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IS TOSPY-TURVY
BUT KEEP COOL!

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A SOUND BODY—
EVERYBODY'S JOB.

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COMMUNITY LOCALS

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Dr. Curtis Basehoar, of Hyattsville, Md., visited relatives in town, Sunday.

Mrs. Bernard Weber and daughter, Ann, of Olney, Ill., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Chenoweth and family.

Mrs. A. Sexton Holmes and Miss Matilda Alexander, of Cresswell, N. C., visited Mrs. Holmes, great uncle, O. T. Shoemaker, on Sunday. They also called on other friends.

The Messrs Shriver, owners of Big Pipe Creek Park, are having built a large bowling alley and skating rink at the front of the resort, as an additional attraction for patrons.

Mrs. Cora Weant Duttera, returned to her home in Taneytown, on Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James S. Eiseaman, after spending the winter in Miami, Florida, and Washington, D. C.

There are two new dwellings in course of construction on East Baltimore Street, for Mrs. George R. Baumgardner and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shoemaker. A filling station is also being built.

Cleveland L. Null had as his guests this week: Mr. Ralph Atwell, Lowell, Mass., and Mr. Mufid Tuksal, Istanbul, Turkey. The three young men are class mates at Indiana Technical College, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Word was received here of the death of Mr. Harry B. Hossler, of near Mount Joy, Pa. Funeral services were held Thursday, Mr. Hossler was a cousin of Mrs. Lizzie Zepp and was a frequent visitor in Taneytown.

This is the kind of renewal that cheers—"Find \$1.00 for renewal for one year for The Record, which we have gotten for so many years. We would feel lost without it. We all like it so much."—H. N. Koontz, Littlestown R. D.

Considering the number of dealers in town, in green groceries, the foreigners driving wagons should not be patronized, especially as they likely pay no license to the towns for peddling. Think of fairness to home folks, occasionally! They may be your patrons.

Miss Mildred C. Eckard, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckard, near town, and Miss Mildred E. Baumgardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Baumgardner, of town, were among the 136 graduates at Western Maryland College, Westminster, who graduated with Bachelor of Arts degree.

First of all, army recruiting officers should round-up the many able-bodied looking young fellows who are now "tramping" and begging nickels or dimes for "bites to eat," a "cup of coffee" a little tobacco, or to have shoes patched. They deny wanting "beer" so, taking them at their word, they should be sober habited.

Mrs. Clyde L. Hesson, of town and Miss Grace Withrow, of Washington, attended the commencement exercises and reunion of the Class of 1910 at Massanutten Academy, at Woodstock, Va., held over the week-end. Mrs. Raymond Wantz and son, Warren, of near town, attended the exercises on Saturday at Massanutten Academy, in connection with commencement.

Children's Day will be observed in Trinity Lutheran Church, Sunday, June 9, at 10 o'clock. The following program will be presented: Welcome, Lorraine Sauble, Exercise, "God Loves The Little Children"; Solo, Wanda Mehring; Recitation, "A Little Child Shall Lead Them"; Lorraine Myers, Exercise, "A Bunch of Blossoms," A Prayer, "The Golden Chain." Characters of the pageant are as follows: Anna, Luella Sauble; Betty, Kathleen Sauble; Truth, Letitia Smith; A Lad, a Samaritan Girl, a Junior, Three Intermediates, Group of Galilean Children, Bearers of the Word, Evangelists of Love and Peace; Group of Nations and a group of Beginners, assisted by a Junior Choir. Committee in charge: Mrs. Harry Shirk, Chairman; Mrs. Franklin Fair, Misses Mabert Brower, Helen Cashman and Mary Crouse.

Mrs. George Baker who has been on the sick list for the past five weeks is slowly improving. Those who visited her were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker, son Thomas; Rev. A. T. Sutcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Koontz, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Baker, children Doris and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Tobin Brown, daughter, Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Harman, children, Rosella, Laura, George and Monroe, of Union Bridge; Mrs. Wm. Myers, daughter, Vallie; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wautz, Harney; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cutsall, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, daughter, Louise, son Elvin, Hagerstown; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wantz, Mrs. Alice Becker, Mrs. Wm. Airing, Mrs. Edward Feeser, Mrs. Paul Bankert, Mrs. O. Moser, Mrs. C. Weisboar, Mr. Edgar Phillips, Mrs. Herbert Winter, Mrs. Zeber Stultz, Mrs. Lillian Demmitt, Ruth Heltbridge, Mr. Charles Baker and Norman Harman, Westminster.

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CARROLL FIREMEN GRADUATE

Fine Course Taken at the Maryland University.

The graduation services and banquet for the Firemen of Carroll Co., who graduated from the Basic and Advanced courses given by the Fire Service Extension of the University of Maryland, were held on Tuesday evening at Sauble's Inn, Taneytown.

The graduates, officers of the Lineboro, Manchester, Westminster, Sykesville, Pleasant Valley and Taneytown Fire Companies and a few invited guests made up a party of 63 present. Mr. Simon Clopper, Fire Service Extension Instructor, acted as toastmaster. After the banquet, Mr. Clopper called on the following firemen for short talks: Mr. Martin, President of the County Firemen's Association, of Hampstead; Mr. Paul Leister, of Pleasant Valley; Dick Weller, President of Westminster Fire Co.; Leo Shorbett, Chief of Sykesville, and Mr. Bennett, past Chief of Sykesville Co.; Charles R. Arnold, Treasurer of Taneytown Co.; Thomas Diffendal, Warfield Babylon and Francis Keefer, of Westminster Co., and Mr. Neice, Mayor of Manchester.

Mr. Johnny Myers, a representative of the State Insurance Commissioner, made a short address, and stated that they always stand ready and willing to help the firemen with whatever problems may arise, and urged them to call upon the commissioner's office at any time.

Chief J. W. Just, Director of the Fire Service Extension of the University of Maryland, made the principal address of the evening. He spoke of both the Basic and Advanced training courses, pointed out the facts of each course, and the necessity of taking them in order to keep up the good work in fighting fires to the best advantage, with the smallest possible loss. Mr. Just made a request that all firemen who did not take the course, should not censure those who did, but instead, watch them work and try to learn the same methods of up-to-date fire fighting.

In closing, the cards and certificates were awarded to those who had taken courses by Chief J. W. Just. Thomas Diffendal received an Instructor Certificate for the teaching of the Basic course at Manchester. Mr. Diffendal then called the names of those taking the Basic course and each was awarded a pocket size certificate. The number receiving these from each Company was as follows: Manchester, 5; Lineboro, 4; Westminster, 5. Mr. Clopper then called the names of those taking the Advanced course and each received a Certificate. The number receiving Advanced course Certificates from each Company was as follows: Sykesville, 2; Pleasant Valley, 4; Manchester, 4; Westminster, 6 and Taneytown, 6, as follows: C. Alton Bostian, James F. Burke, Raymond Davidson, James C. Myers, Merle S. Ohler and Kermit Reid. Each Company also received a large Certificate, to be framed and placed in their building. In appreciation for their fine work as instructors and teachers, Mr. Clopper and Mr. Diffendal were presented gifts by the members of their respective classes. Chief Just has promised that Mr. Clopper will again be returned to Carroll County as instructor when the classes begin this fall.

AN APPEAL TO AID ALLIES.

The Carroll Record has been asked to circulate a petition on behalf of "The Committee to defend America by aiding the Allies," and goes on to explain that "the interest of America can best be served by rendering prompt and effective material aid to the Allies."

It seems to us that this same following was not so long ago opposed to war, and to the U. S. taking part in it, but that we could preserve neutrality by selling war supplies on a "cash and carry basis" that presumably would aid the Allies.

Later—and now on hand—is the plan of National self-defense against foreign foes, but still preserving neutrality? We are also contributing through the Red Cross to the war stricken Nations, presumably for the benefit of sufferers among Allies.

This last appeal appears to us to be strictly for the Allies, consequently is not at all neutral. We fail to be able to differentiate between distinctions. The address of the committee is 31 S. Calvert St., Baltimore.

\$1.00 A YEAR "IN ADVANCE."

We have dropped the words, "in advance," from the heading of The Carroll Record. If, and when, the words are used again, they will mean what they say.

Very much the largest portion of our subscribers do pay "in advance," and a large number who do not, pay up within a few months; but there are still too many who never pay, which means that within the past 46 years, The Record has lost a very considerable sum of money.

Evidently, we need to "clean house"—some day.

DR. J. A. LONG DEAD.

Dr. James A. Long, eye, ear and throat specialist, Frederick, well known to many of our subscribers, died at his home near Frederick, Wednesday evening, aged 62 years, after an illness of about six weeks.

TANEYTOWN SCHOOL GRADUATION, JUNE 11.

Preliminary Program Commences on Sunday Evening, June 9.

The first event connected with the graduation exercises of T. H. S. will begin with the Baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening, June 9, by Rev. Guy P. Brady.

Class Night will be held in the school auditorium on Monday, June 10, at 8 o'clock. This program is open to the public, but some seats will be reserved for the parents and friends.

Tuesday evening, June 11, the annual commencement exercises will take place at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Dr. Edgar C. Powers, executive secretary of the Maryland Bible Society, will deliver the address.

The members of the graduating class are as follows: Alice K. Cashman, Betty A. Crouse, Artemus E. Donelson, Mary C. Frock, Phyllis Hess, Louis Lancaster, Margaret Mayers, George Motter, Mary Agnes Ridinger, Dorothy Sell, Mary Shaum, Dorothy Shoemaker, Joseph Shockey, Jane Smith, Richard Teeter and Romaine Vaughn.

TANEYTOWN SCHOOL NEWS.

The Baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of Taneytown High School will take place Sunday evening, June 9, in Trinity Lutheran Church. Rev. Guy P. Brady will preach the sermon.

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This year, all awards and school letters will be distributed in an assembly meeting on Friday, June 7, at 9:30 o'clock, after each student has received his report card.

LADIES' AID PROGRAM.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Reformed Church met on Thursday night at which time the following program was rendered: Hymn "For the Beauty of the Earth," Scripture reading, Miss Margaret Shreeve; Prayer, Miss Freda Stambaugh; Hymn, "In the Garden"; Business session.

The following program was arranged by the committee, Mrs. John Devibiss and Mrs. Upton Dayhoff: Recitation, "A Summer Wish," James Waltz; Solo, "Little Old Garden," Willie Prayer; Margaret Shreeve; Recitation, "Friends of the Roses," Pearl Waltz; Edgar Guest poem, "Roses," read by Irene Hesson; Recitation, "Flowers for the Shut-in," Katherine Pence; Playmate, Guitar accompaniment, Anna Mae Hartsock; Cornet selections "La Donna E. Mobile," "Cygnus," Charles Conover; Two short Readings, God's Bank Am't Busted Yet, A Friend in Jesus, Mrs. Elvin Study; Hymn, "What a Friend we have in Jesus" a reading by Mrs. Jesse Slick; Humorous reading, "The Busy Body," Mrs. Elvin Study; Hymn, "Evening Prayer."

GOOD ADVICE FROM CANADA.

The Editor of The Record has received the following from an old friend in Canada. We advise it should interest everybody.

"Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada, speaking in the House of Commons in Ottawa, made a statement which should appeal to all citizens of the various nations on the western hemisphere in this crisis hour in the world's affairs." He said:

"I wish to make two appeals. I appeal to all citizens of foreign extraction to remember that they are living in a land which is fighting to maintain the freedom which they now enjoy and the possibilities of international good will which enabled them to settle in our midst. I appeal, also, to all members of the public to refrain from persecution and panic action against harmless and law-abiding people who share our life, and in most instances our common citizenship."

EUROPEAN WAR NOTES.

The latest report from the European war front pictures the continuation of desperate fighting in France. The German attacks and advances of earlier in the week appear to have been stopped, and battle is now face to face. On the whole, the Allies seem to have had the worst of it, for the week.

The Italians is expected to take part at any time, but where and how, is uncertain, whether it will be along with Germany, or whether it will follow plans of its own.

The French forces appear to be well directed by a revised cabinet, and generally.

FIREWORKS RULES

To Save Lives and Possibly Injury to Children.

John B. Gontrum, Insurance Commissioner of Maryland, has issued the rules and regulations pertaining to fireworks authorized by the laws of Maryland.

In the rules and regulations it is provided that two classes of licenses shall be issued, and permits must be obtained for public displays.

"A permit, to be known as Permit A, shall be issued to any responsible person, as a matter of right, upon application to the Insurance Commissioner which said permit shall allow the holder to sell fireworks of a type which are noise making or explosive and which shall not be of a height or length of more than three-quarters of an inch or a width or diameter or more than one-eighth of an inch; and those which are not noise making or explosive, but give forth light and shall not include sparklers, roman candles or sky rockets. Every applicant for permit A shall agree to sell only such fireworks as are covered by said permit.

A permit, to be known as permit B, authorizing the sale of fireworks other than those included in Permit A, shall be issued by the Insurance Commissioner to responsible persons, upon application therefor. Such permit shall allow the holder thereof to sell at retail or wholesale types of fireworks, other than those included in permit A, only to persons who shall have a display permit issued by the Insurance Commissioner in accordance with Section 21, of these regulations. Nothing contained herein shall in any wise be construed to affect the sale of fireworks at wholesale for use outside of the State of Maryland or at retail, for delivery outside of the State of Maryland. Every applicant for Permit B shall be required to post a bond of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) with the Insurance Commissioner, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the conditions upon which said Permit B is issued. No persons shall sell fireworks at wholesale in the State of Maryland, whether those permitted under Permit A or B, without first having obtained Permit B.

The provisions of this section shall apply to all sales of fireworks in cities, towns and counties where local city, town or county ordinances, resolutions or regulations permit the sale of fireworks, with or without licenses to an extent greater than permitted by this Section. Nothing contained herein shall be construed, however, to relax any regulations of any city, town or county."

The Insurance Commissioner called attention to the fact that last Fourth of July the casualties were greater than for the preceding year, many children suffering serious injury, and there were a number of deaths resulting from the use of fireworks.

He has asked the officials of the various counties and towns throughout the State to cooperate in enforcing these rules and regulations.

Mr. Gontrum has particularly requested the Volunteer Firemen to cooperate, as far as possible, with the Insurance Department.

It is believed that if the rules and regulations are carried out, lives will be saved and many casualties, particularly among children, will be avoided.

State Insurance Commissioner, John B. Gontrum, has requested the clerks of the various county courts throughout the State to cooperate in distributing the forms for the licenses for the sale of fireworks in the State, and also the form for the public display.

Mr. Gontrum has sent to each of the clerk's offices a number of forms where they can be procured by those desiring to sell fireworks or have public displays on the Fourth of July.

AN EASTERN SHORE BOAT PARADE.

Ocean City, Md., June 4—The third annual "Boat Parade" scheduled to get underway here at 4:00 P. M. on Sunday, June 9, is expected to surpass the previous displays in colorfulness and the number of participants and spectators. Already more than fifty boats have requested positions and signified their intention of joining the procession.

The Maryland state champion drum and bugle corp representing the Meuse Post No. 194 of Salisbury, Md., will also be on hand to entertain with music and drills. Captain T. T. Moore of the local coast guard station will act as parade marshal and will have full charge of all maneuvers, using a coast guard cutter as a flagship.

Under Captain Moore's direction the boats will line up in Sinepuxent Bay harbor. Led by the cutter with private yachts and charter boats in that order they will proceed through the inlet and then follow the two mile boardwalk up the beach returning via the same route to their bases. The drum and bugle corp will provide music for the colorful event and stage their drills in the evening.

The gala affair has an added significance by marking the opening of the White Marlin fishing season, customarily the second Sunday in June. Thereafter, the charter boat captains make daily trips trolling for mackerel and bluefish, and at the same time seeking to sight and land the first Marlin of the season and clinching the honors that go with the initial catch.

Last year the first Marlin was brought into port on June 16th, and it marked the beginning of a season that saw 1,343 of these gamblers successfully sared by the rod and reelers, and at the same time establishing a new world's record.

TIDINGS URGES A NEW TAX BILL.

To Finance the Activities of the Army, Navy and Air Forces.

Senator Tydings, in stating the need for prompt preparedness for defense of this country, urges that Congress should promptly write a tax bill to finance the activities of the army, navy and air force. He says six or seven billions of dollars would be no more than a mere drop in the bucket, and that we might as well have no tax bill at all as to have one that is small.

"There is no doubt that the present depression during which we have been passing has, to a small extent, been attributed to the effects of the last World War on every country, including our own."

Senator Tydings declared "there is more danger in financial chaos following this war than there is any danger at this very minute to our country. If we can appropriate billions of dollars to prevent the danger of invasion which is even now somewhat remote, we ought to be able to tax and raise billions of dollars to prevent a danger which is not remote."

He said the likelihood is that unemployment will increase, rather than decrease. So it will be with the farmer, so it will be with the laborer, so it will be with all of them, rich or poor, high or low, skilled or unskilled. And what kind of a financial condition will we find our treasury in when those people come in groups and knock on the doors for the help which we have been accustomed to give them during the last ten or eleven years?

PROCEEDINGS ORPHANS' COURT.

Elmer R. Wilson, administrator of Frances Anna Wilson, deceased, returned inventory of real estate.

Mary Catharine Eiler and William H. B. Anders, executor and administrator c. t. a. of Sarah A. S. Hartsock, deceased, received order to deposit murey.

H. Franklin Hann and J. Leiper Winslow, administrators of Alice V. Hann, deceased, settled their first and final account.

The last will and testament of Joshua Albert Martin, deceased, was admitted to probate, and letters testamentary were granted to Blanchard D. Martin, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise real estate and personal property.

Evelyn Marie Hollinger was appointed guardian for Amidee E. Bolinger, infant.

Merle S. Ohler, administrator of Walter J. Brown, received order to sell personal property.

John H. Conaway and Charles W. Conaway, administrators of William E. Conaway, deceased, received order to sell leasehold estate.

Howard H. Wine, administrator of Abraham M. Feeser, deceased, returned inventory of additional real estate.

Letters of administration on the estate of Alice E. Feeser, deceased, were granted to Esther Chambers, who received order to notify creditors.

Richard E. Berwager, formerly an infant, received order to withdraw money.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE STUDENTS ON VACATION.

The last contingent of students have reluctantly left the campus of Blue Ridge College for their summer vacations. Several are spending these vacations in resorts along the sea shore and in the mountains. Others have found positions waiting for them at the World's Fair in New York City. All students thus enjoy hope for sufficient financial remuneration to enable them to continue their study next term.

The College offers to a few upper class students an opportunity to work toward the payment of next year's tuition. About twenty-five such scholarships are given to worthy students. They work on the grounds as caretakers of lawns and buildings, repairmen, paper hangers, carpenters and maintenance men. Several girls work in the offices as typists and stenographers.

So popular is the college with its surroundings and its ideal climate that the students beg for the privilege of working during the summer months. Some are fortunate enough to secure such positions. Others seek employment in factories, shops and stores in the community and live in the college dormitories.

Thus a congenial college community is created. Every citizen thereof is friendly and cooperative. There are no rules or regulations to bind the participants. Everybody works because he likes to work with and for the students of this institution.

Out of such experiments grow the worthwhile citizen of larger communities. Blue Ridge College is playing its part in the building of a better world even in vacation time.—M. S. R.

AN ARMY RECRUITING OFFICE OPENED IN FREDERICK.

The army of the United States is being increased by the opening of a recruiting office at various points in all states. This is called "helping the youth" of the country by decreasing "unemployment." We would suggest rounding up, first of all, the class that is playing the "unemployment" game without actually wanting work.

The Information Service for the Third Corps area of Maryland, has issued the following notice, for publication:

"Any young man between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five should consider whether the Army does not offer him many advantages he does not now enjoy. Any questions will be cheerfully answered without obligation by a call to the nearest Army recruiting office or a post card will bring prompt reply.

The Army is really helping the unemployed youth find the place they have been taught to expect.

A Recruiting Office has been established in Room 208 Post Office Building, Frederick, Md., with Pfc. Stevens Zaharoff in charge, applications may be filed on any day between 8:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M., except Sundays and legal holidays.

METHODIST CONVENE AT WESTMINSTER.

The Baltimore Annual Conference convened Wednesday evening at Western Maryland College, Westminster. This is the first regular session of the new conference set up last October, though it is considered an adjourned session of that evening. Its sessions are scheduled to run from Wednesday evening through next Monday noon, but there is a possibility that the conference may read the appointments and adjourn on Sunday evening if the business has all been taken care of.

This will be the last conference over which Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes will preside, as he is retiring at the Jurisdictional Conference, which convenes immediately at Atlantic City, after the close of the Baltimore Conference. A new Bishop will be appointed to the strategic Washington Area.

Rev. Karl B. Justus announces that there will be a morning service at St. Paul's Church this Sunday, but due to the fact that it is conference Sunday, and some may wish to attend the services at Westminster in the afternoon and evening, there will be no evening service at the local Methodist Church. Mr. Justus has been invited to return to the local Methodist parish for the coming conference year and anticipates returning—Sykesville Herald.

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT AWARDED.

More than 200 certificates of merit have been awarded to students, who have served on the School Boy Safety Patrols in Carroll County schools during the past year, by the AAA and Automobile Club of Maryland in recognition of the service rendered in protecting the lives of fellow students while enroute to and from school.

Students on the honor roll from Westminster High School and who were awarded, in addition to the certificates, a bronze medal for having performed outstanding service are as follows: Vincent Yox, captain of the Safety Patrol at the Westminster High School, Everett Wicks, William Drechsler, Catherine Little, William Mathias and Charles Wampler. Russell Egoft, Sykesville, and Betty Englar, New Windsor, captain of the safety patrols of the respective schools, were also awarded medals for outstanding service in safety patrol work.

Random Thoughts

EXTREME PARTISANSHIP.

Sometimes we say a man is so erect that he is "swaybacked," and in politics we speak of a "dyed in the wool" party man. So, we say boastfully—"I'm a Republican" or "I'm a Democrat" and always "stick to the party," and advise others that we regard our loyalty as a manly virtue.

We believe in political parties, and ordinarily it is better to be identified with one than not. But, extremes of all sorts are not always wise, nor an exhibition of good sense.

In court, verdicts are determined according to the evidence. Exact facts are stronger than individual preferences. Unless we are color-blind blue is not green, nor is red the same as orange. Strange as it may seem, white is not always white, but is sometimes cream.

The single track mind is a dangerous one, as we need to diverge to right, or left, when safety is involved and grades are to be overcome.

On election day, all things being equal, our "party" name should be followed; but, what we want most in government, is the best of service and equipment—the greatest good to the greatest number. P. B. E.

Murphy was asked by his boss why it was so difficult to waken him in the morning. The reply was, "Indeed master, its because of taking your own advice—always to attend well to what I am doing, so when I sleep, I pay attention to it."

A learned Judge on being asked the difference between law and equity courts, replied "At common law you are done for at once; at equity you are not so easily disposed of."

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HIDDEN DIPLOMACY.

The best definition connected with the word "diplomacy" is that it represents "conducting negotiations" of various kinds, and "governmental skill in solving disputes between states and governments."

In its most common use it represents "dickering" or trading for the best advantage. This is more or less conscienceless, or the pulling of wires in order to get the best in a bargain.

Most commonly, we think, in the playing of games for the sake of advantage, is closely connected with deceit, or "putting over" something in connection with events of causes that are merely screens for hiding real ends aimed at.

We make gifts, for instance, and confer honors; not so much for merit, as for getting back, indirectly, more than is given. In politics, we are apt to make candidates for office out of those who can control the most votes, and not because of superior personal fitness.

Men are given social honors for the same reason, and to help boost somebody else for some higher political office. Instead of buying votes with cash, we buy them surreptitiously with smaller offices to less conspicuous persons.

Away back in the days of mythology a story is told of how an immense wooden horse was made, as a gift for the Greeks to the Trojan King. It was too large to enter by the gates of the fortified city, but as a "gift" a portion of the wall of the city was torn down to admit it.

This horse was hollow and hid several Greek heroes who quickly opened the horse, and as quickly opened the gates of the city, so as to admit the Greek forces. A terrific battle ensued but the city (Troy) was won by the invaders.

From the story, or fable, we have the saying, "Beware of Greeks bearing gifts," and in these later days we are playing like tricks—and by "diplomacy" that is not what on the surface it seems to be.

KEEP CALM.

Propaganda is progressing at its usual pace, and some sections of our leadership are getting all "hit up" over war preparation. We need to keep cool. We are in no danger, present or prospective, from outside invasion.

There is more danger from within. There are too many alien. Communists, Nazi, and Fascists in our midst for safety. The Dies committee is uncovering them. The F. B. I. under J. Edgar Hoover can take care of them, and will, unless ham-strung by those higher up. Keep cool!

There is entirely too much "newspaper scare" and "alarms," and a little too much publicity, we think. Only cowards tremble, fear, and fight. Fights (wars) are useless, and settle nothing. Wars leave grudges, and grudges merely grow into other wars.

We have no grudge at anybody, we have everything that is needed—territory, climate, resources, wealth, education, imagination. We are not going away to seek trouble, and we are not bragging, but we will meet and defeat it, if it comes here.

A peaceful nation that can produce glimite while others fight will produce something stronger if need be, if others attack us. Keep cool!

W. J. H.

WHAT DOES HE MEAN?

For some reason or other, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has taken it upon himself to offer advice to the American people. In his recent nation-wide radio talk, he has told all of us to "stop this hysterical chatter of calamity." A year or so ago, he spoke similarly, airily dismissing the

convulsions of the world as something that was none of our business.

Colonel Lindbergh is a young man who made a name for himself by flying alone in an airplane across the Atlantic. That feat was a magnificent one, and he rightly became a hero because of it, but he did not become an oracle or an expert on foreign affairs. For when you fly the Atlantic alone in an airplane, that does not mean that you are suddenly and automatically endowed with superior wisdom. It means merely that you are a good flier. And that's about all Lindbergh is, except that he is also something of a scientist because of his experiments with an artificial heart.

Colonel Lindbergh's recent radio speech is evidence enough that he is not equipped to advise the American people one way or the other about the meanings of the current world crisis—no more so than Wrong-Way-Corrigan. From start to finish, that speech is a confusion of ideas contradicting each other, not unlike the essay of a bright schoolboy whose mind still needs aging in the rules of logic. Everybody will of course agree that Americans should not be hysterical. That is one thing, but it is another thing to minimize America's present dangers, and to imply that President Roosevelt is talking through his hat. If we are to judge by the past record—which should be as clear to Colonel Lindbergh as to anybody else—President Roosevelt just does not talk through his hat when he talks about foreign affairs.

And it is another thing, too, when Colonel Lindbergh darkly suggests that the "chatter of calamity" is the work of a little group of Americans anxious to push the nation into war. He says: "The only reason that we are in danger of becoming involved in this war is because there are powerful elements in America who desire us to take part. They represent a small minority of the American people, but they control much of the machinery of influence and propaganda. They seize every opportunity to push us closer to the edge."—The Pathfinder.

IMPORTANCE OF MILK PRODUCTION.

New York, June 3—Maryland is playing an important role in June Dairy Month, as the state's annual milk production is valued at more than \$17,500,000.

"On January 1, there were 202,000 milk cows reported in Maryland valued at \$12,322,000," says the Milk Industry Foundation in a statement urging nation-wide support for the Dairy Month campaign. "Production in 1939 equalled 407,000,000 quarts.

"Maryland is an important state to the dairy industry," the Foundation declared, "and this June program will benefit consumers by emphasizing the food value of milk and dairy products and enable producers and distributors to promote increased demand for excess farm milk production.

"In addition to fluid milk which brings the farmer his highest price, Maryland in 1938 produced 2,845,000 pounds of butter, 2,307,000 pounds of cheese, 4,725,000 gallons of ice cream, 36,774,000 pounds of canned milk.

"In 1938 milk accounted for 28 per cent of the total income from all farm marketings, excluding government payments, and was the largest single source of cash farm income in the state. Milk equalled 60 percent of the cash income from all crops and 51 per cent of the farm cash income from all livestock and livestock products."

AUTO FATALITIES INCREASE WITH ALCOHOL USE.

If one reasons from cause and effect interesting conclusions are reached.

Cause: During the six months from October, 1939, to March, 1940, inclusive, the national consumption of domestic distilled spirits increased over six million gallons, about 10 per cent, and the consumption of beer thirteen and one-half million gallons, about 2 per cent, over the same period of the preceding year.

Effect: During those same six months—October to March—traffic deaths increased each month in the United States over the number reported for the previous year. The first three months of 1940 registered a 7 per cent increase in motor fatalities over the same months of 1939.

This conclusion is based on reports by the National Safety Council, whose committee on tests for intoxication estimates that "had been drinking" on the part of drivers or pedestrians is a circumstance in about 25 per cent of the total fatal accidents.

Traffic fatalities reached their highest point in 1937, and coincidentally, consumption of alcoholic beverages was highest in that year since 1911-14. There was a decline in alcoholic beverages consumption for the next two years, which was reflected by a decrease in traffic deaths. During the present year the trend seems to be in the opposite direction.—Anti-Saloon League Publicity.

The Carroll Record could very easily increase its advertising revenue, if it published alcoholic liquor advertising. We prefer not to do this, much as we need a greater income. We are not asking for more support because of this attitude—for it is our policy, whether "it pays" or not.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS APPEAL FOR DIVINE GUIDANCE.

Boston, Mass., June 3—An appeal for calm and more faith in the omnipotence of God in the face of present world turmoil, featured the gathering here today of thousands of Christian Scientists from all over the world for the annual meeting of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

"Trusting in the omnipotence of God," said Harry C. Browne, First Reader of The Mother Church in reading a message from The Christian Science Board of Directors, "enables one, through demonstration, to enjoy the freedom of thought resulting from the unfolding of the characteristics of divine Mind as expressed by Christ Jesus.

"Becoming cognizant of the true idea about anything, exposes its suppositional opposite as a lie. Therefore, when the true idea of man's relationship to God is universally expressed, misunderstandings between men and nations will vanish.

"The divine Mind is in reality the only power; therefore nothing can resist the manifestation of righteousness. With due regard for the necessary human footsteps, which our Leader, Mary Baker Eddy, says are indispensable in meeting problems, it is also imperative to look to the divine Mind for guidance and wisdom to supply the impetus to do all things in a right way and at the right time."

Mrs. Margaret Murney Glenn Matters, C. S. B., of New York, daughter of the late Major General Edwin F. Glenn, of the United States Army, was elected President of The Mother Church to succeed George Shaw Cook.

Commenting on the turbulent international situation, the incoming President said that "Christian Science reveals the power of individual man to meet and overcome the hordes of mesmeric suggestions and subtle influences claiming to induce discouragement and apathy. It enables the Christian Scientist to overcome the belief that war can be of permanent advantage, or that it is to be feared. It destroys the desire for an unrighteous, unjust, and enslaving peace; and it sets right that wrong sense of values which would prefer this so-called peace to that active warfare between the flesh and Spirit which The Mother Church typifies, and which ultimates in the victory of spirituality and Love."

Referring to the apparent strength of unity or quantity in material organization, she quoted Mrs. Eddy's statement in Miscellaneous Writings (P 138): "I once thought that in unity was human strength; but have grown to know that human strength is weakness,—that unity is divine might giving to human power, peace."

In a parallel vein, George Shaw Cook, the retiring President, pointed out that "the effort of one individual or nation to dominate others, or to exploit them, by means of force, coercion, dishonesty, or deception, may appear temporarily to succeed, but it cannot permanently prosper for the simple reason that evil has no divine Principle. Its nature is self-destructive.

"The ultimate triumph of good is not merely a question of hope or even of faith. All that is good in human experience is upheld by divine or spiritual law. And this law is able to assert itself and enforce itself, in spite of the effort of misguided mortals to interfere with or to prevent its operation."

READING EDITORIALS.

The Editor of The American Press said in a recent issue—

"The other day I heard Howard Palmer, president of the National Editorial Association and editor of the Greenich (Conn.) Press, tell about a survey he had made of the popularity of the different features of his newspaper. He admitted being surprised to find that more people said they read his editorials regularly than read any of his news columns.

But there is nothing so very strange about that. In addition to the fact that many readers are interested in the opinions of a progressive editor, there are other reasons why people like to read editorials. For one thing, contrary to the feelings of some editors themselves, editorials are easier and more interesting to read than most news stories. They are shorter—more condensed—and usually printed in more readable type. Furthermore, editorials are much more in line with conversation than news stories. When your readers discuss local subjects they not only summarize the facts of a case but they also give opinions. That's just what most editors do in their editorials.

So don't belittle your editorial page. It's probably the most important part of your newspaper."

The above may be true, but we admit that we are skeptical about it. There is a surprising lot of folks, these days, who are of the "knowing" class and who read hap-hazard. They are in the minority, of course, for most adults do read, according to their choice; but if they read editorials, they rarely say so.

Martian Life 'Possible'

According to Scientist

Studied observations by Dr. Theodore Dunham Jr., Mt. Wilson, Calif., astronomer, lend credence to one of astronomy's most intriguing possibilities—that some form of life exists on the planet Mars.

"Our present knowledge of the planet does not justify claims that Mars is devoid of living creatures," Dr. Dunham emphasizes.

The noted astronomer used the presence of Mars' mysterious white polar caps to substantiate his contention that it is possible some sort of life could exist on the earth-like planet.

"We are almost certain," he said, "that these white polar caps are composed of ice and snow formed by water vapor. The ozone temperature on the planet is too high to permit carbon dioxide to remain in an icy state for any great length of time.

"Thus, despite spectroscopic evidence showing little or no oxygen on Mars today, it is more likely that it has existed at some previous time and has combined with metallic compounds on the planet to form oxides. It is unwise to contend that there is not enough life-supporting atmosphere to maintain some state of life on Mars."

Dr. Dunham believes that by a lengthy process of evolution life in some form may have gradually adapted itself to the rigorous conditions which are known to exist on the distant planet.

The variations in size of the polar caps are attributed to climatic changes by the astronomer.

"The polar caps are striking things," Dr. Dunham said. "They diminish in size in the spring and reform in the fall. It seems logical that they are composed of ice which melts in warm weather and reforms in the cold.

"Perhaps when we have the new Hale telescope on Palomar mountain placed at our disposal, we will be able to throw more light on Mars, its canals and the possibility of life existing on the planet," he said. "Until then, however, we cannot justifiably conclude that the planet is uninhabited."

'Real' Cheddar Cheese

Originated in England

The natives of the little Somerset village of Cheddar, England, are very jealous of their reputation of making what they call the "real" Cheddar. They complain bitterly that the cheesemakers of the United States, Australia, and Canada have copied their product and that each of these countries now claim it as their own although it was produced in Somerset 800 years ago and was patronized by King John when on his hunting expeditions. They also claim that "real" Cheddar can only be produced in that district owing to "the sweet limestone pastures, their finer grasses and clovers, and springs of pure water."

Yet strange to say, the first prizes for Cheddar at the London and other dairy shows generally find their way north of the Tweed, hundreds of miles away from Cheddar. However, the Cheddar people have one consolation, they can still boast that in the neighboring (village or) city of Wells at the United Dairies cheese factory is situated the largest cheese-maturing chamber in the world, which has a capacity of 100,000 cheeses, and there it is a common sight to see as many as 70,000 to 80,000 cheeses at one time.

Camera Trips Through Park

Guided camera trips at Crater Lake National park, Oregon, are among the most popular attractions of that park. The first such trip was planned by a ranger naturalist who was an expert with the camera and who wished to share with fellow camera fans some of the photographic values he knew the area possessed. Groups were taken to points of outstanding scenic beauty on the rim of the crater, in the yawning depths of which lies one of the world's most famous and lovely lakes. Three to five stops were made to permit photographic studies. A helpful feature was the exhibition of photographs taken on previous trips at these stopping places. Both good and bad results were shown and discussed. All makes of camera were employed by the group, from inexpensive box cameras to expensive, up-to-date equipment.

Laminated Building Arch

Although European builders for the last 30 or 40 years have made use of the glued laminated wooden arch for supporting the roofs of large buildings, this device is only beginning to be made use of in this country. The glued, laminated arch is constructed by bending a one-inch board into a curve and then bending and gluing other similar boards to it, lengthwise and one by one, by means of pressure applied with clamps. These built-up wooden arches are being used in spans of 100 feet or more. The arches are capable of being built up to larger cross sections and greater lengths than usually are employed in wood construction and make possible the utilization of material that is too small to be structurally useful otherwise. Even such structures as vehicular bridges have been constructed with this type of arch for support.

NOTICE

All owners of dogs, or persons harboring dogs six months old or over must secure their license on or before July 1.

Any person failing to comply with this statute is liable to prosecution.

The following special officers have been appointed to sell and enforce dog licenses in the County: I. P. Rinehart, John H. Shirk, Walter Blizzard, Jacob Lynerd, and William Etzler.

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Paul F. Kuhns, Clerk

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

WALTER J. BROWN,

late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 21st day of December, next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 20th day of May, 1940.

MERLE S. OHLER,
Administrator of the estate of Walter J. Brown, Deceased.
5-24-5t

Tackle Mystery of Dead Man on Peak

Legend of Frozen Body Is To Be Looked Into.

REVELSTOKE, B. C.—An expedition to clear up the 74-year-old mystery of the "dead man of Mount Begbie" may be sponsored by the Revelstoke board of trade next summer.

After 74 years the rumor still persists that the frozen body of an adventurous climber was to be seen on the frozen slopes of 9,000-foot Mount Begbie in the Canadian Rockies, encased in a deep crevasse near the summit.

Actual proof has never been furnished in connection with the story, but legends die hard in the West and the old tale emanating from the Indians still lives.

Many mountaineers vow they have seen the frozen body embalmed in the side of the crevasse, while many more vow with equal fervor the whole tale is but another Indian legend.

Two theories exist among proponents of the tale. Some insist the unfortunate mystery man was a French-Canadian prospector, one of a group of three who worked the district in the early sixties.

Another version is that he was a Salish Indian who climbed the peak to locate new hunting grounds for his tribe, pressed by the coming of the whites.

The first white man to report the tale, according to local historians, was the late J. C. Montgomery, British Columbia pioneer, who came up the Columbia river in 1866 as a crew member of the historic stern-wheeler Forty-Nine, carrying gold miners to the Big Bend gold fields. Montgomery then was told the tale by Indians.

Skeptics assert it improbable that anyone would be near the summit of the peak at that time. No self-respecting Indian would be found on the top of such a mountain, they contend, this form of sport being looked upon by them as a violent form of insanity.

However, when the Big Bend highway opens in July the Revelstoke board of trade will sponsor a climbing party that will attempt to prove or disprove the story.

Home-Built Target Pistol

Sportsmen who want to build a target pistol in the home workshop can follow blueprints worked out by a Wisconsin man, using hand tools for all except the turning of the barrel, which requires a lathe or grinder. This shop hobbyist has shot down toy balloons a quarter of a mile distant with his home-made pistol, according to Popular Mechanics Magazine. It is a .22-caliber weapon, with 12 1/4-inch barrel. A pistol that might cost \$100 and more in a gunshop may be built at home for about \$15. The complete kit of parts is available in rough-cut form or ready for assembly.

Oldest U. S. Fort

Fort Marion, the oldest fort extant in the United States, was started in 1672 by the Spanish to protect St. Augustine, the first permanent white settlement in this country. It guarded the north inlet of the Matanzas river. A symmetrically shaped, four-sided structure, it is constructed in the fashion developed by Vauban, the great French military engineer. Surrounded by a moat 40 feet wide, its only entrance is across a drawbridge. The great walls are from 9 to 12 feet thick.

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WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND

Mileage Hints

By J. F. Winchester

Supervisor of Motor Vehicle Equipment, Esso Marketers

THE Interstate Commerce Commission

is a branch of the Federal government which is charged with the regulation of common carriers operating in interstate commerce, including motor trucks and buses. Its regulations are established only after much thought and study. Consequently, what this official body rules on such matters as the "driving of motor vehicles" is of interest to all private operators who want to be safe drivers.

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FARM TOPICS

CHICKEN DEATHS CAN BE TRACED

Immediate Post Mortem Will Aid in Finding Disease.

By DR. F. R. BEAUDETTE

Immediate post mortem examination of all chickens and other birds that die is the only means of knowing the causes of death. Records at the New Jersey agricultural experiment station indicate that over a period of years one can learn to expect certain diseases to occur at certain seasons of the year, but occasionally a new disease appears.

In general, however, pullorum disease and bronchitis come in the spring and are followed by coccidiosis and parasite problems. In the fall paralysis, pox and the respiratory infections appear. In mid-winter the mortality goes down and the diseases are of a miscellaneous character.

Birds are subjected to diseases caused by viruses, bacteria, fungi, protozoa, nutritional deficiencies and various external and internal parasites. These diseases are as numerous and as complicated as are the diseases of other species of animal or man, and, for this reason, their solution is equally as difficult. In fact, there exists in chickens or birds a disease to parallel almost any disease in any other animal. Thus, chickens have malaria, tuberculosis, typhoid, tumors and pox, all of which are adapted to the bird. At the same time, they have a few diseases actually acquired from other animals such as swine erysipelas and tularemia.

However, chickens are the least source of infection for other animals or for man among all of the food-producing animals. Moreover, an egg from a healthy hen is bacteria-free which makes it the only food of animal origin of that nature.

Expert Advises Culling

All 'Counterfeit' Cows

If all the "counterfeit" cows, or animals which do not live up to high standards of efficiency, were sent to the butcher, a surprising improvement in dairy farm income would be noted, says E. J. Perry, extension dairyman at the New Jersey College of Agriculture, Rutgers university. Not only would there be no surplus milk, but there also would be more land to devote to more profitable farm commodities.

"The part that efficient cows play in building dairy farm security cannot be overemphasized," Mr. Perry points out. "It is well known that 10 good cows will yield more profit than 20 average cows, and the 10 will place less milk on the market. For instance, 10 cows averaging 8,000 pounds of milk will produce 80,000 pounds of milk in a year, while 20 cows averaging 5,000 pounds each, will have a total yield of 100,000 pounds. The feed cost for the two kinds of cows will not be very different.

"When several cows of average rating or below are mingling with efficient cows in a herd, the tendency is to keep more cows in order to obtain the income needed. The poor cows eat up some if not all of the profit which the good cows may have made.

Separator Losses

How many dollars' worth of butterfat are you losing each year in the skim milk from your separator? A sample taken to your local creamery or cream station can be tested. The cow tester is glad to render this service also. If operating efficiently, the average farm separator should not leave over 0.05 per cent butterfat in the skim milk. Better let your dealer do your separator adjusting. Some chaps professing to fix any bowl may leave your machine in such shape that as much as one-tenth of your butterfat will be lost.

Caring for Colts

A little attention given to the feet of colts and young horses may make a difference in the value of the horse when ready to work. When colts' feet are allowed to become uneven and crooked, it is almost sure to affect the feet and legs permanently. Keeping the feet trimmed and shaped up properly allows normal development of the legs and prevents defects in the feet and legs. Poorly shaped feet and crooked legs that have resulted from neglect can be corrected in some measure by proper trimming of the feet.

'Battle of Barberry'

Wages in Mid-West

No one ever knows, when a species of plant or animal is introduced from one region to another, what the result will be. Now, in the middle western and north central states, war is being waged on a plant, introduced from New England by the earlier settlers. The barberry bush is ornamental, its seeds attract birds, and only in recent years has it been discovered that fungus causes stem rust of wheat, oats and barley.

Insanity Increase in U. S.

Is Traced to 'Depression'

The depression has been one of the causes for the apparent increase in insanity in the United States, according to Dr. J. F. Bateman, Ohio commissioner of mental diseases.

Surveys show that the general rise in insanity is in line with increased population, he said, but added that thousands of new patients are entering mental hospitals every month.

"One out of every 22 persons may be expected to spend some part of his life in a hospital for mental disease," Dr. Bateman said. One out of every 331 persons in the United States is now a patient in a state hospital and if the present rate of mental breakdown continues, approximately 1,000,000 of the children now in our public schools will be admitted to mental hospitals at some time in their lives."

During the depression years in Ohio, for example, the number of mental patients increased from 1 out of every 302 persons to 1 in every 275.

Dr. Bateman said that the effect of the depression on the mental and emotional life of the unemployed was "too obvious."

"While disaster in certain instances brings out the best in man," he said, "the loss of self-respect, increased family tension, increased difficulty in sex adjustment, lowered standards of living, malnutrition—all these factors arising from the prolonged depression have taken a heavy toll in terms of mental health," he explained.

The fact that people live longer now than a few years ago has been a factor which seems to push the insanity curve upward, he said. The depression years made this more noticeable.

"Simple cases of senility and other mild mental conditions were, to a large extent, cared for at home," the commissioner said. "But with the economic crisis, when the son or daughter was unable to assume responsibility for the care of a mother or grandfather, then the state hospitals had to take care of the aged people."

Wild West 'Rustlers'

Lose Their Glamour

Rustlers is the romantic western term for cattle thieves. No western story is complete without a group of these hawk-eyed, hard-faced long-riders, in their dark, well-worn clothing, mounted on fleet bay or black broncs, galloping through its pages. The reasons for the inconspicuous colors are obvious. Only a "drugstore cowboy" wore a bright scarf, big white sombrero and jingling spurs, and rode a pinto or palomino. The six-gun was the favorite weapon of these tough hombres, as the squirrel rifle was of the feudists of the Great Smokies.

The stolen herds were driven south of the border and delivered to some crooked buyer with a beef contract to fill, or through a secret passage into a hidden valley, there to be rebranded and later sold.

There are still cattle as well as dude ranches in the West and there are still rustlers, but most of the picturesque features are gone. Now the thieves load their gather on trucks and transport them swiftly to their destination.

Nor have these operations been confined to the West. Every summer a number of cattle are lost from pastures in the East, particularly in New York state, near Malone, Fowler and Gouverneur. More than a dozen head were stolen in the vicinity of the latter place during the summer of 1939, but fortunately the thieves were apprehended.

Space Required for Plants

The number of plants required for planting any given area may be approximately determined on the basis of a plant to every square foot of space. Some require more than this while others require less; the average, therefore, will about even up. Taking a border that is 20 feet long by 4 feet wide, for instance, it is very close to correct to say that 80 plants will be needed to fill it, this being the number of square feet it contains. Thus, if you like 10 kinds of flowers, you may provide eight of each kind. This will plant larger sections of some than of others, since some require more space and others less. If a larger proportion of some favorite is desired, plant as many less of one as you do of the other. A dozen foxgloves, for instance, to 4 day-lilies, or 10 phlox to 6 irises, is a fair way of giving every plant a chance.

Pectin From Sweet Potatoes

If the method of making it "jells" economically, pectin from sweet potatoes may be on the market one of these days. Chemists have long known that the sweet potato contains about 2 per cent of pectin, along with its 20 per cent of starch, but there were no practical possibilities in the extraction of this dab of material until the development of a feasible process of making a white starch from the sweet potato put most of the pectin in the byproduct pulp. The present commercial sources of pectin are also byproducts—apple pomace at the vinegar factories and citrus peel at the juice and fruit canning plants. Pectin from beet pulp—also a byproduct—has comparatively low jelling power.

Cold-Resisting Peach

Developed by Botanist

The world has a new peach tree and Dr. Andrew Fletcher Ogle, New Mexico botanist, the surprise of his life—a surprise that was 15 years in materializing.

Dr. Ogle, who is a professor in teacher education at Eastern New Mexico junior college, recently related the story of the new Giant Snowball peach which he has been developing since 1913.

The professor has been experimenting in the development of new colors and forms of tulips, dahlias and apple trees, for many years. He began the peach experiments in 1913 at his home in northern Indiana. Only one tree on the property of a neighbor, Peter Jöhler, had survived the hard freeze of that year and it produced a large crop of peaches.

Jöhler gave Dr. Ogle seeds from the tree and the professor raised 480 little trees. These he budded into his own trees and three years later was rewarded by two remarkably hardy crops—one a yellow-meated freestone and the other white-meated.

Several years later Dr. Ogle sent his samples to the Stark nursery at Louisiana, Mo. The nursery, owned by Gov. Lloyd C. Stark of Missouri, analyzed and experimented with Ogle's product.

The nursery notified him 15 years later that his new strain of peaches was a success. It also sent him royalties on sales of the Giant Snowball peach which the nursery sold through its marketing organization.

Volunteer Blood Donors

Total 98,000 Persons

Volunteer blood donor organizations, with a total membership close to 98,000, now serve 56 communities throughout the country, as the result of the influence of an organization which began in Rochester, N. Y., only three years ago, Arthur John Collinson, Rochester, points out in Hygeia Magazine.

Known as the Legion of Blood Donors, the Rochester association has contributed more than 970 transfusions, given without pay from anonymous donors. The legion owes much of its effectiveness to the simple way in which it is run and the speed with which requests for blood are answered. Volunteers get in touch with the Times-Union newspaper, which co-operated with a radio broadcaster in founding the organization. Arrangements are made to have the volunteers' blood typed into one of the four classifications at a local hospital. With over 1,200 names on file, the legion loses little time in finding a proper donor. Often a general appeal is made in a radio announcement.

Radio stations have co-operated in sponsoring the plan in other cities.

Faster American Ships

Is Engineering Forecast

The next few years should see heightened activity in American shipbuilding, according to the Engineering Foundation.

The foundation, in a report issued in New York by its welding research committee, said that American ships will be "noted for their relatively high speed and general efficiency" because of an approximate 16 per cent saving in ship weight through welding and improved machinery.

"The saving in weight has reached about 1,000 tons in 6,000 tons, which represents about 16 per cent," the report said. "Approximately 800 tons of this weight decrease may be attributed to the use of welding and 200 tons to the improved machinery weights. The amount due to welding represents about 13 per cent saving in hull weight. There is available, then, an increase of more than 6 per cent in earning power, over 5 per cent of which is a result of welding."

The foundation said that tests had showed that the completely welded hull brought about appreciable fuel savings because of the elimination of laps and consequent reduction of resistance. Savings through welding and use of improved machinery, it said, in some instances amount to 25 per cent.

Use Space Under Window

The lucky owner of many books is sometimes worried by the thought that he has not sufficient space to hold them in an orderly fashion. Built-in book cases may be tucked away in various corners. But if the window sills are sufficiently wide, a few shelves built under the window will be convenient and a solution of the problem.

Children's Milk Quotas

When the youngsters lose interest in drinking their daily quota of milk, use more milk in cooking. Cook cereals in milk instead of water, serve custards frequently and increase the amount of cream soups, foods with milk sauces and escalloped dishes.

Woman Adirondack Guide

Slender little Anne Rice of Saranac Lake, N. Y., balances a rifle as neatly as a teacup. She is as much at home in a wild Adirondack forest as in a ballroom, has a guide's license to prove it, and she's indignant about careless hunters who accidentally shoot their companions. The disarming mite of a woodswoman and sculptress—she's barely shoulder-high to the average man—said there's no such thing as a hunter mistaking companions or others for game if he's a sportsman. He'd first make certain he was shooting legal game. "Any shooting accident where a person is mistaken for a game animal is done by a potential game law violator," she reiterated. "Such a person would shoot blindly at a movement of leaves, or a noise, apparently not caring what caused it. He wouldn't wait to see his target—some reason for shooting. The principle of shoot first and investigate later often ends in tragedy."

Stephen Foster's Songs

There are now known to be 201 original songs by Stephen Foster and more than 100 others arranged, translated or adapted by the composer.

Regular Air Line Stops

Of the 4,000 cities in the United States with more than 5,000 inhabitants, only 210 of them, or about 5 per cent, are stops on regular air lines.

EZ to Find

The letter "E" is used more frequently in the English language than any other letter, and "Z" is the least used.

Origin of Canada's Name

Canada is derived from the word "kanada" meaning village or settlement in the Huron language.

Softening Shoe Polish

Turpentine added sparingly to shoe polish which has become hardened will soften it.

House Trailer Census

Approximately 800,000 house trailers are in use in the United States.

REDUCED LONG DISTANCE RATES TO SAVE PUBLIC \$5,300,000 ANNUALLY

Reduction Applies To Calls Over Distances Of More Than 420 Airline Miles

Recently announced long distance schedule, which is 3,000 miles. The telephone rate reductions, which went into effect, May 1, 1940, will save telephone users an estimated \$5,300,000 annually, according to the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. The reduction will apply to calls covering distances of more than 420 airline miles and extend through the maximum mileage covered by the

proportionate reduction is increased with airline mileage so that the greatest reduction is at the maximum mileage represented approximately by the rates from New York to San Francisco. For example: The new schedules will reduce the station-to-station day rate between New York and San Francisco from \$6.50 to \$5.00.

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CORRESPONDENCE

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

We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. If it is 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. All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted.

FEBSERSBURG.

Welcome June—marking the close of school, hay-making, strawberries and cherries; the month of brides, orange blossoms and roses. June has no famous holidays, but usually many delightful days. The birthstone is Pearl; for Purity; the flower—rose for decoration; and there's a nice new moon hung out for light and enjoyment.

Miss Sue Birely spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in New Windsor with Miss Emma Ecker. They attended the new movie hall to see "Swanee River" and loved it, and visited other friends in town.

There were many visitors in our town on Decoration Day at J. H. Stuffle's Miss Mary Crouse with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zimmerman, York; Mr. and Mrs. Sell Pottorff, Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Souder, of Little's town. At Grove Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilbert and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Killinger, their daughter and a friend, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Haugh, and Nancy Breidenthal, Waynesboro; Mrs. F. H. Birely, Ladiesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Horch, Camp Hill, Pa., and on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. John Barr, Mrs. Yost, and Robert Gift, home from a school of aviation, as driver, all of Waynesboro.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Wolfe entertained to supper, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bicking and small son, Barry, Coatsville, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wolfe, of Reading; and later Miss Esther Wolfe, of Philadelphia, and a friend of New Windsor.

With some finishing up work at the cafeteria of the Elmer A. Wolfe school last Friday, Mrs. Rosa K. Bohn completed her service for another year. We are wondering where she will spend her vacation.

The Firemen's festival in Union Bridge made traffic lively the latter part of last week, and Saturday evening it was fast and furious. If the occupants of every car left 50 cents in their treasury it would have swelled considerably. The parade and Decoration exercises were postponed because of rain from Thursday to Saturday evening. A band of music from Westminster was in attendance.

All of the Ross Wilhide family including Mary and Scott Crabbs attended the Baccalaureate services at Western Maryland College, on Sunday morning where the son Earl Wilhide is among the graduates this week and the battle of life commences.

Mrs. Lulu Grindler and Mrs. Addie Crumbacker with Mrs. Wilbur Miller, and her sister, Mrs. Lulu Main, of York, and George Sexton driving went to Woodsboro, on Sunday for the parade and Decoration exercises in the cemetery. Many people were in attendance and Lawyer Storm, of Frederick, made a fine address; also a band—in cream and gold uniform, of Frederick, rendered the music. The children of the Sunday Schools—with many flowers decorated the graves.

A group of our citizens attended Class Night exercises at the High School on Friday night and were pleasantly entertained; also the Baccalaureate services on Sunday evening at the Lutheran Church in Union Bridge, Rev. P. H. Williams the pastor in charge, assisted by Rev. Jos. Bowman of the Brethren Church and Rev. Freeman Ankrum of the Linwood church. Rev. Williams preached the sermon to a crowded house his theme: "Do it well and do it now"—from Eccles. 9:10. The music was good—with some special selections by members of the class well done.

A family dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Koons on Big Pipe Creek, near Hobson Grove, on Sunday in honor of their newly wed grand children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Angell (nee Esther Sentz) just their immediate family prepared and served a sumptuous meal—under supervision of their aunt Amanda Williams Bair.

On Saturday morning while chasing her ducks, Mrs. Horace Bostian slipped on the mud and fell injuring her hip, which has caused her considerable pain and inconvenience.

The 7th grade of the Elementary Department of Elmer A. Wolfe school conducted by their teacher, Grayson Shank picnicked in Bucher, John's meadow along Little Pipe Creek on Tuesday; when it was warm enough for a lot of games but not allowed to go in the water. Every one took their own lunch and had a fine time.

We visited the cemeteries at Mt. Union and Baust's Church with flowers on May 30th., and found them freshly mown and in good order—and many people coming and going. Although flowers were scarce at home in driving across the country, we saw loads of vari colored Iris, large flowering bushes of Wygelia, some Peonies early roses, gardens looking fine—and one with border of large pansies in many shades of bloom. The homes are well kept and everything seemed thriving; and with the long distance views of hill and meadow, trees, streams and homes, one felt like singing from the heart "Oh Maryland—My Maryland."

"Good manners is the art of making those people easy with whom we converse. Whoever makes the fewest persons uneasy, is the best bred in company."—Dean Swift.

UNIONTOWN.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Mess, Alexandria, Va., were dinner guests of Mrs. W. G. Segafosse, on Sunday. Mrs. Mess remained for a visit with her sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Carrie Maus, Westminster, on Monday evening, Mrs. Maus who had been ill is improving. Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Snader Devilbiss were: Miss Margaret Devilbiss and brother, Mr. Snader Devilbiss, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Norman Otto, Barnaby Woods, D. C., called on friends in town on Memorial Day.

Mr. Harold Smelser, Jr., has accepted a position with the Bethlehem Steel Co., Sparrows Point, and took up his duties on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. S. Rinaldo Repp visited his home folks, Myers Englar and family, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Terry who had been living in the apartment of Mrs. W. P. Englar have left here. Mrs. Terry will go to Vermont to visit her home folks while Mr. Terry attends summer school at Duke University, North Carolina.

Miss Goldie Wolfe attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss June Cramer and Mr. Harry Bieckler, Reading, Pa., on Thursday at 3 o'clock.

The Uniontown Farm Bureau Pharmacy Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hull, on Tuesday, May 21, with twenty-one members present. The chairman Guy Cookson, Jr., presided. An election of officers resulted as follows: Chairman, Philip Weller; secretary, Mrs. Martin Myers; treasurer, Guy Formwalt; publicity chairman, Mrs. Edwin Talbert and discussion leader, Mrs. John Young. The state news letter was used during the discussion period. Games and refreshments were enjoyed. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Young.

Miss Martha Wilmer, Sykesville, Md., and Mrs. Charles Anderson, of Pittsburgh, called on Miss Doris Haines, Sunday afternoon.

George W. Slonaker is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Harry Cashman and family, Friezerville.

The Sunday School class of Mrs. Alfred Zollicoffer will present a Missionary program in the Methodist Sunday School, Sunday at 9:30.

A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eyer, Cross Roads in honor of Mrs. Eyer's mother, Mrs. David Dickensheets who celebrated her 81st birthday. Many cards and gifts were received. Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, pretzels, cake and orangeade were served to thirty guests.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Flora Shriner, Sunday were: Mrs. Howard Wible, Littlestown; Mrs. George Bostian, Bark Hill; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little and family, Hanover.

No worship services will be held at either Pipe Creek or Uniontown Methodist Churches this Sunday. It is conference Sunday and all are welcome to attend the service at Western Maryland College, at 10:30 A. M.

The final meeting of the Uniontown Parent Teacher Association for the school year 1939-40 was held Wednesday evening, May 31. The meeting was opened with devotionals by the president, Rev. C. O. Garner. As this was the health meeting of the year, the program centered around this theme. Mr. H. B. Speir, head of the Physical Education department of Western Maryland College was present accompanied by three of the students from his course in health education. Mr. Speir explained the work that had been done in the course. The following papers were read by the students: "How a Parent-Teacher Association can aid in promoting a Health Program in the School," Mr. Hood; "The Available Clinics in Carroll County," Miss Matthias; "The Summer Camp," Miss Helen. During the business session the treasurer, Mrs. Norman Myers, reported that the net receipts from the supper were \$97.99. The result of the Community Recreational Survey was given. The parents of pre-school children who will enter school in September were urged to bring their children to school on either June 6 or 7 to register. The Association voted to donate \$5.00 toward the reservoir which was recently built near town to be used in case of fire. Mr. Gilds thanked the officers and members of the various committees for their splendid work during the year. The officers were re-elected to serve for the school year 1940-41: President, Rev. C. O. Garner; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Edward Crist; Sec., Miss Goldie Wolfe; Asst. Sec., Mrs. Harold Smelser; Treas., Mrs. Norman Myers; Asst. Treas., Mrs. Harry Rinehart. The work the pupils did during the year was on exhibition in the different rooms.

The Pipe Creek Church of the Brethren Sunday School will give the pageant, "Children of the Bible", Sunday, June 16, at 7:45 P. M.

Submarine Disaster

While en route to Baltimore from Boston on a 72-hour endurance run the U. S. submarine S-5 sank while making a crash dive off the Delaware capes on September 1, 1920. The submarine responded to its diving rudders, but failed to straighten out after submergence and dived until her bow was embedded in the sea bottom. By blowing the main and after tanks the stern was lifted above water. The crew then drilled a small hole in the stern through which they passed a rod flying an article of clothing by means of which they managed to attract the attention of a passing steamer, the Atlantis. The crews of the Atlantis and General Goethals, another steamer, cut a large hole in the stern of the submarine, releasing its crew after 37 hours of submergence. The S-5 subsequently sank and efforts to salvage were abandoned.

LITTLESTOWN.

Mrs. Charles Wehler, of town, but who moved to York last year has been admitted to the York City Hospital for treatment and an eye operation.

George W. Krug, Kingsdale, last surviving Civil War veteran in Adams county, observed his 94th birthday anniversary quietly at his home last Tuesday. He is enjoying very good health.

Memorial services were held Monday evening on account of being rained out last Thursday.

Ivan Rickrode is building a two-story brick cased dwelling on West Myrtle St.

W. Robert Stover, is having his dwelling constructed for two families. Wilbur C. Reek is building a house on East Myrtle St.

Burgess Apple has issued strict orders to Chief of Police Roberts, that all children under fifteen years are in their homes by 9 o'clock in the evening unless they are accompanied by their parents, or other responsible person. This step taken by the Burgess is largely due to the recent petty crimes and loafing in pool rooms.

Ray S. Yohe, Hanover, well known in this place, died from burns in the Schnauffer Hospital, Brunswick, Md., on Tuesday, aged 27 years. Funeral was held Thursday afternoon at the J. W. Little & Son Funeral Home. Rev. H. H. Hartman, officiated. Burial was made in Christ Church cemetery.

Joseph Rickrode, suffered a fracture of his right arm, Saturday in York. The youth an occupant on a bus extended his arm out a window and struck a telephone pole breaking his arm near the wrist.

Mrs. John Wisler, East King St, who underwent an operation at the Hanover General Hospital, returned to her home.

Mrs. Harry Mehning, West King St, broke her left arm at the wrist when she fell at the home of Mrs. William Yingling, Monday afternoon.

At the Firemen's parade at Marietta, Saturday the McSherrystown Fire Company got first prize of \$125.00. Littlestown Company, second prize of \$75.00.

Mrs. Mary Bucher, widow of Charles W. Bucher, near Bonneauville, died Sunday morning at the age of 73 years. Surviving are four children, one brother and two sisters. Funeral was held Wednesday morning in St. Joseph's Church, Bonneauville. Rev. Leo J. Krichen, officiated. Burial was made in the church cemetery.

WOODBINE.

Another commencement week has rolled around. It is indeed a busy time, as our village is on the dividing line and we have to attend exercises at both Mt. Airy and Sykesville schools.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jenkins entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dorsey, Catonsville.

Mrs. Josephine Donhauser, Baltimore, is a guest of Mrs. Augustus Condon, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Trescott, Baltimore, will move into an apartment in the T. F. Gosnell house, in the near future.

The ladies of Morgan Chapel Church, served their annual dinner on Memorial Day, in the church basement. In spite of inclement weather the dinner was a great success, the proceeds amounted to two hundred and fourteen dollars.

The Rev. Karl L. Mumford delivered a special message to the 7th grade graduates of Winfield school at Calvary Lutheran Church, Sunday morning. The subject was "How to Grow" and was presented by Rev. Mumford in a very interesting and educational manner. The church was filled to capacity with members and friends of the graduates. The choir rendered special music in keeping with the subject.

The Woodbine elementary school held their annual picnic Tuesday afternoon and night. In the afternoon the children received popples as a treat from the P. T. A. after which they engaged in games. At night the parents and friends attended and patronized the refreshment stand which yielded \$45.00 this time. Other features were cake walk and string music.

Mrs. Elzie Franklin was hostess to Calvary Aid Society Tuesday afternoon, June 4th. The attendance was very good. The usual business routine was followed by the program in charge of Mrs. Howard Biddinger. An interesting feature of the program was a talk by Miss Lillie Hatfield on her three months visit in St. Petersburg, Fla., this past winter. Miss Hatfield also had charge of the basket donations which netted approximately \$3.00 for the parsonage fund.

MANCHESTER.

Rev. Paul H. Smith, of Lineboro, preached sermon to graduates of M. H. S. Sunday night in Immanuel Lutheran Church on "Truth and Freedom."

The graduation of M. H. S. was held on the school lawn at 3:30 Wednesday. Rev. N. S. Sellers of Black Rock Church of Brethren, offered the invocation. 15 girls and 6 boys graduated.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Smith Lineboro, Rev. L. H. Rehmer and family, and Rev. Dr. Mrs. Hollenbach attended the reception given by the three churches of the Hamstead Lutheran Charge to their newly installed pastor on Wednesday evening. Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach, Manchester, attended the 25th anniversary of his class at Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, on Monday evening and other Commencement activities on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Maurice Kneller, Mrs. Maurice Michael and Mrs. Clara Warner, of Lazarus Reformed Church, Lineboro; J. Vernon Gill, of Trinity Reformed Church, Manchester, and Rev. Dr. Jno. S. Hollenbach, pastor of the Manchester Charge attended the Conference of Religious Education held under the auspices of the Potomac Synod in Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick, on Saturday.

MARRIED

BAUMGARDNER—OHLER.

Trinity Lutheran Church, decorated with palms, ferns and two American Beauty vases of blue delphiniums white lillies and gladiolus, was the scene of a very beautiful and impressive wedding ceremony, Wednesday evening, June 5th., 1940, at 7:30, when Miss Emma Virginia Ohler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ohler, and Murray Martin Baumgardner, son of Mrs. John M. Baumgardner, both of Taneytown, were united in marriage.

Preceding the ceremony a recital was given, "Alba," "Venetian Love Song" and "At Dawning" were played by Mrs. George Harner, organist of the Church. "O Perfect Love" was sung by Kenneth Baumgardner, brother of the groom accompanied by C. Richard Main, of Hagerstown, who then played "Moonlight Sonata," "Promise Me," was sung by Kenneth Baumgardner, "Clair de Lune" by Mrs. Harner.

At the first strains of the Bridal Chorus from "Lohengrin," played by Mrs. Harner, Revs. Emenheiser and Sutcliffe entered at the front of the church and into the chancel, followed by the groom and the bestman, Charles O. Hesson, College Park, brother-in-law of the groom, to the front of the altar where they waited to meet the bride. From the rear of the church came the ushers by two's Luther Ritter, Littlestown; Charles Ritter, Keysville; Daniel Teeter, Gettysburg, and John Skiles, Taneytown, followed by the matron-of-honor, Mrs. Paul D. Emenheiser, Baltimore, the flower girl, Lois Irene Ohler, sister of the bride, then the bride. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Paul D. Emenheiser, Baltimore, a close friend of the couple, assisted by Rev. Alfred T. Sutcliffe, the bride's pastor.

During the ceremony Mrs. Harner played softly "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" and "The Lord's Prayer". Following the ceremony Kenneth Baumgardner sang "Because," Recessional was Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

The bride wore a gown of white brocade moire, finger-tip length veil with halo of orange blossoms and white satin slippers, and carried an arm bouquet of white lillies. The matron of honor wore a gown of Copenhagen blue taffeta trimmed with silver ribbon, wreath of blue flowers in her hair and carried an arm bouquet of blue delphiniums and white roses. The flower girl wore a long dress of white frosted organdy with blue flowers and carried a white basket of ragged robins.

The men in the party wore navy blue suits and wore boutonnières. Bride's mother wore navy blue and white with corsage of gardenias. Groom's mother wore Copenhagen blue with corsage of Columbia roses and gardenias. Bride's grandmother wore navy blue and corsage of yellow rose and gardenias.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ohler, grandparents of the bride, to about 300 guests. The wedding party was seated at a table beautifully decorated in a color scheme of blue and white, with flowers and a large wedding cake. The guests were favored with a number of selections on the piano by Miss Hazel Hess.

The couple left for an extended wedding trip through the southern states as far as Florida.

The bride's going-away suit was of white sport crepe with a blouse of blue frosted organdy, blue hat and white shoes.

The bride is a graduate of Taneytown High School and has been employed at D. J. Hesson's Department Store. The groom is a graduate of Taneytown High School and Bliss Electrical School in Washington, and is employed at the Birnie Trust Co.

The couple will be at home to their friends at the home of the groom's mother. The gifts were both numerous and valuable.

HEMLER—MYERS.

James David Hemler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pius L. Hemler, of Taneytown, and Miss Frances Myers, daughter of Mrs. Louis Myers, Libertytown, were united in marriage, last Saturday at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Libertytown. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor the Rev. John Collins, who also celebrated the nuptial mass. The Very Rev. Harry A. Quinn, pastor of the Cathedral, Baltimore, and the groom's pastor, the Rev. Joseph A. Lane were present in the Sanctuary.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, Louis Myers, wore a dusty rose lace gown with corsage of gardenias and sweet peas and carried a white Prayer book. Mrs. Emerson Andrew, sister of the groom, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of blue lace with corsage of pink rose buds. Louis Myers, brother of the bride, was bestman, George R. Hemler the groom's brother played the wedding marches and hymns during the mass. Following the ceremony a breakfast was given at the home of the bride to about forty guests. Mr. and Mrs. Hemler will reside in Taneytown where they have a furnished apartment in the Mahoney home, on York Street.

SIPES—SMITH.

Mr. Aaron W. Sipes, of Westminster and Miss Thelma V. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, of near Westminster, formerly of Taneytown, were united in marriage on Saturday evening, June 1, at 5 o'clock, by Rev. Guy P. Bready. The ceremony was performed in Grace Reformed church, Taneytown. After the wedding, the couple left for a bridal trip, and upon their return, will reside in Sparrow's Point, where the bridegroom is employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company.

HARNEY.

Mr. Eyster Heck and wife and their son, George and wife, York, were callers of Samuel D. Snider and sister, on Decoration Day.

The Rev. Paul Beard will have charge of the morning worship of Frederick Station, Monday morning, at 9 o'clock. Mildred Stambaugh organist of St. Paul and a Men's Chorus and ladies sextet will assist with the services.

Mr. Charles Haverstock, Gettysburg, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cline and sons William and Francis, Greenstone, Pa., visited Mrs. W. Kump and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wantz, Sunday.

Services at the U. B. Church next Sunday: S. S. at 6:30. Sermon by Rev. Garvin, at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Moore and children, Chambersburg, attended the Memorial Service Sunday afternoon at the U. B. Church and visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Hesson.

Mr. Lewis Bishop and his brother, Harry, of California, and Mrs. Mary Riffe, of Motter's Station, Md., visited their uncle, J. Wm. Slagenhaupt, on Monday afternoon.

Services at St. Jaul's Church next Sabbath: Sunday School, at 8 o'clock; Sermon at 8:45, by Rev. Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewin and twin children, of near Westminster, visited J. Wm. Slagenhaupt, on Sunday. Mr. S. was a pupil of Mr. Slagenhaupt when he taught school in Baughman Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Withrow and son, David Lincoln, Rochester, N. Y., and Larry Withrow and sister Jean, of Avon, New York, spent several days visiting relatives. The Rochester people with Mr. Flem Hoffman and sons and their wives and Sarah Withrow and the Avon folks visited their sister, Dora and grandparents, H. J. Wolf and wife.

LINWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brandenburg daughter, Betty Lou; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brandenburg, spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Bouman, of Hollidaysburg, Pa. Rev. Bouman was a former pastor of the Linwood Brethren Church.

Mrs. R. Lee Myers, Mrs. Hollie Graves, Mrs. Jennie Sheppard, Miss Hamburger, Robert Myers and E. Mae Rouser, were callers at the S. S. Englar home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Myers expects to open her Linwood home very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Etzler and daughter, Miss Jane, visited friends in Frederick, on Sunday.

A number of our citizens attended the class night exercises at the Elmer Wolfe High School last Friday evening. Misses Mary Saylor, Elizabeth Fogle and Messrs Carroll Roop, Junior Wachter, of Linwood, were among the graduates. Congratulations to these young folks.

Don't forget the festival at the Linwood Church, this Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Messler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Messler and Rev. and Mrs. Freeman Ankrum, daughter, Mary Alice, attended the Blaxten reunion held last Sunday at Mt. Taber Park, Rocky Ridge. C. U. Messler delivered the address at the morning service.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brandenburg Mrs. Claude Etzler and daughter, Jane, attended the funeral of their first cousin, Mrs. —, at Frederick, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dickerson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel, near Union Bridge.

Happiness comes from striving, doing, loving, achieving, conquering—always something positive and forceful.—David Stoner Jordan.

A LAND THAT'S FREE!

The sun is shining bright today, The air is sweet with new mown hay, Our hearts sing forth with melody, We dwell within a land that's free.

We do not crave, we will not take The things that would other hearts break, But we are firm resolved to be A land where men are always free.

Our hearts are firm, our backs are strong We will not do to others wrong Nor will we permit others to Do to us things we would not do.

W. J. H. 6-3-40.

DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published free.

JAMES RAY MORT.

James Ray Mort, infant son of Ralph E. and Ethel E. Mort, died Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the parents in Taneytown, aged seven months. Surviving besides the parents are three brothers and a sister, John, Robert, Kenneth and Virginia, at home; also his paternal grandfather, John Mort, of Illinois.

The funeral services were conducted on Tuesday afternoon at the parents home. Rev. Irvin N. Morris, pastor of the Taneytown Presbyterian Church, officiated. Burial was made in the Reformed cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

We extend our sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and following the death of our mother and sister, Laura E. Hiltbricker.

BLANCHE KISER, VIOLA SLAGENHAUPT.

In Memory of my dear wife, MAGGIE E. WINTER, who passed away May 22nd, 1940

Sad and sudden was the call Of one so dearly loved by all A bitter grief a shock severe It was to part with one so dear We often sit and think of you And speak of how you died To think you could not say good-bye Before you closed your eyes For all of us you did your best Oh, God, grant you eternal rest. By her husband, E. H. WINTER.

COMMUNITY LOCALS.

(Continued from First Page.)

Mrs. Mabel Elliot has been appointed Notary Public by Governor O'Connor.

Up to date the result of the Red Cross Relief drive is \$202.63 for Taneytown district.

Mrs. Doty Robb is spending Saturday and Sunday at Hood College attending a reunion of her class.

Mrs. L. M. Woodard and Mrs. W. J. Finley, of Washington, D. C., visited Mrs. Margaret Stott, on Monday.

Mrs. Marie Tull, of Highpoint, N. C., was the guest of Miss Agnes Arnold, several days this week.

Mrs. Allie Late, of Waynesboro, Pa., visited her sister, Miss Nettie Putman and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cunningham have returned to Westminster, from their lengthy visit to Pasadena, California.

Mrs. Pauline Brining, R. N., Foxcroft School, Middleburg, Va., returned home Tuesday for her summer vacation.

Mrs. Ida Landis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Forney, to their home in Philadelphia, and will remain for a visit with them.

Miss RosAnna Keilholtz, of York Hospital Training School, is spending ten days vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grier Keilholtz.

St. Joseph's Parochial School will hold its annual commencement exercises, this Friday afternoon, June 7, in the school hall, at 1:30.

Frank Rodgers, Woodbine, paid our office a visit, on Thursday. He will be remembered by many of the older folks here. He looks well, and says he works every day.

Please let us have your local news notices if you want them published in The Record. It is impossible for us to get all locals, as our office is too busy to hunt them up.

The difference in color between the 2 cent and the new 3 cent stamp is so slight as to be a nuisance to a busy person. Mr. Farley is taxing stamp collectors heavily, these days.

Dr. Thomas A. Martin, of Highsmith Hospital, Fayetteville, N. C., spent a few days in Taneytown and the county, visiting relatives. He is taking a four-year course in surgery.

Paul E. Ohler, Taneytown, was graduated June 5, from the one-year course of technical training at Bliss Electrical School, Washington, D. C. He is a graduate of Emmitsburg High School, class of 1935.

The Blue Ridge Rubber Company is now working with a force of 558 employees, an increase from about 300. They are working in two shifts day and night. This is indicative of the greatly increased output of the Company's products.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Bower and Wallace Heron, visited the Loyville Orphans' Home, Wednesday. Mrs. Bower attended the Woman's Auxiliary Board meeting, Wallace Heron, remained over until Thursday to be present when his sister graduates.

The following members of Monocacy Lodge, 203, A. F. & A. M., visited Plymouth Lodge, Union Bridge, at their usual "calling off" banquet, on Tuesday night: Rev. W. O. Ibach, R. S. McKinney, John O'N. Crapster, Charles Cashman and James Coolidge.

Merwyn C. Fuss has bought from The Reindollar Co., a 50 ft. lot on Baltimore St, adjoining the Opera House. He will build on it an up-to-date two-story furniture store that will give ample room and light. His present building will be used for a more commodious Funeral Parlor and likely the second floor will be made into apartments for rent.

Miss Grace Withrow, Washington, D. C., and Irene Hesson attended commencement exercises at Massanutten Academy, Woodstock, Va. They also attended the reunion of the Class of 1910 of which they were members. Others who attended the commencement exercises were Mrs. Raymond Wantz, Mrs. Zinkham, Union Bridge; Warren Wantz and Richard Etzler.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET TO BE HELD.

On Saturday evening, June 15, the ladies of Grace Reformed Church, will conduct a "Father and Son Banquet" for the men of the church. This is to be held in the Firemen's building beginning at 7 P. M. All the men of the church are invited, whether a father or a son.

Superintendent of Schools, Mr. R. S. Hyson, will be the guest speaker. Several other entertaining features will also be presented, making the evening one to look forward to and enjoy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Robert B. Power and Nona T. Crabill, Silver Spring, Md.
John B. Mowbray Clarke and Mary A. Annan, Washington, D. C.
George S. Krom and Mary G. Devilbiss, Emmitsburg, Md.
Quintin L. Zell and Dorothy G. Bereneman, Allen, Pa.
Ellsworth L. Monath and Jewell I. Smith, Lineboro, Md.
Charles R. Yeager and Florence M. Wilhelm, Hampstead, Md.
Austin Howard and Margaret Squirell, Union Bridge, Md.
Robert H. Hahn and Mary J. Stine, Westminster, Md.
Harold E. Dorsey and M. Elele Hood, Baltimore, Md.
William W. Martin and Mildred F. Peregoy, Parkton, Md.
Charles R. Schneider and Bonnie Lee Milhimes, Littlestown, Pa.
Harry B. Rippen and A. Elizabeth Hatfield, Woodsboro, Md.
Mogens Peter Rohr Mosen and Fedora French, Preston, Md.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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

REAL ESTATE for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

THIS COLUMN is especially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc.

CASH IN ADVANCE payments are demanded in all cases.

NO "CALL AT RECORD OFFICE" for information. Special Notices will be received, except when replies are SEALED and addressed to a NUMBER to be given by our office, for turning over to the advertiser.

STOCK BULLS for sale, or loaned to reliable farmers.—Harold Mehring, 4-28-1f

FOR SALE—1934 Ford De Luxe Tudor Sedan, good condition. Must sell. \$125.00. Terms.—A. Mason, Frizzellburg, Md.

WANTED—A home for a girl 16 years old—country preferred.—The Children's Aid Society, Westminster.

FOUR-ROOM APARTMENT, Garage and Truck Patch, for rent to small family.—Chas. E. Keefer, near Taneytown. 6-7-2t

WANTED—A home for a boy 14 years old—country home preferred.—The Children's Aid Society, Westminster.

17 PIGS, 8 weeks old for sale by Oliver H. Brown, near Mayberry.

TOMATO PLANTS for sale, any amount.—C. F. Cashman, Taneytown.

FOR SALE—Large frame House, 12 rooms on hard road, near Taneytown. Heat, Bath, Electric Lights, will make fine apartments, large garage, fine lawn, can be bought on monthly payments.—C. F. Cashman, Phone 86-M. 6-7-2t

FOR SALE—6 year old Black Lead Mule, cheap.—Francis Foglesong, Mayberry.

NOTICE—All who have Wagon Wheels, Mower Knives and Binder Knives at my shop for one or two years. Call for same or they will be sold for cost of repairs.—Walter Wantz. 6-7-2t

DATE CHANGED for 500 Card Party and Big Party from June 11 to June 4, at Barlow Fire Co. Hall. 5-24-3t

FOR SALE—Three 9x12 Rugs, two Axminster and one Velvet; good condition.—Charles L. Stonesifer, Taneytown.

GARDEN PLANTS of all kinds for sale by—Mr. Ervin Hyser, Taneytown. 5-31-2t

SHOE AND HARNESS Repairing until further notice. Terms Cash.—Harry E. Reck, near Taneytown. 5-31-5t

YOUR ORDERS for Strawberries would be much appreciated, by David Stultz, near Otter Dale Mill. 5-31-2t

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TRY THIS Column for your needs, both for selling and buying. It brings customers and makes sales. Good business men make use of it. Many readers examine it. 1-14-1f

FOR SALE—100 Pianos, \$9.00 up. Easy terms. All guaranteed. Baby Grands Cheap. Steinyard Baby Grand Bargain.—Cramer's, Frederick, Md. 4-28-1f

WANTED—On Tuesday of each week, 1 load of Calves.—J. J. Garner, Taneytown. 7-28-1f

SALESMEN'S Order Books are supplied by The Record from the manufacturers, at standard prices. About six weeks are required for filling such orders. 3-22-3t

STORM, FIRE AND LIGHTNING are all very dangerous to property during the Summer Months. If your buildings are not fully protected, let The Home Insurance Co., N. Y., give it. Specially low rates on Town Property.—P. B. Englar, Agent.

'Polonium' Spark Plugs
Polonium, a rare element discovered in 1898 by the late Mme. Curie which costs \$2,000,000 an ounce, will be used in an alloy compounded for the electrodes of a new spark plug. Sufficient quantities of the metal are included in the alloy to fill the air immediately around it with enormously powerful alpha rays, said to be the most potent ionizing rays known to science. Ionization of the air is expected to cut a better path for the spark, making it possible to start a motor more quickly, accelerate it faster and make its performance more economical. Polonium is said to emit 4,000 times as many alpha rays as radium. Its use in spark plugs has been the subject of six years of research. Mme. Curie discovered the metal in pitchblende before she and her husband discovered radium. The element is named for her native Poland.

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 to services.

St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run—Sunday School, at 9:00 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:30 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30; Worship, at 7:30 P. M., alternate Sundays.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown—Sunday School, 9:00 A. M.; Children's Service, at 10:00 A. M.; Luther League, at 6:30 P. M.; Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev. Guy P. Bready in the Lutheran Church, at 7:30 P. M.

Tom's Creek M. E. Church, Rev. Crist, pastor, Sunday School, at 9:00 A. M.; Church Services, 10:00 A. M.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—Sunday School, at 9:15 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:15; Christian Endeavor (Senior and Junior), at 6:30 P. M. Children's Day Service on Sunday morning, June 16, at 10:15.

Keysville—Morning Worship, at 8 A. M.; Sunday School, at 9:00.

Uniontown Lutheran Church, Rev. Geo. E. Bowersox, Jr., pastor. Third Sunday after Trinity. Winter's (St. Luke's)—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Church, 10:30.

Mt. Union—Sunday School, 1:30; Church, 2:30.

St. Paul's—Sunday School, 9:30.

Taneytown U. B. Church, A. W. Garvin, pastor. Taneytown—S. S., at 9:30 A. M.; Special Service with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith bringing songs and the pastor a short message 10:30 A. M.; Home-coming and Memorial Services, at 2:15 P. M. Rev. Wm. Wachter, York, will be messenger, a former pastor and the Rosenberger Sisters with the Smiths will bring the music.

Barts—S. S., 8:15 A. M. Harney—Sunday School, 6:30 P. M. Worship Service, 7:30 P. M. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Spangler on Tuesday evening at 7:45 P. M., also the Official Board will meet just preceding the Aid meeting. All officials, members and friends are urged to be present.

Piney Creek Presbyterian Church.—Sabbath School will hold their Children's Day Service, Sunday, June 9th, at 9:30.

Taneytown Presbyterian Church.—Children's Day Service, at 11:00 A. M.

Church of God, Uniontown Circuit, Rev. John H. Hoch, pastor. Uniontown—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Mr. Edward Caylor, Supt. Preaching Service, 10:30 A. M. Theme: "The Christian Life, What is it?" Evening Service, at 8:00 P. M. Subject: "The Holy Spirit Chapter of the Bible." Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening, at 8:00 P. M. Miss Doris Haines leader.

Wakefield—Preaching Service, at 9 A. M. Theme: "Christian Stewardship." Sunday School, at 10:15 A. M. Mr. James Staub, Supt. C. E., Sunday evening, at 8:00 P. M. Mr. Harry F. Mitten, president. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study on Thursday evening, at 8:00 P. M.

Frizzellburg—Sunday School, at 10 A. M. Mr. Marshall Mason, Supt. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study on Friday evening, at 8:00 P. M.

Manchester Reformed Church, Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach, Pastor.—Manchester—Worship, 8:30; S. S., at 9:30; C. E., at 6:30.

Lineboro—S. S., at 9:00; Worship, at 10:00; Children's Day Program at 7:30. Subject: "The Everlasting Gospel."



The Taneytown U. B. Church will have another event of Home-coming and Memorial Services on Sunday, June 9, beginning with Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.; the 10:30 A. M. Service will consist of special music by the Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith, York, who broadcasts over WORK, each Saturday evening. There is another musician expected to be with the Smiths with an electric guitar. The pastor will bring a short message during this service.

The 2:15 P. M. Service will consist of music by the Smiths and also the Rosenberger Sisters, Bernice and Betty, who broadcast over WFMD, Frederick, each Sunday morning, at 10:30 o'clock. The Rev. Wm. C. Wachter, of York, and former pastor, is the speaker for the afternoon service. We are expecting many of the old friends and members present for this day. The Memorial services will be held in the cemetery after the service at the church. Those who do not have cars to go to the cemetery a way will be provided. The public is invited to participate in these services.

About 16,000 airplane engines can be built yearly by the 13 American airplane engine manufacturers.

A USED CHEVROLET AS A GRADUATION GIFT.

Detroit, May 25—Parents puzzling over the question what to give the June graduate, may find the ideal answer this year in a good used car. This is the commencement-gift suggestion of W. E. Holler, general sales manager of Chevrolet, whose dealers handle the largest volume of used cars, as well as of new, of any organization in the world.

"In these days when personal transportation is all but indispensable, it is hard to conceive of any other gift so welcome as an automobile," Mr. Holler pointed out. "Its all-round utility is a constant reminder of the giver's thoughtfulness. Moreover, it lasts for a long, long time. It makes an ideal gift whether the car be new or used; in fact, judiciously selected used cars are the choice of more and more people who put real thought into their giving."

"Several factors have contributed to the elevation of the used car as a commodity in trade," Mr. Holler stated. "In the first place, new cars get better each year," he said. "Designs, materials, and production methods are constantly being improved, with the result that the car's useful life grows longer with each successive model year."

"In the second place, with the active cooperation of the dealers, there has been systematic effort on the part of such institutions as Chevrolet, to raise the standards of used car value by providing safeguards for the buyer."

HAPPY OCCASION CELEBRATED.

On Sunday, June 2, many friends called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Stonesifer, Emmitsburg, to extend birthday greetings to Mrs. Louisa Fuss, who was eighty-seven years old, "Aunt Louisa" as she is known, by her host of friends, has been confined to her room, through illness, but was sitting in her chair, very cheerful and bright, ready to receive all who came to see her, on this happy occasion. She received sixty birthday cards, fifteen handkerchiefs and quite a great many flowers.

There were five generations present at the home, that day, Mrs. Louisa Fuss, Mrs. Mahlon Stonesifer, Mrs. Scott McNair, Mrs. Lewis Kreitz and little David Kreitz. Other relatives and friends who called were Mrs. Carrie Fuss, Mr. and Mrs. Scott McNair and family, Mrs. Allen Bollinger and children, Mildred, Gladys and Eugene; Mrs. George Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell, Rev. Philip Bowler, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stonesifer and family, all of Emmitsburg; Mrs. Laura Riffe, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stonesifer and Elmer, of Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hockensmith and family, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers and family; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kreitz and family, Thurmont; Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd and family, of West Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yost and family, and Mrs. Yost, of Hanover; Mrs. Carrie Stultz and Evelyn Stultz, of Fairfield; Mr. Lewis Overholzer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Twisden, of Gettysburg.

Want to Rent a Duck?

A group of Austin, Texas, boys invented a new wrinkle in profiting from birds, according to the National Wildlife federation. These lads among them owned a number of tame ducks. The housewives of the neighborhood were having insect trouble in their gardens, so the boys rented the ducks at 50 cents apiece per day for the purpose of destroying the insects. The birds did a good job and everybody was satisfied.

FOX REUNION.

The 14th. annual Fox Reunion, for the descendants of Baltzer and Nancy Fogle Fox, was held Sunday, May 26, 1940, at Mt. Tabor Park, Rocky Ridge, Maryland.

All assembled in the Tabernacle for the program and business meeting. The following officers were re-elected to serve another year: President, Rev. John Ross Hays; Vice-President, Mr. Albert Wilhide; Secretary, Lillian E. Flanagan; Treasurer, Mr. Ernest W. Flanagan; Historian, Mr. J. Calvin Fox.

It was voted to meet the next time at the same place on the fourth Sunday in May, 1941. The feature of the day was the talk by the oldest member of the clan and Historian, Mr. J. Calvin Fox.

Our president, Rev. Mr. Hays, gave a very interesting talk on his work during the past year with the genealogy of our clan or family tree.

Among those present were: Mr. J. Calvin Fox, Thurmont; Rev. John Ross Hays, New Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Flanagan, daughter, Doris, son, Arthur Allen, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Flanagan, Lillian E. Flanagan, LeGore, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter K. Flanagan, Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Humerick, Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin, C. Wilson Franklin, Misses Mary and Leanna Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John Simmers, Thurmont; Mrs. L. H. Warner, daughter, Emily, sons Laurean Jr. and Joseph Warner, Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.; Charles Warner, Highfield, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feeser, sons, Audrey, Mehrle and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Deberry, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fox, Joseph Ohler, Mr. and Mrs. James Fox, Keymar, Md.; Mrs. Thomas C. Hays, James T. Hays, Jr., Margaret C. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Olinger, Charles Olinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Olinger, Doris Olinger, Emmitsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Emory A. Fox, grandsons Joe and Robert Fox, Gettysburg; Mr. George W. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gray, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Six, sons Audrey, George and Marlin, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Wetzel, daughter Dorothy, Mrs. Amy Long, Mrs. Sarah Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Troxell, Anna Lee Troxell, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fox, of Rocky Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. Austin Fox, daughter Betty; Mr. and Mrs. John Welty, Woodsboro; Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rhodes, daughter Catharine, Jefferson, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, Sparrows Point, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. George Fox, son Marshall, of Graecham, Md.; Mrs. John Phillips, York; Mrs. Bessie Harner, Misses Anna, Lillian and Ruby Harner, Mrs. Susan Harbaugh, Creagerstown, Md.; Miss Lucille Fisher, Loys, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Smith, Libertytown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin M. Clem, daughter, Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith, Miss Amy, Grace and Ada Frances Smith, Ray Smith, Ira Smith, Ralph Smith, Walkersville, Md.; Mr. David Smith, Frederick; Mr. Albert R. Smith, Bethesda; Mr. Robert Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Elmer Fox, Silver Spring, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cameron, Woodlawn, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilhide, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wachtell, Myersville, Md.; Mr. David Clifton Smith, Daysville, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speak, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Delaplane, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Delaplane, Waynesboro, Pa.; Mr. Frederick R. Darkis, Durham, North Carolina.

Bigger and Better Airports

At least 1,600 of the 1,900 airports in the United States today are too small or otherwise inadequate for the landing or take-off of the larger transcontinental airliners, declares Collier's.

Horn Throws Light On Indian Culture

New Facts About Ancient Hopewellians Found.

WASHINGTON.—New light on the art techniques of the mysterious Hopewell people, the Mound Builders of the Middle West, comes from the accidental discovery near Kansas City of an almost intact specimen of the instrument with which they made their intricate geometric and other designs on pottery.

It is a deer horn, with notches cut in its elliptical bottom, so that it constitutes a roulette. By "rolling" this over the unbaked clay vessel the Mound Builder artist was able to produce easily designs which would have been very difficult to make with a stamp.

The find was made by H. M. Trowbridge of Kansas City and sent to the Smithsonian institution, where it was welcomed by anthropologists as the solution of a problem over which there has been much controversy.

Dr. Waldo R. Wedel of the Smithsonian staff, using the instrument in the laboratory, was able to duplicate almost perfectly the style of decoration found on pottery fragments recovered from the Kansas City area. This is on the periphery of the Mound Builder territory. Very similar markings, however, are found on artifacts recovered from sites of the highest development of these people.

The Hopewell people represented in central North America the highest development of aboriginal civilization, comparable to that of the Maya in Yucatan and the Aztecs around Mexico City, although probably not so far advanced. Unlike the others, however, all traces of them are prehistoric. The Mayas, the Aztecs, and the pueblo builders of the Southwest were flourishing when the white man came, and their

descendants in the direct line are still living.

But nobody knows what became of the Hopewellians. There are not even any Indian legends about them. It is highly unlikely that they disappeared without a trace. They must be represented in the ancestry of some living tribes. All efforts to connect their culture with that of any extant people, however, have ended in failure.

Coffee Planting Unique

As Agricultural Process

Coffee plantations are interesting places, especially to Americans who are accustomed to seeing only American-style production of ordinary agricultural crops. Coffee seeds are thickly sown in carefully prepared beds. The seeds sprout in about 40 days, showing two small leaves. The plants then are transferred to the nursery plots in rows about a foot apart. During two years in the nursery the plants grow about two feet. Then they are ready for transplanting into permanent holes.

When the roots take hold firmly in their new location, the young trees are bent over and clamped to the ground by forked pins. This breaks the skin or bark some eight or ten inches from the ground. From these breaks many little sprouts shoot upward. As soon as the healthy ones can be distinguished they are pruned down to four. This process makes for bushy trees.

About five years later the trees are ready to produce. In the mean time the soil must be kept clean and the shade trees at a correct foliage density. The grown coffee tree is about eight feet high, and will last 30 to 40 years if cared for properly. All soil maintenance is by hand with hoes and machetes. Plows are taboo because they aid soil erosion.

The coffee bean when ripe is red, and if of good grade half an inch in diameter. The trees resemble cherry trees in good seasons.

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Ann Page OLIVE OIL, 3-oz. bot. 17c; 8-oz. can 29c
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Shredded RALSTON, Bite Size, pkg. 13c

Pound CAKES, Assorted Icing, Jane Parker, each 29c
Soft Twist A&P BREAD, 18-oz. loaf 9c
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Iona CUT BEETS, 2 no. 2 cans 17c
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Ann Page BEANS, With Pork in Tomato Sauce, 2 16-oz. cans 11c
Butter Crumb CAKES, Jane Parker, each, 15c
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NECTAR TEA, Orange Pekoe, 1-lb. pkg. 15c; 1/2-lb. pkg. 29c
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All other Fraternities and organizations are invited to use this directory, for the public information it carries. Cost for one year, only \$1.50.

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Taneytown, Md.

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Window Service Closes 6:00 P. M.
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MAILS CLOSE

Star Route, Hanover, North 8:00 A. M.
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Star Route, Hanover, North 2:05 P. M.
Star Route, Frederick, South 4:00 P. M.
Star Route, Hanover, North 6:00 P. M.
Taneytown-Keymar Route No. 1-M 8:00 A. M.
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Train, Frederick, South 2:30 P. M.
Star Route, Hanover, North 6:00 P. M.
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Holidays for Rural Carriers are, New Year's Day; Washington's birthday; Memorial Day, May 30; July 4; Labor Day, 1st. Monday in Sept.; Armistice Day, November 11; Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas, when a holiday falls on Sunday, the following Monday is observed.

Number of U. S. Farms Has Tripled Since 1860

Since 1860 the number of farms in this country has more than tripled. But the size of the average farm has steadily decreased; as population grew, farms were subdivided. In 1860, according to census figures and estimates compiled by the Farm Security Administration, about 10 per cent of the country's farms were of less than 20 acres, but today, 18 per cent are of less than 20 acres. Today, nearly 40 per cent are less than 50 acres.

The problem of the too-small farm has been intensified in recent years. It was less serious as long as the expansion of industry continued to absorb millions of people from farms. But with a shortage of jobs in the cities, beginning with the 1929 depression, too many farm people, who would ordinarily have migrated to urban areas, have had to remain in rural areas.

Meanwhile the productivity of millions of acres of farm land has been impaired by erosion and wasteful farming; drouth has routed many families from their land. Areas still being cultivated are too poor to support adequately the present population, much less a growing population. Mechanization has displaced many former hired hands from the rich lands who, if they are going to continue farming, must add to the millions competing for and subdividing the remaining small farms in poorer areas.

U. S. Volcanic Activity Limited to California

Though there is considerable volcanic activity in Alaska, the United States proper has only one active volcano, and that one has been reasonably quiet for most of the last quarter century. At Lassen Volcanic National park, in California, says the National Geographic society, visitors go to see fantastic lava fields, boiling springs, ruined forests and Lassen peak itself, reaching 10,453 feet skyward.

It was in the spring of 1914 that Lassen, after some 200 years of good behavior, began a series of eruptions climaxed in May, 1915. Then a giant mushroom-shaped cloud thrust upward four miles over the volcano and was seen as far away as the Sacramento valley. Fireworks-like flashes illuminated the night, and blasts of hot gasses, pouring out of the mountain, turned snowy slopes into torrential rivers that drowned meadows, split boulders and uprooted trees in miles of devastation. Named for Peter Lassen, one of John C. Fremont's guides in the growing days of the republic, Lassen peak is a "dormant" volcano. Scientists estimate that the next outburst may come about 1980.

Disease Catching Ages

The acute communicable diseases have always been a matter of considerable concern to school authorities because of the relatively high incidence of these diseases in children of school age. More than 50 per cent of the reported cases of four of the common communicable diseases—scarlet fever, whooping cough, measles and diphtheria—occur between the ages of 5 and 14 years, writes Dr. Ernest L. Stebbins in the New York State Journal of Medicine. With the tendency toward concentration of educational facilities into larger units, it has been assumed that there has been an increase in the opportunity for exposure to infection. Fortunately, effective control measures have been developed for one of these diseases which has more than offset the greater possibilities of exposure, and there has been a consistent decrease in the incidence and mortality from diphtheria in the school age group as well as in younger children.

Indian Battle Site Marked

Among the interesting features of the Lava Beds National monument in California are the battlefields of the Modoc war, fought in 1872-73. These include "the stronghold," where may be plainly seen numerous cracks, ridges and knobs utilized by Captain Jack and his band of Indians in defending their position against United States troops. Not more than 53 Modoc warriors are estimated to have represented the resources of the Indians. These fighting men of the tribe protected the remainder in the area against 530 soldiers. Although they escaped unharmed from the stronghold through a crevice left unguarded during the movement of the troops, the Indians were later brought to terms.

Prize Fish Story

Abner Roe, a prominent Isaac Walton of Washington, D. C., has verification for the prize fish story of the year. Bass casting on the Potomac river, Roe was frequently annoyed because his line was snubbing on subsurface roots and other obstructions. One especially vigorous cast placed the plug close to shore. As Roe attempted to reel in, the line grew taut. He had hooked a redhead duck through the fleshy part of the wing. The bird had been crippled and was unable to fly. Next season, Roe says he's going to take his rod and reel with him when he goes duck hunting. "If I can't shoot 'em, I can hook 'em," he believes.

THE MIND READER

By PHYLLIS GALLAGHER
McClure Syndicate—WNU Service.

JEANNE rested her auburn curls against the chair back and closed her lovely jaded eyes. In a moment Jim Chamberlain would return to the observation platform with the cigarettes and she would tell him something that would—startle him!

With her eyes closed like that the memory of the last six days, the happiest of all her eighteen years, swept through her mind with the clarity of the swiftly passing scenery to an open gaze: Great, bronzed Jim Chamberlain playing a magnificent center for Navy; an exchange of glances in the crystal reflected whiteness that is the Edgewater hotel's dining room; the rich quality of Jim's voice, when he had dared to speak without an introduction, that suited the black eyes and the dark hair with its not-too-damaging wave; the last night of Jim's special leave, when he had said, "I dread tomorrow . . . leaving you. It's strange how a fellow can care so much in so short a time." Then she had laughed, "But, Jim, I'm leaving Chicago tomorrow, too . . . on your train! You see . . . I . . . live in Washington."

Jim had snapped his slender fingers and his eyes had sparkled. "Can you beat that! But how was I to know? . . . You've told me so little about yourself. Imagine having you close enough for week-end hops . . . until I get my commission. That's June, dear . . . this June! A midshipman can't marry but an ensign can . . . that's if his girl will have him!"

Was it her heart beating at that memory or the train's wheels, clicking off miles to the East, that sent the blood pulsing jerkily in her temples? "You wouldn't go to sleep, would you, Jeanne?"

Jim slouched to the chair at her side and proffered a cigarette case. "Now, what's this so important thing you were going to tell me?" Jeanne pulled the raccoon coat close about her throat and looked into Jim's bright gaze.

"I'm . . . a mind reader, Jim," she said, seriously.

"Wha-at?"

The cigarette case almost dropped from his fingers.

"Don't tell me you wear a turkish towel around your head and sit in a tent with a fish-bowl upside down to gaze in!"

He didn't believe her. His first shock had melted into a gaminisque grin.

So Jeanne said, with all the dignity she could muster, "But I am, Jim! I can prove it by telling you that you're an only son, that you're twenty-one, that you almost missed getting into the Naval academy on account of your front tooth which you cracked sledding, that . . ."

The grin faded, but not entirely.

"Aw-w, cut it! You've been reading football stuff! Don't you suppose, woman, that I could spot a mind reader if I met one? They look . . . greasy!"

He glanced swiftly at the slim legs and the silk skirt that flowed as close as water over graceful knees.

"But they wear gobs of petticoats, too! But say! . . . if you are a mind reader tell me what I'm thinking this minute . . . no blushing allowed!"

He thrust his handsome amused face under her grave one.

"Jim, I'm not fooling!"

"I know!" he drew back. "You can't read my mind unless you go into a trance and foam at the mouth. All right then, tell me something out of my past . . . not the stereotyped newspaper drivel of how the Navy would sink without me!"

Jeanne bit her lower lip.

"You like blackberry pies best of everything to eat," she said, her pale cheek half averted. "You loved a girl named . . . Janice Klinge, I think, when you were in grammar school and you shot her in the face with a water pistol when you dropped a box of candy in her lap for her birthday, on account of your bashfulness . . . then, you had a toy boat you used to sail in the bathtub at Pudge Wilson's house and when you pulled a string the boat would blow up in a hundred pieces. And when Pudge Wilson's little sister would cry because you wouldn't let her put it back together again, you would say, 'Beat it, beat it . . . beat it!'"

Jim's eyes magnified with surprise.

"Saa-y! Are you a mind reader . . . really?"

The jade eyes met his stare, unflinchingly.

"Yes, Jim . . . really."

Jim moved away as if suddenly afraid of her.

"It's swell . . . to be a fortune teller," he said. "Takes talent . . . and gosh! . . . think of all the tips on the races and things. But having a wife who could read your mind . . . why! . . . why, it would make a fellow feel like he was walking through the streets in his shorts."

Jeanne's eyes were screwed into a tangle of long lashes. "Were you thinking of marrying a mind reader, Jim?"

"You're asking ME!"

His lower lip protruded in disgust.

"That is a laugh! Why don't you tell me . . . you're the fortune-teller!"

"All right, I will!" she said, with a decidedly professional air.

"You are thinking of marrying one but right now you're wondering how it will work out when she can see into your thinking processes! But you love her, Jim, and you're going to ask her to marry you . . . June week. I'm not saying that she'll accept! She's the type of girl who expects to be loved . . . even if she has smallpox . . . or can read minds!"

Jim's brows darted together and he reached for her slim, gloved hand.

"You're right, Jeanne. I do love you. I do want you to marry me . . . June week. You've got to accept . . . darling."

A third voice came from the Pullman door and Midshipman Pudge Wilson spoke above the grinding of the wheels. "Nice work, Chamberlain! Technique! And all that sort of thing. You need nothing but that Gable ogle and a dash of Ben Blue in the hand movement!"

And then to Jeanne, whose face was deepening to the color of her rouged lips: "Say, sis, Jim would make a heck of a husband! . . . he bites the buttons off his shirts to keep his teeth sharp!"

Then he was gone.

Jim rose to his impressive six feet, his lips drawn in a fine line. "YOU . . . Pudge Wilson's sister!" he said, coolly. "And Pudge spouting ever since Plebe year what a conceited, stuffed-duck, ego-blomp of a bust you thought I was! You just made a play for me at Edgewater hotel when I didn't recognize you . . . all slick as a peeled egg out of finishing school. You didn't care for me at all . . . everything you said that night and since were just lies . . . like this mind-reading bunk . . . just to make a sap of me!"

Jeanne was on her feet, her nervous little fingers tugging at the brilliant brass of his buttons.

"I did it on purpose," she confessed, lifting appealing eyes to his angry ones.

"I made Pudge stay in the background, too, when you visited me at Aunt Matilda's. He would pop out now and spoil the fun of telling you myself. That's Pudge . . . the bum!"

Jim turned a disinterested profile, but Jeanne went on: "I didn't do this to make a sap of you, Jim, but to get even with you for all the years you called me 'brat,' for all the years you looked right smack at me and through me when I was languishing at your feet and sleeping with your picture under my pillow! No wonder you didn't recognize Pudge's freckled, red-headed brat of a kid sister! . . . you hadn't seen me before! Why, Jim Chamberlain . . . I . . . I was raised on loving you!"

"Jeanne! You . . . you brat!" he said, tenderly, and his arms caught her to him until the brass buttons hurt against her breast. There were ways . . . and ways . . . she thought, vaguely, beneath his kiss . . . of being called "brat."

Historic Spots of South Will Become Memorials

MEMPHIS—The forts and battlefields where thousands of Southerners died during the Civil war may be turned into a series of parks and memorials throughout the Mississippi valley.

F. Marion Rust, superintendent of the Dr. Thomas Walker park at Harboursville, Ky., has started to get various sites in the area interested in the projects.

"Eastern seaboard states long ago developed their historic spots," Rust said. "By doing that, they added an important source of wealth and deepened the interest of tourists. But states along the Mississippi have been negligent."

Rust told of a trip down the Mississippi, looking for Civil war battle sites.

"At Island No. 10, where a really great battle was fought, little or nothing of the once vast earthworks could be found," he said. "At Fort Pillow, Tenn., however, an immense fortification still was intact."

"Most interesting point was at Fort Wright near Randolph, Tenn., where the earthworks are almost intact and in good condition. The underground brick, double-barrel powder magazine, probably the only one left in the country, and the great military cistern built by Confederate troops to guard against possible water shortage, still are in fairly good repair."

"The Fort Wright area would lend itself to a beautiful memorial park," he said.

Rust believes that at least two more battlefields in the vicinity of Vicksburg, Miss., should be memorialized in connection with the military park there. These two, he said, would be Haynes Bluff on the Mississippi where Gen. William T. Sherman had his forces cut to pieces and Champion Hill where Pemberton lost to the Federal army.

"The old town of Port Hudson, La., is no more," Rust said. "But from maps, we found actual gun positions. That nothing has been done to memorialize the ruins there is almost unbelievable."

Seventy-Three Years of Taxes

B. C. Lancaster, 93, recently paid taxes for the seventy-third consecutive year on a farm near Sterrett, Texas. He has been a resident of Ellis county since his arrival in 1854 in a covered wagon. At the close of the Civil war, he borrowed money from his father, purchased the Sterrett farm and has owned it since.

Tobacco Auctioneers May Chant 'Swan Song'

The colorful sing-song chant of the tobacco auctioneer soon may be a thing of the past in the tobacco-growing Southland. The chant may soon become a "swan song."

For more than a hundred years the high-pitched unintelligible chatter of the auctioneer has been closely associated with the auction of tobacco. The high speed developed by these auctioneers has enabled them to cut down to 10 seconds the average selling time required for a pile of tobacco.

But recent changes in auctioneering methods proposed by agricultural leaders would put tobacco selling on a streamline basis by inauguration of "block selling."

Despite the fact that it has grown from a comparatively insignificant crop to one with a farm value of \$300,000,000 annually in the United States, leaf tobacco has been sold by the present auction system since early in the Eighteenth century. Virtually all of the domestic crop is sold that way now.

W. P. Hedrick, chief marketing specialist of the North Carolina department of agriculture, has revealed that in addition to experiments in block selling that have been undertaken recently, other innovations that may change the auction system include federal inspection service and daily government crop reports.

The experiments in block selling grew out of the inauguration of tobacco inspection services in 1929.

Under this scheme, and with funds provided by the government, tobacco-grading experts were allotted to various markets throughout the South. These experts examined each pile of tobacco carefully before the sale, tagging each pile according to its grade, of which there are approximately 70 different classifications under the government grading system. Then the grower, armed with a government report giving the average price which each grade brought during the corresponding week of the previous season, could know exactly what price his tobacco should bring.

Thus the federal inspection service, coupled with daily market price reports, gave growers a check on tobacco prices.

Cactus-Phonograph Needles

Cactus needles are used largely for phonograph needles. They are also used by colleges and experimental stations in the Southwest as substitutes for laboratory dissecting needles.

Old Maidish, Perhaps

Unlike most other rattlesnakes which may strike from any sort of coil, the diamond-back always strikes from a perfectly round and graceful loop.

Saved by a Mirror

Saved by a mirror. That is the report of a barber and a customer after an irate bull invaded a barber shop in Varese, Italy, while on its way to market. When the snorting and bellowing animal appeared the barber was shaving the customer and both men fled. Seeing its reflection in the mirror, the bull lowered its horns and charged. The entire shop was wrecked before the dazed and angry beast was captured.

Glass Ventilators

Glass ventilators have an important place in every room in the house, bringing comfort and tending to preserve the health of the occupants. These inconspicuous protectors are readily attached and reasonably priced. They permit the passage of sufficient air without drafts, save wear and tear on curtains as well as reducing laundry expense.

Crossword Puzzle

No. 14

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(Solution in Next Issue)

HORIZONTAL

- Knock
- Faith
- Small tag
- Cuckoo
- More mature
- Frozen water
- Planned
- Plowed
- Recompense
- Classify
- Twirl
- Perform
- Foe
- To steer
- Mountain lake
- Let fall
- Conjunction
- Grieves
- Home of Abraham
- Pertaining to the ear
- Fatigue
- Employ
- Tone of voice
- Printer's measure
- God of war
- Rids
- Mass of metal
- Parts of play
- Poorest
- Pronoun
- Genuflect
- Formerly of the
- French
- Twilled cloth
- A color

VERTICAL

- Male sheep
- Collection of facts
- Variety of apple
- Playing card
- Liberate
- Above
- Bristle
- Band
- Farmer
- Hair's breadth
- Piece of furniture
- Kitchen utensil
- Grants use of
- Wagon (pl.)
- Dart (coll.)
- Turkish government
- Small lance
- Rodent
- Belgian city
- Preposition
- A rule
- Contemn
- Pronoun
- Deduces
- Pressing
- Stems
- Atmosphere
- Slave
- Wan
- Turf (coll.)
- Hint
- Supplicate
- Ocean
- A number
- Comparative ending

Puzzle No. 13 Solved

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Famous Idaho Potato

Has 'Romantic' History

It's just potatoes and gravy on a million dinner tables, the world around, but the story of the Idaho Russet's discovery and development is as romantic as that of a scientific invention.

It was in 1884 when the first settlers entered the Egin bench of eastern Idaho that far-sighted farmers sought a product for the volcanic soil, a pioneer woman related recently in Boise, the state capital. The woman, who prefers to be known only as Mrs. "E. M. W.," was the daughter of one of the first settlers.

Mrs. W. told of entering the Upper Snake river country while Indians still roamed the prairies. "At that time," she said, "we were raising the Early Rose, Early Ohio and a few Goodrich potatoes which, although they produced well, would not keep."

Faced with an unmarketable product, her brother vowed he was "going to find something to make a good crop—one that would stay without a flaw." In the course of events a new family came to the community. They were Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Barnes and children.

Barnes brought a new potato which he called the English Russet. The brother heard about the new potato and went to see if he could buy a few for seed. Barnes shrugged his shoulders and said he didn't know if there was a peck in the whole pit that would grow.

But Mrs. W. and her brother sorted through the whole pit. When finished they had a peck and a half. Barnes gave them the entire lot for their efforts.

The next day they planted most of them in part of a 10-acre plot, after eating a few.

The potatoes seemed particularly suited to the volcanic ash soil and the eastern Idaho climate. Within two years, the family which had grubbed the seeds from an apparently worthless heap had enough to plant all their land and sell to neighbors.

It was from this meager beginning, Mrs. "E. M. W." said, that Idaho's Russet potato industry sprang.

'Cribbing' for Exams

Launches a Career

A bit of old-fashioned cribbing on spelling tests when he was in grade school launched Larry Anderson of Irwin, Pa., on his career as one of America's outstanding penmen.

When a boy, Anderson could write a dozen words on his thumbnail before time to make daily recitation. The letters were so small that the teacher could not read them.

That was how Anderson discovered that he had "microscopic" eyes.

With the aid of a magnifying glass he can write on a grain of rice, or salt, a hair, or the edge of playing cards. He can engrave the Lord's Prayer on the head of a pin and point out the names of 28 states on the portico of the Lincoln Memorial reproduced on a \$5 bill. Anderson, 32 years old, a furloughed railroad worker, explains it this way:

"Ordinarily, I see like other folks. But when I'm writing fine characters, my eyes change focus so that I can see words others can't. I don't even wear glasses."

A specialty of Anderson's is engraving names on watches. He has done such work for King George VI and Queen Elizabeth of England and for President Roosevelt.

Modern Plumber's Education

The ability to bring the right tools and to cope with an emergency now and then is not sufficient to be a good plumber, according to the U. S. office of education, Washington, D. C. The day of the "handy man" plumber is past, the office reports, and today an efficient plumber must have "an elementary knowledge of bacteriology, chemistry, physics, mathematics and drawing as they apply to the plumbing trade." In addition to this knowledge the plumber should also "know something about the history and organization of the plumbing trade, plan reading, plumbing materials, fixtures and appliances, care and use of tools and equipment, safety and accident prevention, plumbing laws and the business aspects of plumbing." The office of education, which has made a study of the plumbing business, says that "the industry regrets the ease with which it has been possible in the past for an individual to 'break in' to the trade by working for a master plumber for a brief period and then going into the plumbing business for himself."

Elephant Collection

Dr. Leland M. Corliss of West Paris, Maine, has nearly 800 elephants—not live ones, but small models. His collection contains elephants, no two alike, from all corners of the world. The statues clutter the library, dining room, office and reception room. Corliss can't explain how he began his hobby, but says it has been stimulated by the fact that he studied at Tufts college, Medford, Mass., where there is the stuffed hide of P. T. Barnum's Jumbo, the world's largest elephant. Besides model elephants, Corliss has elephants on his candlesticks, door stops, book ends, playing cards, ash trays, compass and dozens of other articles.

Dry Ice a Sideline

Carbon dioxide specifically manufactured for the purpose was once the source of dry ice. Today, however, at least 85 per cent of dry ice is made from by-product carbon dioxide produced in fermentation and other processes.

Accidental Protection

Spikes on desert plants, such as cacti, were not, as generally believed, intended for protection. They are modifications of leaves and stems which resulted from adaptation of climatic conditions.

Shaum's Specials

3 Cans Campbell's Tomato Soup	25c
3 No. 2 1/2 Cans Tomato Juice	25c
3 Cans Tall Pet Milk	20c
2 No. 2 1/2 Cans Sliced Peaches	35c
2 No. 2 1/2 Cans Sliced Pineapple	35c
2 1b Can Maxwell House Coffee	48c
2 Bxs Mother's Oats, quick or reg	19c
3 Cans Campbell's Pork and Beans	21c
3 No. 2 1/2 Cans Happy Family Pork and Beans	25c
3 1b Can Spry or Crisco	49c
2 Cans Brier Rabbit Baking Molasses	27c
12 1b Bag Gold Medal or Pillsbury Flour	51c
2 Boxes Wheaties	23c
2 Boxes Korn Kix	23c
2 Boxes Puffed Wheat	15c
3 Boxes Morton's Iodize Salt	20c
1 1b pkg Marshmallows	10c
2 14 oz. Bottles Red Glo Catsup	19c
10 lbs Sugar	47c
3 Boxes XXXX Sugar	20c
3 Boxes Jello	14c
2 1lb pkgs Our Own Coffee	25c
1 1b Norwood Coffee	24c
2 lbs Fresh Bologna	35c
2 lbs Fig Bars	19c
3 lbs New Cabbage	10c
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SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Western Maryland College Senatorial Scholarship (Male)

A competitive examination will be held on Friday, June 21, at 9:00 A. M., in the Westminster High School for the Senatorial scholarship (male) to Western Maryland College. The examination will include English composition and grammar, literature, mathematics, science, and history.

Applicants are requested to send their names to the office of the Board of Education on or before this date. Winner of scholarship must meet requirements for certification to college.

The following district scholarships (tuition) to Western Maryland College are vacant and students interested are requested to make application to the Board of Education.

- Myers—2.
- Woolerys—1.
- Freedom—2.
- Westminster—1.
- Franklin—2.
- Middleburg—2.
- New Windsor—1.
- Mt. Airy—1.

The Maryland College for Women, Lutherville, offers a \$20.00 scholarship. Applicants are requested to write to the Board of Education.

W. ROY POOL, President.
R. S. HYSON, Secretary.
6-7-27

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