto Robes.

Good Values in Dry Goods.

Men's Heavy, Long-wearing Work Shoes and Fine English in Tan and Black Shoes; Women's heavy and light weight Shoes, in brown and vici bals, in Dolly Madison; Boys', Misses, and Children's Shoes. Prices must be right.

Ball-Band

Rubber Boots, black and red; Felt Boots, Buckle Arctics; heavy and light weight Gum Shoes; all sold at lowest prices.

All-wool Dress Goods, in Serges, 36 and 42-in., in Navy, Brown, Garnet and Black, Fancy Checks in Dress Gingham, in Light and Dark colors; Dark and Light Outings and Domets Bleached Sheetings and Muslins.

Bargains in Underwear

Men's Heavy Fleece and Ribbed Union Suits, and Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. Women's and Children's Heavy Union Suits, and two-piece Underwear.

Warner Bros' guaranteed Rust-Proof Corsets, in white and pink.

Big Pre-Inventory Sale

BEGINNING JAN. 6, ENDS JAN. 13

We have an extra large stock of Canned Goods that we are going to sell at practically what it cost us, for one week before we take stock.

We have a little Xmas Candy left that we are selling at ½ price.

All Soaps and Soap Powders marked down. 15% off on all Barkers Powders.

Cakes and Crackers marked down.

Special prices on Coffee and Coca.

Come early so you get your share of these wonderful values.

W. M. OHLER

Cash Meat and Grocery Store
TANEYTOWN, MD.

U. S. ARMY GOODS.

Just received a big lot of all new army goods. 120 pair of Hob Nail Marching and Garrison Shoes, in all sizes and lasts. 160 pairs of new all-wool Pants. Sizes from 30 to 42. 6 dozen O. D. Wool Shirts.

Hob Nail Shoes, sizes 5 to 10	\$3.45
Marching Shoes, sizes 7-12 to 9	2.95
Garrison Shoes, sizes 6 to 10	3.95
O. D. Wool Officers Long Pants,	2.50
O. D. Wool Pants	3.00
O. D. Wool Shirts	2.50
O. D. Regulation Shirts	1.00
All-Wool Socks, 3 pair	.35
Jersey Gloves, 20c, 2 pair	1.75
5-Finger Wool Gloves,	25c pair
Long Sleeve Sweaters	1.75
O. D. Wool Coats	1.75

Harness of all Description.

This is the best lot of Army Goods received yet. Anyone in need of anything in this line, it will pay you to come and look this line over.

W. H. DERN

C. & P. Phone 813F13 FRIZELLBURG, MD. 12-29-3t

PUBLIC SALE OF Cord Wood

Wood by the Cord, and a lot of Rails, on WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10, 1923 at 1 o'clock, on the NEW FAIR GROUND formerly the Clabaugh farm, near Taneytown JOHN SHIRK, Manager J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

Taneytown Grain and Hay Market.

Wheat\$1.20@1.20
Corn, new70@.70
Oats70@.70
Rye50@.50
Hay Timothy12.00@12.00
Hay Straw12.00@12.00

Election of Directors

Notice is hereby given that an election for the Directors of The Taneytown Savings Bank, for the ensuing year, will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, at the Banking House, in Taneytown.

12-29-2t W. A. BOWER, Treas.

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