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# PRIMARY ELECTIONS HAVE FAILED.

# Improved Convention Best for the Conntry.

The conception of the primary election system rested on the ideas that by abolishing party conventions, the power of the "bosses," or party leaders, over nominations, would be broken; that the use of money for the control of conventions, would be re-placed with the impossibility of the effective use of money in the direct primary plan; and that in general, corrupt practices could not be so suc-cessfully operated.

The trial of the direct primaries, covering practically the whole country, for a number of years, has demonstrated that most of these ideas have failed to materialize, except perhaps for very small political divisions—even county divisions being too large for intelligent primary voting—for the people as a whole are not all qualified to pick their candi-dates; and there is enough expression of ignorance at the general elections, without adding to it through primary elections. The failures of the prim-ary plan may be summed up, as fol-

lows;
1—The voting masses do not, within themselves, possess the proper amount of information as to the merits and qualifications of candidates, and must vote more or less haphazard, or get their information from others, perhaps from interested agents, or misleading propaganda.

2—The convention plan represents

a delegated democracy, apt to be more intelligently representative of the best sentiment of political districts, and the individual officers and members of a delegated convention are responsible to the people for

3-As the division of certain officials, according to area represented, is desirable, the convention plan is apt to prevent the selection of a large number of candidates from any one particular area.

4—The personal contact, conferences and caucuses, of conventions, are decidedly less harmful than the underhand propaganda that frequently attends primary contests.

5—Primary campaigns are like family quarrels—detrimental to peace, and likely to leave personal ill-feeling as a result, among members of the same political family.

6—The cost of conventions was largely divided among individuals delegated to attend them, and the local primaries were attended by very slight expense; no costly election paraphenalia, nor advertising, nor paid election officials, was required

7—The direct primary has not resulted in producing a better class of candidates; rather, the opposite is true, for many men are unwilling to age are admitted. There will be no age are admitted. There will be no that perhaps does not pay an attrac-

tive salary.
8—The direct primary makes it possible for a minority of voters to nominate. In the convention plan, a majority of the delegates is always required. As a result of 2000 votes cast, it would be possible for the vote to stand 675, 665, 660, the highest vote being only a small fraction over 1/3 of the total vote.

9—The primary gives the opposing party the opportunity to encourage candidates to go into the contest, and 'split up" the vote between strong men, so that weaker men may win nominations.

10-It has been abundantly demonstrated that there is much greater opportunity to spend money for nominations—aside from the cost to taxpayers-than was ever the case with small financial means, from being

11-The convention plan is the equivalent of the jury plan—a small number of specially selected men deciding for the less qualified masses.

12-Limiting the amount of expenditures in a primary contest, is apt also to limit the information of voters concerning candidates and questions, and will not eliminate all of the objectionable features of primaries. Conventions, regulated by law, would be less expensive than primaries, and be more fair and intelligent in their results.

# Debate on Declaration begun July 2,'76

One hundred and fifty years ago, July 2, (or '76) the debate on the Declaration of Independence began in the Continental Congress in Philadelphia. Four days before, Thomas Jefferson had presented that immortal document and in the interval the members had been meditating on the

significance of its adoption.

It meant either the making of a nation or the hanging of the men who

dared propose it. was a challenge to the most powerful nation on the globe with its tre-

mendous resources. The heat oppressed; the horse-flies from the livery stable swarmed in to attack the silk-stockinged legs of the patriots, and these men, playing with destiny and staking their lives, rose, one after another, to speak for the

Three days the debate went on, and then these courageous souls affixed their names to the document that might prove their death warrants and pledged their "lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor" to the cause of liberty. DROWNING OF MR. GILLIES.

More of the Details of Last Week's

The drowning of Mr. John G. Gillies, brief mention of which was made last week, can now be described more fully. Mr. and Mrs. Gillies were both in the canoe and they were at Tuesday, July 20. the return end of a trip from camp to a village where they had gone to mail letters. When about 50 feet from shore the canoe tipped over and both were thrown out. Mr. Gillies made a desperate effort to reach his wife and caught hold of her, but immediately left go and sank like a stone.

Mrs. Gillies managed to catch hold of the canoe, but her hold slipped and she went down, but some one from the town pushed out in a row boat caught hold of her and towed her ashore. The water was only about 6 feet deep and under ordinary circumstances both could almost have waded to shore.

The supposition is that Mr. Gillies suffered from heart failure as soon as he struck the water, due to overexertion caused by paddling 2½ miles.

Mr. Ferguson, Arthur Gleason and
Mrs. Gillies, after an all night trip

from Montreal, arrived in New York last Friday morning, bringing the body with them. Funeral services were held in the cemetery chapel on Staten Island. Mrs. Gillies is now

staten Island. Mrs. Gillies is now with her sister, Nellie.

As stated last week, Mrs. Gillies was Miss Mary Yount, formerly of Taneytown, and is a sister of Mrs. Chas. B. Kephart, near Taneytown, and C. Edgar Yount, Tampa, Florida. They had been married only six days and were on their honourous when and were on their honeymoon when the fatality occurred on a lake in

Mr. Gillies was born in Honda, Colombia, South America of Scotch parents. At the age of 9 years he was sent to Scotland where he re-ceived his education. As a young man he returned to Colombia and entered the employ of the Santa Marta Railroad Company, and later accepted a position as Secretary to Lord Murray, British Embassador to

At the outbreak of the war he came At the outbreak of the war he came to the U. S. as an attache of the British War Mission, and after the armistice entered the employ of the American Cotton Oil Co., and still later became statistician for the Consolidation Coal Co., and held an important position with the Company at his death

#### Vacation Bible School for New Windsor and Community.

As a result of action taken by the Sunday Schools in the New Windsor district, New Windsor is to have its first community vacation Bible School this summer. It will be held in the College Auditorium, commencing July 19, Monday, and will continue

undergo two campaigns, and the uncertainty of being elected to an office dent should furnish the director of the school the approximate number of children from his school. The co-operating schools are assuming the cream is offered for sale it must be expense. Anyone wishing to contribute towards the expense may send or hand their contribution to Geo. P. B. Englar, New Windsor, or

to their own Superintendent.
The school is being held by the New Windsor District S. S. Association of which Mr. A. Jay Replogle is president and Mr. Englar, Sec.-Treas. Mr. Replogle is in charge of the school He will be assisted by Mrs. P. R. Yoder, Linwood; Misses Ruth Howe Howe, the Primary; Miss Baker the Junior, and Mr. Replogle the Inter-

conventions, thereby practically prohibiting men with large ability, but
small financial means, from being the small financial means, from being the small financial means. pencil, some colored crayons, a tube

of paste and a pair of scissors.

Parents, this is an exceptional opportunity to have your children receive real Bible instruction. The parents and S. S. teachers are invited to

# A Trip to the Shenandoah Caverns.

Thirty-five operators and friends of the Mr. Charles E. H. Shriner Sewing Factory, spent a very enjoyable day Monday July 5th., at the Shenandoah Caverns, which is a wonderful place to see the beautiful handiwork of God. Anyone wishing to take a week-end trip would find it worthwhile to go to these Caverns, just to see the Diamond Cascade and the Rainbow Lake with their beautiful colors, besides the other wonder-

ful things that are there. Mr. Shriner provided ways for those people who appreciated and enjoyed the trip very much, although it rained while they were going, but the weather was fine when they got there, and everyone had a fine time.

### Adams County Tax-Collectors Must "Pony Up."

The County Commissioners Adams County have announced that between \$35,000 and \$40,000 in taxes are in arrears, and that unless the 25 delinquent tax-collectors make full settlement within 10 days, action will be taken to force payment. Some collectors owe county taxes as far back as 1921, and in some case it is said bondsmen will be called on. It is not clear from our information whether the taxes have been collected from individuals and not paid ov-er, or whether cases of both kinds are outstanding.

# THE ANNUAL S. SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The annual convention of the Sunday Schools of Carroll County will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Westminster, Tuesday, July 20, with three sessions, from 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M.

Every school in the county is expected to send delegates. Lunch will be served by the ladies of the church in the social hall, at a nominal charge

both noon and evening.

A new feature on the program this year that promises to be most interesting, are the Harmony Trumpeters, four young men from Philadel-phia who play the cornet. They will delight us with their music at each session. A fine program of strong addresses has been arranged with an intermission for conferences of the various departments in the afternoon. Rev. J. Walter Englar, of New Windsor, is the President of the County Association, and Rev. R. N. Edwards is pastor of the convention

# Camp Ground Regulations.

The following regulations shall apply to any premises used as a camp or picnic ground in this state, for a period of six days or longer, and accommodating ten or more persons.

Regulation 1—No camp shall be op-

erated without a permit from the State Board of Health. Application for such permit shall be made in writing. This shall state the exact situation of the existing or proposed camp, type of camp, the approximate number of persons to be maintained, the probable duration of use, the proposed source of water supply for the camp, and the propose method of sewage and garbage disposal.

Regulation 2—All camps must be

supplied with water which must meet with the minimum requirements of the State Board of Health. It shall be of sufficient quantity and protected

against pollution.

Regulation 3—For every camp there shall be provided convenient and suitable fly tight privies, or other toilet facilities, which will effectually prevent seepage or flowing into water supplies and the breeding of flies, which the occupants of the camp shall

Privies shall be located in such a position that streams, lakes, reservoirs, etc., will not be contaminated. If pits are used under the privies they shall be protected against flooding with rain water.

Regulation 4—All camps surroundings, tents and buildings shall at all times be kept in a clean and sanitary condition; that is, no organic matter shall be allowed to accumulate.

Regulation 5—If an enclosed kitchen is provided it must be screened against flies.

Regulation 6-All foodstuffs must kept in closed receptacles and refrigerated below 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

Regulation 7—All garbage, kitchen waste and other rubbish in camps shall be deposited in suitable covered metal receptacles, which shall be emptied daily, or oftener if necessary, and the contents burned, buried or otherwise disposed of in such a way as not to become offensive or insanitary.

Regulation 8—Whenever a case of

sickness with fever or diarrhoea as Mrs. Yoder will conduct the work in the Beginner's Department; Miss Baker the Primary; Miss Baker the patient shall be isolated but not repatient shall be isolated but not re mission of the health officer has been

> every camp shall assume responsibilitary regulations.

Passed at a meeting of the State Board of Health held on April 29,

# Harvest of Deaths and Accidents.

Hundreds of persons were either killed or injured, the past week, and especially on the 4th. and 5th., from drowning and automobile accidents. Apparently, this is the most reckless time of the year, as most accidents are due to lack of proper care on the part of those who take "chances," are not properly informed of the danger of their acts. The enforce-ment of "safety first" actions, would prevent more than nine-tenths of all accidents and deaths.

The drowning and auto accidents were added to, by hundreds of accidents from fireworks, some of them fatal, ranging from slight burns to cases of lockjaw. It seems to us that the manufacture and sale of fireworks, especially such as are sold to children, ought to be absolutely prohibited.

# Civil War Pension Increase.

As Civil War veterans decrease, the government increases its generosity in the matter of pensions. A Senate bill providing increase of pensions to Civil and Mexican War veterans and dependents at an estimated cost to the Government of \$15,000,000 annually, was passed on Thursday of last week by the House without a record vote. The measure now goes to the Presi-

### BASS SEASON OPENS.

Minimum Size Under the Law is Nine

Season for bass and other fish op-ened Friday and will remain open until November 30, inclusive. The minimum size bass allowed under the law is nine inches. Opening of the season found the Monocacy and Potomac rivers muddy.

It is also pointed out that it is unlawful to take any fish except with the use of rod, hook and line. The law prohibits use of any kind seine, or net, gig, gig iron, fish bas-kets or fish pots. Bait fish, however, may be taken by use of a dip or landing net or seine not over six feet in length nor greater than three feet in

Several charges in connection with violations of the above law have recently made their appearance in Frederick county police court circles and a conviction was returned.

### Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Tuesday, July 6, 1926—Amelia C. Sharrer, administratrix of Jacob F. Sharrer, deceased, settled her first

and final account.

Margaret J. Royer, administratrix
of Emma E. Royer, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts due and current money and re-

ceived order.

John C. Taylor, administrator d.
b. n. c. t. a., of Charles Taylor, deceased, reported sale personal property and settled his first and final ac-

Walter Marten received order to draw funds.
Isaiah and Alfred M. Greenwood,

administrators d. b. n. c. t. a. of Jeremiah Greenwood, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the Court issued an order ni. si.

Angeline E. Stuller, administratrix of Jesse T. Stuller, deceased, return-

ed inventories of personal property and debts due.
Harvey Nott, administrator d. b. n.

c. t a., of Kate L. Sherman, deceased, settled his first and final account.
Harvey H. Nott, administrator W.
A., of John L. Nott, deceased, settled his second account.

James A. Lockard, administrator of

Jesse Lockard, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Susie E. Yeiser, executrix of Geo.
W. Yeiser, deceased, received order. Birnie Trust Co., guardian received

order Court to use funds.
Wednesday, July 4, 1926—Edwin
H. Sharetts and William E. Ritter,
executors of Luther T. Sharetts, deceased, received order to sell stocks

Fannie B. Caples, administratrix of Harvey B. Caples, deceased, received order to sell personal property.

J. Ezra Stem, guardian of James Everett Stem, settled his first and final account.

# "Inside" Information for Women.

final account.

"Carrots will make you beautiful" is indirectly true, because carrots are excellent source of mineral matter which is used in regulating body pro-cesses and building tissues. They are especially rich in calcium and a good source of at least 3 vitamins.

Have you ever used horseradish in sauce for beets? Try a little next time you serve this vegetable. of ginger also combines well with beets in vinegar.

One of the easiest ways of preparing eggplant is to bake it in lengthwise halves with strips of bacon laid over the top. Gash the flesh so that the flavor will be well distributed.

There is no basis for the widespread notion that fish is particularly valuable as a brain food.

Chipped places on the edges of tumblers and other glass articles can be made smooth by rubbing down with fine emery paper, or with fine ity for maintaining in good order all sandpaper if the emery is not avail-sanitary appliances on said ground, and for the enforcement of these sandpaper if the emery is not avail-able. To avoid breathing the glass dust, one should tie a dampened cloth over the nose and mouth.

# Budding and Grafting.

There is no good reason why the budding and grafting of fruit trees should not be a well understood process by everybody who owns an orchard. There is nothing difficult about it. The only thing necessary is the necessary tools, and the "know

A very comprehensive illustrated Bulletin on the subject—No. 278—has been published by the University of Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station College Park, Md., and can be had free, by writing for it.

# Make Night Driving Safer.

A new type automobile headlight, radically different from any now in use, which will give long range with-out glare and illuminate the ditches along the side of the road by a wide side beam, has been developed by the General Electric laboratory after three years of experimenting.
With upwards of 20,000 people kill-

ed each year and hundreds of thousands injured in automobile accidents, many of them occurring at night, any invention which tends to remove hazards from night driving, is a public benefaction. A safe automobile headlight is as much of a public ne-cessity today as are suitable electric lights for the home.

The Baltimore bandit, Whittimore, has been refused a new trial, and must pay death penalty.

# MARYLAND EXHIBITS DAMAGED.

# Other News Notes Concerning the Sesqui-Centennial.

The Maryland exhibit at the Philadelphia exposition was damaged to the extent of \$5000. or \$6000., on Sun-day by a heavy rainfall. The exhibit was in the Palace of Agriculture in process of construction, the roof of which has but little slant and without sufficient drains to carry off the heavy rain as fast as it fell. Many tons of water gathered and to prevent possible collapse of the roof, holes were cut in it which caused the water to

fall over the Maryland exhibits. The Exposition authorities, it is said, will be responsible for the repair of the loss, so far as it can be repaired. The Russian exhibit was also very badly damaged, and to some extent permanently ruined, and the damage was quite general, to a more or less degree.

The grounds are said to be such as not to be favorable for drainage, in case of heavy floods like that of Sunday, and the buildings, as a rule, have but little elevation above the surface total.

of the ground.
On Monday, the official opening exercises were greatly interfered with by rain, but the presence of the Presenc ident and party brought to the grounds many thousands of visitors. A large part of the program had to be

The President's address was an excellent presentation of thoughts and expressions that had been made by writers and public speakers during a long period of years before 1776, all leading toward the idea of liberty, many of them being made by ministers of the Gospel, forming the preaching of the day in churches and meeting houses. He said;
"No one can examine this record

and escape the conclusion that in the great outline of its principles the Declaration of Independence was the result of the religious teachings of the

preceding period.
"It is a declaration not of material but spiritual conceptions, equality, liberty, popular sovereignty—these are not elements which we can see and liberty. touch. They are ideals. They have their source and roots in religious convictions. Unless the faith of the American people in these religious convictions is to endure, the principles

of our declaration will perish. We cannot continue to enjoy the result if we abandon the cause.
"We live in an age of science and tnem. The things of the spirit come first. Unless we cling to them all our national prosperity, overwhelming though it may appear, will turn to a barren sceptre in our grasp."

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five minutes, after which the Presidential party visited Independence dential party visited Independence
Hall, and other historic points, ending at the new Delaware river bridge days and Fridays in the fastness of which was crossed to Camden, N. J., where the President planted a slip of | ident returns to Washington in Sepwillow brought by him from the tomb | tember when he will resume his of Washington, in a park in the civic

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church has officially withdrawn its support from the exposition so far as exhibits are concerned, and all relations of a denominational character, due to the decision to open the grounds on Sunday.

The East Pennsylvania Synod, and the ministerium of Pennsylvania Lutheran Church, has taken like action waiting until the last minute, then expecting "rush" service.

Fully nine-tenths of all the work

# Marriage Licenses.

Joseph Milton Massicot and Celia Weller, Westminster.
Carl P. Burkett and Isabella R. Mita, Baltimore.

William B. Swietzer and Velma M. Harman, York, Pa.
Percy D. Trott and Mildred I.
Seitz, Sykesville.

Arthur L. Haines and Evelyn M.

Bair, Woodbine.
LeRoy Peters and Matilda Kivlia,
Philadelphia. Carroll S. Younkine and Helen Reese, Middletown, Md.

Charles L. Caltrider and Emma A. Barnes, Finksburg. Luther R. Hoffman and Lillian E. Wyand, Hampstead. Gottlieb Glischlaile and Johanna Schiller, Colgate, Md.

# Rev. John S. Adam on Trip to Europe.

Rev. John S. Adam, of Middletown, formerly of Silver Run, left on Wednesday on the steamship "Carmania" from New York, for London, England, where he will attend the 7th. World's C. E. Convention, to be held in London, July 16 to 21st. His congregation has granted him a vacation of seven weeks. Before returning, he will tour England, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Italy and

# Officers of The Record, Elected.

At the election of Directors of The Carroll Record Co., June 30, William F. Bricker was elected in place Geo. H. Birnie, deceased, and all other directors were re-elected. The Board organized, July 2, by electing Geo. A. Arnold, President; D. J. Hesson, Vice-President; G. Walter Wilt, Secretary, and P. B. Englar, Editor-Manager-Treasurer.

Six persons were drowned in waters near Baltimore, on Sunday.

BOND ISSUE FOR ROADS.

Carroll County Issues Road Bonds Amounting to \$39,060.

A bond issue for roads, under the lateral and post road plan, passed by the last legislature, has been sold in Carroll County, to the amount of Say,060. Notice of the amount of \$39,060. Notice of the amount was furnished by the State Roads Commission. Various bids ranged from \$101.00 to \$107.76, the latter figure being offered by John P. Baer & Co., Baltimore bankers, which was accept-

The bonds are \$1000. each, and bear 4½ percent interest. Five of the Bonds mature in 1929, and five for each succeeding year until 1936.

# Some California Claims.

The following is reprinted from the Elsinore Leader, California;
"California leades all other states in the union in the following:
In the production of oranges, 62 percent of U. S. total. Lemons, 100 percent of U. S. total.
Grapes, 87 percent of U. S. total.
Peaches, 23 percent of U. S. total.
Asparagus, 56 percent of fresh
asparagus, 99 percent of canning as-

Cantaloupes, 52 percent of U. S.

Cauliflower, 48 percent of U. S. total. Lettuce, 52 percent of U. S. total. Spinach, 89 percent of U. S. total

for canning.

Alfalfa, 14 percent of U. S. total.

One California county (Fresno)

produces the major share of the rais-

ins of the world.

California produces over 35 percent of all the fruit grown in the United

Of the highest 50 counties in the United States in value of crops and livestock products and in value of crops alone, 13 are in California. Five of the 10 highest counties are in California."

# Coolidge on Vacation.

President and Mrs. Coolidge and party left the White House late on Tuesday afternoon, for their vacation to the Adirondaks, the President re-

Stowed away through the train were the various members of the White House household—the President's personal secretary, Edward T. Clark, with Mrs. Clark; the servants, including Mrs. Coolidge's maid; the White House valet; the White House barber; Secret Service men; steno-graphers; clerks; the dozen or so newspaper men who must shift their

pear next Friday as the White Pine the Northern woods until the Presformer role of White House spokes-

# Help the Printer.

If you want the very best of service from your printer, give him the greatest possible time in which to perform it. Get out of the habit of

you need from the printer, is known—or can easily be known—beforehand, by intelligent planning-looking

Most good printers are busy, or at least have work of some sort-on hand all of the time. They can always work to their own best advantage, as well as to yours—even in price—if they are given the time to conveniently plan their work ahead. It causes the printer loss of timeand time is cost, and money—to stop work on one job to "rush" another

through. It causes loss to take one kind of ink off a press, and put on another. The printer saves, in many small ways, by planning ahead, and doing work with the least possible There is no more accommodating

business manager in any line of work, than a printing office manager. There is also no one more acquainted than he, with the fact that many patrons just forget, or neglect, to consider his end of the business.

Remember, when you help the printer to manage his business conveniently and economically, you also help yourself-in better work, better prices, and better all-around service. Always place your orders in advance of their need!

# No Radio Legislation.

Congress was so busy manufacturing political campaign thunder, that it adjourned without passing even the compromise temporary bill that was agreed upon, and just now the Department of Commerce is trying to find out what real authority it has, if any, to prevent chaos in the air, that threatens lack of authoritative con-

If it be true that "wave lengths" can be stolen, just as anything else can be stolen, and that there is no power to stop it or inflict penalties, then it will be difficult to predict what "listeners in" may hear by radio, until Congress meets again and finds time to legislate on the subject.

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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 ex-

#### The Bond Issue for Schools.

Apparently, the tax-payers of Carroll County are not exercising themselves greatly over a bond issue for schools; but, the question is one bound to present itself next winter, and therefore deserves some early consideration, before the case itself comes before the legislature.

The main thing to consider, as we see it now, is whether the voters and taxpayers desire and expect a referendum of the question, or whether they are satisfied to let the legislature put through a bill without the referendum provision? Legislation of this sort can be enacted either way. It is true that a bond issue for schools several years ago, was voted down, but this does not mean that voters would always have this opportunity. It must be part of the bill itself.

Candidates for the legislature this Fall, will want to know what their constituents think along this line. True, there are no candidates yet, but it is reasonable to expect that within a few weeks they will be "coming out."

### The Vare Case.

Evidently, if Mr. Vare is elected U. S. Senator from Pennsylvania, he ed, it is difficult to understand how bituminous, via the strike plan. the Senate can act so arbitrarily in the matter, as it has had years of op-

but it would be unfair, and apparent- way is reasonably open to it. ly unconstitutional, to enact either ex post facto legislation of this class, or to take snap judgment in any particular case, even though the Senate seems to have control over matters pertaining to the election of members of the body.

The thing to get at, and wipe out of existence, is the direct primary itself, in connection with fixing the amount of legitimate campaign expenses-if it be possible, indeed, to do such a thing as limit expenses, and have such limitations observed by candidates, national, state and county organizations, and individual voluntary workers and contributors.

# Fast Travel Politics.

There is an increase in the number of newspapers dropping party affiliation, and becoming non-partisan. There is also a decided increase in the "independent" vote, as well as a tendency toward caring very little tor with certain inalienable rights, about voting. There is something to | that among these are life, liberty and be said for each of these tendencies, as they seem to represent less bitter partianship; but there is much to be said against them.

Partyism can easily be overplayed. We can be so strongly one-sided as to "stick to party" with a blind fealty that side-tracks good judgment and the best interests of political divi- dowed with a vision which was not sions, large and small. On the other characteristic of the statesmen of the hand, luke-warmness, lack of interest and too much independence con- time. Their struggles with adversity cerning party organizations-too in a frontier country had schooled much selfishness of the bloc order—is infinitely worse.

While the voter is playing his little | which stand with the foremost names independent role, and not being in history. "bossed" around, the worst sort of politicians are capitalizing just such facts, and the best sort of politicians from early life to consider others, to who believe in and cooperate with party organizations, are losing out as a consequence. This feeling of individual independence, that seems backed by higher intelligence, is playing directly into the hands of political opportunists, everywhere.

Whenever party organizations become ineffective, the country as a whole, loses, for the old motto "In as the best safeguard for good gov- the "Ship of State" would be foun-

ernment. The blocs of disaffected vot- dered on the rocks of adversity, but ing more than commodities to be dickered with, led by those who do sighted forefathers, these rocks have not represent more than "getting been avoided and our country has something" for themselves.

Being "against the organization," or "against the administration," sounds better than it is, in most cases, and being a "floater" is not to be depended on as a political virtue. It is very much like being a good Christian outside the fold of an established religious denomination; it may be that some of the "outs" are better than some of the "ins", but this does not prove that the "ins" as a whole, are not greatly better than the "outs" as a whole.

The exact truth about the whole political prospect is, that there is tremendous danger in the disintegration of the old parties. And not only is this true in politics, but many other matters. The country is becoming afflicted with an exaggerated smartness that is not intelligence—a tendency that is represented in the mania for rapid travel, and short cuts through the taking of dangerous chances. We are living fast, thinking fast, and acting without that sound deliberation that stands for honest American common sense.

#### Coal for Next Winter.

There may not, after all be the assurance of plenty of coal, this winter. True, the anthracite trouble is likely safely settled for a while, but there are signs in plenty that the bituminous fields will have the strike fever this winter just as a large lot of new consumers had decided to use bituminous, or soft coal.

If "striking" is a business, as some think, why might it not be part of an understood plan to exercise the stunt in the bituminous fields this year, especially as Congress showed no serious disposition toward interfering? there is an exception, it is among the By common consent, almost, striking has been legalized by Congress; or, earthquakes and tornadoes. The truly what amounts to the same thing, po- industrial accident does not have to litical considerations seem to call for occur.

a "let it alone" policy. Should bituminous coal be had in Bureau of Labor Statistics. plenty, and at old prices, sales of an-

-not excepting candidates themselves | and mine owners. In these days of | active part. -decry the lavish use of money by schemes and intrigue, the latter is both individuals and organizations, not an impossible situation, for the to the national disgrace of an annual

# July the Fourth.

On July 4, 1776, one hundred and fifty years ago, the Declaration of Independence was signed. It marked an epoch in the history of the world, another step forward in the progress of man. In reality it gave birth to ideas embryonic in the minds of peoples everywhere during the preceding century. It was the outcome of persecution, a declaration against tyranny and depotism. The fifty-six signers of this famous Declaration, and the patriots who fought for its principle, were willing to give their lives in behalf of a cause which seemed hopeless, the sinpiration being the knowledge that justice and right were on their side.

The immortal words-

"We hold these truths to be selfevident, that all men are created equal that they are endowed by their creathe pursuit of happiness."

have for these many years flourished in the minds of Americans, and have furnished the ideal toward which our nation strives.

As a young nation we were peculiarly fortunate in having statesmen possessed by unusual wisdom and enolder countries of the world at the them for the task ahead. Washington, Jefferson, Franklin, are names

With such men as these guiding her affairs, men who had been trained be self-reliant, to have self-control (and some of whom had had the advantages of Masonic teachings), our country has progressed with astonishing rapidity. It has risen in a comparatively short time from thirteen small colonies of the British Empire, to one of the leading nations of the

At times, especially at first, things Union there is Strength," still stands | have looked dark and it seemed as if

ers are never likely to succeed in be- adhering closely to the course marked out by the principles of our farreached its present enviable position American ships carry American products to every part of the world; its wealth and resources are almost unlimited; its government has been used by other countries as a model; it has won every war into which it has en-

And yet we cannot afford to rest upon our laurels. It is a law of nature that everything must be either upbuilding or declining. There is no halfway ground. Other nations in history, thinking themselves to have reached the heights of perfection and a position which was indestructible, have become arrogant, self-satisfied and careless, and degeneration followed swiftly. Examples are numerous: the Empire of Alexander the Great, the Roman Empire, the Empire of Napoleon, the German Empire. Let us profit by the examples of others who have gone before us.

If the United States is to continue to progress and to lead in the affairs of the world, if we are to continue to be known as a land of freedom and liberty, the fundamental principles established by our forefathers must not be ignored. We must continue to sponsor equality and individual liberty, to protect the weak against the strong, to educate the youth, and to give to each citizen and future citizen every possible opportunity to know the real objects of government and to derive the full advantages which a government "of the people, by the people and for the people," affords .-Scottish Rite News Bureau.

### Accidents Can be Prevented.

There is no such thing as an "unavoidable" industrial accident. If great natural catastrophes, such as

The above indictment of human It might be a wise plan therefore, waste in industry is made by Lewis for consumers to act as they did last A. DeBlois, former president of the year, and lay in a supply, even though | National Safety Council, and printed this would play exactly into the game in the April issue of Monthly Labor of the coal operators and miners. Review, issued by the United States

"Safety education rests primarily stands a big chance of not being thracite would unquestionably suffer upon the inculcation of a new point of seated, on the ground of extravagant this coming winter; and the only thing view on accidents and the value of use of money in the primary contest. that would keep up the prices and de- human life," said Mr. DeBlois. "It While the reason given is well found- | mand for it, would be the scarcity of | seeks to teach the individual that accidents do not 'happen,' but are caus-The suggestion is altogether worth ed, and that the causes are preventconsidering. Consumers of coal are able. It tells him that prevention portunity to fix a proper sum of ex- practically at the mercy of the unions, cannot be accomplished solely by those pense in such cases, but failed to do if the matter is gone into. Or, it may in executive authority, that tacit apbe that a very deep game is played proval of the safety movement gets Most thoughtful persons, we think understandingly between the unions no results, but that he must take an

> "It strives to awaken his conscience two billion dollar loss, and to agony and suffering which can never be entered in the ledger.

"But to do these things, safety education must break down the old concepts, the mental attitudes, and the habits of thought and action that are of racial origin and persistence. If accident prevention were a mere matter of physical changes in the working environment we would have been justified in expecting marked statistical indications of national progress years ago. But accident prevention is not that; it is essentially an educational movement requiring the establishment of a new point of view, to be applied not only to our industrial activities, but to every aspect of our

"Accidents can be eliminated—not only those we always knew how to avoid, but even those we have been pleased to term 'unavoidable.' "-The Manufacturer.

# When They Forget

A New York publisher was talking about the popular English novelists-H. G. Wells, Arnold Bennett, D. H. Lawrence, Frank Swinnerton.

"They all spring from the people," he said, "and they all talk like the people when they get excited and forget themselves.

"Yes, they all talk like the chap in the London Times office. "A Scotch peer called up the Times

"'I'm giving a party,' he said. 'Haggis, reels, kilts and all that sort of thing, you know. Can you tell me where I can get a piper?

"'Dite of issue?' said the brisk cockney voice at the other end of the

# Versatile Elsie Mackay

One of the most versatile of the young women of England's aristocracy is Hon. Elsie Mackay, who has been elected on the advisory committee of the British Air league. Miss Mackay who is the daughter of Lord Inchcape the shipping and banking magnate, has been a licensed aviatrix since 1922 At one time she won success as an actress under the stage name of Poppy Wyndham. She also has displayed her genius and skill by designing the interior decoration of many of the ships belonging to the big company controlled by her father.

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### Historic Pistol Has Had Many Duplicates

There are indications that Alexander Hamilton was riddled with bullets that summer morning on the heights at Weehawken. There are too many pistols that ended his life to permit one to believe there was just one shot. Every now and then the pistol that Burr used turns up somewhere or other.

After the fatal shot the pistol that was used by Burr was turned over to Judge William Van Ness, the second of the victor-of that there is no doubt. He presented it to Col. James Bowie, who gave it to Doctor Carr of Baltimore.

In time that clever temperamental Kentucky orator, Tom F. Marshall, had an impulse, not uncommon in those days, to shoot James Watson Webb, the editor of the New York Courier and Enquirer, and in the duel arranged Carr acted as Marshall's second, and it was the Burr pistol that killed Hamilton, which Marshall

crippling Webb for life. The famous weapon was retained by Marshall, who gave it to his brother, and the latter carried and used it in the war with Mexico. That would have given Burr a thrill-he had so wanted to shoot Mexicans himself.

If pistols could write memoirs, what interesting stories this one with the twelve-inch barrel could tell.-Houston Post.

### High Explosive Power in Particles of Dust

It is not generally known that flour, sugar, starch or grain dusts are capable of working greater havoc than a high explosive, such as dynamite, says the London Tit-Bits.

In a barrel or sack flour is harmless. But if you were to take handfuls of it and throw it about until the air in the room was full of it and then light a match the house might be blown to pieces.

Flour is a combustible substance. When a cloud of it floats in the air of a room every particle is in immediate contact with oxygen, and a flame or even a spark will cause it to burn. Instantaneously the whole of it is converted into gas, which, expanding in a closed area, blows out the walls.

Powdered sugar is also extremely dangerous, while powdered spices, oatmeal and even soap will explode.

Some months ago a workman lifted the lid of a bin containing flour, and held a lighted match inside to see how full it was. An explosion took place immediately and the unfortunate man was badly injured. Yet it was not the mass of the flour that went off but only what was afloat in the air of

# Find Phonetic Spelling

Started 300 Years Ago London.-English advocates of simplified spelling, who are at the present time petitioning parliament, have

found their cause an ancient one. About 300 years ago the then rector of Rotherhithe, Thomas Gatacre, adopted a system of "reformed spelling" in his published works. Spellings such as "question," "tru," "ded," and "believ" were among those he invented. Advocates of phonetic spelling, however, claim Milton as a sounder authority, because the original text of his "Comus" contains words like "dwels," "beleeve," "limms" and "dred."

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### INFERTILE EGGS IN LATE SPRING

Many commercial chick hatcheries are complaining about the large percentage of infertile eggs, according to the directors of the International Baby Chick association who met with poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Many of the hatches, they report, show that less than 75 or 80 per cent of the eggs available are fertile, whereas in normal years fertility runs as high as 90 per cent or more.

"Fertility is largely a management problem," says Dr. M. A. Jull, in charge of poultry investigations, United States Department of Agriculture, "and infertility is due largely to the cold and wet weather, which causes a deviation from normal handling of the average flock. The only way that hatcheries can be certain of securing a high percentage of fertile eggs from farmers or others is to buy only from flocks that are properly managed. is no practical or scientific method known by which infertile eggs can be detected before incubation.'

Backward weather has resulted in many flocks being confined to a greater extent than usual and a consequent lack of sufficient exercise to insure fertile eggs. Then, too, under confinement, too many males may be a cause of low fertility. They spend too much time in fighting each other. Under normal range or yard conditions one male to fifteen or twenty hens of the more active breeds, such as Leghorns, is about right. In the heavier breeds, one male to ten or twelve hens will be required. Fewer males than this would be better in each case when the birds are in close confinement.

Breeding stock should have a variety of feed, consisting of grains, meat, and green feed. The green feed is especially essential if the birds are confined. Free range or exercise helps materially in the production of hatchable eggs.

# Feed for Young Turkeys

Is of Great Importance Young turkeys should not be fed for 36 to 48 hours after they are hatched. As soon as they are active, however, on their feet, they may be given water and allowed to pick at sand or gravel. It does no harm and perhaps it is a good idea to give them young, tender greens, the best of which is perhaps short grass on the

The first feeds usually given are stale dry bread crumbs moistened with sweet milk. They are fed very little of this about every two or three hours. It is not a bad idea to scatter a little sand in this, too, just a little. Other feeds are hard-boiled eggs, boiled to the crumbly stage, mashed and sometimes mixed with bread crumbs, rolled oats that have been rubbed in the hands to make them a little finer, etc.

Pinhead oatmeal and usually called chick starter, are also good feeds to give in limited quantities. But with these they must have some animal food to provide the animal protein, such as milk, high-grade beef scraps, etc. Milk is the product usually used. Some use it sweet and some use it sour. Those that use it sour generally pour off the whey and feed the thick part only.

# Poultry Notes

Overheating is bad for hen eggs, but for duck eggs it is fatal.

Only strong, sturdy chicks develop into profitable, mature birds.

While chickens can't live on sunlight, they can neither live without it. The wise poultryman will cull the

lying members from the laying flock. Geese should be mated several

months in advance of the breeding

Plowing up the ground helps to rid the soil of disease germs and intestinal worms.

\* \* \* A multitude of products are derived from poultry, meat and eggs being the principal leaders on the market.

Rigid culling throughout the growing season cuts the cost of raising chicks and lowers the mortality among them.

Avoid filling the poultry house with chickens beyond its capacity. Each bird ought to have at least 8 inches of space on the roost.

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To secure the highest winter egg production, the birds must be well fed, mature and healthy and the housing conditions must be good.

Limberneck may be caused by worms or by botulinus poisoning or it may be a symptom of such diseases as fowl typhoid, cholera, etc.

Remember that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure and that the best remedy for worms is prevention-the use of new ground and colony houses.

# Hotbed Is Help to Early Garden

Protection From Cold Winds and Warm Sunlight Is Important.

To have plants in time for the early garden hotbeds and cold frames may be used by the home gardener with good results. Both of these garden accessories are easily built with small expense.

Place for Hotbeds. "January is the time to prepare the hotbed over most of the central South," says Robert Schmidt of the department of horticulture at North Carolina State college. "Place the hotbeds in a sheltered spot with a southern exposure. There they will be protected from the cold winds and will receive the warm sunlight. The cold frames should be handy to both the house and the garden, so that they can receive constant attention. The soil in and around the frames needs to be well drained.'

Professor Schmidt states that a hotbed six by six feet will be large enough for the average garden. Standard hotbed glass sash are three by six feet and can be bought or made

Heating Material. Fresh manure containing about one-third straw litter makes the best heating material for the hotbed. The manure must first be piled up under a shed until it begins to heat and should be turned each two or three days until the whole mass is heating evenly. The pit in which it is placed should be about eighteen inches deep. Pack in the manure to within about four inches from the top and then build the frame out of inch boards to fit over the pit.

Do not put in the seeds until the first heating is over and the temperature has fallen to about 85 or 90 degrees, advises Professor Schmidt. Some moisture must also be added.

The cold frame is made in about the same way as the hotbed except that no heating material is needed. This frame is used to harden off plants from the hotbed before setting them in the open garden. The frame should be covered with a light canvas or heavy muslin.

# Proper Food and Light

Are Poultry Essentials Feeds containing vitamin A, and arrangements for direct sunlight to utilize the vital ultra-violet ray are as necessary part of the poultry farm equipment as chicken houses and pens, experiments of recent years at the Kansas State Agricultural college under the direction of the poultry husbandry department and Dr. J. S. Hughes of the chemistry department have shown

To prevent roup, according to Doctor Hughes, the flock must be fed such things as yellow corn, alfalfa hay or green leaves-foods which contain vitamine A. Weak legs in growing chicks can be cured by treatment with ultra-violet light either from direct sunlight or from the quartz tube mercury vapor arc lamp. Foods rich in vitamin D also are a corrective for this condition.

# Barley Used in Laying

Mash Meets With Favor

Farmers with barley to be used as poultry feed, might use it to the best advantage by adopting the Cornell scratch grain and mash mixture for laying hens. The scratch grain formula consists of 500 pounds of cracked corn, 200 pounds of wheat, 200 pounds of barley and 100 pounds of heavy oats. If good heavy oats are not available, they advise leaving the oats out of the scratch grain mixture.

In the laying mash 100 pounds of ground barley is used in place of the ground oats usually recommended in a ration of that type. The mash consists of 100 pounds each of yellow corn meal, ground barley, middlings, bran and meat scrap containing 50 to 55 per cent protein. Three pounds of fine table salt should be thoroughly mixed in each 500 pounds of the laying mash.

# Exercise for Brood Sow

The brood sow should get plenty of exercise during the winter months. The sow that keeps out of doors most of the time when the weather is good is much more likely to produce a strong litter than the sow that lies around in the barn or shed. A sow that is too fat will not produce a strong that is too fat will not produce a strong litter of pigs-neither will she be able to take as good care of them. Give the brood sows the run of a pasture lot during the winter if possible, and scatter some feed over the ground so they will be induced to take plenty of exercise.

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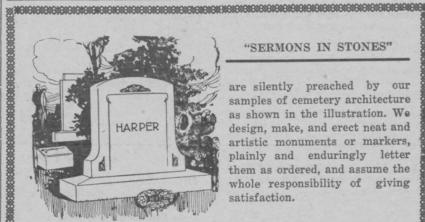
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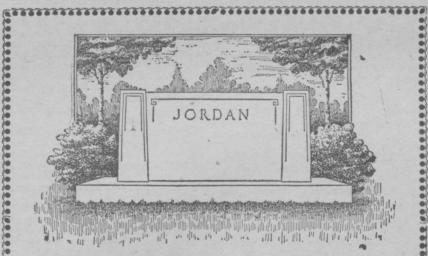
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# Fast Speaker?

Friend-Does the baby talk yet? Fond Parent-Oh, yes, but nobody can understand just what it is he's

#### Contributed Practice makes perfect, so 'tis said,

The statement we believe.

They soon are known as perfect frauds
Who practice to deceive.

# Sarcasm

"Jack is mad at me because I asked him if he could dance."

"Funny he should get mad at that." "Well, you see, he thought he was dancing with me when I asked him."

# Misunderstood

Doctor-Change is what you need and you need it badly. Patient-I know it, doctor, but I guess I can raise enough to pay your

# Smallpox Still Has

the Best of Science

Smallpox, historically one of the oldest diseases, has long baffled medical science. It seems to have been known from the earliest times in India. It existed in China many centuries before Christ, And the eruption on the skin of a mummy of the Twentieth dynasty, 1200-1100 B. C., suggests that it was prevalent in Egypt.

The Crusades were probably largely responsible for bringing the disease from the East to the West. Thus in the Fifteenth and subsequent centuries numerous epidemics occurred, with a high mortality.

Since the beginning of the Twentieth century two distinct types of smallpox have been simultaneously present in Great Britain, writes a physician in the London Mail. The first of these is a mild, highly infectious type, with a mortality of less than 1 per cent, which originated in the United States and Canada and was first introduced into England about 1903-5.

The second is a much more virulent type, which originated in northern Africa and spread thence to Spain, France, Italy and Great Britain. Although this variety is not so infectious, the mortality is greater.

# Cheerful and Sturdy

Room for Small Boy

A small boy's room should be above all things cheery, sturdy-yes, but homelike and inviting. He does not appreciate all the dainty fripperies dear to his sister's heart. The wise mother plans his room so it is a pleasant place for him to store his treasures and entertain his friends without damage to fragile material and delicate colors.

As a beginning, if you are planning to refurnish your small son's room, select a warm two-tone tan-stripe paper, dark enough so dirt will not show, but light enough to give a cheerful light to the room. For decoration put one of the many bright-colored wall paper friezes at the topabout eighteen inches deep-showing in its spreading scenic design, vermilion and orange, blue and green on a cream or tan ground.

Monk's cloth draperies in warm golden brown with an orange stripe, with gold-colored undercurtains will be serviceable, surely, and decorative also. The drapery material may be used as a cover for the metal bed as well-perhaps fringed along its length. Bright colors may be added in vermilion pillows, green and red copies of old English prints on the walls and the banners and trophies dear to every youngster's heart .-Kansas City Times.

# Middle-Age Philosophy

Scholasticism was the philosophy of the schools of the Middle Ages. It represented an attempt to fuse the beliefs of the church with the logic of Aristotle. The greatest teachers of the scholastic method were those of the Thirteenth century, among them being Albertus Magnus, Roger Bacon, Duns Scotus, and Thomas Aquinas. The latter, known as the "Angel of the Schools," outlined the whole scheme of Roman Catholic theology in his "Summa Theologia." Though the latter scholastics busied themselves with many unprofitable speculationssuch as "How many angles can be supported on the point of a needle?"the whole movement was valuable in awakening the mental life of Europe from the lethargy of the previous centuries, and in preparing the way for the revival of classical learning known as the Renaissance.

# On Thinking

Thinking is a very dangerous business. Particularly if we believe what we think. It will lead us to do things which we may later regret. Or it will lead us not to do them, which we may regret even more. It makes for investigation and analysis-for dissection and probing-and it is not long before we begin to detect flaws in those very delights that we once believed to be perfect. We may even go so far as to discover hopeless errors in ourselves. Thus, disillusion sets in-disillusion that threads its subtle way into the contentment of our lives and spreads with lightning-like rapidity. Soon it is too late to do anything but submit. We are lost in a sea of ideas. Thinking, like love, is a game without rules. We strongly advise against it. -Exchange.

# Character in Mythology

Phaon depicted in "A Reading From Homer," was a deformed boatman of Mytilene. He was famed for his chivalry. Once an old woman asked him to ferry her across the sea, although she could not pay her fare. When safely across the sea the woman gave the kind ferryman a box of ointment, telling him to rub the contents on his misshapen shoulders. When he did so, Phaon was changed to a handsome young man. Venus, in the guise of the old woman, had wrought the miracle. Soon Phaon and Sappho became lovers.

# Origin of "Tabloid"

The word "tabloid" was arbitrarily coined by Burroughs, Wellcome and company of London, England, and applied to a preparation of drugs in a concentrated and condensed form. Although the term is a copyright trademark of this firm it is now widely used to designate anything concise or condensed, as tabloid newspapers .- Exchange.

#### Inventions That Have Helped World Along

James Watt saw how tiresome it was to pump out a mine by hand, and invented the steam engine. James Hargreaves, a weaver, who worked last at his hand loom, had difficulty in keeping himself provided with yarn, and so devised the spinning jenny, which replaced the wheel, just as the wheel had displaced the ancient

Richard Arkwright had been a successful wigmaker and a shrewd buyer of human hair. When he saw that Hargreaves had provided a means of making cotton yarn plentiful—and cheaper-he invented the power loom, and from its use built up what was the greatest of Eighteenth century fortunes, £500,000 sterling.

Toilsome work with eye and needle were done away with when Joseph Marie Jacquard invented the silk loom. Elias Howe redeemed women from retail slavery with the needle and made it wholesale with his sewing machine, from which capitalists made all the money, while the sweatshop in due season replaced the homework, says Don C. Seitz, in an article in the Outlook Magazine.

# Have Their Positions

According to Party

The terms "right wing" and "left wing" are used on the continent of Europe in connection with the various legislatures. In the British parliament there is a broad aisle running from the speaker's desk through the middle of the house of commons, and the benches of members are arranged parallel to the aisle and facing it. The ministry and its supporters sit to the right of the speaker while the opposition sit on the left side of the house. In the continental legislatures, the seats are arranged like those of a theater. The ministers and their party usually sit immediately in front of the speaker or president, while the conservatives are on the president's right, the more liberal members next to those, and the radicals on his left. As this arrangement is permanent, the words "right" and "left" have come to be generally used for conservatives and liberals, and the different groups often designated by their position in the chamber, as right center, center and left.

# Very Old Superstition

The superstition concerning the spilling of salt is derived from the ancient Romans, who used salt in their sacrifices and regarded it as sacred to the Penates. Hence to spill it carelessly was to incur the displeasure of these household divinities. After accidentally spilling salt, the ancient Roman was wont to throw some over his left shoulder-the shoulder of ill omen—thereby hoping to call away from his neighbor the wrath of the deity, and turn it upon himself. In the engraving of Leonardo da Vinci's "Last Supper," the engraver has represented Judas Iscariot as having overturned the salt cellar, but, according to good authority, the salt cellar is not overturned in Da Vinci's painting-this being merely an interpolation made by Raphael Morghen, the original engraver of the plate.-

# Life in Drop of Water

Although a drop of water no larger than a buckshot may appear crystalclear to the unaided eye, it will resemble a small aquarium if it is greatly magnified. Study of a drop from one of the ponds of the New York zoological gardens showed that it was teeming with as many as one hundred forms of life. It was spread upon a glass slide and examined with a highpower microscope. One of the organisms observed was a curious animal with an oddly formed triangular body with two spinning "pinwheels" as means of locomotion. It appeared to have the sense of sight, for it avoided colliding with other objects and would reach out with its body to grasp convenient surfaces to help its progress. -Popular Mechanics Magazine,

# Human Progress

The line of progress is often interrupted, but if we set aside all sentimental prejudices and render a sober judgment upon the record of the last twenty thousand years (the only period about which we possess more or less casual information) we notice an indubitable, if slow, rise from a condition of almost unspeakable brutality and crudeness to a state which holds the promise of something infinitely nobler and better than what has ever gone before, and even the ghastly blunder of the World war cannot shake the firm conviction that this is true.-Hendrik Van Loon.

#### More Than He Bargained For Paul Montgomery went to a dance in a country town up in Iowa one night. He met a girl there who was rather easy to look at and after dancing with her several times asked if he could "see her home." She said yes. When it came time to go Paul

learned she lived five miles out in the country and had ridden a bicycle to the dance. He had to walk to her home and lead the bicycle.-Capper's Weekly.

# Drive Away Rats

Blue-flowered catnip mint, planted in the house or barn, is an excellent safeguard against rats. By the time the plant is grown rats and mice will abandon the buildings. The flowers also make a charming border around the building.

# CORRESPONDENCE

# Latest Itemsof 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 contributer 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 effice on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesday, or by Fast Mail, west, on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

#### UNIONTOWN.

Miss S. E. Weaver returned, last week, from her visit to Hanover and

Mrs. Henry Sittig has been on the Miss Pearl Simpson visited her brother, Alfred Simpson and wife, in Frederick, over Sunday.

Shreeve Shriner spent last week in Hanover. Mrs. Marshal Grumbine and son,

Merril returned to Frederick on Sunday, after several week's visit at W. Segafoose's. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brumbaugh,

of Orange, N. J., were 4th. July visitors at Will Eckenrode's. Mrs. B., will remain for a longer visit. Mr. and Mrs. George Slonaker spent several days in Baltimore. Mr. S. and his cousin, Charles E. Slonak-

er, generally celebrate their birthdays

together, the one occurring on the 2nd., the other on the 4th. of July.

the folks, all returning in the evening.
Grandma Myers continues to keep her bed, but is some stronger.
Some of the 4th. July visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Booker and daughter, Miss Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Wilmington, Del., at Thomas Devilbiss's; Mr. and Mrs. Cortland Hover and for in the folks, all returning in the evening.

Miss Gertrude Abken and Mr. Ernest Brillhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brilhart, of this place, were married in Baltimore, Sunday, June 25. They will reside in the city.
Our town is on the map, especially of noise is being made at this writing.

We have experienced fine showers of rain the city.
Our town is on the map, especially of rain the city.
Our town is on the map, especially of family, over the week-end.
Ollie and Arvin Jones, who are attending summer school at Maryland University. Smith, Wilmington, Del., at Thomas Devilbiss's; Mr. and Mrs. Cortland Hoy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brechner and two daughters, Philadelphia, Clayton Hann, Owings Mill, at Mrs. C. Hann's; Miss Oneida Slonaker, Waynesboro, at Miss Ella M. Heltibridle's; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wantz and children, Taneytown, at Charles Simpson's: Wedney Bowersox and Simpson's; Wedney Bowersox and family, York, at Lewis Waltz's; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dukes, Cumberland, at Harry Fowler's; Augustus Sittig, Washington, John Sittig, Indiana, Arthur Sittig and family, near Easton, Mr. and Mrs. Haar and children, Baltimore, Mrs. Harry Speilman and Charles Linward at Charles son, Sterling, Linwood, at Charles Sittig's; Grenville Erb and family, of Red Lion, Pa., at Miss Alverta Erb's; Mrs. Sarah Goodwin, Westminster, at Benton Flater's; Mr. and Mrs. Fielder Hyde and friends, of Ohio, at Lewis Waltz's; Mrs. Sarah Goodwin, Westminster, at Benton Flater's; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ecker and Millard Haines, Westminster, at John Heltibridle's; Mrs. Emma Lee and Vernon Conoway Eldersburg at Thoodaya Conoway, Eldersburg, at Theodore Haines': Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warner and family, near Marston, at Herbert Ecker's.

# DETOUR.

Mrs. Dr. R. R. Diller spent a few days in Frederick home of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Koons, Jr., of that place, but formerly of Detour.

Wm. Schildt and son, Raymond, spent a few days on the Eastern Shore, attending the mail carrier's convention.

Visitors in town were: Miss Clara Carbaugh, Baltimore, at W. C. Miller's; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Koons, of Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eyler and Miss Rhoda Weant, Dr. Marlin Shorb and Miss Kettle, all of Baltimore, at Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shorb's; Mr. and Mrs. Rowan Erb, of Rockwille, and Miss Eunice Leizear, of wille, and Miss Eunice Leizear, of Sandy Spring, at E. Lee Erb's; Miss Ada Yoder, Miss Sarah Yoder, and Miss Elizabeth Benson, at E. L. Warner's; Little Miss Tommie Warren, at her grand-parents, Mr. and

Mrs. James Warren's.
Miss Louise Warren is spending some time in Littlestown, visiting Mr.

and Mrs. Norman Harman.

Miss Grace Gamber, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross-

Mr. and Mrs. Darold Austin, of Hagerstown, spent the 4th. with Mr. and Mrs. Loren Austin and family.

Miss Clara Koons and friend, Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of P. D. Koons, Sr.

# MAYBERRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wildisan, spent Sunday with the latter's grandmother Mrs. D. W. Culley, at Good Intent. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baker and Rev. William Baker, of Libertytown, were callers at the same place.

Miss Nellie and Pauline Keefer, spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Crushong and children, spent Sunday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Crushong and family near Matters.

and family, near Motters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crushong and son, Henry, called on Mr. Crushong's brother, Joseph Crushong, on Wed-

nesday morning.

Miss Nedah Myers spent from Sunday till Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Curvin Flickinger and family, of Union Mills.

Those who taken supper Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wildisan were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bollinger and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wantz and family, West-minster, and John Wantz, of this

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wantz and family, of Detrick's Mill, expects to move on their small farm which they purchased from Mr. and Flickinger, by the last of July. We welcome them in their new home. Glad to have them for neighbors.

#### MANCHESTER.

The Daily Vacation Bible School, which came to a close the past Fri-day, proved to be a grand success. There were about 100 in enrollment. Many of the children were sorry that it came to a close. Some said they wished it would continue all summer. They voted to duplicate it next year. There were about 90 percent attendance the entire two weeks. It means hard work, but is profitable to any

Quite a disappointment came to a young couple on Friday night of last week. The great mistake was made in securing a marriage license in Harford County and favoring a par-son in Carroll Co. This all happened at the Lutheran Parsonage of this town. Mr. Seabrook, Westminster was called over the phone and asked if the young couple could be made happy in Carroll Co. "No sir" was the reply, "unless the license would be secured in Westminster." "Well," said the couple, "we will postpone the matter until Sunday, at which time we will take the parson and cross the line and be married in the county where license was secured.' This was done the past Sunday. Other young couples should read the

above carefully.

Miss Zettie Million, daughter of Miss Zettie Million, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Million, Bachman's Valley, Carroll county, died June 20, at the State Sanitorium, is at the home of L. A. Smelser and treatment for tuberculosis. She was 14 years and 6 months of age. Her funeral took place from her home and was preached in the Bixler's United He Brethren Church, Wednesday following, and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. C. Wachter.

Mrs. William Bergman is spending some time at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kefauver, of Gettysburg, Pa.

Miss Gertrude Abken and Mr. Er-

of rain the past week. Everybody seems to be refreshed, even the po-

tato bugs are very happy. Mrs. Rebecca Wachter, mother of Rev. W. C. Wachter, of this place, returned to her home in Walkersville, on Wednesday of last week, after have new ones and trouble. having been a guest at the parsonage

for two weeks. After having undergone renovation afternoon, for examination to the extent of \$2,000 the Mt. Zion The Fourth was celebrated to the extent of \$2,000 the Mt. Zion
United Brethren Church, Manchester
Charge, W. C. Wachter, fastor, will
be re-opened this coming Sunday,

Little Having undergone renovation

The Fourth was celebrated in a
damp air quietly. Flags were on display and indoor picnics in order.

On Saturday last, Bucher Johns

July 11th.

The Bible school will be held at 9 o'clock, directed by Mr. Huber Armacabbag cost. At 10:00, Rev. Charles E. hours. Fultz, D. D., Washington, D. C., superintendent Pennsylvania conference will hold a jolly mid-summer social, United Brethren Church, will deliver on the lawn of the Birely home, Wedthe message. At 2:30 in the afternessage will hold a jolly mid-summer social, on the lawn of the Birely home, Wedthe message. The Society recentthe message. At 2:30 in the afternoon the orchestra of Trinity U. B. ly elected new officers: J. Edward Church, Baltimore, will be present Dayhoff, Pres.; Wm. Clabaugh, vice-and render the music address to be presented by the present of the presented by the pre and render the music, address to be made by the pastor, Rev. Paul E.
Barnaby. The Christian Endeavor
will be held in the evening at 7:00.
At 8:00 o'clock, Rev. George Brown,
Taneytown, will deliver the sermon.
The christian Endeavor
and "Star-Spangled Banner."
A grand and glorious rain! Let us
give thanks. The congregation will be served with dinner and supper in the social hall adjoining the church, without cost. There will be services each evening during the week. A former pastor will be present each evening and bring the message. Monday, Rev. George C. Daugherty; Tuesday, Rev. H. W. Zuse; Wednesday, Rev. F. B. Emenheiser; Thursday, Rev. George Strine: Friday, Rev. John H. Lehman. The climax service will come on Saturday evening, July 17. At this hour Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor of the Reformed Church, Manchester, will lecture on "Thief in the Church". All the evening services will begin at 8:00 o'clock and will be preceded by a fifteen minute song service. Quartets and choruses from sister churches will be present. Also Rev. Harry Fehle, Rayville, will assist with his violin.

Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor of the Manchester Reformed Charge, spent last week in Central, Pa., visiting relatives and friends. He delivered his lecture on "Builders and Bulwarks of our Democracy" three times in Center Co. He also preached the "Thief in the Church" in the M. E. Church, New Freedom, Pa., on Sunday night.

# BRIDGEPORT.

Miss Pauline Baker, who is attending summer school at Towson, Md., spent the week-end with her parents, H. W. Baker and wife.

H. W. Baker, wife and daughter, and Mrs. C. F. Ohler, of Emmitsburg, visited Mr. B.'s brother, B. F. Baker and wife, at Greenmount, on Sunday

Russell Ohler, wife and children, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. O's parents, John Baumgardner and wife, near Four Points.

day morning, July 11, at 10:00. Dr. Gillium, of Baltimore, will preach. Rev. E. O. Pritchett, a former pastor, but now of Connecticut, will be pres-

Miss Edna Stull is attending summer school at Gettysburg, Pa. Mrs. Miller and children, of Waynesboro, John Ohler and wife, Sarah and Pete Herring, of near Emmits-burg, spent Sunday with Emory Oh-

ler and wife. Jacob Stambaugh, wife and children, of Taneytown, spent one day recently with Emory Ohler and wife.

# The Dancing Leagues

I stand entranced and watch the leaves Gyrating on a vacant lot. What dizzy spirals each one weaves! They dance the charleston, like as

# Night Ride

"Have you heard that Mrs. Fisher walks in her sleep?"

"How perfectly absurd-when they have three cars."

#### NEW WINDSOR.

William Fraser, of New York, visited his father, Rev. James Fraser, over the week-end. Rev. Wallace Fraser, of Pa., is now visiting his father.

Elymet Dow, of Riverside, Md., died on Friday afternoon, at the home of his grandson, Arthur Dow, aged 83 can a lady years. He leaves a widow and one son, in Florida, and three grand-sons. Young Manager States of the son of Funeral on Sunday evening, at 4:00 o'clock. Interment at Westminster cemetery. The Episcopal Rector from Frederick had charge of the services.

The infant son of Truman Lambert

and wife, died at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, on Tuesday night. Funeral from his late home, on Thursday afternoon. Inter-

ment in the family burying ground at Winter's cemetery.
Mrs. T. J. Stauffer entertained the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, at her home, on Wednes-

day evening. Mrs. William Wilson and daughter, Margaret, of Westminster, spent the week-end here, with the Misses Wil-

John G. Snader and wife, visited their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Schnauffer, at Towson, over the holiday.

Prof. Kinsey, who has been can-vassing for the past three weeks, for

Margaret Sittig, of Uniontown, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Hyde. Herbert Lovell and family, of Baltimore, visited his parents here, over the week-end. Earl Crawmer, of Youngstown,

Ohio, visited his parents, near town, Paul Wilhelm and family, of West-

# FEESERSBURG.

The sound of the reaper is heard in the land. Some of our neighbors

Mrs. Joe Snyder was taken to the Hospital, in Frederick, on Tuesday

held a cabbage party; when about 18 persons helped him plant ten thousand cabbage plants. All done in four

The C. E. Society of Mt. Union president. On Sunday evening we

A grand and glorious rain! Let us

# KEYMAR.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Burkholder and daughter, Miss Mary and son, Fred, spent from last Friday until Monday, in Lancaster, Pa., visiting

friends. Fred Burkholder left, Wednesday morning, for a month stay at Camp Eustis, Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. John Forrest and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Koons, spent last Sunday in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leakins and

son, David, made a business trip to Frederick, last Monday.
Visitors recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Galt, were: Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Brown, Dr. and Mrs. R. S. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Long; Misses Jennie Galt, Jane Long, of Taneytown; Mrs. Kiser, Mrs. E. H. Davis, son Ernest, Jr., daughter, Elizabeth, Margaret, Mary and Whymer Jordan, of Baltimore.

# Grammatical Authority

A short time ago occurred the centenary of the death of Lindley Murray, an American, known as the father of English grammar.

He came to England when he was forty years old and his book on English grammar, published in 1795, ran

into 50 editions. His attitude toward life was interesting. "I determined," he wrote, "that when I should acquire enough to enable me to retire and provide for

my family in a respectable and moderate manner, and this according to real and rational, and not imaginary and fantastic, wants, and a little to spare for the necessities of others, I Quarterly meeting will be held at Tom's Creek M. E. Church, on Saturday afternoon, July 10. On Sunin some way or other, to the benefit of my fellow creatures." - London

#### The Rare Gentleman It is no very uncommon thing in the

world to meet with men of probity; there are likewise a great many men of honor to be found. Men of courage, men of sense, and men of letters are frequent; but a true gentleman is what one seldom sees. He is properly a compound of the various good qualities that embellish mankind. As the great poet animates all the different parts of learning by force of his genius, and irradiates all the compass of his knowledge by the luster and brightness of his imagination; so all the great and solid perfections of life appear in the finished gentleman with a beautiful gloss and varnish; everything he says or does is accompanied with a manner, or rather a charm, that draws the admiration and good will of every beholder.-Steele.

### THIS WAS A JOKE IN 1876

Young Man-People are talking about the new invention, the telephone. It is so wonderful that it is possible to hear a man's voice over a mile away.

Young Woman-Marvelous! And can a lady's voice be heard a mile

Young Man-Yes, my dear, but there was really no invention needed for that.-Telephone Review.

#### Marriage Risks

An elderly and a young member of a certain club met in the smoking

"I hear, Mr. Jones," said the former, "that you are going to be married shortly. I hope you will be very

"Oh, I don't see why not," replied the prospective bridegroom, cheerily; "I came through the war without a scratch, you know."

#### SERVES HIM RIGHT



Mike-Hould on, Pat! Don't yez come on the ladder till Oi'm down.

It's ould an' cracked. Pat-Phwat ov it? It'll serve th' boss right to have a new wan,

# Urgent

"Do I really need brushing off?" asked the passenger in the pullman. "Does you?" exclaimed the porter with great emphasis. "Boss, Ah's

# SHADY AND COOL



"These politicians keep remarkably cool.

"So many shady ones among them they're bound to keep cool.'

# MARRIED

JOHNSON-CLARK.

The marriage of Miss Edith Catherine Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Clark, of Baltimore, to Mr. Charles Mason Johnson, of Martinsburg, West Virginia, took place in St. Luke's Reformed Church, Baltimore, on June 30, at 4:00 P. M. The wedding march was played by Miss Ford and Mr. H. Demuth favored the audience by singing "At Dawning," and "Oh Promise Me," very effectively. The ceremony was performed by Rev.

Atville Conner. The bride was given away in marriage by her father, Charles E. Clark. The bride's sisters, Miss Eva M. Clark as maid of honor, and Miss Janet H. Clark as bride'smaid. Earl Hammerslea, a friend of the groom, was best-

The ring was carried to the altar by the bride's little brother, Master Charles E. Clark, Jr., who acted as ring bearer. Herbert F. Clark brother of the bride and Alfred Pimphrey were ushers. There were about 300 guests at the wedding, and as the whole family took part in the ceremony it made a very impressive ser-

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left on a honeymoon trip to Philadelphia, Niagara Falls, Martinsburg, W. Va., and Hagerstown. They will be at home after July 15, at 2920 Winchester St., Baltimore.

# DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line.

The regular death notices published free.

MRS. A. N. FORNEY.

Mrs. Cassandra, wife of Mr. A. N. Forney, of Keysville, died on Sunday evening, July 4, aged 76 years, 9 months, 23 days. She is survived by her husband, and the following children; Mrs. Harry Harner and Mrs. Frank O'Brien, of Emmitsburg, and Mrs. Sidney Ellis, of Hagers-

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, in charge of Elder J. S. Weybright, of Thurmont. Burial was made in the Church of the Brethren cemetery, at Rocky Ridge.

MR. WILLIAM CLINGAN.

Mr. William Clingan died at the county home, on Thursday night, aged about 78 years. He was a former about 78 years. He was a former resident of Taneytown, but had lived at the home a good many years. leaves one daughter, Mrs. Laura Bair, of Taneytown, and three brothers, Henry F. and Washington S. Clingan, near Taneytown, and Elmer Clingan, living in Missing to S.

living in Missouri. Services were held on Saturday morning from the undertaking establishment of C. O. Fuss & Son. Interment in the Reformed cemetery, Rev. Guy P. Bready, officiating.

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<sub>Ib.</sub> 42с

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uniform in style.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid every day for delivery of Poultry, Butter and Eggs. Specialty, 50c for deliv-ery of Calves all day Tuesday or Wednesday morning.—Angell & Carbaugh Successors to G. W. Motter & Son.

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CROP INSURANCE for short term, is now in order. Protect your crops for from three to six months, by extra insurance, at this time. The cost is small.—P. B. Englar, Agt., Home Ins. Co., N. Y., Taneytown.

SOW AND 5 PIGS for sale by John C. Duple, on the Gassaway Ohler farm

I WILL HAVE A LOAD of tested Cows, home Saturday, July 10th., for sale or exchange.—Scott M. Smith.

LOST, in Taneytown, on Wednesday evening, long brown Pocket Book containing handkerchief, vanity case, band for hair and a picture. Finder please return to Mrs. Elmer Null.

ALUMINUM SPECIALS: Onethird (331/3%) off on seasonable items. Many are Wear-Ever and Mirro goods. This is the biggest Aluminum Bargain we have ever of-fered.—Reindollar Bros. & Co.

WILL HAVE ON SATURDAY, July 10th., 74 good Shoats, also 30 good Cows, extra good registered Jersey, and her milk test over 6.— Raymond Wilson, Keymar.

DOG LICENSES are ready, July 1926. Apply to J. E. Davidson.

FESTIVAL.—Tom's Creek Sunday School will hold a festival on the Church Lawn, July 24, 1922. A band of music will be present. Everybody

FOR SALE-1 Pure-bred Chester White Male Hog, 5 months old.—H. R. Frock, Keymar, Md.

STOCK BULL for sale. Tubercular tested.—Mervin E. Wantz.

FOR RENT-5-room Apartment, with bath, in Eckenrode building.—
Apply to J. A. Hemler, at Savings

FARM FOR RENT-Possession given either Dec. 1, 1926, or April 1, 1927.—Apply to Oliver E. Lambert.

FOOD SALE—A home-baked food sale will be held by the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the U. B. Church, Saturday, July 17, at 3 o'clock. Sale will consist of cakes, rolls, etc.

ALL KINDS ELECTRIC Washers put out on Free Trial, at Low Prices. One Cement Mixer for sale.—L. K. Birely, Middleburg, Md. 7-2-6t

COLLIE PUPS for Fogle's, near Sell's Mill, Rt. 2, Taneytown. Phone 36F6. 7-2-2t

KEYSVILLE PIC-NIC, Stonesifer's woods, August 7, 1926. All-day. Plenty of refreshments. Good program and music. 7-2-5t

LIST YOUR FARMS and Homes on or before August 1st., so that I can have my list ready for the Farm Real Estate Journals by that date.-D. W.

Garner, Real Estate Broker. MAN WANTED .- Unusal opportunity for reliable, energetic man desirous of obtaining permanent and profitable soliciting position with old reliable nursery company. Spare time or full time. Write Hoopes, Bro. & Thomas Company, West Chester, Pa.

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FAT HOGS WANTED, who has them ?-Harold Mehring.

SHEET MUSIC.—Just received all the latest song hits in sheet music.-Sarbaugh's Jewelry Store. 4-30-tf

FOR SALE-Fine Homes, improved by Brick and Frame Houses and all improvements, in and out of town.--D. W. Garner, Real Estate 10-5-tf

### Blarney Stone Changes Hands; Old Owner Dies

Blarney, Ireland. - The Blarney stone has changed owners. Sir George Colthurst, who had owned the famous old Blarney castle for many decades, is dead, and his elder son, who now becomes Sir George, has taken over the historic ruin. The new owner, a keen sportsman, will make his home on his ancestral property.

# Elactic Dresses Foil Ban on Short Skirts

Athens, Greece. - Elastic dresses are being worn here, to foil the authorities, who have banned short skirts.

The elastic dress reaches to the knees ordinarily. But a weman wearing it may, by an ingenious system, lengthen the skirt to her ankles in an instant.

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PAUL PANZER 



tributes his ability to his varied background. He was an officer in a German regiment, then a coffee salesman in Brazil, then a musical comedy actor. Born a German, he became an American citizen. He has enacted brilliant character roles in a number of well-known productions.

# WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE BY JOSEPH KAYE

At Twenty-one Senator Edge of New Jersey Was a Journal Clerk.

AT THE age of twenty-one I was about to graduate to the position of journal clerk in the New Jersey senate. I served two years in that position, and two years later I was made secretary of that body. For the next three years I held that post. -Walter E. Edge.

TODAY-Mr. Edge is the Republican leader of New Jersey as well as being the senator from that state. In 1916 Senator Edge was elected governor of New Jersey with a plurality of nearly 70,000, and 1,500 over this number was the plurality given him when he was elected sen-

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# As Told by Irvin S. Cobb

# AN ECHO FROM 1865

I RATHER guess they have been telling this one ever since the war between the states. Indeed for all I know to the contrary it may date back as far as the first and second Punic wars. For a good story never really dies. It merely goes into retirement for a season or a decade or a century and rises up again when occasion suits with its youth miraculously restored.

Now this present story may be of any age you please, but to the best of my personal knowledge and belief it belongs to our own Civil war period.

I know I first heard it years ago from an old gentleman who had served in a Texas regiment from 1861 to 1865. I had almost forgotten it when here the other day a friend wrote me telling the same yarn and saying that he had it from his father.

The narrative runs that in the last days of the war a ragged, wornout, hungry, half-dead Confederate straggler was limping along a Virginia highway striving to catch up with his command. Where there was a puddle in the ruts he stopped to bathe his bruised and bleeding feet. As he sat at the roadside dabbling his swollen toes in the water a Union skirmisher, well fed and lusty, stepped from behind a tree with his musket raised to his shoulder and yelled out exultantly:

"Now I got you!" "Yas," drawled the Southerner, 'an' a h-l of a git "on got !" ( by the Cen of Pre Ass sation )



### **EMBARRASSING**

Willis-How do you like the combination furniture they have in some of these New York flats?

Gillis-Not at all. I went to bed in a piece of that kind of junk the other night at a friend's house and when I woke up, two women were serving breakfast on the foot-board, a fellow was signing checks on the head-board and another fellow was underneath the bed making coffee.

#### Extra Business

When the Plunk Center pharmacy opened the boss hung up a sign: An additional sale a day

Keeps the sheriff away. An hour later he said to his chief clerk: "That gent bought a postage stamp. Couldn't you interest him in

something else?" "Oh, yes, I induced him to have a look at our directory."

### Pa Took the Air

"Father, freight is goods that are sent by water or land, isn't it?"

"That's right, son." "Well, then, why is it that the freight that goes by ship is called a cargo, and when it goes by car it is called a shipment?"

And then Johnny wendered why father put on his hat and sauntered outside to get the air.—Edison Topics.

### The Worse the Better

"It's an old saying that the better the wares the greater the sale."

"Yes," was the reply, "but it's the other way round in my business. The worse the article the more they are used.'

"What do you sell?" "Matches."

# ON THE JOB



"That machinist is the most thorough man of his trade I know." "What makes you think so?"

"He not only works all day, but bolts his food at meals, rivets everybody's attention and hammers every new idea "Ivanced."

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION -OF THE -

TANEYTOWN SAVINGS BANK at Taneytown, in the State of Maryland,

at the close of business June 30, 1926 RESOURCES:

Total......\$711,124.78 LIABILITIES: Capital Stock paid in.....\$ 25,000.00 Capital Stock paid in \$25,000,00 Surplus Fund 40,000.00 Undivided Profits, less Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid 13,968.39 Dividends Unpaid 1,517.80 Deposits (demand) Subject to Check \$82,232.14 Certified Checks 19.00 Cashier's Checks outstanding 185.76 2,436.00

185.76 2.436.90

Savings and Special \$217,012.97
Certificates of Deposit 331,188.72 548,201.69
Total . . . . \$711,124.78

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss. I, Walter A. Bower, Treasurer of the above named Institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WALTER A. BOWER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this th. day of July, 1926. CHARLES R. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
D. J. HESSON,
N. R. BAUMGARDNER,
DAVID H. HAHN, Directors.

# REPORT OF THE CONDITION The Detour Bank,

at Detour. in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, June 30, 1926.

RESOURCES:

.....\$146,526.79 LIABILITIES: Capital Stock paid in.....\$ 25,000.00 

Total.....\$146,526.79 State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss: I. E. Lee Erb, Cashier of the above-named Institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. LEE ERB. Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this th. day of July, 1926. CHAS. R. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
ROLAND R. DILLER,
P. D. KOONS,
E. L. WARNER, Directors 7-9-3t

# PUBLIC SALE

- OF A -

# Valuable Dairy Farm

The undersigned, as agent for the heirs of Mollie L. Catzendaffer, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises in Carroll County, Md., now occupied by Walter L. Selby, and adjoining lands of Jacob Bankard, Ezra McGee and others, and situated near the County road running from Middleburg to Uniontown, and about 2 miles from the latter place.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28th., 1926, at 1:00 o'clock, P., M., all that valuable farm containing

71 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, improved with a large WEATHERBOARD DWELLING. large new warehouse, fine bank barn, 2 corn cribs, large wagon shed, chicken house 50-ft. long; brooder house, garage and other outbuildings.

Land is in high state of cultivation and under good fencing. There is a fine young orchard, and other fruit of all kinds in abundance. There is a stream of running water through the place, and 2 wells at the buildings;

also a fine tract of growing timber. Possession given April 1, 1927, but purchaser may have the privilege of putting out the fall crops. For furth-er information inquire of Walter L. Selby, residing on the property, or of the undersigned at Uniontown, Md. TERMS OF SALE—A payment of \$2,000 on the day of sale, and the balance in two equal payments of 6 months and 12 months the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchasers with security, bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

JESSE P. GARNER, Agent.

Also at the same time and place the following personal property of the deceased, will be sold:—6 chairs, .4 rockers, sideboard, 2 stands, bed and spring, wash bowl and pitcher, clock, sink, stove, couch, chest, lot of glass jars, crocks, lot of carpets and mattings, meat grinder, lamp and many other articles too numerous to men-

J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 7-9-5

#### REPORT OF THE CONDITION --- OF -The Birnie Trust Co.

at Taneutown in the State of Maryland at the close of business, June 30, 1926

RESOURCES:

....\$1,333,098.66 LIABILITIES: 

Trust Deposits ..... 19,116.57 987,769.30 ...\$1,333,098,66 Total ...

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss. I, G. Walter Wilt, Cashier of the above-named Institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. G. WALTER WILT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th. day of July, 1926.
CHARLES R. ARNOLD, Notary Public. Correct Attest:

EDWARD O. WEANT,

GEO. A. ARNOLD, MILTON A. KOONS,

# REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Carroll County Savings Bank at Uniontown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, June 30, 1926

RESOURCES: RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts ... \$82,638.84
Overdrafts, secured ... 99.37
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc. 334,492.35
Banking House ... 2,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures ... 500.00
Mortgages & Judgments of Record
Due from National, State and
Private Banks and Bankers and
Trust Companies, other than
reserve ... 1,083.95

Total..... .....\$509,045.44

LIABILITIES: 

Total.....\$509,045.44 State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss. I, Jesse P. Garner, Treasurer of the above named Institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JESSE P. GARNER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th. day of July, 1926. MITLON A. ZOLLICO Correct Attest:-W. G. SEGAFOOSE, LOUIS E. GREEN, G. FIELDER GILBERT, Directors. MITLON A. ZOLLICKOFFER, Notary Pub

TO THE PUBLIC.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for nomination for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Republican Primary Election to be held in September. Your support will be appreciated.

Bridge.

Bridge.

Dist. 13—E. C. Dornheim, Mt. Airy.

Or from the undersigned

CHARLES H. SPICER, Manchester District.

# New Victor Records.

"Any Ice Today Lady," Aileen Stanley and Billy Murray. "Whadda you Say we Set Together," Aileen Stanley & Billy Murray "Philadelphia," (All The Time) March, Pryois Band.

"The Sesqui Centennial March", Sousa's Band.

"Nellie Dare and Charlie Brooks," Vernon Dalhart.

"Kitty Wells" "What a Man."

"I Wonder What's Become of Joe," Aileen Stanley. All the New Dance Recordsreceived every week. Call and hear them. We sell the Wonder Machine, "The New Orthophonic Victrola". A trial will convince you. All the latest Sheet Music.

We can furnish all kinds of String and Brass Instruments at a saving in price. Call and see us.

All kinds of Strings and Accessories. Violin Instruction.

# **SARBAUGH'S**

Jewelry and Music Store. TANEYTOWN, - - MARYLAND.

# PUBLIC SALE \_\_\_ OF A \_\_\_

Valuable Farm

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, and in accordance with the direction of the last will and testament of Luther T. Sharetts, deceased, the undersigned Executors of the said last will and testament will offer at public sale on the premises, near Tyrone, in Uniontown District, Carroll County, Maryland, on

at 1:30 P. M., all the right, title and interest of the said decedent in and to the following described farm, it being the undivided one-half interest. And for the purpose of giving complete ownership of the said farm, the undersigned Edwin H. Sharetts, owner of the other undivided one-half interest, will at the same time and place, and on the same terms offer his interest in the said farm. This is the well known Sharetts farm, adjoining the land of William H. Marker and others. To it have been added two small tracts purchased from the Marker farm, and from it have been deducted two tracts sold to the Marker farm as it now is, and as it will be offered for sale was surveyed on the 19th. day of May, 1926, by M. T. Yeiser, surveyor, and contains

163% ACRES OF LAND. TUESDAY, JULY 27, 1926.

16334 ACRES OF LAND.

more or less, together with an 18-foot road containing 2 roods and 25 square perches, more or less, as described in the deed of William H. Marker and wife to Luther T. Sharetts and Edwin H. Sharetts, dated July 1, 1924, and recorded among the Land Records of Carroll County in Liber E. M. M. Jr. No. 145, Folio 112, etc. This road extends at a convenient location in a straight line from the farm to the State Road leading from Taneytown to Westminster.

The land is of excellent quality, and in a high state of cultivation. Twenty acres, more or less, are well set in fine timber, with many trees of large size. It also has excellent natural pasture with running water. It is improved with a

will be received by the State Roads

GOOD BRICK HOUSE and a large bank barn, 45x80 feet, two wagon sheds with corn cribs, grain shed, hog pen, poultry house, and a new spring house built and arranged for dairy purposes.

2. On the same day at 3:00 P. M., by the same authority the said Executors will offer at public sale on the premises at Keymar, Carroll County, Maryland, a VALUABLE BUILDING LOT.

adjoining the late residence of the said Luther T. Sharetts, deceased, on the west side of the York Road, containing 110½ square rods of land, more or less, and being the same land that was conveyed to Luther T. Sharetts by Oliver B. Palmer and wife, by deed dated the 19th. day of August, 1925, and recorded among the Land Records of Carroll County in Liber E. M. M. Jr. No. 146, Folio 46, etc.

E. M. M. Jr. No. 146, Folio 46, etc.

TERMS, as prescribed by the Orphans' Court: One-third of the purchase money to be paid to the said Executors on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the said Court, and the residue in two equal payments, the one payable in six months and the other payable in twelve months from the day of sale; the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or single bills of the purchaser or purchasers, with sufficient security, bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

EDWIN H. SHARETTS,

EDWIN H. SHARETTS,
WILLIAM E. RITTER,
Executors of Luther T. Sharetts, deceased.
EDWIN H. SHARETTS,
Owner of one-half interest in Farm.
J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.
LUTHER B. HAFER, Attorney. 7.2-4t

# Dogs Dogs Dogs

Owners and keepers of dogs, who neglect or refuse to take out license as required by Artice 81, Section 206 of the Maryland Code, are under Section 212 of the law subject to
A FINE
of not less than \$5.00, nor more than

\$25.00, or imprisonment in jail for not more than 30 days, or both fined and

Constables to prosecute violators of sale at the Birnie Trust Company, in the law. LICENSES MUST BE PROCURED AT ONCE BY ALL OWNERS OR

KEEPERS OF DOGS. Many neglected this duty in 1925, and are liable to prosecution. Some of these may not have understood the these may not have understood the Trust Company. law and their duty. If they will take out the license for 1926, at once, their neglect in 1925 will be overlooked. If they neglect to take out the license for Company. 1926, at once, the State's Attorney and Sheriff will prosecute for the vio- Bank. lations of both 1925 and 1926. GET YOUR LICENSES AT ONCE.

from any Justice of the Peace, or from Dict. 1—Burgess Miller, Taneytown.
Dist. 2—W. A. Myers.
Dist. 3—Mervin J. Horner, Littlestown Littlest

Dist. 4-Nathan C. Hobbs. Dist. 4-C. L. Arnold, Patapsco. Dist. 5—Harry F. Richter, Sykesville. Dist. 6—Jacob R. L. Wink, Manchester. Dist. 7—R. E. Lee Hutchins, West-

Dist. 7—R. E. Lee Hutchins, West-minster.

Dist. 7—Charles T. Swinderman, of LUTHER B. HAFER, Attorney.

7-2-4t Westminster.

Dist. 8—N. E. Basler, Hampstead.

Dist. 9—Jacob Farver, Westminster

Dist. 10—J. W. Eyler. Dist. 11—A. W. Wagner, New Wind-Dist. 12-Thomas I. Gaither, Union

SAMUEL J. STONE,

Clerk to the County Commissioners.

# To The People Of Carroll County.

At the solicitation of numerous citizens of Carroll County I have this day filed with the Board of Supervistors of Elections for Carroll County, my Certificate of Nomination as a candidate, subject to the Republican Primary Election, for election to the office of

County Commissioner,

for Carroll County. The duties of my office will prevent me from seeing personally as many of the voters as I should like to see, and I am therefore using this method of soliciting the support of all voters.

Respectfully, WILLIAM T. PHILLIPS, Westminster, Md., June 25, 1926. 7-2-3t

State of Maryland STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway, as follows: Carroll and Frederick Counties. Contract Cl-63. One section of State Highway including the Bridge over Sam's Creek and approaches, near Union Bridge for a distance of 0.5 miles. (Concrete).

Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 13th. day of July, 1926, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no

charges will be permitted. No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dol-

lars, payable to the State Roads Commission. The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Ma-

ryland, respecting contracts. The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the State Roads Com-

mission this 29th. day of June, 1926. JOHN N. MACKALL, Chairman.

L. H. STEUART, Secretary. 7-2-2t TO THE PUBLIC.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for nomination for

REGISTER OF WILLS. for Carroll County, subject to the Republican Primary Election to be held in September. Your support will

be appreciated. WILLIAM F. BRICKER.

# **PUBLIC SALE** Capital Stock

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, the imprisenced.

The law makes it the duty of the undersigned Executors of Luther T. State's Attorney, the Sheriff and the Sharetts, deceased, will offer at public sale at the Birnie Trust Company, in

> THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1926, at 2:00 P. M., the following shares of capital stock belonging to the estate

5 Shares of Stock of the Detour

5 Shares of Stock of Nace's Music 40 Shares of Stock of The Carroll

Trust Co., of Maryland. TERMS CASH. EDWIN H. SHARETTS, WILLIAM E. RITTER, Executors of Luther T. Sharetts,

TO THE PUBLIC. I hereby announce that I am a candidate for nomination for

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT, for Carroll County, subject to the Republican Primary Election to be held in September. Your vote will be appreciated.

EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR.,

A QUARREL

KIDDIE KATYDID and Leaper the Locust quarreled so loudly over a message marked "For Mr. Grasshopper" that they soon drew a crowd around them

"That message for Mr. Grasshopper' is certainly meant for me," Kiddie insisted. "You know yourself how you have objected to being called by the name of 'Grasshopper.' Why, only last night you refused to stop when Freddie Firefly shouted it after you." "And you-" cried Leaper the Lo-



"I Promise You That I Shall Make Trouble for You."

cust-"you paid no attention when Chirpy Cricket went up to you just as the moon rose this evening and said, 'How-dy do, Mr. Grasshopper!' right in your ear. You have no right to open the message. And I promise you that I shall make trouble for you

if you don't mind your own affairs." "Well, well-what's all this row about, anyhow?" asked a strange It was a newcomer in Pleasant Valley who had just spoken. He elbowed his way briskly through the throng until he reached the center of it, where Kiddie and Leaper the Locust faced each other angrily.

The Hotel Stenographer

HAT'S Henry Hammond's son,"

around Peacock Alley here in this ho-

of them were farmers. I never care.

ancestry. I never loved a dog because

and twisted a living out of it for him-

to ride in a flivver but with good roads

everywhere a flivver is good enough.

I may have to go to the 'movies' in-

stead of having orchestra chairs in a

swell theater but the 'movies' are

often better than the theater, anyway.

I wonder what certain rich boys would

have done if they had gone to public

school and had a paper route? Would

they spend so freely if they knew how

hard a dollar is to get? Every boy

I play with is a possible husband and

I always wonder what father's son

would do to make a living if papa's

money ran out and I was married to

him. Nix! Give me a boy with a

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Cause and Effect

"Spook Ranch" it was only natural

that the boys got to telling ghost sto-

ries. Finally some one asked a darkey

who worked in the cast if he had ever

"Ah sure has," admitted the black

"Well, suh, long 'bout two in de

"Me? Ah went through de other

mawnin' Ah wakes up, an' dar comes

Mistah Ghost right through de wall,

When Eddie Laemmle was making

union card and a good trade.'

stayed in a haunted house

man, "But never again!"

"Why, what happened?"

jes' like dat wall wasn't dar."

"And what did you do?"

wall de same way."

their ancestors, anyway,

because he is somebody's son.

promptly.

get me.

explained the House Detective.

People noticed that the stranger looked as if he had traveled a long distance. And he had a mail-pouch slung over his back. Furthermore, he was enough like Kiddie and Leaper to be a cousin of either one of

A person couldn't see his horns, on account of the hat that he wore. When this traveler asked about the dispute, everybody hastened to ex-

plain the quarrel to him. He listened carefully, and when he had heard the whole story he said: "This message-do you know where

it is? Do you know who has it now?' "No!" Leaper the Locust cried, while Kiddle Katydid echoed the word.

"Ah! I thought not!" said the stranger, "I thought not, because I have it in this mail-bag. And now I must confess that I'm puzzled myself; for I don't know which one it's intended for." And he pulled off his hat and began fanning himself with

It was perfectly plain to everyone that he was sadly perplexed. Then Leaper the Locust gave a

great shout. "You're a Short-horn!" he 'exclaimed. "It can't be that you would have a message for a person with

horns like his!" He pointed a scornful finger at poor Kiddie Katydid. One glance at the stranger's headnow that he had removed his hattold everybody that Leaper the Lo-

cust was not mistaken The stranger's horns were short.

There was no denying that fact. "I believe you must be the Mr. Grasshopper I'm looking for," said the stranger.

Then he put his hand inside his mail-pouch and pulled out a letter.

Leaper the Locust made a sudden jump for the massage. But he was so eager that he sprang too far. He sailed far over the stranger's head and landed some distance away.

"Hullo! He doesn't want it!" said the stranger. "It must be for you!" And he shoved the message into Kiddie Katydid's willing hands,

Almost immediately Leaper the Locust jumped back again.

But, of course, he was too late. ( by Grosset & Dunlap.)



# AN ITCHING NOSE

THE idea that an itching nose means that "company is coming," or "a "That's why I do not like him," anstranger is coming" is now merely a swered the Hotel Stenographer, look- common and widespread superstition. ing after a young man who had just But it was not always thus. There given her some dictation. "I have was a time when the nose actually no use for a boy who is celebrated announced the coming of company or a stranger, not by itching, it is true, "A lot of sons of famous men loaf but by the exercise of those keen olfactory powers which it possessed tel and several of them have tried to in the days of our primitive ancestors.

make me. I turn them all down Scientists tell us that primitive man's organs of smell were so well "I play with a lot of boys whose developed in acuteness and kept fathers I never heard of. Some of sharp by constant use, that his olfacthem were hod carriers and some of tory powers were equal, if not supethem were preachers; some of them rior, to those possessed today by the were small-town merchants and some lower animals remarkable for their gift of scent. Many tribes of savages I am interested in their jobs, not their retain to this day extraordinary powers in this respect. Mr. Caveman was, in all probability, a rather highits papa and mama were registered and had been in a bench show. It's scented creature and when he went with a party of friends to visit the the dog I like and nobody can pick out dwelling of Mr. Cliffdweller, if the "A lot of boys think they can get wind was right, that gentleman could by in the world because of what their smell him coming a long way off, just papas did. They may be able to get as many of the lower animals today their money that way, but they can't "snuff the tainted gale" and become aware of the approach of their ene-"I would rather know a boy who mies before they can see them. Civihad taken a half-nelson on the world lization has caused the sense of smell to become atrophied in modern man self. When I am with him I may have but though the nose has lost its power it has retained its reputation

by means of a popular superstition.

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"Being a man of convictions is nothing to brag about," says pertinent Polly, "the rogue's galleys is full of

# CONCERN FELT FOR FUTURE OF FRANCE

### Writer Sees Possible Extinction of Race.

Harold G. Villard of New York discusses in the Scientific Monthly the question of the possible extinction of the French race. Mr. Villard says that although the French are not reproducing themselves, they have not as yet begun to die out. In the last three years, 1922-24, the excess of births over deaths in France was 237,-666, or at the rate of 80,000 per annum. While no statistics are available on the subject, some experts are of the opinion that this excess of births is in a large measure due to the presence of several million foreign laborers on French soil whose home birth rate is higher than that of the French native stock. Should conditions remain the same as now, however, the scale will before long be tipped the other way. For during the war years the French birth rate fell off more than 50 per cent, which means a corresponding drop between 1935-40 in the number of young men and women able to marry. During these years or shortly thereafter, the French marriage rate will be halved, with the inevitable consequence of a like proportionate decrease in the birth rate. Thus, the slight annual gain that is now taking place in the French population will be more than wiped out a decade hence. Then the twilight of the French race The French will truly set in. seem to have it in their power to decide whether they will increase in time in the same proportion as other European peoples or become ethnically extinct. They must improve living conditions at home or their ranks will continue to be thinned by disease as now and they will slowly but surely shrink in number. If they resolve to remain the world's foremost military power and to carry the burden of a great colonial empire with all the attendant sacrifices, they cripple themselves from introducing the housing and sanitary reforms essential to their survival as a great race. They are therefore confronted with a fateful decision.

Whatever their choice, it is improbable that France will become depopulated hereafter. Only half as densely peopled as Germany or Italy, she has had to call in thousands of alien laborers to till her soil and to help develop her industries. In 1924 only slightly more than 3,000 foreigners became naturalized French citizens. The real peril confronting France is not depopulation but denationalization. Before many decades these alien workers and their descendants may outnumber those of true French extraction.

# Noncommittal

Fay Lamphier, "Miss California," was asked by an Atlantic City interviewer what toilet soap she used. California's most beautiful girl laughed and answered:

"I'll tell you a story. Once upon a time there was a professional golfer who entered a golf competition. He won this competition and he broke a lot of records besides. It was a triumph.

"Well, when he returned to the club-house all the fans gathered round him, of course. They had just one question to ask. What ball had he been using?

"When he heard this question the champion frowned. He hemmed and hawed. Then he said:

"'To tell the truth, gents, I haven't decided yet."

# Engine Depreciation

An airplane engine worth some \$10,-000 only lasts 800 hours, even with several overhaulings. Allowing carefully for the cost of overhauling and for the salvage value of the parts left over, Mr. Black in Automotive Industries nevertheless estimates that such an engine depreciates per hour to the expensive tune of \$10.60. This is not quite so bad as would appear at first, since at a cruising speed of 110 miles per hour, the engine would have propelled its plane a distance of 88,000 miles.

If the average passenger automobile does 7,500 miles a year, the airplane engine gives at least the equivalent of twelve years of automobile engine service.

# Matter of Precedence

David Belasco was telling stories of the old stock company days. "A manager," he said "was moving his company on the cheap. They

traveled from town to town in freight cars at freight rates. "Well, they pulled up at a junc-

tion one Sunday morning, and the junction boss came out and bawled to the conductor of the freight:

"'What ye carryin', Jim?" "'Oh, manure and actors,' Jim bawled back.

"'Then the heavy tragedian stuck his head out of a cattle car and

"'Gadzooks, fellow, you might have put the actors first."

# Talk

Dr. Harry E. Kirk of Baltimore, who has declined a call to the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, the richest church in the world, was talking about talkers.

"Great talkers are always great bores," he said. "Look at Coleridge. Look at Bernard Shaw.

"'Brown's a magnificent talker, isn't he?' one man said to another. "'The most magnificent,' said the other, 'I ever escaped from.' "-Detroit Free Press.

# MEDINA CENTER OF **MOHAMMEDANISM**

### "Second Best City in World" to Faithful.

Washington.-Medina, Arabia, "second best city in the world," to millions of Mohammedans recently fell to the forces of Ibn Saud, ruler of the fanatical Wahabis of central Arabia. The town is the subject of the following bulletin from the Washington (D. C.) headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"Mecca and Medina, the two holy cities of Islam, have been first in peace, first in war, and first in the religious devotions of Moslems the world over for 13 centuries," says the bulletin. "The fact that Mohammedanism was planted in Mecca, but made no growth until transplanted to Medina, mirrors the physical differences between the two towns. While Mecca is set down in a steppe which is almost a desert, and while its inhabitants, ever since the place has been known, have made their livelihood as merchants (and caravan raiders), Medina is situated in an oasis and has always had strong, agricultural ties. Its valuable groves produce 139 varieties of dates, some famous throughout the Near East.

#### Flight "Made" Medina.

"Although a town had long existed on the site of the present Medina it was small, and the hegira or flight of Mohammed 'made' Medina almost as truly as the trek of the Mormons made Salt Lake City. This moving day of Mohammed and his little group of Meccan followers is of such importance to Moslems that it was made their year one, and on it their calendar is based. This was in 622 A. D. of the Christian system.

"From the year one to the year ten Mohammed lived in Medina where he dictated his revelations to a scribe. completing the Koran, the Bible of Islam. During these ten years, too, he conducted, from the Medina base, expeditions of his militant followers against Meccans and other Arabians. thus beginning the spread of Mohammedanism by the sword, a practice that was to remake the map of much of the world. From Medina, Mecca was captured; and because its Kabah had been the object of heathen pilgrimages for ages, the city was made the spiritual center of Mohammedanism, and the old pagan shrine was dedicated to Allah.

"Medina remained the temporal capital and Mohammed continued to live there and preach in the Medina mosque. He died in the year ten in the house of one of his wives adjoining the mosque and was buried beneath the floor where he died.

"The mosque is not an imposing structure. Only in its main gateway is there any pretense at decoration. In the courtyard, beside the grave of Mohammed, is that of Abu Bekr, his father-in-law and his immediate successor as caliph. Near-by also is the grave of Omar, the second caliph after Mohammed; and at a little distance is the resting place of Fatima, the prophet's favorite daughter. The burial plot of the three caliphs is surrounded by a high fence of iron and brass network so closely woven that the streams of pilgrims who file by catch only glimpses of the interior. Only mosque officials and great dignitaries ever enter the sacred pre-

# Non-Moslems Barred.

"Medina, like Mecca, is forbidden ground to non-Moslems, and before the Great war it was actually less known to the outside world than the spiritual center of Islam itself. Capture by the British of a detailed Turkish map and photographs of the city and the surrounding country furnished the first authentic information since the making of a sketch by Burton 70 years be-

"Medina preserves its inviolability in spite of the fact that it is the terminus of a more or less modern railway. This, the famous 'pilgrim railway' from Damascus into the Hedjaz, was built by the Turks between 1900 and 1908, largely with contributions from the faithful. Practical Western diplomats, however, saw marked military value in the line, and their judgment proved to be correct during the Great war. Because of the road, Turkey was able to hold Medina against the Arab rebellion until 1919.

"Before the war Medina, like Mecca, profited greatly from pilgrims from all parts of the Moslem world. While a visit to Mecca was practically compulsory, the trip to Medina was voluntary, but gave additional merit. A drawing factor is the assertion by Mohammedans that 'one prayer offered in the Mosque of the Prophet is worth a thousand elsewhere.' "Many thousands of pilgrims from

northern Syria and Asia Minor, bound for Mecca, passed through Medina because of the railway, and many more came from Africa because the city is especially holy to their sects. In addition many of the pilgrims who went directly to Mecca made the additional pilgrimage to the second holy city, and to Medina's profit these were often the more wealthy travelers. Hundreds of pilgrims remained in Medina each year and its pre-war population was exceedingly cosmopolitan.

"The war greatly injured Medina. The Turkish garrison deported nearly three-fourths of the population during the slege by Arabs, reducing its numbers from 40,000 to about 10,000. Many houses were pulled down so that their beams might be used for locomotive fuel, and inroads were made into the valuable palm plantations near the city for the same purpose."

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# QUALITY AT LOW COST

#### Shattered Romance "Lawsy, but Ah suttinly does hate

to lose dis job," sighed the colored maid upon being discharged. "You have a family to support?" asked her late mistress.

"No'h, but Ah's got an engagement to be broke," grouned the girl.

# The Woman of It

Mother (in course of Biblical instruction)-And now what beast told Eve that the apple would be nice to

Small Girl (promptly)-Her hus-

"To hold your husbands, wives," Remarks Bill Young, "Is easy if you'll learn

To hold your tongue.'

# Dikes

The lesson of the day was about Moses and the Promised Land. The teacher asked a little girl why all the cities in the Promised Land had high walls around them.

Wide-eyed with awe, the little girl answered: "That was to keep the milk and honey from running out, ma'am."

# Sunday School

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# Lesson for July 11

THE CHILDHOOD AND EDUCA-TION OF MOSES

LESSON TEXT-Exodus 2:1-19; Acts

GOLDEN TEXT—Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it.—

PRIMARY TOPIC-The Baby Moses. JUNIOR TOPIC—The Bady aloss.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Little Girl Helps.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Training for Life's Work.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Blessing of a Religious Home.

I. Moses' Parentage (v. 1).

Both father and mother were of Levitical stock. Being from the same tribe, they had a common bond of interest and sympathy. Amram had the good judgment to choose for a wife a woman who possessed sympathies and ambitions in harmony with his own.

II. Moses' Birth (v. 2). Two children were born to Amram and Jochebed before Moses-Aaron and Miriam. However, Moses was the first one that his mother was assured was to be the deliverer of the chosen people. There was something striking about this child which caused her to believe that it was sent of God. She saw that he was a "goodly child." In Stephen's speech (Acts 7:20) he asserts that the child was "exceeding fair," or fair to God. No doubt his mother believed him to be the deliverer of his people and instilled that truth in his mind from childhood. Because of this belief she had confidence that somehow God would save him from the cruel hand of the king.

III. Moses' Preservation (vv. 3-8). Though Pharaoh's edict was in force, his mother's faith was such as to cause her to ignore it and hide Moses for three months. The hiding of the child was not because of fear, but because of faith (Heb. 11:23). It was her faith which made her brave to ignore the king's edict. Though Moses' mother had faith, she did not ignore the proper use of means. Pharaoh's plan was that every male child should be destroyed, but God had planned otherwise for this child. Perhaps the story of how Noah and his family were saved in the ark suggested to his mother the expediency used, namely, the ark of bulrushes. Doubtless she was familiar with the place where Pharaoh's daughter came to bathe, and believed that somehow through her the child would be saved. She placed the ark at the particular place where it would attract attention. It is interesting to note the steps as pointed out by another, by which God's plan was carried out.

1. The mother's wit.

She placed the baby at the proper place and at the opportune time. Then, too, Miriam was no doubt stationed as a watch to aid in the af-

. A faithful sister (v. 7). Had Miriam not been faithful, humanly speaking, Moses' life would not have been preserved and properly nursed and educated at the proper time. This should be a worthy example for every sister, causing her to exercise watch and care over her brother.

3. A woman's curiosity (v. 5). This strange object among the flags attracted the attention of Pharaoh's daughter and she directed her maids to bring it to her.

4. A woman's compassion (v. 6). When the ark was brought and opened the baby wept. That woman has lost her feminine instinct who is unmoved with compassion at the cry of a lonely, motherless baby.

5. The baby's tears (v. 6). The tears aroused her womanly instinct, and at the suggestion of Miriam the baby's mother was hired to nurse her own child. No one can nurse a child so well as its own mother.

IV. Moses' Education (v. 9). 1. Moses was first educated at his mother's knee.

During this time his character took form. Here his mind was filled with the Word of God and he was made acquainted with the Jewish hopes and prospects. In these early years no doubt the indomitable purpose was fixed to suffer affliction with the people of God rather than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season (Heb. 11:24-26). Seeing by faith the destiny of her child, Jochebed made good use of her time.

2. At the Egyptian court (v. 10). It was here that he became acquainted with all the wisdom of the Egyptians (Acts 7:22). This was of great importance. It peculiarly qualified him to be the lawgiver and historian of his people.

# Our Present Lot

Of nothing may we be more sure than this: If we cannot sanctify our present lot, we could sanctify no other. Our heaven and our Almighty Father are there or nowhere .- D. Martineau.

# Purity

If a man is so pure-minded that he will not have anything to do with people who are not pure-minded his purity takes him out of the category of humanity.-Henry Ward Beecher.

### Farmer Had Strong

Faith in Black Art Frederick Riek, a farmer, has been telling the magistrates at Marggrabowa, in East Prussia, the extraordinary things he had to do at the command of a witch who undertook

to bring him prosperity. He had to write in honey on a thin cake of bread the magic words, 'Adonis dear, Adonis my own! Thou canst do all. Thou art friendly and thy goodness is eternal. Help me this once. Thou art the Lord!"

Then he had to wash his hands and face in water on which the morning sun had not shone, to say a prayer to Adonis seven times and tie a cake of bread round his neck.

At the some time he had to lend the witch a carriage, he had to get the heart of a white toad and tie it with three feathers under the seat of a bicycle he had bought for the wizard who assisted the witch. He provided 30 yards of English cloth to darken the room in which the witch called up spirits, and 1,200 marks of good money went from his pockets to

If the witch, in private life a farmer's wife, and the wizard, a shoemaker, had been genuine Frederick Riek would not have complained, but they were nothing less than a false witch and wizard, in fact, common swin-

They were unable to prove their qualifications to practice the black art, and the witch got three months' and the wizard six months' imprisonment for fraud.

# Deep Canyons That

Lie Under the Sea Out in mid-Atlantic is a tall and stately peak named, for some forgotten reason, Mount Laura Ethel. Put it down in the midst of the Rockies

and it would tower up with the best of them, but because its highest point falls just a few score fathoms short of reaching sunlight, thousands of transatlantic passengers each year sail over the hidden mountain top without ever knowing it is there, says Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Off the western coast of Africa lies the Congo canyon, bigger and deeper than the Grand canyon of Arizona and more strangely beautiful; but no man has ever seen its depths, and it is improbable that any man ever will. For the Congo canyon is at the bottom of the Atlantic, one of the vast valleys between the giant mountain peaks whose tops fail to break the surface of the sea, and so remain unknown to all but the hydrographers who plot the mystery land under the waves.

# Lumber Substitutes

There are three substitutes for lumber being made-one of bagasse and two from wood fiber. The properties of these synthetic boards are much different from those of ordinary lumber. The material is not usually so hard and is of a more porous and open texture. It is claimed by manufacturers of these materials that when used in certain ways it develops satisfactory strength. For instance, it is used for sheathing for houses. The bracing effect of the large pieces nailed to the studding is claimed to be about as good as where diagonal sneathing is used. parently a better insulator than ordinary lumber because of its open texture. The material is not so strong as wood in bending. Another advantage for it is that it can be obtained in large sheets which, for many purposes, is quite worth while.

# Room's Center of Interest

Every room, according to the decorators, must have a center of interest, a colorful, interesting point to which one's eyes are immediately drawn as he enters the room. This center of interest may take in the fireplace and the assemblage of furniture that goes with it; or, where there is no fireplace, a wall of books and a comfortable chair or two may be the general drawing point; or, again, the davenport with the tapestry or mirror and pictures that hang above it may be the king group in the room. But certainly, there should always be one setting that, by its size or color strength, or comfort value, keeps all the other groups subordinate to it.

# Physical Perfection

The Society of Directors of Physical Education has set the following standard of measurements of the physically ideal American student of twenty-two: "With a height of 5 feet 9 inches he carries a weight of 159 pounds. The girth of his neck, knee and calf are the same, with the upper arm 11/2 inches less. The girth of his thigh is ½ inch less than that of his head. His expanded chest is 40 inches, the girth of his waist is 10 inches less, his hip girth almost the same as his unexpanded chest, while the breadth of his waist barely exceeds the length of his foot, and the stretch of his arms measures 2 inches more than his height."

# Unkind

The man and the girl were sitting out at a dance, and for some time there had been silence between them. "Do you know." he said at last, "that every evening, before I go to bed, I write down my thoughts in my diary? Interesting, don't you think?"

"Oh, most," she answered. "How long have you been doing it?" "About a couple of years," was the

"Indeed!" said the girl, sweetly; "then you must have the first page nearly full."

# CONGRESSMEN GET STRANGE REQUESTS

# Appeals Often Test the Wit of Legislator.

Washington. - Your congressman's mail, which attains considerable volume during the season, is an odd assortment of letters, containing everything, from facts to fiction, from truth to trouble, from nuggets of suggestion to "nut" requests. If the legislator has a sense of humor he may come to enjoy the latter; the difficulty lies in knowing whether the writer really meant to be funny. Here is a letter that came to a certain legislator:

"I urge that a commission be appointed to go to Germany and lay the matter before the authorities there, pointing out that the surrender of Bergdoll by the Germans would aid very materially in smoothing out the feeling engendered by the late war. Upon Germany's surrender of Bergdoll to the United States, I would have him shown at theaters in different parts of the country and the proceeds taken in at the door applied to the care and maintenance of some invalid overseas veteran. If such proceedings are contrary to any laws or treaties now existing, would suggest that such treaty action be taken as will make this pos-

#### Wants Male and Female Fish.

This letter happens to mention the slacker Bergdoll, although it might refer to any topic under the sun. One congressman tells of "an old fellow who wrote asking for a male and female fish, so that he could go into the business of raising fish, and he also wanted a law compelling people to eat fish at least once each week." Many a legislator is asked for a lock of the President's hair to be raffled at some entertainment for charity.

"The funniest I've ever had," said this congressman "is from an ardent peace advocate, who wanted us to obtain from the barber of the secretary of state some hair trimmings. In this instance the secretary of state was Hughes, and the trimmings wanted were whiskers."

"I keep in a separate file the letters making odd requests," said another congressman. "Among them is one from a man in my state, although not a resident of my district, informing me that he wanted to come to Washington in order that he might settle a dispute. He was a stakeholder for two of his friends and wanted to know if it were possible for me to obtain him a railway pass, inasmuch as I had been discussing railroad legislation. He naively stated that he had no other reason for coming to Washington, that he was not particularly interested in what congress was doing, but he did want to settle the bet between his friends fairly and without prejudice. The subject of the wager was whether one of the paintings in the rotunda showed an Indian with five or six toes on one of his feet! At first I thought that it was a josh letter, but found out later that the man was regarded as a sort of a Solomon in all disputes in the section in which he lived, and that he had written in good faith.

# Answers Them All.

One legislator, instead of paying no attention to peculiar requests, takes pains to answer every one. "I make it a point to answer them because they might not seem as absurd to the writer as they do to me," he explained.

A congressman who has delivered lectures on patent law says that "not a week goes by without requests from inventors. The latest one asked if it is possible to patent a device that will prevent the juice from a grapefruit from squirting on one's shirt front. Since radio has become such a fad I have received more than a hundred letters asking if I could have the Navy department furnish sets free of charge.

"We don't get as many letters as we used to from persons who claim to have solved the problem of perpetual motion, but we have dozens of requests for recipes for home brew.

"About a year ago we received a most peculiar composition. We puzzled over it, then sent it to a decoding expert. He found it contained a request for flower seeds and for the Congressional Record. After we had complied with his request the writer explained that he had written in code 'to see if his congressman was mentally keen enough to decode it.' Now he declares that his congressman is the brightest man in the country.

"Another letter suggested that the money owed to the United States by the allies be used to construct a bridge across the Atlantic ocean."

# Stork Speeds Up

Paris.-The birth rate is back at prewar figure. France is the only country that engaged in the war to boast such an accomplishment, Minister Durafour has proudly told the

# Makes All Equal

London.-Primogeniture is to be abolished under a law taking effect soon. Elder sons will have no preference over younger boys or sisters when a parent dies without leaving a

# "Charleston" in Bad

Louisville, Ky.—The Charleston has been banned by the Shawnee club. Dancers doing the "Charleston" at a dance recently caused the building to rock violently and bits of plaster to drop from the ceiling, hen the ban. | treatment is very effective.

# Many Lawyers Make Notes in Shorthand

Shorthand has played an important part in many trials at the Old Bailey, and it is not uncommon to see a barrister cross-examining with the aid of a sheaf of shorthand notes.

Shorthand helped Sir Richard Muir to trap Crippen in the witness box when he made his fatal blunder about the pajama suit which sent him to the scaffold. The great criminal lawyer used shorthand in every important trial in which he was engaged.

Sir Richard Muir, an old journalist, was such an expert writer of shorthand that he often took professional shorthand writers to task in the witness box and severely criticized their outlines.

One Old Bailey barrister writes a kind of shorthand invented by his father, who was in his time a famous

pleader. Lord Merrivale, president of the divorce court, and an old "Gallery" reporter, is an expert, and used to communicate with the late Sir Isaac Pitman, the great shorthand pioneer, by means of the "the winged art."-Montreal Family Herald.

### Official Dog-Whipper in English Churches

The Reading dog which is in the habit of accompanying his mistress to church is evidently influenced by ancestral memories, for in the Eighteenth and even early Nineteenth centuries dogs were such frequent churchgoers that a special official, the dogwhipper, was appointed at many places of worship to eject them.

Painful experience had taught those whippers-out that haphazard grabs at elusive animals were futile, so they armed themselves with formidable dog-tongs for holding them at arm's length.

There is a set of these tongs preserved at Bangor cathedral, where, as befits such a curiosity, they are kept in a glass case. They are strongly made of oak, and when fully extended -they are collapsible, like a movable telephone arm-are about three feet in length. At the "business end" there are formidable teeth, cruel teeth to modern ideas, for getting a good grip on struggling dogs. A Carnarvonshire set is dated as late as 1813.

American Common Schools The common schools of America had their beginning in Massachusetts in 1635. The Boston town meeting in that year asked Philemon Purmont to become schoolmaster and voted him 30 acres of land in part payment for his services. The school he organized later became the Boston Latin school, which has had a continuous existence to the present day. The example set by Boston was followed by other colonial settlements in the following ten years. In 1647 the general court of Massachusetts ordered every town having 50 families to appoint a teacher. At the same time townships having 100 families were required to establish a grammar school to prepare youths for college. The law establishing these two grades of schools laid the foundation of the public school system in the United States.—Exchange.

# Minor Planet Far Away

The naval observatory says the minor planet Egeria is about 239,000,-000 miles from the sun, and the earth is about 93,000,000 miles from the sun. If the orbits of both planets were circular and in the same plane the max-Imum and minimum distances between the earth and Egeria would be respectively the sum and the difference of these two figures; but as the orbits are not exact circles and are inclined to each other at an angle of 16 or 17 degrees, an exact calculation of the maximum and minimum distances between the two planets would be somewhat laborious.

# The Duel

Perkins and Jessup had been having heated words as to which was the braver man. The outcome was an agreement to fight a duel after the oldtime style. According to the rules. they were both to be put in a darkened room, each with a revolver in his hand. The first one to find the other was to fire once. After that no more shots were to be fired. About three seconds after the lights were out was enough for Perkins. Thinking to end the agony, he crept into the fireplace and fired up the chimney. Jessup fell dead at his feet.

# South American "Tiger"

The magnificent beast known as the jaguar is an animal which, as the puma has usurped that of the lion, takes the place of the tiger in the South American continent. More massive in build, and larger than the leopard, he is, for his size, one of the most powerful animals living. Throughout South America he is popalarly known as the tiger, and the "tiger call," el tigre! used to be the danger signal among the gauchos in many a camp on the far-reaching pam-

#### Violet Rays for Dogs The ultra-violet ray treatment is

now being used in connection with the cure of distemper in dogs. The dog is placed in a special basket

and is provided with blue-tinted goggles whilst the treatment is in prog-It is necessary to expose dogs to the rays for about fifteen minutes at a

time, and it is understood that the

# Cover Crops Lower Temperature Some

# Tests Show Frost Hazard Is Increased Slightly.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The weather bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture has conducted several experiments in citrus-growing sections of California to determine what influence a cover crop has on the temperature of the orchard atmosphere on a frosty night. Purple vetch, a heavy volunteer crop of Broad Windsor horse beans, and many high weeds were included in the cover crop in these experiments.

The conclusions reached were that while the cover crop increased the frost hazard very slightly, the difference made in the temperature was not such as to damage the fruit seriously. At a height of five feet above the ground, the air temperature was depressed by the presence of the cover crop only 0.1 degree Fahrenheit, and 1 degree Fahrenheit at a height of 10 inches. Since there is usually but little fruit near the ground these slight differences should have little effect on the damage to fruit.

In many cases increased damage is probably due to the fact that the grove is on lower ground, where the temperature is naturally lower. Differences in the amount of damage between clean cultivated groves and those in cover crops may also be attributed to some other influence than temperature, such as decreased vigor of the tree, due to competition from the cover crop, a less dormant condition of the trees caused by more frequent irrigations, or increased deposit of moisture on the fruit or foliage from dew or frost. The cover crop also acts as a windbreak, allowing the cold air to accumulate near the ground, and preventing it from mixing with the warmer air above.

# Make Plans for Gardens

Before Planting Time "Plan the farm garden before planting," advises J. G. Moore, of the University of Wisconsin horticulture department.

"Just as the carpenter cannot build a satisfactory house without a plan prepared in advance, so should a farmer not attempt to plant the garden bed before planning for it," declares this authority. "That the garden is to be small is not a good excuse for neglecting to make a plan, it being all the more important to secure maximum returns in such cases. Therefore,' Moore points out, "the wise gardener will plan his garden on paper well in advance of planting time.

According to Moore, the plan should show the location of each row, and the crop to be planted—the distance of each row from one end of the garden-and the sequence for the different plantings, when more than one planting is to be made.

"The soil is a prime factor in a suc-cessful garden," he says. "One of the first essentials is that the garden plot have good drainage, for vegetables cannot thrive in water-logged soil." If the land is low and marshy, he advises gardening on raised beds.

Texture of the soil is also very important, Moore believes. He defines the ideal garden soil texture as "fine and loose," and to attain these qualities in soils of the lumpy, heavy type, he recommends adding organic material, or lime, and in some cases, applying sand or using coal ashes, where the soil is extremely heavy.

# Milking Three Times a

Day Produces More Milk Recent studies completed by the United States Department of Agriculture on the comparative yield of cows milked twice a day and those milked three times a day will no doubt be viewed by the farm boy and the hired man with the feeling that some one is always taking the joy out of life. The department's milkers have found that milking three times a day produces more milk than twice-a-day milking. In fact, over a short period the increase in production is 12.5 per cent, while over a long period it appears that this increase is even greater. It was noted that cows milked three times a day hold up better near the end of the lactation period than cows milked twice a day. The economy of three-times-a-day milking has not yet been accurately estimated, but it will depend upon several factors, chief of which are quantity of production, cost of labor, and value of product.

# Seed Grain Planted in

1926 Needs Treatment Every farmer should treat his seed grain in 1926 in order to prevent smut, says Dr. E. C. Stakman, a plant disease authority of the University of Minnesota. Besides smut in oats, of which there is always a great deal, Doctor Stakman finds there was an unusually large amount of stinking smut of wheat in 1925. In one country elevator 75 per cent of the wheat which was brought in was badly smutted.

Methods of treating seed wheat differ from those of treating oats and barley. Folder No. 13, entitled "Treatments for Seed Grain," explains the use of copper carbonate dust and formaldehyde and can be obtained without cost on application to the agricultural extension service. University farm, St. Paul. Information as to the spraying plan for treating oats and barley can be obtained by writing the plant disease department, University farm, St. Paul.

# Baton First Used by

Conductors in Church Ludwig Spohr, famous violinist, conductor, and composer, who is known to the general public chiefly by his oratorio, "The Last Judgment," and his song, "Rose, Softly Blooming," was the first to use a baton for conducting a large orchestra in Eng-

But, like Safonoff, who became famous ten or fifteen years ago as the man who conducted without a baton, he was simply reviving in a more convenient form an older custom.

The use of the baton is, in fact, a very ancient one, though the manner of its use has varied. It probably arose from the fact that in the larger churches, and especially on great occasions, the director of the choir had a staff of office something like a bishop's crozier, but with a different head, This he held in his left hand while directing the singers with the

Now and then, however, he had to recover the attention of his singers, when he would stamp on the floor with his staff, doing the same thing also on occasion to keep them to-

In later times, when boys began to take part in the singing, he used it as a means of chastisement, and gradually transferred it entirely to the right hand. We may, therefore, say that both conducting with a baton and conducting without one come from the same ecclesiastical methods.

# Entirely New Angle

to Payment of Bills The smart young man approached

the hotel proprietor. "Look here," he said, "I want you to settle a little argument that has arisen between me and my friend here. I said I was coming to you to pay my bill."

"Very glad to hear it," said the proprietor. "But what is wrong with that?"

"Well, my friend says I ought to have said your bill. That's the point." "Come to that, I suppose it is my bill."

"But you said it was my bill just now." "So it is-your bill and my bill,

too." "In fact, then, you contend that it's

our bill?" "Of course it is!"

"Well, that suits me all right. If it's our bill, of course, we divide it. Just make out my half, will you? There's nothing like getting things straight."

# Really Deadly Wine

The dark fluid in the sponge on Mount Calvary intended for the lips of Jesus of Nazareth when he was suffering on the cross was not vinegar. but morion wine, believes the English biologist, O. A. Newell. This so-called wine was a powerful, sleep-producing drug in ancient times often given condemned men when they were being executed. During the Roman occupation of Palestine the method of capital punishment was crucifixion, a long process that caused the victim great agony. The Jewish women, under the sanction of the grand sanhedrin, would administer the death wine to the victims on a sponge, whereby they were put to sleep and their sufferings abated. This wine, says Doctor Newell, was distilled from the root of the mandragora plant. He finds references to it in ancient teachings with a formula for making it.-Capper's Weekly.

# Woman Astronomer

How many people, who think that a scientific woman is a Twentieth-century product, know that Caroline Herschell was, a century and a half ago, assistant astronomer royal?

Her brother was the famous astronomer, but her mother in Hanover would let her have no accomplishment outside household duties, except knitting. Her father, however, gave her violin lessons on the sly.

Then her brother offered her a home in England, and she came over and became a successful singer. Taking up astronomy, she became her brother's assistant, and herself was responsible for the discovery of eight comets. Undoubtedly a very clever woman, she rejected all praise, thinking it might detract from her brother's reputation.

# Picture Screens

Screens have come into their own, and rightfully so, because they are useful and bring into a room a charming note of variety. A most attractive screen is one which is covered with wallpaper, plain or having a very tiny pattern, and then decorated with a colorful picture, mounted on the upper part of each panel of the screen. Pictures done in silhouette effect could well be used here.

After the picture has been applied to the background it is advisable to shellac it in order to make it appear to be really part of the background. This will give the rich, antique appearance, so much in vogue today.

# Effective Advertising

The traveling salesman was telling the other fellows in the pullman smoking compartment the reason why his uncle in Cleveland had the most prosperous shoe-shining stand in a block dotted with footgear polishing em-

"My uncle's advertising got him the business," he said. "He had a big sign reading, 'One shoe polished free.' " -From the Funny Side Out, by Nellie

# TANEYTOWN LOCALS

Items of news from town, or vicinity are always wanted for this column. Especially accidents, sales of real estate, fires, important happenings, visits to or from the community social events, and all matters of general interest to those at home, and

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse P. Garner, of Wednesday.

Miss Emma Ecker, of New Windsor, is visiting at Oliver E. Lam-

A delegation of Taneytown firemen visited Emmitsburg, on Monday, and took part in a street parade.

Mrs. Bendigo Newcomer is seriously ill from paralysis at the home of her son, Augustus, near Westminster.

Good old Summer-time! Yes, but it's spoiled a little because of thinking of the yawning coal bins, now in season to be filled.

Everybody will want to see the strong Thurmont team. Come and see Tanevtown get-

Mrs. Bernice Frock, (nee Angell), of Gettysburg, spent several days this week, with Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Hitchcock and family.

John J. Hess, of Biglerville, Pa., paid Taneytown a visit, on Tuesday. He had been ill during the Spring, but is now looking well.

Miss Isabel Cobb, Home Demonstration agent, has gone to her home at Scranton, Pa., her resignation of work here having gone into effect July 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Carl, of near Chambersburg, formerly residents of this neighborhood, visited -Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Angell and other friends, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Englar, daughters Beulah and Ada, and Vernon Crouse, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse W. Fuss, near McKinstry's, on Sunday.

The following young men left for Camp Eustis, Va., on Wednesday: Charles Hesson, Elwood Crabbs, Joshua Koutz, Carroll Riffle, Robert Baumgardner and Fred Burkholder.

Mrs. Norman Baumgardner badly cut her upper lip, or Monday, by coming into contact with a barbed wire fence, while picnicing, along the Monocacy. Surgical attention was re-

Bowersox, of Hanover, was badly burned about the eyes by a roman Willie Troxell and sister, Miss Lottie candle, Monday night, by looking into Mrs. Adam Zentz, Graceham; Miss the candle before it had finished ex- Dorothy Robb, Miss Olive Ritter, ploding.

generally interfered with by gloomy drizzly weather, and farmers who forced to be idle.

crop, notwithstanding the mixed-up harvesting will be pretty generally mon by Rev. George Brown. finished up, this week.

children, of Westminster, visited the state road on Tuesday evening. While former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con- going up the hill with a truck load over, over the last week-end, and on of feed, the engine choked and the Sunday enjoyed an auto trip to Get- brakes refused to work, with the retysburg and Hanover.

vania and Maryland held their an- tunately he was protected some by nual reunion in Wm. H. Flickinger's the sacks of feed, and escaped serious grove, along Pipe Creek, on Sunday. injury. The truck had to be towed to There was a fairly large attendance a Taneytown garage for repairs. notwithstanding the unfavorable

We received a subscription for the Record from Illinois, this week, enclosing \$2:00. They are so accustomed to paying \$2.00 out there, that we rather frequently receive such remittances. Of course, we gave credit for team gathered 8 hits off Remsburg, a year and four months.

Miss Violetta Schloman has returned to her home at 528 N. Linwood Ave., Baltimore, after spending two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baumgardner, as a guest of their daughter, Mary Ellen. During her stay Ernest Bateman, mother and son, Mrs. Frederick Ellinghouse and Charles Chenowithe, from Baltimore, were visitors at the same place.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Fleagle, Taneytown, were: Roland Fleagle, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linton, Philadelphia; Walter Fleagle, Malvern, Pa.; Miss Esther Fleagle, Westminster; Mrs. J. W. Fream, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koontz and son, Franklin, of Harney; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fream and children, Marie and Elwood, and | mail matter, fruit, and coming to see Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith, Taney-

Mrs. Clarence Dern, spent the week end in Thurmont.

Mrs. Guy P. Bready is visiting her mother at Lancaster, Pa.

Miss Elizabeth Annan is visiting Miss Roberta Tull, at Lewes, Dela-

Miss Mary Marshall, of Richmond Uniontown, were visitors in town on Virginia, spent a few days with Miss Eleanor Birnie.

> Mrs. Lavina Fringer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, at Columbus, Ohio.

> The concrete mixer for use on the new state road to Littlestown, was unloaded here, on Wednesday.

Master Basil Crapster gave fifteen of his friends a party, last Friday, and the youngsters had a fine time.

Charles Williams and wife, of Washington, visited Geo. K. Duttera and family, several days this week.

U. Grant Yingling, went to West Side Hospital, York, on Thursday, for game next Wednesday, with the an X-Ray picture, and possibly an op-

> Lawrence Trimmer, of Hanover, is spending a few days, this week, with his sister, Mrs. Norman Reaver and other friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. H. Butler, their daughter, Margaret, and son, George, of Washington, visited Rev. and Mrs. Thos. T. Brown and other friends in town, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helm and son, Freddie; Mrs. Thomas Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker, Mrs. Nora Frock, Misses LaReina and Gladys Baker, spent Sunday at Hershey's Park.

The marriage of Miss Helen Grace Dieffenbach, teacher of English and History in Taneytown High School, to William B. Smith, of Baltimore, has been announced. They will reside in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carbaugh entertained on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maus and Mr. Edward Myers, of near Uniontown; Mr. Edward Carbaugh, of Mayberry; Misses Helen and Florence Myers, of Hanover.

Those who spent the 4th. at Bay Shore, and Druid Hill Park, were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ohler, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ohler, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LeGore, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Grier Keilholtz, Russell Kephart, Clarence Ohler, Wm. McNally and Miss Elornie Krug, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weddle and sons, Daniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel | Thurmont; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fox and daughter, of Rocky Ridge; Mr. Master Herbert Angel and Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Ohio, called on Mr. and Fourth of July observances were Mrs. Clarence Dern the past week.

It has been found necessary to had expected to cut wheat, on Mon- make a change in the schedule of Unday, regardless of the holiday, were ion Services, as announced several weeks ago. The service this Sunday evening, July 11, will be at the Re-The wheat in this section promises formed Church, at 8:00 o'clock, with to be good in quality and an excellent sermon by Rev. W. V. Garrett. Service on Sunday evening, July 18, in weather of Spring and Summer. The the Presbyterian Church, with ser-

Edward Carbaugh met with an ac-Mr. and Mrs. Russell Conover and cident on Pipe Creek hill, on the sult that the truck ran to the bottom of the hill, left the road and upset, The Flickinger family of Pennsyl- with Mr. Carbaugh underneath. For-

# Taneytown 19-Middletown 7.

The game on Wednesday between Taneytown and Middletown had two outstanding features; the hard batting of Taneytown and the errors—mainly wild throwing—of Middletown. In the first four innings the home when he was replaced by Wilhide. The latter struck out five men in the 5th. and 6th., but the locals touched him for 6 more hits, and Remsburg then finished the game.

No pitchers, however, could have won with the ragged support they received, the errors being almost too numerous to count. Drenning was particularly fortunate in his hitting, getting two unearned home runs men on bases. Shafer had 11 strike outs to his credit, while Remsburg and Wilhide had 8. The fielding of

the home team was excellent.

The visitors played with eight men and a Taneytown substitute, but another Middletowner could not have materially changed the result. The score was as follows: Middletown 0-2-2-0-3-0-0-0= 2-5-2-0-0-2-5-3-x=19Taneytown

# CARD OF THANKS.

My most sincere thanks are extended to all my relatives and friends for their kindness of sending me flowers, me, during my illness at the hospital. They were all very much appreciated. MRS. BRUCE A. SHIRK.

# LAST PAGE EDITORIAL.

Leader, or Driver?

Both leaders and drivers are necessary in farm work, and in practically all cases having to do with the use and handling of animals. But, this necessity largely ends there; for when the matter of handling human beings is concerned, the "driving" method is out of place. We lead and advise, and sometimes order, but do not drive— or, if we attempt to do so, we go be-

yond propriety. The law comes nearest to "driving" people, and then only when we violate The law directs, and provides penalties, and individuals take the option of obeying or disobeying. Parents advise; so do ministers, teachers, managers and others, but the arbitrary dictums that represent an attempt to "drive," are usually a mistake, followed by unhappy consequences.

The dictator in politics, commonly called the "boss," is a well known figure, but such a character is usually more a chosen, or permitted leader than an actual "driver," for he is a necessary part of a successful political

machine. What we call "driving," is apt to be largely a display of bad temper, or lack of patience, or selfish grasping. The employer who urges the fullest measure of service, is unpopular; and the military official who exercises his authority beyond proper limit, sometimes gets shot in the back.

Of course, we should have strong

convictions and be reasonably firm in our actions, but we must never forget that when dealing with human beings, we are reasonably sure to lose out when we use "driving" methods; for the wisest of leaders often accomplish more by indirection than by direction, and such leaders never "lose their head."

With the discontinuance of The Congressional Record, for six months, the paper crop will have a chance to accumulate a little surplus.

The richest silver mines in the world, are at Quanapeuto, to miles by rail from Mexico City.

There is an automobile for every 5.8 persons in the United States, and one for every 45 persons in England; in other words, we have over 8 times as many here.

### CHURCH NOTICES.

This column is for the free use of all churches, for a brief announcement of services. Please do not elaborate. It is always understood that the public is invited.

Manchester Reformed Charge, Lazarus, Lineboro—S. S., at 9:00; Worship, at 10:00. Subject, "Jesus and the Law."

Trinity, Manchester—S. S., at 9:30; C. E., at 6:45; Worship at 7:30.

Manchester U. B. Charge, Mt. Zion —Re-opening day. S. School, at 9; Dedicatory Service, at 10:00. Rev. Charles E. Fultz, D. D., superintendent Pennsylvania Conference United Brethren Church, will deliver the sermon. At 2:30 in the afternoon the orchestra of Trinity U. B. Church, Baltimore, will be present and render the music, the pastor Rev. Paul E. Barnaby, will make the address. At 7:00 in the evening the C. E. and at 8:00 preaching. Rev. George Brown, Taneytown, will deliver the sermon. Dinner and supper will be given the congregation without cost. Services each evening during the following week beginning at 8:00 o'clock. Former pastors of church will be present and bring the message.

Bixler's-S. S., at 9:30; Preaching, 10:30. Sermon by Rev. Harry Frederick, Manchester. Miller's-S. School, 9:30; Preaching, 7:30. Rev. Frederick will preach.

Pic-nic Saturday evening, July Special program Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown—9:00 Sunday School; 10:00 Holy Commun-ion; 7:00 Christian Endeavor; 8:00 Union Service, Reformed Church. Sunday School Pic-nic, July 23.

Uniontown Circuit Church of God-Sunday School, 9:30; Preaching Service, 10:30. Theme: "Baptism." Sunday School and Preaching Service at Frizellburg Sunday afternoon. Children's-day exercises at Wakefield

Sunday evening. Uniontown Lutheran Charge, St. WEANT & SHIPLEY, Attorneys.

Paul's—S. S., 9:30; C. E., 7:30.

Mt. Union—S. S., 9:15; Worship and Sermon, 10:30.

St. Luke's (Winter's)—S. S., 1.30; Worship and Sermon, 2:30. Reformed Church, Taneytown-S. School, 9:15; Service, 10:15; C. E., at 7:00. Union Service at 8, sermon

Rev. W. V. Garret. Holy Communion, Sunday, July 25.

Keysville—Sunday School, 1:00; Service, 2:00; Preparatory Service, Friday evening, July 16, at 8:00; Holy Communion, Sunday afternoon, July

Emmanuel (Baust) Ref. Church Mission Band on Saturday, at 2:30; Sunday, July 11, Sunday School, at 9:30; Holy Communion, at 10:30; Y P. Society, at 7:30; Pen-Mar Reformed Reunion, on July 15, 1926.

18, at 2:00.

Piney Creek Brethren Church-Preaching Services on Saturday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, by Brother Britten, of Virginia, to which all are welcome. Services Sunday morning,

Taneytown U. B. Church—Sunday School, 9:30; Morning Worship, 10:30; Jr. C. E., 5:45; Sr. C. E., at 6:45; Union Service in Reformed Church, 8:00.

Harney-Sunday School, 1:30; Worship, 2:30.

Presbyterian, Taneytown—Sabbath

School 10:00; Preaching Service, at 11:00; Christian Endeavor, at 7:00; Union Preaching Service at the Reformed Church, at 8:00.
Piney Creek Presbyterian—Preaching Service, 9:30; Sabath School, at

Twenty-five Years Ago.

The Record contained a lengthy letter from Rev. P. Rioseco, from Havana, Cuba, dated June 28.

The yield of wheat over the state, from indications, was disappointing, the average being only 12 to 15 bush-els, as compared with 25 to 30 bushels for the previous year. cations for Carroll were better than for other counties. A farmer's reunion was advertised

in Goulden's grove, for July 27. The heat during harvest week ranged from 100° to as high as

A heavy rain storm on the evening of July 4, interfered with the local celebration of the day, but the Fire Company marched to "Antrim" where Judge Clabaugh made an address, after which an elaborate display of fire-works was given, and the Company and the Band served with refresh-

ments.

The "Englar" mail box was illustrated and described, as one of the boxes approved by the P. O. Department, for use on Rural Routes.

The death of Samuel Stoner, of

near Trevanion, was announced. Five new voting precincts for the county, were announced, by dividing Uniontown, Woolerys, and Manchester districts, and doubling the first and second precincts of Westminster. Geo. H. Birnie attended the annual

C. E. Convention at Cincinnati, Ohio. Markets: Wheat, 63c; rye, 43c; oats 32; potatoes, 75c; mixed hay, \$10.00; bran, \$18.00; middlings, \$20.00, hogs, \$6.00; beef cattle, \$4.00; cows \$25.00 to \$35.00.

# BASEBALL

next Wednesday Afternoon, JULY 14, at 3:00.

> **TANEYTOWN** VS.

THURMONT

Frederick County League team at Sauble's Field. Admission 25c.

> Executor's Sale - OF.A ---

# in Taneytown, Maryland.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, the undersigned Executor of the late William H. Fleagle, will sell at public sale, upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, JULY 24, 1926, at 2:00 P. M., all that lot of land, it being 54x208 feet, and containing 11,232 square feet of land, with an open alley at rear of lot, improved by

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

now occupied by two families, fine summer house, good cellar and other buildings, fruit, good garden, fine slate roof on house, porches, etc., sit-uated on the west side of George St., nearly opposite the new High School building, in a rapidly growing sec-tion of the town. This property was the home of the late deceased, can easily be used or rented as a double house. Would make an ideal place for some one to open a lunch room or small store, where they would have the trade of the High School students for nine months in each year, in addition to thickly settled roundings. Close to two canning fac-

tories, etc.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash on day of sale, or upon the ratification thereof by the court, and the residue in two equal payments. One payable in 6 months, and the other payable in 12 months from day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or single bills of the purchaser, with satisfactory security to the executor, bearing interest from day of sale at six percent, or all cash of the option of the purchaser. If all cash is paid, the purchaser will have the privilege of collecting all rentals from day of sale.

Preservice of one half of said house.

Possession of one-half of said house can be given in thirty days from August 12, and possession of other half April 1st., 1927. Growing vegmake your cows feel good and will probably cause an increase etables in garden excepted, as they were planted by the present tenants, and of a right belong to them. G. WALTER WILT,

J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.



SATURDAY, JULY 10th. ZANE GREY'S 'The Light of Western Stars"

WITH

JACK HOLT, NOAH BEERY, BILLIE ROVE. COMEDY-Al St. John

> -IN-"Dynamite Doggie"

THURSDAY, JULY 15th. RAYMOND GRIFFITH

- IN -"He's a Prince"

WITH MARY BRIAN PATHE NEWS

Taneytown Grain and Hay Market.

Wheat ......\$1.30@\$1.30 

Taneytown's "Leading Fashion Store" Sewing Machine oons Di

We are now offering Bright New Summer Merchandise of unusual Value. WORTHWHILE SAVINGS in every Department.

### **Special Values**

in Sport Silk Polka Dots and other printed Silks and colored Crepe deChine. Rayon novelties and Wash Broad Cloths and Pongees. Plain Voiles and Taffetas.

### **Cool Summer Underwear.**

Hot days demand cool underwear. We have a complete line for Men and Women.

#### Women's and Children's Summer Footwear.

Newest styles. High and Low Heels, Perforated vamps in Kid, Patent Leather, Blonde and Grey Kid and black satin. Patent straps and Oxfords for children.

#### Straw Hats.

with fancy and plain bands in the new straws. Also light weight and color caps.

# Summer Rugs.

Reversible Fibre Rugs, closely woven and durable. Congoleum and Linoleum, Deltax, Grass, Matting and Brussels 9x12 Rugs. Beautiful Patterns of Congoleum and Linoleum, 2 yds. wide. Priced very low.

#### Summer Sale of Silk Hosiery

at prices attractively low. La-dies' full fashioned Silk Hosiery, with Lisle top and sole in all the

smart shades. Children's socks in plain and fancy patterns. Boys' and Girls' Sport Hose. Men's full fashioned quality hose in the sport shades and also plain colors.

# Men's Shoes and Oxfords.

Summer Oxfords for men in tan and black. Full welt, rubber heels and latest shades. We have a full line of Work Shoes, both heavy and light weight. Flexible and long wearing at low prices.

# MATINEE RACING.

The Taneytown Driving Club will hold Matinee Racing, on

# Saturday, July 24, 1926,

at the Taneytown Fair Grounds, at 1:00 o'clock, P. M.

A high grade of horses from Baltimore, Hagerstown, Carlisle, York Springs and local points have been engaged. Also Pony Running Races.

This will be the best Matinee ever held by the Taneytown Driv-

Music will be furnished for the occasion.

# Festival and Dancing,

in the evening

ADMISSION: 12 years and over, 25c; Cars parked free. Free gate

# **Facts Concerning** Cattle Feeding.

Every year a good many farmers make the mistake of cutting out their grain feeding during the Summer.

Ordinary pasture grasses are largely water. Only a small part of all the grass your cows eat can be used for maintaining their bodies and producing milk. And not all of that is actually utilized, because part of this dry matter is merely hard indigestible fibre which is passed off as waste.

Grass is all right—as a conditioner and appetizer. It will

in milk flow just after you turn them out. But-unless you keep on with your grain feeding, at least once a day, better still night and morning, that increase in milk flow will prove to be only a temporary flush that will soon subside to lower levels than before you let the cows out of the barn. And then comes the worst of it-your cows in a bad slump-not able to get back to normal-drying off a

month or two ahead of time. Feed them grain right through the Summer. In that way only will they get the nutrients they must have.

Corn is cheap. To keep your Cows producing through the Summer, feed Corn Chop and our 20 percent Dairy Ration.

# Good reports come from those who have tried it. Feeds of all kinds Mixed to your Order-The Reindollar Co..

Taneytown, Md.

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# This Week at Riffle's

SALMON, 12c Can.	SHREDDED WHEAT 10c Pack.	ARIEL CLUBCOFFEE 48c lb.
PORK AND BEANS, 8c Can.	CORN FLAKES, 3 for 25c.	BEST COCOA, 4-lbs. 25c.
12 OUNCE PEANUT BUTTER, 15c.	NO. 1 NEW POTATOES, 4c lb., per Pk, 48c.	LARGE NO. 300 SIZE LEMONS, Per Doz 19c, not seconds.

With each Can of B T B Lye at 12c we will give