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## VICTOR MURDOCK AGAIN AN EDITOR

Sane and Adjectiveless Society Page One Feature.

### NOTHING FLUFFY FOR HIM.

After Retirement From Congress Bull Moose Leader Returns to Home in Wichita, Kan.—Makes Known Views on How to Run a Paper—Will Publish Names of Passengers on Train.

Washington. — Victor Murdock of Kansas, who has just retired from congress, has begun the job of editing his Wichita newspaper.

Mr. Murdock, after twelve years in congress, is bulging with ideas how to run a newspaper. He intends to introduce what he describes as a "sane and adjectiveless society page."

He is going to be a bear on Washington news and will print one page in big type, the "easy to read" kind, pleasing alike to the old, the near-sighted and the tired business man who wants to skim over his paper in a hurry. A page that a man can read at arm's length is his big idea.

He will also run a Saturday review of the stories and articles in the weekly and monthly periodical press.

Editor Murdock will insist on brevity in editorial expression. He may have trouble in fastening some of his ideas on those who have been running his Wichita newspaper, but whatever else happens he will fight to the end for his "safe and adjectiveless" society page.

If ex-representative Murdock has his way about it there will be, he says, no more items in the Wichita Eagle reading like this:

"The beautiful and charming Mrs. Wilberforce Dustin-Rocks gave a delightful dinner party last evening to a select party of friends. The hostess was becomingly attired in a Paris gown of exquisite satin trimmed in gold lace. The house was profusely decorated with beautiful cut flowers and trailing evergreens."

This item appearing as Mr. Murdock will have it written will run this way:

"Mrs. Wilberforce Dustin-Rocks entertained a party of friends at dinner last evening. Only a few guests were invited."

Editor Murdock would leave something to the imagination of the reader. According to the Hon. Vic, any fool reader would assume that Mrs. Dustin-Rocks was dressed "to kill," that flowers were on the premises of the Dustin-Rocks and that the affair was entirely pleasant all around.

"I don't know whether I'll be able to get by with that same society column stunt," said Mr. Murdock, "but it ought to be done. I get tired of reading those duffy society notes in the newspapers."

Mr. Murdock has another idea. A transcontinental train passes through Wichita once a day.

"My idea," said he with enthusiasm, "is to print the names of the Pullman passengers on said train. How many times has the average fellow looked through a Pullman window and wondered if he knew anybody inside. I believe I could make a distinctive feature of this with a heading something like this:

"They passed through Wichita today for the west coast."

### CHILD A MUSICAL PRODIGY.

Plays Classical and Popular Pieces, but Never Had a Lesson.

Marquette, Mich.—Marquette is believed to have a musical prodigy in the person of Theresa Mahoney, four-year-old daughter of John L. Mahoney and a pupil in the kindergarten of the Olcott school. The other day before her school teacher, a Marquette music teacher and a small assemblage she performed the remarkable feat of playing with ease and expression the airs of several classical and popular selections. As she has never had a day's instruction her performance on the piano was the cause of much astonishment.

The child's playing is not that of the usual child with musical instinct who picks out the air with but one finger. She uses all five fingers of the right hand, and when playing rarely glances at the keyboard. One person present merely hummed an air and the youngster played it without glancing at the keyboard of the piano.

Private Wedding in Bank Vault. Houston, Tex.—In haste to be wedded in order to catch a train, the Rev. J. E. Jones of Spur, Tex., located his friend, the Rev. Mr. Williams of the Star of Hope mission of this city, at a local bank and was married by him to Miss Edna Caraway. The ceremony was performed in the safety deposit vault of the bank to insure privacy.

## CALLS MEETING OF AMERICAN BANKERS

Promotion of South American Trade Object of Gathering.

Washington. — Announcement was made by Secretary McAdoo that President Wilson had set May 10 for the projected conference between leading bankers of the United States and the finance ministers and influential bankers of Central and South America. The meetings will be held in Washington, and the visitors will be entertained as the guests of this government, congress having appropriated \$50,000 for the expenses.

This meeting will be the outcome of the most serious effort yet made to remove some of the artificial barriers which have obstructed the movement of trade between this country and South America. Some of these difficulties were considered at a less formal conference held in this city last summer. At that time it was the consensus of opinion of the South American authorities that the great barrier to closer business relations between the United States and the countries below the isthmus was the lack of banking connections. So long as the South Americans had to look to Europe for capital, it was asserted, the United States could not expect to capture any large share of business.

The European war brought a right-about change in this situation, making it impossible for Great Britain, France or Germany to furnish new funds, and coincidentally United States national banks received permission under the federal reserve act to open foreign branches. For this reason great importance is attached to the approaching conference.

At the request of Secretary Bryan and Secretary McAdoo congress passed a resolution granting authority to the president to invite the governments of Central and South America to send their ministers of finance and leading bankers to a joint conference with the secretary of the treasury and representative bankers with a view to establishing closer and more satisfactory financial relations. The leading governments already had been approached on this subject and had indicated their willingness to participate in such a meeting.

### MINIMUM WAGE IS \$9.50.

Wisconsin Investigation Shows What It Costs Girls to Live.

Madison, Wis.—The industrial commission, as a result of an investigation under the women's minimum wage act, has collected figures which show that the lowest wage on which a woman worker can properly maintain herself in Milwaukee and other places in Wisconsin is \$9.50 per week. Its conclusion on this point says:

Taking \$6.50 as the lowest market price at which a proper standard of room and board can be secured in Milwaukee and adding the estimated amount for other basic necessities, \$3 the total allowance for a week would be \$9.50, distributed as follows:

Board and room.....	\$6.50
Clothing.....	1.50
Laundry.....	.40
Dentist.....	.20
Car fare.....	.50
Total.....	\$9.50

"The above estimate does not include anything for sickness or emergencies, insurance premiums or savings, recreation or vacation expenses. It allows only for bare necessities," says the report.

It was the standard of living described above that the minimum wage law was aimed to put within reach of women workers. To ascertain the wage necessary to maintain it the commission, with a staff of investigators, covered forty cities and 448 establishments employing 23,137 women, or about half the total number employed in the state. There was also an investigation of the cost of standard articles of food and clothing, such as are most frequently used.

### WILLS FORTUNE WITH DOG.

Children to Get Rich Man's Estate if They Will Take Care of Puppy.

Roseburg, Ore.—"I hereby bequeath my entire estate, consisting of money in banks and property, to the children of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nichols of Riddle, with the understanding that they are to care for my dog puppy as long as it lives," was the essential part of a will filed by James Rice of Riddle in the probate court here.

Mr. Rice has lived in southern Douglas county for many years and is a great admirer of the Nichols children. Recently he decided that they should have his property and money following his death. The puppy of which Mr. Rice speaks in his will has been his constant companion for several months.

## JAPAN ALSO HAS MONROE DOCTRINE

Shuster Discusses Her Attitude Toward Eastern Questions.

### DOESN'T WANT PHILIPPINES

Says Views Are Identical With Those Expressed by President Monroe. They Have Become Crystallized in Past Few Years and Began Immediately Following War With Russia.

Washington.—In testifying before the senate Philippines committee on the Jones bill providing for the ultimate independence of the Philippine Islands, W. Morgan Shuster remarked that the attitude of Japan toward far eastern questions was consistent with a well defined Monroe doctrine of its own. The phrase has attracted considerable attention. For that reason Mr. Shuster, who occupied for nearly nine years important government posts in the Philippines and later served as treasurer general of Persia, was asked to explain the phrase.

"In many respects Japan's attitude toward her sphere of influence in the far east and our policy as expressed by President Monroe are identical," said Mr. Shuster. "Both countries are very much in earnest in enforcing these policies."

"Japan's Monroe doctrine, as it may be called, has taken form within the past few years. It dates, I should say, from the close of the war with Russia, scarcely earlier. As a result of this conflict Japan greatly widened her political horizon. Her victory over Russia made her more assertive and confident of her power to exercise a decisive influence over the general region within which lie the Philippines.

"Japan is today without question the first power in the orient. She dominates the far east much as the United States because of its wealth, size and power occupies the first place on the American continent. And, like the Americans, the Japanese are a very high spirited people. They have a pride of their own."

"Any encroachment upon this sphere by foreign powers would arouse much the same spirit of distrust or resentment as we should feel at a similar encroachment in the western hemisphere. I have no doubt that Japan would back up her Monroe doctrine should affairs reach an issue exactly as we should back up our own policy."

"Public opinion in Japan, as in the United States, is opposed to any plan for Japan's colonizing the Philippines. The Japanese have no more idea of raising their flag in the Philippines, for instance, than we have of colonizing the Central or South American republics. The Japanese have experimented with colonial empires in Formosa and Korea, and they do not care to extend the experiment."

"The Japanese employ scientific methods in their political plans, and they have carefully investigated the question of colonizing in the tropics and have decided against it. At the time when it seemed possible that the United States would part with the Philippines the Japanese sent their scientists to these islands to determine if they were suited for settlement and development by Japanese. The world recognizes that the Japanese do excellent research work. The Japanese scientists decided that the Philippine Islands did not offer the proper climatic conditions for colonizing, and the Japanese government and the people trust their scientists."

"Still another point common both to our own Monroe doctrine and the attitude of Japan may be found in the attitude toward the governments within the spheres of influence. We Americans are friendly to the small republics to the southward and so is Japan to the existing states in the far east. She would welcome a republic in the Philippines, for instance, because it would be neutral. It would not serve as an entering wedge for some aggressive world power. She would encourage such a government exactly as we encourage the continuance and independence of the republics of Central and South America."

St. Johns, Me.—Jonas Leik and his sons, James, make a notable excavation on their farm in Westphalia this spring, in the hope of unearthing the skeleton of a mastodon believed to be buried in some low ground. They turned up a mastodon's tooth while digging a ditch last May, and the Museum of Natural History of New York has asked that the tooth, which is a fine specimen, be sent on for examination. If it is well preserved \$500 will be paid, although the sum may be scaled down as low as \$50, depending on its condition.

## BERLIN VACANT LOTS ARE POTATO PATCHES

Women of Nobility Aid in Raising All Kinds of Vegetables.

Berlin.—Governor Pingree's potato patch plan, tried by the Michigan governor many years ago, is being copied in Berlin, where a movement, supported by many women of high position, to utilize all available garden plots and vacant land in greater Berlin as truck farms for the immediate raising of vegetables has been set on foot. It is the consensus of opinion that the present war requires some such step.

To accomplish this purpose it is proposed to enlist the aid of all available truck farmers and agricultural experts and to get them to give instruction in vegetable raising and as far as possible assist in the actual work. It is expected that it will not be difficult to interest women in large numbers to carry on the work of feeding the people.

Women willing to assist, it is proposed, will first take a short free course at the Royal Gardening institute. The installation and preparation of courses are in the hands of the war committee on vegetable raising. Interested in the movement are such women as the wife of the minister of war, Frau Wild von Hohenborn; Countess von Brockdorff, the empress' chief lady in waiting; Fraulein von Gersdorff and Frau von Boetticher, the widow of the late minister of state.

Berlin is the scene at this time of numerous meetings, largely attended by women of every class, at which ways and means of more economical living are discussed by prominent physicians.

The women are being urged to cut down the consumption of meat by at least 15 per cent and to resort more to the use of milk. The women are asked to think of the men in the field and the hardships they have to endure, if economy in eating seems to be too difficult.

### OPPOSES TAUNTING GERMANS.

Bishop of Calcutta Would Recognize Foe's Bravery.

London.—Considerable comment has been caused here because the bishop of Calcutta, Dr. Lefroy, has aligned himself with the archbishop of York in advocating recognition among the English people of the qualities of bravery displayed by the sailors and soldiers of Germany, who, for a time at least, were belittled in the public prints and by public men generally.

Dr. Lefroy in a sermon preached recently made some warm comments on the British press, especially on the comic papers, which, he said, "indulge continually in taunt, ridicule and sneer." He stated that in his opinion the "terrible spirit of Prussian militarism, which has involved us in this conflict, must be utterly broken," but he added that to secure eventually a firm and lasting peace the bitterness engendered by abuse of the enemy must be replaced by a broad and Christian appreciation of German and Austrian virtues.

"We deeply need, if we are in any sense to be true to him," he concluded, "to be more earnest in cultivating the temper, spirit and habit of mind of the Prince of Peace."

### GOATS AS FIRE FIGHTERS.

Herd of 4,000 to Help Uncle Sam Keep Fire Breaks Open.

San Francisco.—Give a goat a chance and he makes a first class fire fighter. In recognition of his efficiency the United States forest service announces that the secretary of agriculture has just authorized the free grazing of 4,000 goats in the national reserves of California, together with a bonus to their owners for handling them.

Cutting wide trails known as fire breaks, across which brush fires can not jump, is a standard method of fire prevention. The trouble is that each year there recurs at heavy cost the problem of cleaning out the trails. Turn loose a herd of hungry goats—and a goat is always hungry—and they soon will crop the undergrowth short and clean.

### TO OBSERVE RIPE OLIVE DAY

Food Qualities of Luscious California Fruit Will Be Told to the World.

San Francisco.—In order to call attention to the scope of the olive industry California ripe olive day will be observed on Wednesday, March 31, according to an announcement just made by the Panama-Pacific International exposition officials. This action was taken at the request of the olive interests. On that day attention of all the nation will be called to the food qualities of the ripe olive of this state.

From now on the gospel of the California ripe olive will be carried to all parts of the earth. General headquarters for a great national campaign have been established at Oroville.

## SIGHT SUDDENLY COMES TO GIRL

Blind For Twenty-one Years, She Now Sees Clearly.

### PHENOMENON UNEXPLAINED.

While Miss Maude Lincoln Was Attending to Household Duties Something Snapped in Right Eye and She Saw—Two Days Later Vision Came to Other Eye in a Similar Manner.

Marblehead, Mass.—Slowly recovering from the nervous shock of sight after twenty-one years of blindness, Maude Emerson Lincoln, daughter of William F. Lincoln of this city, is getting her bearings in a strange world of color and motion.

Recently the darkness suddenly lifted from her right eye, and then the left eye cleared also, both unexpectedly and without rational explanation, according to specialists who have been questioned on the case. From a condition in which only night and day could be differentiated she suddenly awoke in the sunlit world of which she had heard so much.

In an instant one afternoon as she was about household duties this seeming miracle came. With a snap the covering was rent from the right eye as she was putting dishes in the china closet.

Two days later, in the evening, as she sat with her parents the other eye was uncovered, and sight was given to it.

"I went to the closet to put up some dishes," she said. "Of course, there was no light in the closet and it all looked dark to me. The top of my head did not feel good. It hurt. It was as heavy as—as a load of bricks. That's just the way it felt. I reached up with the dishes. Then suddenly something snapped in my right eye. That is the only way I can describe it—like that."

And she snapped her fingers. "Then," she said, "everything seemed all light to me and brightness. I did not know what to make of it. I could not realize what had happened. I looked around the room. I ran and looked out the window. And I could see."

"She went out with me the other evening, heavily veiled," said Mrs. Lincoln. "We passed a boy leading a man. I said nothing, thinking I would not call her attention to it."

"Mother," she said, "was that boy leading the man?"

"Yes," I replied.

"Oh, the man is blind? she asked again. And I told her he was. She paused a moment, then said, 'What a pity!'"

Miss Lincoln is tall, slender and fair haired. Her eyes are blue, like those of her parents. She had on a gown of deep red, with little black bows on it, and she talked entertainingly and always she laughs with joy at her "miracle."

"Maude was born on April 22, 1894," said Mrs. Lincoln.

"She was born blind. We did not realize at once that she could not and might never see. Her eyes had the appearance of eyes which have cataract. There seemed to be a thin, white, opaque substance over the pupils.

"No one seemed to know what the matter was. But she grew up blind. When she was nine years old we sent her to the Perkins Institute for the Blind, and she was there nine years and received an education. Then we took her home, and she has lived here since, helping me as she could. When she was examined by Dr. F. I. Perkins at the Perkins institute six years ago he told her never to have anything done to her eyes, never to put anything in them, that some day she would see, and he was right."

Then Mrs. Lincoln told how sight came to the girl as she went to the closet to put up the dishes.

"I actually heard something snap," said Mrs. Lincoln. "She sort of screamed and trembled all over."

"She cried, 'I don't know what ails me, but isn't everything light?' I called the family physician at once, and we have kept her in darkness all we could so as to be sure and not have the eyes injured."

"She has always been able to tell light from darkness and could find her way around the house, but she has never actually seen."

### Girl Who Sat Still Gets \$25,000.

New York.—In memory of the little girl who went fishing with him fifteen years ago, and who always sat very still in the boat while he drew in his fishy catch, Jacob Hyman, a retired jewelry dealer, who died recently, left half of his estate to Miss Bertha Grotzsch of Brooklyn. The girl's share is estimated at more than \$25,000.

## SERVIANS MAKE HERO OF DR. E. F. RYAN

Visitor Tells of Fine Work He Has Done in That Country.

Philadelphia.—Mme. Slavko Grouitch, wife of the undersecretary of foreign affairs in Serbia and special pleader for that country's relief in this city, told the story of what a hero Dr. Edward F. Ryan of Scranton, Pa., has become in her adopted country.

"He is quite one of the biggest men in Belgrade now," said Mme. Grouitch. "We all call him Teddy over there—Teddy Ryan. He has made friends so quickly with every one, and people just look to him as a natural leader."

"When the Austrians first came into the city in the late autumn they were bent on violating all decent rules of war. Dr. Ryan stopped that. They had been hanging men quite indiscriminately without even pretending to give them a trial. The doctor said a stop had to be put to that kind of practice, and he sought out the commander of the invaders and just told him what was what. After that there was no further action of that kind."

"Our people in Serbia like to take him as a pattern for all Americans, and he is responsible for a great deal of the popularity America has won in our country since the war began."

Dr. Ryan is following only his natural bent in being in the thick of the Serbian fight. He will be remembered as being the center of a number of diplomatic representations when the trouble with Mexico was at its worst last spring. The Huerta followers had him thrown into jail, accusing him of being a Villa agent. President Wilson instructed Consul Silliman to obtain his release, and this was done after a considerable amount of negotiation and not a few threats. He was released only on his promise of absolutely refraining from any after discussion, and when he got back home he had a long conference with the president, no part of which ever was made public.

### ADVERTISED; NO DEPRESSION.

Instead \$200,000 Newspaper Campaign Swelled Roofing Orders.

St. Louis.—The results of a \$200,000 campaign of newspaper advertising that brought in the midst of the business paralysis following the outbreak of the European war a maximum gain in business of 70 per cent over the flourishing trade of the same period a year before were announced by George M. Brown, president of a roofing company.

While other manufacturers were bemoaning the depression, Mr. Brown's concern broadened its scope until, completely outstripping even the record of its most prosperous era, it is exhibiting for January and February a series of colossal gains. For these two months, Mr. Brown says, the maximum gain in business was 70 per cent in some departments and the minimum gain in any department was 10 per cent over the corresponding period in 1914, when conditions generally were at or above normal.

Not one of the concern's 1,600 employees has been laid off a minute since the newspaper advertising campaign was started and all have received their regular salaries or wages. Three shifts were kept at work daily all fall and winter.

### "THE BUCKET" TO BE CHURCH

Famed Meeting Place of "Bad Men" in St. Louis to Be Remodeled.

St. Louis.—"The Bucket of Blood," one of the most notorious resorts of the middle west, known to "bad men" all over the west for the last half century, has been sold to the Riverside mission and will be remodeled for a church.

Twenty-five years ago the "Bucket of Blood" was the Mecca for all of the rough characters that came to St. Louis. A saloon was on the first floor, above that a cheap lodging house, appropriately termed "The Morgue," and above that a dance and gambling hall. Trap doors, secret passageways and sliding panels were used for "get-away" purposes. Two of the most notorious bad men of the river days, Red Eye Dalton and Mickey Mack, were captured in the place after a hard fight in an underground tunnel a quarter of a century ago.

### Russia's Duma.

No law in Russia can come into effect without the approval of the duma—an elected body of representatives—and the council of the empire, nominated by the emperor.

### Fathers of Six or More Exempt.

Paris.—France is to exempt until the last call to the colors every reservist and territorial who is father of six or more children.

CANDIDATES CARDS.

For State's Attorney. I wish to inform my party associates and friends throughout the county that I am a candidate for the office of State's Attorney, and ask them for their assistance and support at the primary election to secure my nomination on the Democratic ticket.

PLANTERS TAKE NOTICE

More Tubers on Hand Than a Year Ago and Prices Lower. Truck growers who annually plant a considerable acreage of potatoes are warned by the United States Department of Agriculture that there was, on January 1, 1915, a very much larger supply of northern-grown potatoes in the hands of their rowers and dealers than was the case January 1, 1914.

Souvenirs at The Exposition.

Among the souvenirs at the San Diego Exposition which attract the most attention, are those turned by an exhibit installed by the United States Mint. The coin machine turns out thousands of souvenir coins of the Exposition, while the currency machine engraves an Exposition emblem on silk.

The Local Weekly Newspaper per 1,000 Circulation is the Most Valuable Advertising Medium in the World.

Chas. H. Betts, Pres. of New York State Press Association.

NOTICE. Special Meeting of County Commissioners.

Frederick, Md., March 16, 1915. The County Commissioners will meet at their office at the Court House on MONDAY, MARCH 29, 1915.

BIG AUCTION SALE Of First-Class Nursery Stock

AT EMMITSBURG, MD., Saturday, April 3, 1915, at Center Square, Sale beginning at 12.30 P. M., strictly nothing but first class, sharp, positively healthy, true-to-name trees to be offered at this sale.

R. Q. TAYLOR & SON HATTERS

HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS CANES, MEN'S GLOVES RAIN COATS, AUTO-MOBILE RUGS New Location 18 E. BALTIMORE ST. BALTIMORE, MD.

George S. Eyster LIVERYMAN

AT THE ROWE STABLES EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND Fine teams for all occasions. Teams for salesmen and pleasure parties a specialty.

"John Baer" Tomato The Earliest and Best Tomato On Earth

John Baer's Tomato produces perfect, solid, High-Crown, Beautiful, Brilliant, deep red Shipping Tomatoes in 30 days from large, strong, well-matured plants, in veneer bands with roots undisturbed.

SHIPPING FRUIT IN 30 DAYS EARLINESS

Earliest and best in 28 varieties. Brilliant, deep red color, smoothest, no core. Almost free from seed; deliciously flavored.

Better Than Stone Ever Was Bolgiano's "Greater Baltimore" Tomato

Just doubles the yield of many of the best Canning Tomatoes you have ever grown. Smooth, well-formed and deep from stem to blossom.

THE NEW STANDARD

T. A. SNYDER PRESERVING CO., Chicago, writes: "Enter our order for Thousand (1,000) Greater Baltimore Tomatoes."

Public Sale.

The undersigned intending to move to York will sell at his residence on the Waynesboro pike on the property known as Bell's Mill, on Wednesday March 24, 1915

Public Sale.

At 12 o'clock sharp, the following: ONE GRAY HORSE, 14 years old, a fine driver, safe for anyone to drive.

Public Sale.

At 11 o'clock, the following: 3 HEAD OF HORSES AND COLTS, broken to all harness, some excellent leaders.

Public Sale.

At his residence, on the road leading from H. K. Martin's mill, (better known as Maxwell's mill) to Motters Station, 1 mile east of Motters, 3 miles south of Emmitsburg.

Public Sale.

The undersigned having rented his farm, will sell on the same date and at the same place his entire stock, consisting of 7 HEAD OF HORSES AND COLTS, broken to all harness.

Public Sale.

At 11 o'clock A. M., the following: 6 HEAD OF HORSES consisting of 4 work horses, bay mare 6 years old, work wherever hitched; roan mare 6 years old, good worker; bay mare 7 years old, in foal, has been worked and driven some; bay stallion 12 years old, road saddle horse and driver.

Public Sale.

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at his farm about 1 1/2 miles South of Motters Station on the road leading to Rocky Ridge on Thursday, March 25, 1915

Public Sale.

At 11 o'clock A. M., the following: 3 HEAD OF HORSES consisting of 3 work horses, bay mare 6 years old, work wherever hitched; roan mare 6 years old, good worker; bay mare 7 years old, in foal, has been worked and driven some; bay stallion 12 years old, road saddle horse and driver.

Public Sale.

At 10 o'clock the following personal property: 3 FINE WORK HORSES; one fine bay mare, "Pet", 10 years old, supposed to be a No. 1, a No. 1 wagon leader and will work anywhere hitched and for any kind of work; a buggy driver and team of 2 automobiles; a fine blooded bay mare, "Doll", 5 years old, this spring, a No. 1 plow leader and fine worker, fearless of steam or automobiles, also brought to be in foal one fine heavy brood mare, 1 year old, good worker and fine driver, safe for anyone to drive, fearless of any road objects.

Public Sale.

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale on his premises on the Arnold Bros. farm, on the Keyesville road, on Wednesday, March 24, 1915

Public Sale.

At 12 o'clock, M., sharp, the following valuable personal property, to-wit: 3 HEAD OF HORSES AND COLTS; No. 1, roan mare, coming 8 yrs. old, weigh 1400 lbs.; No. 2, roan mare, coming 5 yrs. old; No. 3, sorrel horse, coming 11 years old; No. 4, sorrel mare, coming 8 yrs. old; No. 5, brown horse, coming 6 yrs. old; No. 6, black mare, coming 10 yrs. old; No. 7 and 8 black and bay colts, coming 1 yr. old.

Public Sale.

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale on his premises on the Arnold Bros. farm, on the Keyesville road, on Wednesday, March 24, 1915

SALE REGISTER.

When the printing and advertising is done by this office, sale notices under this heading will be published free of charge until the date of sale. Under other conditions the rate will be as follows: Four insertions \$5.00; each additional insertion 10¢, entire term \$1.00

Saturday, March 20, at 12 o'clock, Howard Rowe, one mile north of Emmitsburg, on his farm, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Saturday, March 20, 1915 at 12 o'clock, at Appold's Crossing William C. Miller, live stock, etc., Elmer Shultz, Auctioneer.

Monday, March 22, at 10 o'clock sharp, William Fleagle, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 23, 1915, at 10 o'clock, at Motters Station, W. F. Fisher, Carload of New Buggies.

Tuesday, March 23, at 12 o'clock, Mrs. Ella M. Adelsberger, at her residence at Eyer, on the Hampton Valley road, 4 1/2 miles west of Emmitsburg, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 24, at 9 o'clock, B. P. Ogle, near Motters's, implements, farm live stock and 20 head of horses.

Wednesday, March 24, 1915, on the road leading from the Bull Frog road to Keysville, Hilary Sanders, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 24, at 12 o'clock sharp, Grant E. Bell, at his residence on the Waynesboro pike known as Bell's Mill, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Charles Mort, Auctioneer.

Friday, March 26, 1915, 12.30 o'clock, at his residence on the Tract Road, near Emmitsburg, Louis B. Coyle, live stock and farming implements. Chas. P. Mort, Auctioneer.

Thursday, March 25, 1915 at 11 o'clock, Robert D. Martin, 1 1/2 miles southwest of Motters's, live stock and farming implements. Albert Smith, auct., E. H. Rowe, clerk.

Saturday, March 27, at 12 o'clock, at her home on Frederick street, Emmitsburg, Md., Mrs. Isabelle Baker, furniture and household goods.

Saturday, March 27, at 12 o'clock sharp, Mrs. Charles Dorsey, two miles west of Motters Station on the old Frederick road, household furniture. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Saturday, March 27, at 1 o'clock, Calvin Sanders on his farm one mile southwest of Fairfield, on the road leading to Fountaine, in Hamilton township, live stock and a lot of locust wire fence posts. James Caldwell, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 30, John C. Shorb, at his residence one mile west of Mt. St. Mary's College on the Mountain road, household goods and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.

Dr. J. A. W. Matthews, V.S. GETTYSBURG STREET, EMMITSBURG, MD. PHONE 26-3 8-13

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SALE REGISTER.

When the printing and advertising is done by this office, sale notices under this heading will be published free of charge until the date of sale. Under other conditions the rate will be as follows: Four insertions \$5.00; each additional insertion 10¢, entire term \$1.00

Saturday, March 20, at 12 o'clock, Howard Rowe, one mile north of Emmitsburg, on his farm, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

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Monday, March 22, at 10 o'clock sharp, William Fleagle, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 23, 1915, at 10 o'clock, at Motters Station, W. F. Fisher, Carload of New Buggies.

Tuesday, March 23, at 12 o'clock, Mrs. Ella M. Adelsberger, at her residence at Eyer, on the Hampton Valley road, 4 1/2 miles west of Emmitsburg, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 24, at 9 o'clock, B. P. Ogle, near Motters's, implements, farm live stock and 20 head of horses.

Wednesday, March 24, 1915, on the road leading from the Bull Frog road to Keysville, Hilary Sanders, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 24, at 12 o'clock sharp, Grant E. Bell, at his residence on the Waynesboro pike known as Bell's Mill, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Charles Mort, Auctioneer.

Friday, March 26, 1915, 12.30 o'clock, at his residence on the Tract Road, near Emmitsburg, Louis B. Coyle, live stock and farming implements. Chas. P. Mort, Auctioneer.

Thursday, March 25, 1915 at 11 o'clock, Robert D. Martin, 1 1/2 miles southwest of Motters's, live stock and farming implements. Albert Smith, auct., E. H. Rowe, clerk.

Saturday, March 27, at 12 o'clock, at her home on Frederick street, Emmitsburg, Md., Mrs. Isabelle Baker, furniture and household goods.

Saturday, March 27, at 12 o'clock sharp, Mrs. Charles Dorsey, two miles west of Motters Station on the old Frederick road, household furniture. Wm. T. Smith, Auctioneer.

Saturday, March 27, at 1 o'clock, Calvin Sanders on his farm one mile southwest of Fairfield, on the road leading to Fountaine, in Hamilton township, live stock and a lot of locust wire fence posts. James Caldwell, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 30, John C. Shorb, at his residence one mile west of Mt. St. Mary's College on the Mountain road, household goods and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.

Dr. J. A. W. Matthews, V.S. GETTYSBURG STREET, EMMITSBURG, MD. PHONE 26-3 8-13

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### MRS. JAMES A. ROSENSTEEL.

After everything possible had been done in a futile effort to spare her to her devoted wife, Mrs. Anna Dorothy Rosensteel, wife of Mr. James A. Rosensteel, passed away at her home near Mount Saint Mary's College, Sunday morning last, at ten o'clock.

Mrs. Rosensteel had suffered a slight stroke of paralysis about two weeks before. She had started to recuperate from the attack and hope was held out from her ultimate recovery, but four days before her death, pneumonia set in and this brought about the end.

She was 58 years, eleven months and 19 days old. Before her marriage in 1878 she was a Miss Eiker. She was born in this vicinity and spent her entire life here. She is survived by a devoted husband, Mr. James A. Rosensteel, and six dutiful children, Edward, Adelaide, Margaret, John H., William T. and George Rosensteel; and one sister, Mrs. Theodore Burdner, all of this locality.

The funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at Saint Anthony's Church, a large concourse of people being present to pay their last respects to the departed.

Rev. T. W. Rosensteel, of Sharpsburg, Pa., and Rev. C. O. Rosensteel, of Forest Glen, Md., cousins of the deceased, were celebrant and deacon, respectively, of the Solemn Requiem Mass. Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M., pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Emmitsburg, was subdeacon, and Mr. Leo Collier, of Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, was Master of Ceremonies. In the sanctuary during the Mass were also Rt. Rev. Monsignor B. J. Bradley, president of Mount Saint Mary's College, and Rev. Dr. E. B. Jordan, of the College Faculty. Rev. Geo. H. Tragger, the deceased's pastor, delivered the funeral discourse.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. V. Keepers, Henry L. Scott and Charles Eckenrode, representing the Benevolent Association, and Messrs. Charles Hemler, Edwin Chrimer and Harry Hopp, representing the Emeralds, of Emmitsburg.

The remains were laid to rest in the old Churchyard on the Hill. At the grave Messrs. Dolan, Diehl, Stief and Kealey, of Mt. St. Mary's seminary, intoned the last rites of the Church.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Rev. T. W. Rosensteel, of Sharpsburg, Pa., Rev. C. O. Rosensteel, of Forest Glen, Md., Mrs. Callaghan, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Daniel Snovell, Mr. and Mrs. William Rosensteel, Mrs. Edward Motter and Mrs. John Sebold, of Baltimore.

The intense sorrow which the death of Mrs. Anna Dorothy Rosensteel excited in her family and friends and in the whole community, was an admirable tribute to her worth and excellence. It is greatly to her credit that those who knew her best, admired and esteemed her most. This high regard for the deceased was not confined alone to those of her household, but was cherished by all that knew her or were associated with her at anytime of her life. Those that labored with her as a young maiden, bear testimony of the influence of her gentle kindness and devotion to duty. Her modest and retired disposition made her shrink from applause and approval and yet every one was quick to discern in her the model Christian wife and mother. In these turbulent, and restless days when men and women in every rank and station easily tire of the restraints and monotony of duty, it is refreshing to find a woman whose highest ambition in life was to serve God in the strict fulfillment of the task imposed on her by Him. No wonder, then, that the eulogy of holy writ in favor of the valiant woman should be applicable to her: "She hath opened her mouth to wisdom and the law of clemency is on her tongue. She hath looked well to the paths of her house, and hath not eaten her bread idle. Her children rose up and called her blessed; her husband, and he praised her." Prov. XXXI, 26, 27, 28. Seldom do we find a woman who imposes on her tongue the law of clemency, as it was observed by the deceased. When we consider her charitable reticence and abstinence of criticism about the shortcomings of others, we are reminded of the words of St. James: "If any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man." St. Jas. III, 2. Well did she bear the name, Anna, which signifies grace, for by her fidelity to God's grace she became the worthy client of that renowned Anna who gave to the world the purest of virgins, the mother of Christ. Well did the departed bear the name, Dorothy, which signifies the gift of God; for she was truly the gift of God to her family, her loved ones and to all this community. "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord." Job I, 21. May the example of her life inspire many matrons to reproduce the beautiful traits of Christian womanhood which they have known and admired in this good woman, and may her loved ones find comfort in these words: "The Souls of the just are in the hand of God, and the torment of death shall not touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seemed to die;... but they are in peace." Wisdom III, 1, 2, 3.

More than 21,000 bills were introduced in the House of Representatives and more than 7000 in the Senate during the existence of the Congress now closed, and of these no more than 200 have become law.

### Letters To The Editor.

[The Editor would have it understood that he is not responsible for the views expressed in communications addressed to him and published in THE CHRONICLE.]  
No attention will be paid to anonymous communications.

#### Editor Chronicle:—

As you have through your paper given the history of the first Library organization of Emmitsburg dated 1815 which certainly stopped with the act of Assembly, as no action further is known.

I contribute the facts connected with a Library Association inaugurated June 29, 1840, as follows:

Toms Creek Church, Jan. 29, 1840. We the subscribers, having contributed for the purchase of books to form a library within the congregation of Toms Creek Church, have this day convened and adopted the following rules to be observed by us in the management of those books, which constitute the Library of Toms Creek Church, in which we have a joint and equal interest. Then follows the constitution.

The following persons are the members of the society and have contributed in getting up the library fund: Dr. Andrew Annan, James J. McKehan, David Gamble, Jane Annan, Margaret Witherow, Jane Williams, Rev. Robert S. Grier, Mrs. Rickenbaugh, Mrs. Joanna Grason, Ann Eliza Winter, Adam Epley, Mary Knox, Jane Rea, Henrietta Weagh, Mary Ann Thornton. All the congregation were interested as a long list of members were added.

At the first meeting the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Robert S. Grier; Vice President, James J. McKehan; Secretary, Adam Epley; Librarian, Jane Annan.

The number of books secured, is 302, amongst these, many of them valuable, first editions of standard works. The fire that consumed the church destroyed this old library.

J. A. HELMAN.

#### Editor The Chronicle:

What Emmitsburg needs now is an ordinance, and a strict enforcement of the same, against reckless automobile driving through our streets, at the square, at all turns with a "keep to the right" rule.

Day after day the lives of our citizens are endangered by criminal recklessness on the part of licensed and unlicensed drivers who are as irresponsible as their driving.

As yet we have had no serious accident but why wait until after it comes to prevent it.

Burgess and Commissioners, this is plainly your duty. Get busy,—and here is a suggestion,—make the owners equally responsible with the drivers. A few fines may be the means of saving the life of one of our citizens.

"Better be Safe Than Sorry!"

SAFETY FIRST.

#### Celebration of St. Patrick's Day.

The scholars of St. Euphemia's School gave an entertainment in the School Hall before a large number of their parents and friends on Tuesday afternoon in honor of St. Patrick's Day. This is the first entertainment of its kind that has been given on this day and much credit is due the Sisters and pupils.

The programme was varied and interesting and carried out in every detail the spirit of the day. The programme follows: Opening Hymn, Hibernia's Champion, Chorus; Welcome, Our Minims; Reading, "Children of Lir," Aubrey de Vere, Master H. Scott; Kerry Dance, Little Girls; Chorus, If The Waters Could Speak as they Flow, School; Recitation, "Erin's Lullaby," Father Ryan, F. Spalding; Song, "The Three Green Bonnets," Three Little Maids; Recitation, St. Patrick and Shamrocks, Miss Dorothy Roddy; St. Patrick's Celebration, Older Pupils; Scarf Drill, Young Ladies; Believe Me, Miss M. Saffer; Recitation, St. Patrick, Miss G. Wivell; Let Erin Remember, Misses L. Long, R. Hopp, A. Dukehart; Song, The Harp, Miss E. Mitchell; Shanon Bells, Young Ladies; Killarney, Miss L. Long; Chorus, Give Me My Own Native Isle, Older Pupils; Hymn, All Praise to St. Patrick School.

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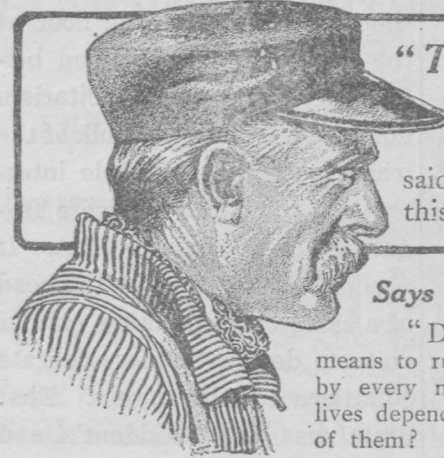
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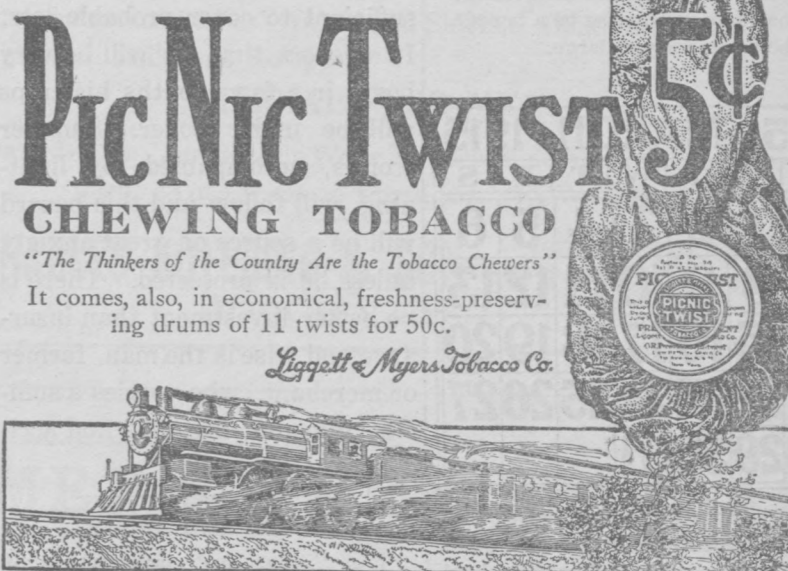
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WILL PRAY FOR PEACE.  
Special Services In St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Sunday March 21, in Pursuance of Decree From The Pope.

A special decree has been received from Cardinal Gasparri, secretary to Pope Benedict XV, settling aside next Sunday March 21st., as Peace Sunday in every Metropolitan, Cathedral, Parochial and Conventual Church outside of Europe.

The Pope has written a special prayer to be recited and has planned for special services morning and evening. Immediately after the High Mass at 10 o'clock the most Blessed Sacrament will be exposed to public veneration the entire day.

In the evening previous to the deposition of the Blessed Sacrament the third part of the Rosary will be recited followed by the prayer given below. The sacred function will conclude with Benediction. The prayer follows:

"Dismayed by the horrors of a war which is bringing ruin to peoples and nations, we turn, O Jesus, to thy most loving Heart as to our last hope. O God of Mercy, with tears we invoke Thee to end this fearful scourge; O King of Peace, we humbly implore the peace for which we long. From Thy sacred Heart Thou didst shed forth over the world divine Charity, so that discord might end and love alone might reign among men. During Thy life on earth Thy Heart beat with tender compassion for the sorrows of men; in this hour made terrible with slaughter, with bloodshed and with burning hate, with pity Thy divine Heart be moved to pity. Pity the countless mothers in anguish for the fate of their sons; pity the numberless families now bereaved of their fathers; pity Europe over which broods such havoc and disaster. Do Thou inspire rulers and peoples with counsels of meekness, do Thou heal the discords that tear the nations asunder; Thou Who didst shed Thy Precious Blood that they might live as brothers, bring men together once more in loving harmony. And as once before to the cry of the Apostle Peter: *Save us, Lord, we Perish* Thou didst answer with words of mercy and didst still the raging waves, deign to hear our trustful prayer, and give back to the world peace and tranquility.

And do thou, O most Holy Virgin, as in other times of sore distress, be now our help, our protection and our safeguard. Amen.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1915.

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1915 MARCH 1915 calendar grid showing days of the week and dates from 1 to 31.

Communications intended for publication in this paper, letters of a business nature in relation to the Chronicle, and all orders for Job Printing to be done at this office should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

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CHANGED OPINIONS.

Somehow or other the fire-eaters, the jingoists, the hot-heads and the "If that had-been, etc." contingent are beginning to see the wisdom and reasonableness of Mr. Wilson's peace policy.

war dispatches were the subject of cloakroom debate that sometimes overflowed to the floor of the Senate and House, and beligerency and anti-militarism gone mad, formed the bulk of the magazine output, possible international complications were frequently at the danger point.

INSURANCE.

Now is the season for the farmer to look over his fire insurance policies, to see if the premiums are paid and if his insurance is sufficient to cover probable loss.

SHOVEL AND BROOM.

The "clean up" suggestion of last week seems to have met with general approval, judging from the comments heard on all sides.

The Burgess and Commissioners sanctioned it and they have asked the people to respond. Other places have adopted the plan and the result has been wonderful.

"THE Archaeological Institute

of America is studying the projection of Pleistocene climatic oscillation."—And the National Old Maids' Union is studying the effect of the projection of Platonic osculation.

HON. WILLIAM PITT HERRING,

of New York, is about to found a college, to be named after him. Wonder if Dr. Finney and Prof. Trout will be offered positions on the faculty?

THERE is no confirmation

of the story that Edison has invented an apparatus for manufacturing denatured limburger cheese.

"THERE are no Tabasco wells

in Tabasco, Mexico."—Even at that there's plenty of hot stuff in the old cactus country.

"BUT what of the Kentucky

julep?"—Ask the new Director of the Mint.

It required very little effort

to raise the dust this week, "anyhow."

LUCKY the one who finds no

moths in last year's garments.

THEY may take Alsace—just so

Pince-nez don't fall.

TIME for the fellow who saw

the first robin to report.

AND a promoter comes in on

every train.

France has more dogs than any

other country in Europe, its canine population reaching 3,000,000. Germany has 1,400,000, England 1,130,000, Sweden 513,000 and Ireland 366,000.

Last year motor cars were stolen at the rate of twelve a month in New York city, but this has been reduced to less than five.

Soldiers' Wills.

In olden times everybody who was in the happy position of having personally to bequeath was free to make a will verbally or by an unattested writing. This right, restricted by the Statute of Frauds, was abolished by the wills act of 1837, subject, however, to the reservation that soldiers on actual military service, and marines, on sea, were still competent to dispose of their personality as they might have done before.

A Story of St. Paul's, London.

There is an anecdote concerning St Paul's worth recording now that the cathedral's repairing is under consideration, says the London Chronicle. Sir Christopher Wren tells it in the Parenalia: "In the beginning of the new works of St. Paul's an incident was taken notice of by some people as a memorable omen. When the surveyor in person had set out upon the place the dimensions of the great dome and fixed upon the center, a common laborer was ordered to bring a flat stone from the heaps of rubbish (such as should first come to hand) to be laid for a mark and direction to the masons; the stone, which was immediately brought and laid down for that purpose, happened to be a piece of gravestone with nothing remaining of the inscription but this single word in large capitals—'Resurgam.'"

Thyme for Whooping Cough.

According to a German medical journal preparations of thyme have long been advocated for whooping cough. Thyme grows in certain regions of the old world, and preparations of it have been sold in the United States at very high prices. Various derivatives of thymol (the active principle of thyme) have been used in different localities with good results. One combination comprises herb of thyme and the so-called "pilka"—a herb which grows wild in the same parts of the world. If this compound be given in whooping cough morning and evening the patient "recovers" in due time, but the interval between the administration of the remedy and the cure may be so long as to render the curative action a matter of speculation.

Love of Precious Stones.

The love of precious stones is almost as old as the hills from which many of them come, and in the early days admiration for them was equally shared by men and women. An old writer named Omerius, who lived about five hundred years before the Christian era, tells us how much his generation thought of the crystal. "Whose goeth into the temple of the gods," said he, sagely, "with this in his hand, may be quite sure of having his prayer granted, as the gods cannot withstand its power." Not a difficult way of insuring the success of one's petitions!

Entombed Toad Lives Long.

While some repair work was being done at Yankton college a basement was opened to cut a door through, and a live toad was found in the air shaft. It had been entombed, without doubt, for 22 years, ever since Ward Hall of Science was constructed. The toad had resided in its brick tomb so long it was "brick red" on the underside. While grown to a large size it had no claws. It appeared to have worn off its claws in trying to get out. How it had lived is a mystery. Not a drop of moisture could have reached the toad in all the years it had been a prisoner.—Yankton (S. D.) Cor. New York World.

Unemployed.

"Please, lidy, will you help a poor man who ain't done nuthin' in the way o' work for more'n twelve munces?" "Dear, dear; perhaps I could find you something. What can you do?" "Thank y', lidy, thank y' kindly, mum; ef y' could p'raps give me some washin' ter do I could take it 'ome to my wife."—London Opinion.

The Brute.

Two weeks after the wedding she burst into her mother's home, crying like a child. "John and I have quarreled," she explained between sobs. "What's the trouble?" inquired his mother-in-law. "Why, I—I said I thought it would rain today, and the brute said, 'I don't believe it will.'"—Buff.

Same Old Story.

"There seems to be something radically wrong in the way the present war news is concocted." "What makes you think so?" "Why, this morning I accidentally picked up a paper five days old and never noticed the difference."

She Can't Afford It.

"Mother isn't having half as many headaches and neuralgic attacks as she was." "No? What has brought about the change?" "The European war. The price of aspirin has gone up terribly."

DESTINED FOR HIGH PLACE

Even as a Child Napoleon III Had Confidence He Was to Be a Man of Destiny.

"Being a boy" meant very little to Louis Napoleon, for he had it in his mind almost from the day he was born to be emperor of the French. In a moment of confidence he said to his bosom friend, Baron d'Ambes, who in turn confided it to his diary, now published as "Intimate Memoirs of Napoleon III."

"I have retained a very lively impression of an hour, about my seventh year, when the idea occurred to me for the first time, and very clearly, that my destiny was not the same as that of other children; that it held something greater and more serious. But I cannot tell whether it gave me a feeling of pride or of fear—perhaps both together.

"In any case I had already illustrious names and important events to look back upon in my past. I knew that my grandmother, who was dead, had been an empress, that my mother had been a queen, and my father a king—and my uncles had been kings, too.

"I grew accustomed to the notion that I, too, should one day be emperor or king—I did not know which, although "emperor" sounded finer. I knew Napoleon was at St. Helena on a rock, and he sometimes haunted me like a phantom.

"Altho' this," concluded the confession, "filled my little head with gloom and sunshine and left me pensive."

And well it might! These are not the imaginings and dreams of a child, but of a care-ridder man. But his belief in his destiny served Prince Louis one excellent turn—it made him a hard worker, deeply imbued with a sense of duty that increased with his years.

The commandant of the fortress where Louis Napoleon was kept a prisoner on account of his pretensions to the throne of France, was deeply impressed with his responsibilities, and thought it his duty to keep a careful watch on his prisoner. Fearing that the boy, in despair, might take it into his head to kill himself, he deprived him of every weapon that might serve his purpose—knives, razors, and so on.

One day the prince said to him with a smile: "Have no fear. I belong too much to the future to try to shirk the present."—Youth's Companion.

KNOWLEDGE OF THE BIBLE

Probably Most People Imagine They Know More Than They Do About Sacred Book.

Chicago churchgoers have discovered that their knowledge of the Bible is limited. Ministers have sought to explain the ignorance of the Scriptures displayed by a Chicago congregation, but the fact remains that churchgoers and former attendants of Sunday schools were unable to answer questions that should have been simple for one familiar with the greatest of all classics.

The members of a prominent Chicago church pondered on these questions: What man threw stones at a king? What was the origin of the word "shibboleth?" When did the bleating of sheep foretell the loss of a kingdom? What fierce nations were driven out of their cities by hornets? What giant king had an iron bedstead 13 feet long and six feet wide? What young man lost his temper in an argument with four older friends? Who escaped by the skin of his teeth? Of course, scriptural ignorance in Chicago does not reflect the biblical knowledge of the rest of the country. All things are not in Babylon. But we doubt the ability of the average churchgoer to answer the questions that confounded Chicago.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Some History of Canes.

General use of canes or walking sticks was at one time forbidden in Rome by imperial edict, except to persons of patrician rank, thus making it a privilege which came to be popular among the nobility and eventually a distinction. The women of this time carried them also, their richly and artistically decorated canes serving as a rod for the punishment of their slaves. The cane appeared in England as the badge of aristocracy in about the fifth century, but after serving this purpose for some time, came into the hands of the humbler and was dropped by those of higher social standing. It was re-established in its true form by the pilgrims and soldiers returning from the Holy Land during the Crusades, and soon came into popularity again. With a revival of the cane among the gentry came a period of decoration, and canes of exquisite design and of great value resulted.

What Becomes of Chimney Smoke?

Smoke is composed of gases and of little particles of fuel which are carried up the chimney by suction. Knowing this, the ultimate end of smoke may be readily explained. The fuel particles fall to the ground of their own weight when they get beyond the drawing power of the chimney and out of the current of the heated air formed in the chimney flue.

There is a lot of carbonic acid gas in smoke which mixes with the air and eventually becomes food for plants. Some other gases which are not entirely consumed when they come from the chimney, are burned by the air still more until they, too, become carbonic acid gas.

Eggs by the Mile.

"Can egg-farming be made to pay?" is an everyday query emanating from persons who possess a few hundred pounds to invest and think they will like such a pursuit. Without fully going into the pound, shilling, pence of our mammoth egg imports, statistics show that the number of eggs consumed in England in a week totals over 150,000,000. An average hen's egg weighs about two ounces or three ounces and varies in length from two inches to three inches. If, then, these 150,000,000 eggs were placed in a row—i. e., end to end—they would cover 5,000 miles—further than from London to New York. This vast total of eggs is supplied by hens on hundreds and thousands of farms, while the contribution from hens kept in back gardens is by no means a small one.—Answers.

Lawyers and Their Wills.

Why do eminent lawyers who have made countless wills for other people so frequently blunder when they compose their own last wills and testaments, one asks on seeing that another famous K. C. has left behind him an imperfect will? Is it on the principle that the tailor is always the worst dressed man and the shoemaker invariably wears down-at-the-heels boots? The classic instance always referred to of a lawyer's bad will is that of Lord St. Leonards, who boasted what a perfect testament he was making and had a strong box made to hold it, called the will box. Yet when he died only a scrap or two of paper with unintelligible writing was found referring to his last wishes, which had to be interpreted in open court by the verbal evidence of his daughter, who had acted as his amanuensis.—London Chronicle.

Good Heavens!

An elderly gentleman living in the North of England was passionately fond of parrots. Having both time and money at his disposal, he organized a parrot show, a five-pound note to be given to the owner of the bird which on the most auspicious day said the most appropriate thing. The show day arrived. All sorts and conditions of parrots were arriving. Just at the last moment a beautiful gray bird was brought in. Gazing around in amazement it gave a shrill whistle and exclaimed: "Good heavens, what a thundering lot of parrots!" Needless to say its owner got the coveted five-pound note.

Helping the Lawyer.

When a certain North Carolina jurist made his first appearance at the bar as a young lawyer he was given charge by the state solicitor of the prosecution of a man who was accused of some misdemeanor. Although there was practically no evidence against the man, the youthful attorney did his best, but was astonished when the jury brought in a verdict of "guilty." After the trial one of the jurors tapped the young lawyer on the shoulder. "We didn't think the man was guilty," he explained, "but at the same time didn't like to discourage a young lawyer by acquitting him."

At Ancient Banquet Board.

No banquet at Rome was complete without a wild boar, whose entrance upon the table, roasted whole, marked the highest moment of the ceremonial feast. Petronius has described the pomp of its coming with a vast deal of circumstance. "A tray was brought in with a wild boar of the largest size upon it, wearing a cap of freedom, with two little baskets woven of palm twigs hanging from his tusks, one full of dry dates and the other of fresh. Round it lay sucking pigs made of sinnel cake with their mouths to the teats, thereby showing that we had a sow before us."

Possible Good in Accident.

A young man who, having run up a lot of bills which were considerably beyond his means to pay, was much pestered by collectors. He, however, had the disposition of a true Micawber and did not allow himself to be put out by their attentions. One day a collector came to his house, and in mounting the icy front steps slipped and broke his arm. The young spendthrift, who was looking out of the window at the time, remarked calmly: "Well, I hope that will be a lesson to them to keep away from me for a while."

The Usual Thing.

"He declares that the inhabitants of this town are a lot of pusillanimous petrifications, that their knocking rounds day after day like a drum corps on parade, and that they are so moss grown that a herd of reindeer could feed on their backs." "Eh-yah! What was the graft he tried to work here and failed?"—Puck.

Echo of the Past.

"What's the trouble?" inquired the boss. "Man wants a prescription filled," said the clerk, "that was originally put up here in 1875." "Well, go ahead and fill it." "You forget how the drug business has changed. We haven't enough drugs in the shop to fill it now."

Pat's Paradox.

Lawyer—Have you ever made any improvement on the property? Client—Faith O! have. Iver since O! got it O!ve been improvin' it; but, sorr, it's that kind of lend the more ye improve it, the worse it gets.

HER LESSON IN PROPORTION

Small Hearts, Too, She Found, Are to Be Found in Very Large Mansions.

There was a girl who was quite sure that when it came her turn to marry she could not live in a house any smaller than her father's. "Love in a cottage" was not her idea. Cupid, she thought, needed plenty of room to flap his wings and to practice his archery; he could not pine in a bird cage. So she must have an immense library with a fireplace that would take a six-foot log; there must be a drawing-room with parquetry flooring and thick rugs sliding about on it; the dining-room must be able to hold a large table with an imposing bowl of flowers. She visualized herself ruling a salon, hostess to a brilliant coterie of people who would help her social ambition and her husband's business.

A school friend of hers came to see her a year and a half after she had married and found her in a little frame house on a side street, ridiculously happy with her husband and her baby. The back yard was just about big enough to hold a whirling clothes frame and a narrow flower bed against the fence; the piazza was as snug as a sailor's hammock; the largest room was about the size of the vestibule of the bride's girlhood home.

"I know what you're thinking," laughed the proud little housekeeper to her guest. "You're wondering how I could make up my mind to live in this tiny piano box. But I've made a discovery. I've found that it isn't the size of the house that matters; it's the size of the heart, and the biggest hearts can live in the littlest houses."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

CRUDE, BUT DOES THE WORK

Primitive System of "Wireless Telegraphy" in Use Among Tribes of Amazon Region.

In the Juamara region of the Amazon the natives use a crude system of wireless telegraphy, which, it is claimed, has been in operation for thousands of years. The transmitter found by an explorer was a hollowed trunk of a tree suspended from a horizontal pole stretched between two stumps. Inside the transmitter had been arranged much like a violin, and it was explained that when the instrument was struck smartly with a small rubber hammer a vibration was created that carried for miles over the hills. The receiver is very similar to the transmitter, except that it is placed on a hardwood platform, the base of the hollowed tree trunk being grounded on the platform. When the message is struck in the neighboring village, sometimes thirty miles away, this receiver catches the vibrations, causing a jerky, singing sound. The sound system, it is said, can be read by the members of the tribe, and in this way news of victories and other happenings are told throughout the countryside.

Impromptu Solo.

Pierre Garat, the singer and exquisite of Napoleonic France, was not merely a glass of fashion and a wonderful, self-instructed singer, but an artist devoted to his art. But is the following, asks Mr. Bernard Miall in his biography, an example of sincerity in art, or of love of attracting attention?

Coupligny had supplied him with a "romance" to be set to music. When- ever the two met, Garat replied, "I have not hit upon an idea as yet." One day Coupligny was walking down the Rue Neuve-des-Petits-Champs. Hearing a sound of some one running behind him, he turned; it was Garat, who seized him by the arm, dragged him up the stairs of a neighboring house, and, halting on the first landing, exclaimed, "I've got it!" At once he began to sing the romance through at the top of his voice. The inhabitants of the house began to open their doors; heads were projected over the banisters; finally they began to approach; but Garat, having finished, tore down the stairs like a monkey, dragging the bewildered poet with him.—Youth's Companion.

Only Worse.

A Philadelphia school teacher has lately been instructing her pupils in Grecian mythology. It is the plan to have the children read the tales aloud, and the next day recount them in their own language. One lad, to whom was given the assignment to render in his own language the story of the Gorgons, did so in these terms: "The Gorgons were three sisters that lived in the Islands of Hesperides, somewhere in the Indian ocean. They had long snakes for hair, tusks for teeth and claws for nails, and they looked like women, only more horrible." — Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Unfamiliar to English.

Many of our names for common fauna and flora are unknown to an Englishman, save as strange Americanisms, e. g., raccoon, opossum, skunk, terrapin, chipmunk and moose; persimmon, chinquapin, alfalfa and yam. He seldom sees popcorn or an oyster stew; he knows nothing of oyster suppers, clam bakes and burgo picnics. He doesn't buy either red lemonade or peanuts when he goes to the circus; the former he calls lemon-squash and the latter he doesn't know at all. The common American use of peanut as an adjective of disparagement, e. g., peanut politics, is incomprehensible to him.

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### CLASS OF '15 PRESENTS "THE COUNTRY BOY"

Second Production Scores a Big Success at The Mount.—The Players.

When early last December the Class of 1915, Mount Saint Mary's College, scored its first historic success with its minstrel show and "De Village Skool" the hope was expressed that the class present itself in the legitimate drama.

This hope was materialized when the class "put on" Edgar Selwyn's "The Country Boy," a play dealing with the trials of a country boy up against life in the big city. The play consisted of four acts. The music hall was crowded to the doors for the two performances. Daniel A. Hegarty, who took the part of Tom Wilson, the country boy, demonstrated that his repertoire included other make-ups than those of the Yiddish urchin and the black-face end-man. Mr. Hegarty had a fine conception of his lines and put in many a little extra touch that brought them out.

John J. Dowdle gave an inimitable characterization of the self-assured newspaper man, while the philosophy of his lines strikingly coincided at many times with the actor off the stage.

Leo P. McManus, made a typically handsome ticket speculator, known in the play as Joe Weinstein. In such a part "the kid" was right at home, and with Hegarty and Dowdle did much to keep up the swing of the piece.

In the feminine roles, A. Joseph Schmidt was the leading "man" as Mrs. Bannon, the effusive, and self-solicitous land lady, the part could not have been taken better. Many of Mrs. Bannon's aphorisms have already passed into college current. Louis Rowen, in a difficult part, that of Jane Belknap, acquitted himself admirably. This was not the first time that Mr. Rowen has essayed a girl's part successfully. The other gentlemen who impersonated the fairer sex, acquitted themselves most creditably. A fine appreciation of their minor parts by the other members of the cast lent finesse to the production.

Much of the credit for the whole show must be given Messrs. Ryding and Hegarty who gave much time and attention to rehearsals and details incident to the performance. They in turn are indebted to the efficient stage staff—Messrs. Michael E. Mahoney, William J. Carroll, John F. Rice, J. Emmett Haltigan and John L. Sheridan—for their important services.

The auditorium was very tastefully decorated for the performances by Mr. James B. Rogers, of the Seminary.

Before the curtain, between the acts and at the close of the performance, the College Orchestra under the direction of Prof. Frederick A. Braun, of the College Faculty, rendered selections that delighted the audiences. The program of music was as follows: March, "Patriotic," George Rosey; Excerpts from the Musical Farce, "High Jinks," Rudolf Frimil; Bits of Remick's Hits, J. B. Lampe; Melodies from the Musical Comedy, "The Girl from Utah," Jerome Kern; March "With Trumpet and Drum," A. F. Weldon.

The caste of "The Country Boy," is given herewith:

Hiram Belknap, a leading citizen, Daniel A. Tierney, '15; Hezekiah Jenks, his secretary, John F. O'Donnell, '16; Sarah, a servant, John A. Stanton, '15; Mrs. Wilson, Tom Wilson's mother, Francis A. McGinley, '15; Jane Belknap, Louis A. Rowen, '15; Tom Wilson, a country boy, Daniel A. Hegarty, '15; Lucy, a colored waitress, Leo J. Kritch, '18; Fred Merkle, a newspaper man, John J. Dowdle, '15; Miss Dunstan, an embryo prima donna, James A. Millhizer, '17; Mrs. Bannon, a landlady, A. Joseph Schmidt, '15; Herman Lertz, a star boarder, Daniel I. McDermott, '15; Joe Weinstein, a ticket speculator, Leo P. McManus, '15; Amy Leroy, a show girl, J. Edgar McCaffrey, '18; Jimmy Michaelson, a man about town, Charles R. Goldsborough, '15.

### Western Maryland Plans.

Acquisition by the Rockefeller interests, which are in control, also, of the Western Maryland Railway, of the Consolidation Coal Company assures the former of a vastly increased tonnage for the future and it is confidently predicted by the management of the railroad that its gross earnings for the current year will be increased to \$14,000,000, with at least \$5,000,000 left for net if the broad and thus successful policy of President C. R. Gray be continued in force. In this connection it is noteworthy that two important extensions of the Western Maryland are contemplated one of about forty miles into the Somerset coal field and the other a bridge over the Youghiogheny River at Indian Creek, connecting with the Indian Creek Valley Railroad, both of which will bring to it a great access of traffic.

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### ARBOR AND HIGHWAY DAY.

Free Trees for Roadside Planting to Aid in Making it of Practical Value to the State.

Arbor and Highway Day—by proclamation of the Governor Friday, April 9th—has this year a special significance, because it is the first anniversary of the passage of the Roadside Tree Law by the legislature of 1914. This law places all trees now growing beside the roadways or along the streets of incorporated towns under the supervision of the State. In addition to the care and protection of existing trees, the law provides for the planting of new ones.

The State has spent approximately \$15,000,000.00 in constructing improved roads which compare favorably with any in the country. The next step in their improvement is to beautify them and make them more attractive by the planting of shade trees. What is more attractive than a well-shaded street or roadway, particularly if the trees are uniform in size and kind, giving a distinctive character that cannot be obtained except by systematic effort and the execution of carefully thought out and well executed plans. The State Board of Forestry, which is charged with the administration of the Roadside Tree Law, is prepared to cooperate with towns, associations and individuals in the work of planting trees along the streets and highways.

In order to assist in this movement and furnish demonstrations of well-shaded highways, the State Board of Forestry will furnish free either Locust or Tulip Poplar trees for a mile of planting in each County of the State, also supplying a competent man to supervise the work under the following conditions: the mile to be planted must be along an improved road outside of the corporate limits of any town, and the abutting property owners must all have given their approval of the planting; the trees will be planted within the right-of-way of the road; where Tulip Poplar is used they shall be not less than 50 feet apart, where Locust is used not less than 30 feet. The applications will be considered in the order in which they are received, but the State Board of Forestry reserves the right to accept the proposition that offers the best opportunity for demonstration in each County.

This offer is open to County Commissioners, associations or individuals that may be interested. With Arbor Day and the planting time at hand, it is important that quick action be taken.

### METHODISTS TO MODIFY CHURCH MACHINERY

Conferences Now Being Held To Discuss Transfer of Church Property And Boundaries of Conference Lines.

Conference of Methodists now being held are taking steps to remake the official machinery of their church in two important respects. One of these concerns the power of trustees to transfer church property without the consent of higher authority. It is disputed among Presbyterians in this country whether trustees or presbytery control local church property. A suit at law in the New York courts, already costing \$60,000 in fees, is on to determine the matter. Trustees of Methodist churches can sell property at will, and the clamor for change is to take away such power. It is claimed that religious bodies more careful in management hold on to downtown properties as Methodists do not, just because of this provision.

The other change for which some Methodists are agitating is the boundaries of conference lines. It has come about that not a few large cities are divided between two conferences. It is also the case that some States are split into two or more conferences. Now the proposition is to make conference and State boundaries the same as far as possible, and in particular to throw all Methodist work in any city into the same conference, making the city a centre. The same Methodists are also clamoring for permanent or diocesan bishops, but those who oppose this change declare that it can never come about so long as Methodism retains the itinerant system for its pastors. They also say that Methodism cannot abolish this system and remain Methodism. A dozen cities are affected by this boundary line change. Several spring conferences are acting in its favor.

### Prospects for Busy Season on the Mountain.

This season in the Blue Ridge mountain section is expected to be the best ever as far as business is concerned.

Carpenters have been very busy for several months making improvements to the bungalows and cottages belonging to city people in the vicinity of Blue Ridge Summit, Monterey, Charman, Highfield, Cascades and Pen Mar. Not only are some of the buildings being enlarged, but others are being repapered, painted and otherwise improved.

At Pen Mar there is considerable work being done along building lines, and, judging from information at hand, a building boom of large proportions will soon be launched at the favorite mountain resort.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hoover spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fisher.

Mrs. Martha Seiss has returned home after spending the winter with her daughter in Washington.

The Misses Eyer, of Thurmont, spent Sunday afternoon with their cousin, Mrs. Clarence Colliflower.

Mrs. Georgia Strong who spent some time in Thurmont returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Chester Joy who has for several weeks had wool pickings, finished Thursday last. A number of her friends were present and refreshments, consisting of ice cream, and cake were served. Those present were: Mrs. John Joy, Mrs. Chas. Boller, Mrs. Clyde Young, Mrs. Mary Swartz, Mrs. Chas. Miller, Mrs. Harry Null and Mrs. Nellie Colliflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy and child, of Jefferson, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Groshon.

Mrs. William Six, of Creagerstown, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Charles Boller and called on her friends.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Firor were: Mrs. Gaver and grandson, Edward Ohio, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Main, of Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. John Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boller, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Young and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower, Jr., Agnes and Austin Joy.

Miss Ada Deberry, of Detour, spent Sunday with her cousins, Misses Blanche and May Creeger.

AROUND BRIDGEPORT.

Mrs. Mary Correll, who has been very ill, is much improved.

Those who spent the week-end with Miss Pauline Baker were Miss Alvida De Lashmatt, of Frederick, Misses Ruth and Florence Ohler, of Harney.

Mr. Allen Bollinger, of Taneytown, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bollinger.

Mrs. Mary Hockensmith and Mrs. A. Neill are among those on the sick list.

Mr. Bowers and Mr. John Hockensmith, of Taneytown, visited Mr. William Hockensmith and family on Sunday afternoon.

Those who visited at the home of Mr. Abraham Neill on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neill, of Mt. Joy, Mr. William Neill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hess, Mr. and Mrs. John Hess, of Harney.

The play entitled "Lodgers Taken In," given on Saturday evening by the "Young People's Society," of Tom's Creek Church was quite a success.

Mr. Norman Phillips, of Woodsboro, spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Edgar Phillips.

For County Treasurer.

Charles A. Ogle of New Market District, Cashier of the First National Bank of Monrovia, Maryland is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer on the Republican ticket. His announcement appears in the columns of this paper.

Mr. Ogle is well known. Prior to his appointment as cashier of said bank he was for three years Deputy Clerk of the Court for Frederick County. Before he was appointed Deputy Clerk, Mr. Ogle taught school in this county for eighteen years.

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THURMONT NEWS.

Miss Carrie Boblitz who has been visiting friends in Washington and Baltimore has returned to her home.

Miss Olive Rout is visiting friends in Union Bridge and Creagerstown.

Rev. Fox is holding Evangelistic Services at Toms Creek.

Mrs. Adam Kerns and daughter, Una, visited her daughter, Mrs. George Faustman, of Baltimore last Sunday.

The Maryland Sunday School Convention was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church on Tuesday, March 16.

The meeting of The Golden Chain Society" was called to order by the president, Marie Keefer, on Friday afternoon, March 12. The following program was rendered: Song, "Over The Summer Sea," Society; Reading of Minutes by Secretary, Lucy Stevens; Recitation, "Bingen on the Rhine," Lillian Kelly; Reading, "The Glove and The Lions," Mary Wachter; Piano Solo, "Il Trovatore," Beulah Troxell; Song, "The Vacant Chair," Society; Playlet, "Striking the Blow," Helen Creeger, Margaret Wilhide, Blanche Eyer, Ferne Snook and Helen Knott; Recitation, "The Face on the Floor," Hazel Wolf; Current Events, Ninth Grade; Journal, Edno Hoover; Song, "Kind Words Can Never Die," Society; Report of Critic, Ruth Linn. The Society then adjourned to meet the following Friday, March 19, 1915.

David F. Firor, of Thurmont, who mysteriously disappeared after going to Baltimore to buy Easter goods for his store, and who was heard from about 10 days afterwards from Jacksonville, Fla., returned to his home Monday afternoon. He was accompanied by his brother, Prof. J. W. Firor, of Athens, Ga., who had come to Thurmont and then gone to Baltimore to conduct a search. Firor is none the worse for his trip and relatives said he is as well as before he left.

At the business meeting of the Marsh Creek Hunting Club on Saturday evening the following officers were elected. Pres., C. A. Bream; V. Pres., W. H. Cullison; Sec., A. C. Hutchison; Treas., John W. Bream; Capt., W. H. Cullison; Historian, F. Mark Bream. The Club has decided to erect a Hunting Lodge on their property along the Cold Spring road and work will begin early in the summer, so the lodge will be ready for occupancy in the fall.

Miss Esther Tipton, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. Wm. H. Tipton, has been appointed a city nurse of the Board of Health of Philadelphia. Out of 61 taking examinations only three were appointed.

Two speakers of national prominence will be present on June sixth, baccalaureate Sunday at Gettysburg College, the one to preach the sermon to the graduating class, the other to deliver the annual address to the Young Men's Christian Association of the institution.

Dr. Shailer Mathews, of Chicago, dean of the Divinity School of University of Chicago will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Rev. John C. Goddard, of Salisbury, Conn., will deliver the address to the members of the Young Men's Christian Association on the evening of the same day. Rev. Mr. Goddard is secretary of the board of trustees of the Hotchkiss School, at Lakeville, Connecticut.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Miss Mary Motter has returned after spending several months with relatives in Baltimore and Taneytown.

Mr. Samuel Warren was a recent visitor in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warren attended the funeral of Mr. James Cline at Fountaindale on Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell spent Saturday and Sunday in Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pryor moved to the property of Mr. Ross White on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Eyer moved to the property of Mr. George Zimmerman.

Mrs. and Mrs. I. J. Ohler spent few days with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shorb.

Mrs. George Sanders still remains very ill with little improvement.

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Former Emmitsburgian Awarded Contract.

Contractor John Florence formerly of Emmitsburg but now residing in Rouzerville, was awarded the contract for the erection of the new Methodist Church and parsonage in Rouzerville. Mr. Florence will erect the structure on a 7 per cent. commission. The cost of the church and parsonage will be about \$10,000.

Orders aggregating over \$400,000,000, it is estimated through statistics of the Department of Commerce, have been filled by American manufacturers of war supplies for the European belligerents during the first six months, of the war.

ACROSS THE LINE

Gettysburg.

The Baby Show at Walter's Theatre for the past several weeks came to a close on Wednesday evening. The pictures of the babies whenever shown drew large crowds and over 12,000 votes were cast for the contestants numbering over 70. The result of the voting was as follows:

Class A—First, No. 56, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snyder, 663; second, No. 71, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Zinn, 426. This class included all contestants 18 months old and under.

Class B—First, No. 90, girl twins of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, colored, 401; second, No. 40, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eder, 372. This class included all contestants between the age of 18 months and two and one-half years.

Class C—First, No. 46, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shriver, 416; second, No. 30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stock, 345. This class averaged in age between two and one-half and three years.

The prizes awarded were as follows: First, Class A, silver cup; second, 20 tickets to theatre; First, class B, silver knife, fork and spoon; second, 20 admission tickets; First, Class C, \$2.50 in gold; second, 20 admission tickets.

Friday evening the new school building at Arendtsville was dedicated in the presence of a great number of friends and patrons of the school.

The building is an imposing two-story structure on South High Street, built at a cost of \$6,000 containing two class rooms on each floor, also library and teachers' room on first floor, well lighted by electricity.

The meeting was under the direction of the Home and School Association. The Banner was awarded to the High School for two weeks and primary two weeks, each having 27 parents present, while the grammar school had 26.

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KEYSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knipple have returned home after spending three months with their daughter, Mrs. Grace Myers, Saugerties, N. Y.

Miss Anna Ritter spent the week-end with her cousin Miss Edith Ohler, of Frederick County.

Miss Jennie Weybright entertained Misses Alice Barto and Olive Maust, of Blue Ridge College, New Windsor, over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Stull and daughter, Kathryn, have returned home after visiting relatives in York.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dern gave a quilting party to their neighbors and friends on Thursday. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hirsh Eichelberger, Mr. and Mrs. John Forrest; Mesdames Earnest Ritter, William Stonesifer, Mack Haugh, Peter Baumgardner, David Reifsmider, William Mehring, Elizabeth Baumgardner Dorsey Diller, Harry Dern, George Dern, Susie Hyder, George Naylor, Perry Lowman, O. R. Koontz, Harvey Shorb, Charles Young; Misses Margaret Shorb, Bessie Rigler, Lola Forrest, Madeline and Loretta Dern; Messrs. Clarence Dern, Clarence Shaner, Howard Scott, Herman Eichelberger, Charles and Luther Ritter and John Young.

Misses Lillie Baumgardner and Margaret Weybright have returned home after spending some time with their schoolmate, Miss Edith Pfoutz, of Linwood.

A temperance speaker will give a lecture at the church on Saturday evening March 27. Everybody welcome.

Delegates to the Texas Cattlemen's Convention, to be held this month, will be treated to melodies that were heard on the Texas plains nearly half a century ago, says the Express. Quaint ballads and ditties will be sung by cowboys of the old frontier days, some of whom are now wealthy ranch owners.

Eyler's Valley Happenings.

Misses Margaret and Rachael McKissick spent Saturday and Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Susan Eyer, of near Thurmont.

Messrs. Lloyd and Roscoe Eyer, of Zentztown, spent Saturday and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm T. Miller.

Mr. Lewis Linebaugh spent Saturday with Mr. William McKissick, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McKissick and little Alice Working spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Miss Lucy Adelsberger and Miss Myrtle Eyer made a business trip to Thurmont Saturday.

Mr. Samuel Kipe, of Cascade, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Wm. T. Miller.

Miss Margaret McKissick spent Wednesday with Miss Ruth Miller.

Hagerstown Bank Deposits.

Deposits in Hagerstown's seven banks gained \$147,435.96 from December 31 to March 4, and have now passed the \$7,000,000 mark. The banks have combined resources of \$9,359,303.84, a gain of \$118,508.30 in a little more than two months.

TERRACE TALK.

St. Patrick's Day was "rec".

Is the cheer leader composing yells?

Current moving Picture comment—"I am here to stay."

Literary essays are becoming prevalent.

Biology students have enlisted in the ranks of the vivisectionists.

Now among the places forsaken, since the advent of several Spring days—Gym., Library, Pool Rooms etc.

The return of Bob Higgins to the Mount is a considerable asset to the present stock of pill-propellers now on hand. The all-around labor of Higgins on last year's squad removes all difficulty of his acquiring a berth among the 1915 group.

Representative Cordell Hell, of Tennessee, says that the European war has created for American finance, industry and commerce the "most unlimited possibilities and opportunities ever offered any country in all history."

A Surprise Party.

A very enjoyable surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baumgardner, of Four Points. Those who were present spent a very pleasant evening playing games and music, and at a late hour all were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Thomas Baumgardner, Peter Baumgardner, Baron Stull, Edgar Phillips, Charles Keilholtz, Grier Keilholtz, Geo. A. Ohler, George Wilhide, Frank Troxell; Elsie Gillie and Addie Baumgardner, Ruth Troxell, Zona Smith, Rosanna Ohler, Edith Ohler, Zeppa Troxell, Edna Stansbury, Rose Harner, Margaret, Carrie and Clyde Ohler, Emma, Robert and Russel Stone-sifer, Nellie and Daisy Moser, Anna and Charles Newcomer, Carrie, Charles and Elmer Fuss, Sylvia Wilhide, Kathern Stull, Helen, Anna, Dorothy, Bruce, Jane and Pauline Baumgardner; Messrs. Curtis and Raymond Roop, Roy, Raymond and Clarence Baumgardner, Maurice Warren, John and Andrew Keilholtz, Francis Herring, Oscar John Harner, Lloyd Ohler, Roy and Gregg Kiser, Harry and Charles McNair, Allen Sheely, Jones Baker, Roy Eyer and George Shelton.

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Along the line of the Reading, Biglerville led with shipment of 45,524 barrels of apples; Guernsey, 15,883, and Bendersville with 11,200. Along the line of the Western Maryland 12,040 barrels were shipped from Orrtanna and 13,000 from McKnightstown.

Figured in percentages the apple crop for 1914 has increased 563 per cent. over the crop of 1903.

**For County Demonstrator.**

An aggressive campaign, to extend to every district of the county, is to be launched by the Frederick County Farmers' Association, to raise half of the salary for a farm demonstrator. At a recent meeting of county farmers the farm demonstrator was voted down by a vote of nearly six to one. The government will pay half the salary of this official. The association has taken upon itself the responsibility of raising the county's share, the county commissioners having refused to levy for this money. At the annual election held on Saturday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, David G. Zentz; vice presidents, R. Claude Dutrow and William P. Morsell; secretary, Noah E. Cramer; treasurer, M. F. Holter; counsel, George R. Dennis, Jr.; executive committee, William J. Grove, M. F. Holter, L. J. Keller, C. F. Flook, T. B. Hayward and Jesse P. King.

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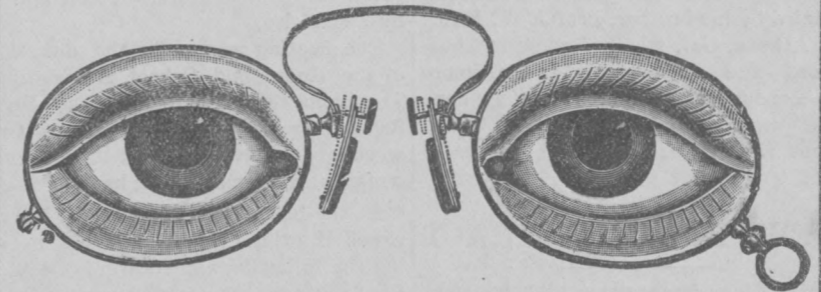
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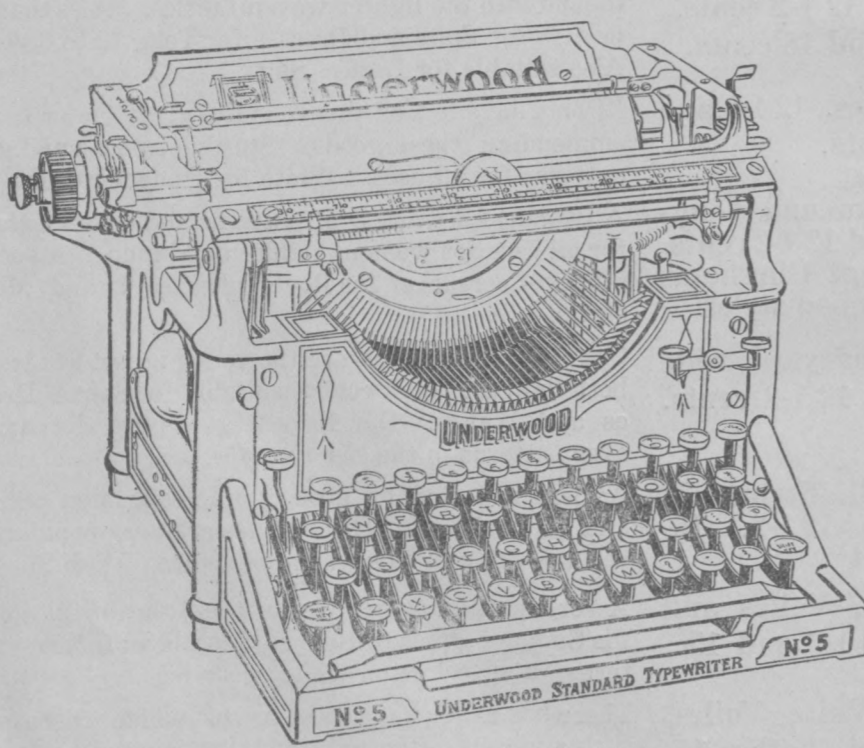
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