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## AVIATION CORPS TO BE BUILT UP

### Part of General Scheme of National Defense.

## SKILLED PILOTS SCARCE.

### Machines Can Be Turned Out Whenever Necessary—Trips Will Soon Be Made to Seek Locations on Atlantic and Gulf Coasts—Dirigible Not Regarded With Much Favor.

Washington.—Comprehensive plans for the improvement of the aeronautic branch of the war department as part of the general scheme of national defense are being prepared by the signal corps under the direction of Brigadier General George P. Scriven and Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Reber.

Colonel Reber recently returned from the Pacific coast, where he went as member of a commission authorized by congress to report upon available locations for an aviation school for extension of this branch of the service. It is said that trips will soon be made to seek locations on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts.

Colonel Reber says that San Diego, San Francisco, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane were visited and various sites well looked over.

There is need of more aviators for army work. The machines can be turned out whenever necessary. To furnish pilots in event of war is the difficulty.

The law under which the aviation corps has been organized provides that army aviators must be lieutenants, unmarried and less than thirty years of age, except that twelve noncommissioned officers may take up this work. But the number of lieutenants who meet these requirements is limited.

Whether the army will take up the matter of dirigible balloons is a question. General Scriven from the statements which he made last fall before the house committee on military affairs does not believe much in them; he prefers the aeroplane. Other officers, however, favor the Zeppelin type of dirigible, while still others believe in the nonrigid type. At present there is no money available for dirigibles for the army.

## TO ABDUCT MORMON CHIEF.

### Bandits Threaten to Hold Smith For \$100,000 Ransom.

Denver.—The threatened abduction of Joseph F. Smith, head of the Mormon church, in Salt Lake City, to the Jackson Hole country, in Wyoming, where a ransom of \$100,000 was to be demanded for his release by the three daylight robbers who held up 125 tourists in Yellowstone park on July 9, has caused the federal authorities here to adopt extraordinary measures for his safety.

News of the contemplated abduction first reached Roy O. Sampson of the department of justice and his assistant, J. W. Melrose, two months ago, but the matter later was dropped by the federal authorities.

The abduction, however, of E. A. Empey, a wealthy cattleman, from his ranch at Idaho Falls, Ida., presumably by the three Yellowstone park bandits, and his release upon the payment of a \$6,000 ransom caused the authorities to renew their interest in the matter.

According to reports received by the federal authorities, the abduction of Smith was to follow closely after the abduction of Empey.

## WILL IN HIS SLIPPER.

### Grandchild Cleaning House Found It Quite by Accident.

Hudsonville, Mich.—When Thomas H. Sestel, pioneer resident of Filmore township, died on May 30, there began a search for a will disposing of his estate, which is valued at upward of \$50,000.

A justice who drew up a will and the men who signed as witnesses testified to the existence of such a document, but a search failed to reveal the missing testament.

The estate was taken into probate court to be divided among the heirs according to their rights by birth. As a probate judge was about to take this step one of the dead man's great granddaughters was busy aiding in giving the home of Mr. Sestel a thorough cleaning. She found an old pair of carpet slippers, frayed and torn. As she threw the slippers away a piece of paper fell out. It proved to be the missing will.

## SCHOOL ENROLLMENT TWENTY-TWO MILLIONS

### United States Report Shows Small College Attendance.

Washington.—The enrollment in colleges and universities in the United States is only 216,000, or less than 1 per cent of a total of 22,000,000 in all the educational institutions of the country, according to the annual report issued by the United States commissioner of education. More than 19,000,000 were enrolled in the elementary schools, while 1,374,000 were in secondary schools, both public and private. Nearly 100,000 were in normal schools preparing to be teachers, 67,000 were in professional schools, while the rest were divided among other types of institutions.

These students got instruction from 700,000 teachers, of whom 506,000 were in the public schools. In point of rapid growth the public high school still presents the most impressive figures because the enrollment for the last year was more than \$4,000 in excess of the preceding one.

The cost of education in 1914, according to the estimate of the commissioner of education, was \$750,000,000. He adds in his report:

"This three-quarters of a billion dollars is a relatively small amount compared with other items in the public expense. It is less by \$300,000,000 than the cost of running the federal government. It is less than one-third the nation's expenditure for alcoholic liquors. It is only a little more than three times the estimated cost of admission to motion picture theaters in the United States for the same year. Measured in terms of products of the soil, the United States spent somewhat more for education in 1914 than the value of a cotton crop, and less than the value of the wheat crop, and less than half the value of the annual harvest of corn, which the nation's bill for education was less by nearly \$100,000,000 than the value of the exports from the harbor of New York in the calendar year just past.

## FOR WORLD HOBO UNION.

### Founder of Hotel de Gink Plans Organization.

New York.—Jeff Davis, founder of the Hotel de Gink, hopes to establish a worldwide union of hoboes with a membership of 5,000,000. He recently made known his plans, and all that prevents him from starting at once, he said, was a paper from President Wilson which will enable him to enter the war zone.

The world trip, Davis insists, is to be made upon the yacht of his friend, George E. Crater, Jr., and will include China and India, whose "boes" will be invited to make themselves at home in the headquarters Davis plans. The leader believes there are 20,000,000 "boes at liberty throughout the world, and he thinks one-fourth of these will hearken to his plea to join his union.

## RUNS AWAY GARBED AS BOY.

### Movie Picture Prompts Girl to Adopt Disguise.

Paterson, N. J.—Putting into practice a moving picture she had witnessed, Melina Rasche, a sixteen-year-old high school girl of 121 Fourth avenue, ran away from home, and, cutting her hair short and donning a suit of her brother's clothes, successfully posed as a boy until she was picked up by two detectives.

Mrs. Andrew Rasche, who discovered her daughter's disappearance when the girl failed to come downstairs for breakfast, notified the police, and a search that extended to Philadelphia was instituted. When the girl was stopped by the detectives, who thought her a rather effeminate looking "boy," she admitted her identity.

"I saw a picture in the movies of how a girl dressed up as a boy and got away with it," she told Captain John Tracey, "and I thought I could do it myself, but I guess I didn't know how to act."

Recorder Carroll sentenced her to the county jail for ten days.

## BUG IN TAILOR'S EAR.

### Glycerin With Carbolic Acid Routs Invader.

Spokane, Wash.—The removal of an insect was asked for by H. Cook, a tailor, who went to the Emergency hospital holding his left ear a few days ago.

The bug entered at an open window while Cook rode in a street car and gave him much pain.

Two drops of glycerin containing 5 per cent carbolic acid was dropped into the ear by Steward A. H. Woodruff. Bugs have an antipathy for this solution, according to the experience of the steward in the tropics. As the second drop disappeared the bug stuck its green head forth cautiously and was grabbed by the steward.

## The Phonograph.

You will have to say this much for the phonograph—it never sings through its nose.—Toledo Blade.

## WHALING SHIPS SEEK EXPLORER

### Search For Stefansson In Arctic Vigorously Continued.

## FROZEN IN TWO YEARS AGO

### Secretary McConnell Thinks His Chief, Who Is a Dead Shot, Can Kill Game Enough For Many Months—Explorer Had With Him More Than 400 Pounds of Ammunition.

New York.—With the second anniversary of the freezing in of the Karluk, Vilhjalmur Stefansson's exploring ship, and the end of a year and several months since Stefansson himself was seen last by men who afterward returned to civilization survivors of the expedition and the friends of Stefansson are hanging to a slender thread of hope that he may have been rescued or that his rescue may soon be effected when two whaling ships go to Wrangel island, north of Siberia, in the hope of finding that he and his companions have reached land there.

One of these ships is the Belvedere, commanded by Olaf Swenson, who on Sept. 7, 1914, reached Wrangel island on the power boat King and Winge and rescued sixteen members of the party under Captain Bartlett. Captain Lane of the Polar Bear, another whaler, also will make Wrangel island shortly when ice conditions are most favorable and will seek the explorer.

Stefansson and five members of his party left Martin Point, on the north coast of Alaska, on March 22, 1914, on an expedition into the unexplored region north of Alaska. On April 7, when the party was at the point known since as Camp Separation, Stefansson sent back his secretary, Burt M. McConnell, and two other members of the party, Crawford and Johansen. He took with him Storkensen and Anderson, two of the hardest and most experienced men in the party; six of the best dogs, a sled and a load of more than 900 pounds.

Stefansson expected to return the way he came, or if that appeared unfeasible to go east to Banks island. McConnell and the others were sent back to have a boat sent to Banks island if Stefansson and the others did not return to the north coast of the North American continent. On Stefansson's failure to return to the mainland two whaling captains were sent to Banks island, but there was no trace of Stefansson or his party there. The whalers brought back word that the ice had broken up earlier than usual and that Stefansson, if he sought to reach Banks island, had been prevented by open water.

"I believe that Stefansson's resourcefulness would enable him and his companions to live on the ice for two and a half or three years," said McConnell at his home in this city. "The difficulty which he would face in trying to escape from the ice to the mainland or to Wrangel or Banks island lies in the fact that his sled will carry only food enough to support the party for a short distance. On this account he will have to stay near spots where the hunting is good, unless he eventually finds himself carried by the drift to a point close enough to land to make a dash for it.

"Stefansson had with him 400 rounds of ammunition. He is a dead shot. On one of his previous explorations he supported himself and two companions for a year on the game which he killed with sixty-two cartridges. I have never seen him miss his mark with a rifle.

"There is plenty of game in the country where he now is—seals, polar bears and foxes. The polar bears live on seal and stay where they are plentiful, and the foxes live on the carcasses left behind by the bears, so that all three are found together. It is not necessary to waste ammunition on foxes, which can be trapped and killed in other ways. Stefansson in all his expeditions has lived largely on game.

"If he reaches land in the unexplored region the party may live on the land indefinitely. The 400 rounds of ammunition are enough, I should say, to keep the party in meat for about two years."

## Meets Brother After Forty-four Years.

York, Pa.—Alexander Welfeld of this city went to Chicago to visit a brother, of whose whereabouts he had no knowledge for forty-four years. The brother, Abraham, left their home in Austria and came to America. Alexander followed him, but never found any trace of him until an accidental meeting of relatives in Chicago revealed that Abraham was living in that city.

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## FORBIDS THE SALE OF LIQUOR TO SOLDIERS

### Applies, Order Reads, to "Intrenched Camp of Paris."

Paris.—For many months the rule has obtained that no drink could be served in cafes or bars in Paris to soldiers in uniform, whatever their rank, before the hour of 5. In the early days it was not unusual to see colonels, and generals even, who forgetfully had seated themselves on the terrace of a cafe before the fateful hour gently moved on as undesirable customers.

General Gallieni has issued, it appears, a much more sweeping and stringent decree forbidding the sale of alcohol to any soldier at any hour of the day throughout the whole of the intrenched camp of Paris. The decree runs thus:

"General Gallieni feels that at an hour when the physical and moral energy of all soldiers should be at the highest intensity the struggle against alcoholism, which destroys both, must be carried out relentlessly.

"He therefore thinks it right to forbid in the intrenched camp of Paris the sale to soldiers and the purchase by them in cafes, bars, shops or houses of alcohol and alcoholic drinks—absinth, bitters, aperitifs, vermouths, liqueurs and all other alcoholic drinks not specifically named."

It is not quite clear whether wine and beer are to be included in the ban, but it is probable that they are not. The soldiers at the front, of course, have their wine ration, which was increased quite lately.

## TURN HAMBURG SHIPS.

### Compasses Affected by Lying For a Year Alongside Iron Pier.

New York.—Six Hamburg-American line steamers, tied up at Thirty-third street, South Brooklyn, have been turned around by order of the marine superintendent to regulate their compasses, which had been affected by lying for a year alongside an iron pier. The hauling of the ships into their berths stern first created comment along the water front in South Brooklyn, with the usual dash to sea rumor.

Captain Jaeger, who has charge of the ships, said the magnetism from the iron pier had affected the compasses and caused the needles to deviate from the north.

He said the Vaterland, tied up in Hoboken, was equipped with gyroscopic compasses, which were not subject to magnetic influences. Other steamers are made fast to wooden piers, which do not affect the compasses.

## HIS DIMES CAME BACK.

### How a Kansan Proved Honesty of Stranded Harvesters.

Hutchinson, Kan.—"Bread scattered on the waters" is beginning to return to a Hutchinson man who lent a helping hand to harvesters stranded in Hutchinson.

Each day for nearly a week Walter Jordan, a wealthy Hutchinson man, distributed ten cent pieces among the large number of harvest hands gathered here awaiting work. He asked no questions, but gave each man a dime.

Jordan repeated it daily during the rush the following week. The harvest now has started, and most of these men are working in the wheat fields. The mail is beginning to bring Jordan's dimes back to him. Quite a number have been sent back to him by the harvesters, who are now repaying him from their first earnings. In some cases the men inclosed extra sums for "interest."

Nicholas Bird, commissioner of the board of charities, had a similar experience. Several of the men whom he had assisted are now sending in remittances making repayment. One man whom he had helped leave town, buying a railway ticket, remitted the full amount with interest.

## MOUNTAIN LIONS SCARCE.

### Fear Now Hunters Have Exterminated Breed.

Sacramento, Cal.—Reports to the state controller indicate that the hunters of the northern counties of the state have practically exterminated the mountain lions. Last month only four mountain lions were killed in California as against close upon 200 for the same period a decade ago.

Three of the four were killed in the southern counties—one each in Los Angeles, Tulare and Kern, the fourth one being killed in Humboldt county. The bounty paid for the pelts by the state was \$50 for June.

Indications are that efforts of stock raisers during the past quarter of a century have resulted in the practical extinction of the animal. Bounties have been paid upon 22,000 mountain lions in the past twenty-five years.

## KANSAS PLANS FOR FREE FAIR

### Everybody and Everybody's Sister and Brother Invited.

## SCHEME ENTIRELY ORIGINAL

### Free Idea Appealed Particularly to Kansas Temperament as It Would Set the Pace For Other States and Other Fairs—Kansas Will Blaze the Way, Is the Enthusiastic Slogan.

Topeka, Kan.—"Welcome to our fair!" That is what the people of Kansas will say to the world next September, when the first big free fair to be held in the United States will be opened in the capital city of the state.

The admission gates will be thrown wide open and kept open for the fair week, Sept. 13-17. Everybody, big, little, old and young, rich and poor, from east and west and north and south, will be invited in, to stay as long as they wish, and to come and go as often as they wish.

It was just like Kansas to "pull" the first free fair. It might be said that it was eminently proper that Kansas should do it, for Kansas is nothing if not original. Recently there was much discussion as to whether the federal government should in some way finance the south's cotton crop, and it was decided it would be impractical. Several years ago, when a succession of droughts had paralyzed agriculture in Kansas and farmers had no seed or money to buy it with and thousands of them were leaving the state, the Kansas legislature promptly convened and advanced \$100,000 to the farmers with which to buy seed. It was a new and what some would call a "paternalistic" scheme, but it was the thing needed, and Kansas did it. That is her style. She meets every emergency as it comes, and neither theories nor limitations deter her. The people of Kansas are not fettered by an enervating conservatism. They are progressive and independent in thought, and they are forward looking. They are not bound by the past or afraid to blaze a new trail. That's how they came to be in Kansas. They and their forebears were trail blazers.

So if something new comes along and it looks good to Kansas, Kansas is not afraid to try it, and in doing so, if their thoughts go contrarily to the remainder of the country, it doesn't make a particle of difference to the people of Kansas.

Consequently when some one suggested that the Kansas State Fair association's annual exhibition be made a free fair Kansas said right away: "Well, it's a new thing and looks good and will give us lots of advertisement. Let's try it."

That was the spirit that carried the free fair in Kansas. "It's new, looks good and will advertise us." The people of Kansas like to start something new, and they like to advertise their state. The Shriners of Topeka are now out on the coast. In Topeka there is one of the best amateur bands in the United States—Marshall's band. Some one suggested that the Shriners take Marshall's band with them. It numbers forty first class musicians. Topeka promptly raised a popular subscription of nearly \$4,000 and sent Marshall's band on a tour of the Pacific coast to advertise the city. That spirit pervades the whole state of Kansas. There are 84,000 square miles of Kansas, and there are 84,000 square miles of Kansas patriotism.

So the free fair idea appealed peculiarly to the Kansas temperament—it would set the pace for other states and other fairs. Kansas would blaze the way.

The Kansas State Fair association has been holding fair exhibitions for thirty years. It is one of the oldest in the west. It is composed of Topeka business men. Some four years ago the fair needed a new building and other improvements, but because of the droughts and crop failures the stockholders did not feel like going down into their pockets, so the people of the county (Shawnee) were appealed to and voted \$50,000.

But unluckily two or three consecutive years of constant rains during fair week followed, and financial loss resulted. The Fair association found itself in a bad way.

As "necessity is the mother of invention," the free fair plan was suggested as the best way to solve the fair problem. The county already having a considerable investment, it was decided to open the gates and make the fair free, provided the people would vote a small tax (one-fourth of a mill) with which to pay the fair premiums.

It cannot be said who originated the free fair idea, but the first man to urge it were T. A. Borman, former president of the Fair association, and Mr.

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## STEEL TRAIN CARRIED RECORD CARGO OF GOLD

### Forty Armed Men Guarded Fifty Millions.

New York.—A special train carrying \$50,000,000 in treasure, one-third in gold and two-thirds in securities, which had been shipped by the Bank of England from London via Halifax to this city, arrived at the terminal of the American Express company at Thirty-third street and Tenth avenue in seven steel cars garrisoned by forty armed men.

The treasure crossed the Atlantic in a battle cruiser accompanied by a flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers.

The gold, which is worth about \$20,000,000, weighs approximately seventy-five tons. The cost of shipping it to this country, in the upkeep of the naval forces, in the elaborate guard maintained on its railway journey and in loss of interest is said to amount to about \$170,000.

When the armed train left Halifax it was preceded by a pilot engine for the purpose of testing bridges and trestles and to frustrate any attempt to wreck the treasure cars by dynamite. This precaution was suggested by the exploit of Werner Horn, the German reservist, who attempted to blow up the St. Croix River International bridge on Feb. 2 to stop shipments of munitions for the allies from this country to Canada over the Canadian Pacific railroad.

News of the arrival of the greatest cargo of treasure ever carried by a single ship did not get out of Halifax because of the rigor of the British censorship. It was learned, however, that before the treasure had been landed one day's delay ensued, for the reason that Admiral Beatty had orders to deliver the shipment directly to the American Express company, which had no offices of its own in Halifax and was represented there by the Dominion Express company. Admiral Beatty cabled back for instructions and was ordered to make the delivery to the Dominion Express company.

In this case one day's delay means a cost of thousands of dollars. The interest on the valuable shipment at 5 per cent would be \$2,730 a day, which was lost. The cost of keeping the fleet on the errand for an extra day and the expense of maintaining the express company's train and guard was also a heavy one.

## DOES PRESS AID THIEVES?

### Editors Resent Woman's Demand That Society News Be Omitted.

Montclair, N. J.—The declaration of Mrs. Charles E. Van Vleck that the goings and comings of the socially prominent should not be chronicled in the local newspapers on the ground that the announcements serve to attract thieves has set the whole town talking. There is much speculation as to whether Mrs. Van Vleck's dictum will be accepted.

Mrs. Van Vleck states that the present practice of society should be stopped and that the information be given to the police instead. Mrs. Van Vleck explains that she was moved to her suggestion because the local police found copies of the local newspapers in houses that had been entered. Opposite the item telling about the departure of the householders a mark had been placed.

The police favor Mrs. Van Vleck's idea. Inasmuch as the society news is the mainstay of the local newspapers, their editors are indignant. The whole town is talking.

## LETTER LOST 23 YEARS.

### Found In Attic, Demanded Immediate Reply.

Detroit, Mich.—On Oct. 10, 1892, a mail sack left in the waiting room of the Northern Pacific station was slit open and a valuable package of bank mail taken out. Nothing was found of the thief nor of the package until a few days ago, when J. L. Peterson found a package of mail matter under the eaves in the attic of his house.

On investigation it was found to be the missing package stolen twenty-three years ago. It was delivered to the local postmaster and by him sent to the dead letter office. One of the letters in the stolen package was opened.

It was from a young man of the town to his fiancee, demanding that she let him know by return mail whether she would marry him or not, as he would not be put off any longer.

### Suitor, Seventy-five, Drops Dead.

Winsted, Conn.—John Blakeslee, seventy-five years old, a sea captain of Stuart, Fla., who came to Colebrook to wed an old acquaintance, Mrs. Abbie Smith, a widow, dropped dead from heart failure in that town.

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WIN AT MONTEREY; LOSE AT THURMONT.

Vacationists Play Good Game.—Thurmont Gets Deciding Game of Series 9 to 2.

Last Saturday afternoon the Emmitsburg Baseball Club journeyed to Monterey and engaged the Country Club of that place. The game was close from beginning to end, with the exception of the fifth inning when the boys from the lowlands started a bombardment that netted them six runs.

Table with columns AB, R, H, O, A, E for Emmitsburg and Monterey. Emmitsburg totals: 43 9 17 27 10 2. Monterey totals: 33 4 4 27 8 4.

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On Monday Thurmont was our objective, and although the defenders were taken back by our onset, our Busy Bertha which had worked so effectively through five charges was taken out of the firing line, and the howitzers which were used in its stead had something wrong with their sights.

The line of battle was as follows: EMMITSBURG. Annan, E. lb. 5 1 0 11 0 0. S. Annan, lf. 5 1 2 0 0 0. W. Rosensteel, rf. 4 0 1 1 0 0.

Table with columns AB, R, H, O, A, E for Emmitsburg and Thurmont. Emmitsburg totals: 34 2 6 24 8 7. Thurmont totals: 37 9 10 27 12 3.

Two-base hit—R. Creeger. Sacrifice hit—Birely. Stolen bases—R. Creeger, Root (3), Damuth, S. Annan, W. Rosensteel, Hospelhorn. Struck out—by E. Creeger, 4; by Arnold, 3; by Stokes, 2.

Enjoyable Trip to Palmyra, Pa. A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hobbs, and Messrs. Edward Harner and Robert Hahn, enjoyed an automobile trip to Palmyra, Pa., on Sunday, Aug. 15.

Mr. Fink is proprietor of the Washington Hotel, of that place, and is doing an excellent business. On their return trip Mr. Fink and family accompanied them to the famous Hershey Chocolate plant.

The total number of blind persons in the world is estimated at 2,390,000.

EUGENE HARRISON FOR STATE SENATOR

Mayor of Brunswick Sets Forth in Open Letter His Stand on Issues.

In this issue of THE CHRONICLE, Mayor Eugene Harrison, of Brunswick, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for State Senator, publishes an open letter to the voters of the county, setting forth his views on various campaign issues.

Mr. Harrison was born in Washington county, July 29, 1865. He came to Brunswick in 1891, when the work of building the railroad yards was in progress, and has had charge of the Western Union and B. & O. telegraph office ever since.

He has always been active in the fight against the legalized liquor traffic, and he promises to continue that activity if elected to the Senate this year.

For the past year Mr. Harrison has been Mayor of Brunswick, and in that capacity his record is an open book. His record for accomplishing things as Mayor during the first year of his administration probably surpasses the record of most of his predecessors.

Those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Lewis Krise in Fairfield on Sunday afternoon were: Mrs. J. W. Eichelberger, Misses Bessie Hoke, and Mr. Joseph E. Hoke, Miss Marion Hoke, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowe, Miss Mae Rowe, Mrs. James Hospelhorn, Mrs. Annie Septer, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke, Mr. William Hoke, Miss Fannie Hoke, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hoke, Mr. Cleveland Hoke, Mr. and Mrs. Walter White, Mr. and Mrs. George Eyster, Miss Anna Gillelan, Mrs. E. H. Rowe, Miss Bess Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. A. M. Patterson, Miss Ruth Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Landers, Miss Ella Shriver, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frailley, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoke, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gillelan, Misses Ida Zimmerman and Laura Beard, Mr. and Mrs. David Rhodes, Mr. Lewis Rhodes, Miss Kate Rhodes, all of Emmitsburg, Mr. and Mrs. William Rosensteel, Mr. Harry Hoke, Mr. Ted Smith, Mr. Walter Pepper, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Minnich, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dornier, of Carlisle, Pa., Mrs. J. E. Musselman, of Gettysburg and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Myers and Mr. Coolidge, of Pen Mar.

House Burned. The home of Mr. Michael Glacken, about a mile west of town, was burned to the ground yesterday evening. The fire started on the roof of the building as the family was getting supper. The loss is covered by insurance.

NEW SOUVENIR POST CARDS. THE CHRONICLE Press has issued the first instalment of a new series of Souvenir Post Cards of Emmitsburg—views that everybody will want. These cards may be had at any store in Emmitsburg and at the CHRONICLE Office. Price 2 for 5.

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Kansas Plans for Free Fair. (Continued from page 1.) LUX, the present president. Both for several years were prominently identified with the fair, Mr. Dorman being at the time editor of the Kansas Farmer, a farm weekly published in Topeka. He now lives in Chicago.

Generally regarded as a modern disease, appendicitis was known in Egypt 5,000 years ago, and accurately described in still existing records.

Dr. J. A. W. Matthews, V.S.

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PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in the last will and testament of Jacob W. Gillelan, late of Frederick County, deceased, and in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court, of Frederick County, Maryland, the undersigned surviving executor of said will, will sell at public sale in front of the premises described below, on

Saturday, September 4th, 1915, at 2 o'clock, P. M., all that Real Estate of which the said Jacob W. Gillelan died, seized and possessed, situated in the town of Emmitsburg, Frederick county, Maryland, on the North side of East Main street, fronting thirty feet on said street and running back to an alley in the rear thereof with a uniform width of thirty feet, and adjoining the property of John H. Mentzer on the East and the property of John Jackson on the West, improved with a two-story Weatherboarded Dwelling House, Summer Kitchen and Stable, it being the same Real Estate which was conveyed to the said Jacob W. Gillelan by John T. Long and wife by their deed dated the 27th day of March 1886 and recorded in Liber W. I. P. No. 1, folios 239, etc., one of the Land Records of Frederick County.

Terms of Sale as prescribed by the Orphans' Court: One half cash on the day of sale or ratification thereof by the Orphans' Court, the balance on or before April 1st, 1916, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes bearing interest from day of sale, with good and sufficient security to be approved by the said surviving executor for the deferred payments, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All the expenses of conveying including revenue stamps to be paid by the purchaser or purchasers. A deposit of \$50.00 will be required on the day of sale. When all the purchase money has been paid the deed will be executed.

EUGENE L. ROWE, Surviving Executor. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick county, Maryland, letters of Administratrix on the estate of

JOHN J. DUKEHART. late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 11th day of March, 1916; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 9th day of August, 1915. MARY A. DUKEHART, Administratrix. 8-11-6t

ORDER NISI ON SALES

No. 9353 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting in Equity.

JULY TERM, 1915. In the Matter of the Report of Sales, Filed the 10th day of August, 1915.

Frederick Welty, assignee of Mortgage from Francis E. Kreitz and Sarah Kreitz, his wife to J. Edwin Payne and Margaret C. Payne, his wife. On petition. Ordered, That on the 4th day of September, 1915, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Frederick Welty, Assignee of Mortgage in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$1,150.00. Dated this 10th day of August 1915. HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True Copy, Test: HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk. Eugene L. Rowe, Solr. aug. 13 4ts

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

In the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, Md., AUGUST TERM, 1915. In the Matter of the Sale of the Real Estate of

MARGARET S. WAGNER, Deceased. In the Matter of the Report of Sales, filed the 16th day of August 1915.

ORDERED, by the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, this 16th day of August, 1915, that the sale of Real Estate of MARGARET S. WAGNER, late of Frederick County, deceased, this day reported to this Court by her Executor be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 11th day of September, 1915, provided a copy of this order be published in some newspaper published in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to 11th day of September 1915.

The Executor's report states the amount of sales to be Six Hundred and Twelve dollars (\$612.00.) Dated this 16th day of August 1915.

JOHN C. CASTLE, ALBERT W. ECKER, JOHN W. MUMFORD, Judges of the Orphans' Court. True Copy—Test: SAMUEL D. THOMAS, Register of Wills. Eugene L. Rowe, Executor. Aug-20-4ts.

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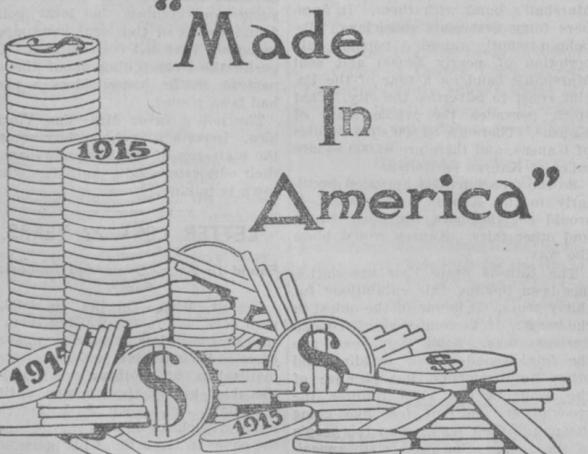
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**THE ENVELOPE, THE "DEAL" ETC.**

A contributor to the Bel Air Aegis presents certain phases of the Lee position in the campaign and is answered as follows:

1. You state that Lee favored a direct primary ten years ago and had his law passed including the envelope feature, which feature you oppose.

Plausible as your objection may sound much can be said in favor of the envelope feature, namely that it gives the voter the opportunity to mark his ballot at home, away from the influence of "workers" and it insures a secret ballot in that even the judges cannot see how the voter marks his ballot. And right here may I ask that inasmuch as your associates were in control of the recent legislatures, why did you not repeal this feature?

Answer:  
It also gives opportunity, if desired, to mark ballots absolutely UNDER the influence of "workers"—that is by "workers" themselves. The envelope is just as desirable in the general election as it is in the primary, that is, it is a channel through which the more safely to buy votes. The Lee forces, holding the balance of power in the last Legislature, refused to allow the envelope clause to be repealed. Personally we have always advocated a primary law, always opposed the envelope, and always thought legalized primaries should be conducted just as the general elections are.

II. You state that ten years ago Lee pressed for fair elections and unpurchased votes and yet he has spent more money than any other public man.

Why don't you add that he spent it strictly according to law and that his treasurer in Harford County filed a sworn statement showing how and by whom it was spent. And then tell us how much your associates spent in the Primary of 1911 and explain why you did not file a report as the law demands.

Answer:  
Because a large proportion was spent in ways that were totally reprehensible. There are many acts which will escape technical violations of law which will not pass the bar of public opinion. No campaign which costs a man \$50,000 for a nomination can be justified; it is utterly subversive to good government and an uncorrupted electorate, and prevents any but rich men however desirable others may be from holding office. By "you" you probably mean Senator Gorman. We are not Senator Gorman's sponsor or defender of any shortcomings he may be guilty of. We are advised that his report was filed in Howard county, but he is not an issue in this campaign, nor do we propose to make him one.

III. You state that ten years ago Lee favored Oyster Culture and that later he passed a Bill that knocked out Oyster Culture in a single night.

I say that the Bill you mention was Harrington's own Bill, that he, Harrington, fathered it through the Legislature and that today Harrington is campaigning in the oyster counties on his work for this very law and using it against Senator Lee.

Answer:  
We grant for the sake of argument the correctness of your statement. We do not favor Mr. Harrington because he openly advocated the Sheppard oyster bill; we oppose Senator Lee because he openly opposed it, but at the last moment secretly secured its passage and is now trying to secure credit and support among oystermen in the tide water counties for having done so. Your logic shows your loyal allegiance. Senator Lee last Friday night tried to prove that he could not be held responsible for the Sheppard bill because he was not in the Legislature of 1914! And yet Lee holds Senator Smith responsible for all of the legislation he has been opposed to for the past ten years! In other words, Senator Lee says one must be a member of a legislative body to be in any way responsible for the laws enacted! Isn't it really nearly time for the Senator to open a school in which he may teach The Theory and Practice of Politics?

IV. You state that ten years ago Lee was against the bosses but that now he has tied up with Mayor Preston upon the mutual promises of support for Governor and appointment to the Senate.

I say that you knew when you wrote your last reply that Mayor Preston had denied that he had ever had a talk with Lee on the subject, and that he would not accept the appointment at this time if it were offered him, and that the word of a Harford boy who has risen to such prominence as Mayor Preston ought to be good enough for you to accept without question and further that you attempted to enlarge an issue that you know has no foundation in fact.

Answer:  
What a joker our correspondent has grown to be! Not only has his own mind been entirely disabused of his conviction held one month ago, that the Senator's election as Governor meant the Mayor's appointment as Senator, but he hides any and all, you cannot keep up with him. However, let us accept this joke as an absolute and literal fact. We assume that he will not deny that one night during the recent past these two gentlemen, who been diametrically opposed in their theory and practice of party methods, met. From that time forth the Mayor and the Royal

family have been bending their best efforts towards Mr. Lee's nomination as Governor. We will leave it to the gentleman to prove whether in all of his wide range of political experience he ever DID see—or ever COULD see—a more absolute change of position or a more absolute surrender to those he has been opposing. And so the man who in season and out of season for the past ten years has urged, "Let the people rule;" "Down with the Boss," holds fast a provision in his primary law that will let the purchaser rule; enters into a contract for his own benefit with the most absolute Bosses in the state; and if successful, will himself alone name an officer whose selection should be determined by 125,000 voters! We congratulate anyone who feels able to trace and endorse the logic of such a career; but its fair promises and dismal performances are what hold our attention.

**WHY ALL THE AGITATION?**

Mayor Preston some time ago wrote a letter to each of the gubernatorial candidates asking them to state their position on the annexation question, and since then the city papers have been continually referring to the subject. It would be absurd for any candidate who aspires to the Governorship of the State to say emphatically whether he is for or against annexation, and especially to make his plan as clear as Senator Lee, and that is that he decidedly favors the scheme. Not only does he tell the people of this, but he entered into a secret agreement with Mr. Preston long before the situation was made public.

The Jeffersonian admires the stand taken by Emerson C. Harrington in regard to the matter. In answer to Mr. Preston's rather impertinent letter Mr. Harrington said that he considered the question of annexation one that could be entirely trusted to the Legislature. It was an honorable reply. He takes the voters of the State into his confidence—in short, saying that the city would be treated just in all questions that might arise.

It would be folly for Mr. Harrington to make public the fact that he favored or did not favor annexation before even receiving the nomination, and why should he tell the good people of Maryland that he is going to do certain things and when the proper time comes he conscientiously thinks them to be wrong? —The Jeffersonian.

**LEE NOT AN ECONOMIST.**

"Much is being said about economy and efficiency in the employment and operation of our State government," writes a contributor to the Baltimore Sun. "How," says he, "can the voters of Maryland depend on Senator Lee to carry out this reform when we stop to think that he spent \$53,000 four years ago in a primary election, and when we also reflect upon his Montgomery county envelope system of voting, where in his county were found six envelopes by the judges of election that contained \$2 bills when taken from the ballot boxes on the night of the primaries of four years ago."

Senator Lee served four sessions in the Maryland State Senate, and not once during that time do we find him proposing any measure to reform the operation of our State government, either in economy or efficiency. Why did he not avail himself of the opportunity then, and not offer himself at this time, when he seems to be more a candidate for State boss than for the nomination for Governor? As a reformer he seems to be a real joke."

**LINING UP FOR HARRINGTON.**

The news that the sentiment for the nomination of the Hon. Emerson C. Harrington is growing in every section of the State, while both gratifying and pleasing to his friends and supporters is nothing more than what was confidently expected by those familiar with his clean and creditable record, and who knew and appreciated the temper and character of the man.

Mr. Harrington is following the natural course—asking the people for promotion. He has clearly and definitely stated the things he stands for. He is sincere, honest and straightforward. He has fought his way up from a poor farmer's boy and knows the value of a dollar. People who hear him, who see him, who know him cannot fail to be impressed by his sincerity and earnestness. He is the type that wears well. His followers and supporters face with utmost confidence the long campaign for they well know that the better he is known the better will he be liked. His is the right side and the right has nothing to fear from a thorough discussion of the issue.—Catonville Argus.

Senator Lee is himself up against the vest-pocket primary law this time. Unless past performances prove misleading, he will find the "Old Guard" perfectly familiar with its operation.—Towson Union News.

**Parcel Post Service.**

The parcel post, which has proved to be such a popular feature of the mail service, is to be made still more available to patrons. Postmaster General Burleson has issued an order to allow larger packages to be included under the parcel post rates. The new order will permit the sending of standard sized fruit and berry crates.

There are 51,490 passenger cars on the railroads of this country.

**MR. HARRINGTON'S PLAN**

**A Definite Economy Plan That Promises Results.**

The most practical and sensible plan yet proposed looking toward the elimination of waste and inefficiency in the State Government, is, it seems to us, that advanced by Comptroller Harrington, as reported in The Sun of yesterday. Mr. Harrington suggests that the Democratic State Convention shall name a commission, which shall, after a study of the whole subject, determine upon some comprehensive plan of reform and submit it to the Legislature in the form of such bills as will remedy the trouble.

It is a better plan, we believe, than that of Mr. Joseph D. Baker—to have the Legislature name a commission, to report to the succeeding Legislature—chiefly for the reason that it promises relief at least two years earlier.

It is a plan upon which all candidates and leaders and factions may well agree. Because Mr. Harrington mentioned it first is no reason why a good suggestion should be objected to by his opponents in the party. The whole matter of reform in State affairs is not a fractional, nor even a political question, but one of real State-wide interest and importance.

The faction or party which goes about finding a remedy in the most sincere and practical way is likely to find strong popular support, and any man or set of men who hinders or attempts to play politics with it is very likely to hear from the people in a way that he will not like.

It goes without saying that the success or failure of any such plan as that suggested by Mr. Harrington will depend almost entirely on the quality of the men on the commission. It ought to be a small commission of not more than seven members, and these ought to be the very highest class men to be found, men not only of brains and standing, but practical men who know conditions and who would not only formulate a program of reform but help put it through. The extremist and the theorist and the mere practical politician ought all to be barred, and so ought the well-meaning and respectable gentlemen who would contribute only his good intentions.

There is every reason to believe that the convention would strive to name the best commission possible, for the interest of the party if for no other reason. It would be suicidal stupidity to do otherwise under the circumstances.—Editorial in Balto. Sun, Aug 19.

**OPEN TO CONVICTION.**

The Hon. "Cy" Cummings, having left the Frisco Exposition desolate and disconsolate by quitting it, is now, according to reports, engaged in telling the Eastern Shoremen how dear to the heart of the Hon. Blair Lee the oystermen are.

By the way, does any human being know how Senator Lee stands on the oyster question? No human being could read the riddle of Mr. Cummings' ideas on the subject from his record in the last Legislature.—Baltimore Sun of August 2.

We are not surprised that any one would give up in vain who has tried to "read the riddle" of Hon. Cy's record in the last Legislature. He confined himself to no spot in the House, and was bound by no precedents; but feeling that seven feet of skeleton covered with something less than three hundred pounds of avoirdupois, with a voice of fog-horn capacity which could be heard above the turmoil of the House, he told his cohorts how to vote and every Lee man knew that he spoke with authority. None questioned that the views of Delegate Cummings were the views of Senator Lee.

The House journal shows that during the first half of the session Mr. Cummings (Senator Lee) was friendly to the oyster law of 1906, and steadily opposed to the Sheppard-Anderson bill, which has practically killed oyster culture. Suddenly the latter part of February, Mr. Cummings' views began to change and it was freely circulated in the State House that Senator Lee had changed his attitude on the question which for nearly ten years he had championed, and the friends of oyster culture became deeply concerned, as it was fully known that the Lee men held the balance of power.

The final blow came when on March 20 (see House Journal, page 1794) the present law came up on its third reading and was passed, Hon. Cy. Cummings voting for it.—Bel Air Aegis.

**Dr. Frailey Honored.**

Dr. Carson P. Frailey, formerly of this place but now a resident of Washington, D. C., has been named as a delegate by H. K. Mulford Company, Biological Chemists, Philadelphia, to attend a conference of Surgeons, to be held in Washington, August 23, 24. The conference will discuss the various methods, now in use, for the treatment of First Aid Cases, with the object of formulating a method, which shall be adopted as a standard. Dr. Joseph Bloodgood, of Johns Hopkins University and Dr. Joseph Gale, of Roanoke, Va., will preside at the meeting.

Palestine this year exports nearly 600,000 pounds of almonds.

A spreading oak tree 60 feet high has about 6,000,000 leaves.

**OGDEN ON PRESTON'S PLAN.**

One of the humorous features of this primary contest for the Governorship is the demand upon the respective candidates to state "definitely," "specifically" and "satisfactorily" their position or attitude toward annexation, says Senator Ogden.

"My old friend, S. S. Field, insists that you ought to be satisfied with Senator Lee's declaration, and he no doubt means that the indorsement by Mayor Preston of the Senator's plan is a sufficient indication as to what that plan is, viz, the Mayor's borough plan.

"With due regard for the positive and ponderous sincerity of the Mayor, in relation to anything he stands for, his borough plan is the biggest joke in a fine collection of fatal blunders perpetrated by him. It ranks with the sewer rental plan, the bridge loan and the adoption of special assessments for a general paving scheme, known as the Buffalo plan. The first and second the people voted down, respectively, by 40,900 and 15,000 majorities; the third was imposed on the people without being submitted to them, and that after Mr. Preston had promised from the hustings and in interviews in the press that he would pave the city throughout with improved pavement and pay for it out of the general levy.

"To return to the borough plan of Preston and, of course, Senator Lee—that annexation plan depends upon the majority of the voters in the respective boroughs, who alone decide if the city shall take them in.

"The utter hopefulness of its accomplishment makes this "definite," "specific" and "satisfactory" statement of Senator Lee sound like the swelling bombast of an opera bouffe.

"The borough plan not only depends upon the impossible acceptance of the people in Baltimore county, but it imposes conditions upon the old city that would make its taxpayers bond slaves to the new annex. The little finger of the borough plan is thicker than the loins of the Annexation act of 1888, under which the old city groans today. Yet, to be definite, specific and satisfactory, Senator Lee must stand unequivocally for the Mayor's borough plan.

"In contrast note the clear statement of Mr. Harrington on annexation: "I believe the Legislature can be trusted to solve the difficulties involved, and I will put nothing in the way of a reasonable extension of the city's boundaries." Harrington's statement covers the only legal, dependable hope for the extension of the boundaries of Baltimore city.

"The City Wide Congress has offered a carefully drawn annexation plan for the consideration of the public, and some such plan will be introduced by me, if I live, in the Legislature of 1916. That Emerson C. Harrington will be Governor and an act providing for a reasonable extension of the city's boundaries will be passed by the Legislature and signed by him I have no doubt."

**MR. HARRINGTON AND HIS ASSOCIATES WILL SURELY WIN.**

With the primaries only a month off, the indications now are that Hon. Emerson C. Harrington, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor; Mr. Albert C. Ritchie, candidate for Attorney-General, and Mr. Hugh A. McMullen, candidate for Comptroller, will each win by a large majority. In the convention, many are claiming that they will have at least one hundred votes, when only sixty-five is needed for a majority.

The Harrington people have carefully gone over the situation, and not counting a single delegate from Baltimore city and some of the doubtful counties, they give Mr. Harrington 79 votes sure, and with a possibility of getting about 20 more, making a total of about 100 delegates in the convention.

The counties that are now sure in the Harrington columns, are as follows:

Allegheny county, seven; Anne Arundel, five; Baltimore county, seven; Calvert, three; Caroline, four; Cecil, four; Dorchester, five; Garrett, four; Harford, four; Howard, three; Kent, three; Prince George's, five; Queen Anne's, three; Somerset, four; Talbot, four; Washington, six; Wicomico, four, and Worcester, four—a total of 79.

In addition they say they have a splendid chance of carrying Carroll, Frederick and St. Mary's counties, and at least two of the city districts making a total of about 100 delegates.—Democrat and News.

**To Issue 11-Cent Stamp.**

An 11-cent stamp, the first of this denomination ever issued, is to be distributed to postmasters throughout the country by the Postoffice Department.

This new denomination was authorized by Postmaster General Burleson to meet the parcel post demand. The new stamp is dark green, and bears the profile head of Benjamin Franklin from Hoodon's bust.

The 11-cent issue was brought into being by the demand for one stamp to cover insurance, and C. O. D. charges on parcel post matter. In addition, all parcels for local delivery weighing 12 or 13 pounds carry 11 cents postage as do parcels weighing 7 pounds in the first and second zones.

Sugar consumption in the United States is now about a pound and a half a week for each person.

**TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF FREDERICK COUNTY.**

In order that the Republican voters of Frederick county may be clearly informed as to his stand on the various questions that will demand the consideration of the members of the Legislature of 1916, Eugene Harrison, of Brunswick, who is a candidate for the nomination for State Senator on this ticket, has, at the request of his political agent, prepared the following statement for publication:

At the request of a considerable number of the Republican voters of our county, and after very careful consideration, I decided some weeks ago to announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for the State Senate.

In addition to the many Republicans who have urged me to become a candidate for the State Senatorship, I have been influenced in making my decision by pledges of support in the general election from a number of voters who are affiliated with other parties.

I am not, and will not be, the candidate of any faction, but I make my appeal for support to the rank and file of the party. I am thoroughly alive, however, to the necessity of an organization in every movement in which many individuals are involved. If I should become the candidate of the Republican party and I should be elected, I should thereby take upon myself certain definite obligations to the party organization which I would endeavor to perform faithfully. I can properly recognize this legitimate claim of the organization upon me and at the same time be true to my larger duty to the whole body of our people. I have no interest in the Senatorship from the spoilsman's point of view, and I have no interest in appointments except that I would exert my influence with the organization to secure the selection of proper appointees.

In every election the vital consideration is that the result of the election shall truly reflect the sentiment of the voters. The triumph or the defeat of the candidate is entirely a secondary matter. As every voter, in order to select his candidate intelligently, must be clearly informed as to that candidate's attitude toward the questions at issue in which he is interested, I shall endeavor, as the campaign progresses, to meet every issue that arises fairly and squarely and without any reservation. I desire most positively that no one shall vote for me under any misapprehension as to my intentions in regard to any matter in which he is interested.

One of the questions that the Legislature will be called to pass upon in the session of 1916 is the problem of the liquor traffic. I am fully convinced that this problem is one which the people have the right to deal with as they see best, and I am unalterably opposed to any legislation that deprives the people of this right.

If I am elected a member of the State Senate, I will earnestly support any bill that has for its purpose the granting to the people the right to vote on the question of saloon suppression, whether it be for district, county or state, and I shall consider it a matter of the highest privilege to be permitted to do so.

There has been considerable discussion regarding the placing of the State and County Government on a more efficient business basis, eliminating extravagance and waste, and of an economical administration of public affairs. I am heartily in sympathy with any policy which tends to correct the many obvious instances of costly waste and extravagance in State and County Government. The controlling consideration in the appointment to and the administration of important public offices should be fitness and efficiency and not political expediency.

I have been questioned by members of labor unions as to my attitude toward any attempt that might be made to repeal the "Full Crew Law." In that connection it is probably only necessary to state that I have been a consistent member of a labor union for twenty-four years. I am identified with that class of men who depend upon wages for a livelihood. My place is with the working class. In every matter in which the vital interest of that class is concerned, I may be depended upon to take my stand with them. The public has an interest in this subject as well as the railroads and the labor unions, and I believe public opinion would not approve of any movement to nullify this law. I cannot, at this time, conceive of any reason which would influence me to support any proposition to repeal the "Full Crew Law."

The above must not be construed as an unfriendly expression against organized capital. On the contrary I have a very profound respect for organized capital and believe that it should be protected as well as supervised. Without capital the laborer would have a difficult time finding a market for his only commodity. There should, therefore, be a very close community of interest between capital and labor. Ill advised and vicious legislation which impedes the development of legitimate business enterprises should be condemned.

For a number of years I have been deeply interested in the administration of our public schools. No other institution is of such vital importance to the whole body of our people; no other calls so loudly to the public for sympathy and

support, and no other should receive more generous financial appropriations. The teacher is the most vital factor in the school system. We should demand an efficient teacher in every school. To secure and maintain a competent teaching force requires that their employment shall be made attractive to them. This calls for sufficient salaries and securities and security in their positions. Every possible safeguard should be thrown about competent teachers to protect them in the tenure of their positions. I would support legislation tending to the further advancement of popular education in our State.—Published by authority of Sydnor H. Bennett, Political Agent.

**MIDDLETOWN DESERVES REPUBLICAN SUPPORT**

Emmitsburg, Woodsboro, and Even Ballenger Districts are Democratic Strongholds, While Middletown District is Strongly Republican.

The fight for the Republican nomination for Register of Wills in Frederick County is waxing warm, and some astonishing facts are being revealed to the voters of the County regarding the political strength of some of the Districts. One of the most amusing and interesting aspects of the race lies in the fact that three out of the four candidates for this nomination are from Democratic Districts. They seemingly overlook this important fact in the carrying on of their campaign, and are foolish enough to expect that the sensible Republican voters of the County are going to give this important office to a Democratic District while the loyal Republican Districts go begging for Republican nominations. This they will never do. They can be relied on to cast their ballots in the interests of their own party and not in the interests of the Democrats.



Several weeks ago we showed you by means of statistics that Emmitsburg, Mr. Patterson's District, always gives an overwhelming Democratic majority. Then the next week we proved to you by the same means that Woodsboro, Mr. Hoffman's District likewise was strongly Democratic. Since then we have heard veiled hints that Ballenger District could not be shown up and therefore we had left it alone. Not so, Mr. Voter, we assure you. The reason and the only reason why we did not follow the unmasking of Emmitsburg and Woodsboro Districts by a similar revelation concerning Ballenger District, was because we had not the statistics at hand, and we were unwilling to go ahead with any denunciation of Mr. Morsell's candidacy until we were certain that neither he nor the District deserved it. We have the means now, however, of proving this to you, Mr. Voter, and we shall give you nothing but facts and figures, as has been our custom in dealing with the other two Districts.

We shall start seven years ago with the election of 1909. In that year Ballenger gave 16 majority to the Democrats while Middletown rolled up 169 for the Republicans. The next year 1910, saw practically the same kind of a vote, for Ballenger went Democratic by 18 and Middletown gave the Republicans 156. But Ballenger is leaning more and more strongly towards the Democrats every year, and in 1911 gave them 28 as compared with Middletown's Republican majority of 167. In 1912 the vote in Ballenger was split up as follows: Democrats 97, Republicans 35, Progressives 20; practically a Democratic majority of 42 if you will consider that the Progressive vote came from the Republican party, which is an established fact. Middletown's vote in the same year was Progressives 171, Democrats 167, Republicans 132; if considered in like manner a Republican majority of 136. In the past two years, 1913 and 1914, Ballenger gave respective majorities of 60 and 42 to the Democrats while Middletown's Republican majorities were 113 and 114 respectively. Now Mr. Republican Voter, which of these two Districts do you think deserves your support, Ballenger or Middletown? Think it over seriously. Moreover, Mr. Morsell, Ballenger's candidate, is a member of the County School Board, a political appointment, and therefore deserves no more at the hands of the people, while Doctor Lamar, the candidate from Middletown District, has never had a political appointment, notwithstanding that he has been a loyal Republican worker ever since he reached his majority.

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FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county. In the fertility and productiveness of its lands it ranks among the first in the Union, and especially in the production of wheat. The area of this great county is 633 square miles. The great body of the people are of German, English and Scotch-Irish descent, the progeny mostly of the early settlers. The land is mostly of fine limestone quality, and the greater part of the county is a valley of rolling lands lying between the Linganore Hills and the Catoctin Mountain. This splendid valley is drained by the Monocacy river, and is one of the best farmed and most highly improved and productive areas of the Union. The great crops are wheat and corn.—Maryland Manual issued by Board of Public Works.

EMMITSBURG.

In all Western Maryland—the beauty spot and the garden spot of the State—there is no town more attractive than Emmitsburg. No people are more wide-awake, more knowable, more courteous to strangers than Emmitsburgians. The location of Emmitsburg is ideal; the surrounding scenery is unmatched; the climate is notably healthful; its water—pure mountain spring water—cannot be surpassed. It is within easy access of Baltimore, Hagerstown, Frederick; eight miles from the National Battlefield at Gettysburg, near to the Mountain Resorts, and is surrounded by fertile farms and productive orchards.

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There is business to be had in Emmitsburg; there are Factory Sites available. If you contemplate changing your place of residence—come to Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Md.

EMMITSBURG A FRUIT DISTRICT.

Western Maryland has lately been receiving due attention from the press in respect of its marked progress in fruit culture. Until comparatively a few years ago the Eastern Shore of Maryland, a portion of Delaware, and the

fruit belt of Pennsylvania were the localities especially noted for certain varieties of fruit; but such strides has the Western section of our State been making in this industry that at the present time it has a reputation that is not only firmly established, but that bids fair to spread afar.

In no portion of this territory has there been greater development, proportionately, than in Emmitsburg district and those districts contiguous to it, which, though not strictly within its boundaries, technically speaking, are nevertheless generally regarded as coming under that designation. Orchards have almost sprung up, as it were, on all sides of us—orchards not reckoned by the number of trees or the number of bushels in the output, but by the size, appearance and the quality of the fruit raised. Judges of experience have passed upon the numerous varieties of apples grown hereabout. They say that for quality and those points that create demand there are none better; that the peaches from nearby localities can hardly be surpassed. Bearing out the correctness of this statement is the fact that specimens from local orchards have been selected by non-residents, exhibited in competition at the largest fairs and have won first prizes not once, but on frequent occasions.

This is to the credit of the owners of these orchards and to our home district from which it may not be generally known, shipments have been made to many far distant points. Another encouraging feature is that there is plenty of room for more orchards, and much good reason for a greater supply. We have pointed it out before—it is this: those possessed of the knowledge of this subject concede that the soil and climate of this district is singularly suited to fruit culture and the incentive of the buyers of fruit to come to this district is in proportion to the amount of fruit here obtainable. The biggest buyers will hardly be attracted hither when only a limited supply may be procured. Increase the output materially; make it possible for the buyer to obtain a considerable number of carloads of the desired commodity and a fruit center will be established, every one engaged in fruit culture will reap a substantial profit and the money being left here, this district will share in the increased prosperity.

CAUTION TO SPORTSMEN.

Unfortunately State laws, in the matter of hunting, do not always conform to Federal law. The Department of Agriculture is therefore warning sportsmen that the Federal regulations as amended October 1st, 1914, will be strictly enforced. Before the open season arrives it would be worth while for every hunter in this district to obtain a copy of the Federal law. This can be done by addressing the above named department at Washington.

Sportsmen, the true kind, are always anxious to obey the law, both in regard to hunting and fishing. They are interested in preserving game and they have no sympathy for those who take the opposite view—reckless, ruthless destroyers of sport; men who kill by the wholesale and fish with seines. The law is very strict on this subject and sports-

men would do well if, for their own sake and for this county's good name, they would report to the game warden the many infractions of the regulations that come to their knowledge.

HIGH COST OF RUNNING FOR GOVERNOR.

The Dover (Del.) Index, referring to the fact that practically a fortune has to be spent in Maryland for a gubernatorial nomination, comments as follows:

The statement going the rounds of Maryland papers that no Governor has been elected in Maryland for a generation, whose campaign for nomination and election has not cost him and his friends at least \$50,000, is astounding. This condition produces the deplorable state that no poor man, however able and worthy, can run for the office, or for that matter any other important office, in that State, as the expenses of candidates for other offices are proportionately large. Such a condition should be speedily changed by statute.

When running for office Senator Lee's purse strings have never been tied. His plethoric purse is wide open now. On this point the News says: "He (Lee) is roundly criticized for his lavish expenditures—and there is room for criticism." Mr. Harrington has declared that if elected Governor he will do all in his power to have the law so amended that the poorest man in the State could be a candidate for the highest office.

GEORGIA'S CRIME.

Assuredly the State of Georgia has "blazoned evil deeds" upon her escutcheon, but she can never consecrate the crime she has committed against humanity, against law, against justice, against decency and reflecting against this nation in permitting the death of Leo Frank by lynching. A jury filled with race-hatred and egged on by frenzied local opinion convicted him, a frenzied mob hounded the Governor who commuted his sentence, a fanatic attempted the poor man's life by butchery, and a band of fiendish moral degenerates inhumanly sent the helpless creature to a horrible death. Georgia, by her failure to do her duty from the very beginning, made all this possible, and blood-stained will be the name of Georgia for many years to come.

MAYOR PRESTON says: "The candidate for Governor, Blair Lee, is a county man, and all of his interests are identified with the counties."

Most likely the Mayor intended to say, "all of his sympathies used to be with the counties."

"If there were no spitters, the State would not have to pay for cleaning spittoons."—Another reason why the constitution should be amended.

How the Flow of a River is Measured.

If you see a man leaning over the railing of a bridge intently watching the river with a telephone receiver at his ear do not think that the man is trying to talk to the fishes or to a diver below the surface. He is probably one of the government's engineers measuring the amount of water passing under the bridge. This is done by lowering an instrument known as a current meter into the water at several points under the bridge to determine the speed of the water and by measuring the depths of the water at the same points. From such information the flow of the river at that particular time and height can be computed, and when such measurements have been made at a number of different heights the flow of the stream at any height can be determined. Then if a record of the height of the river is obtained each day from a river gauge the flow for each day can be computed.

Making Him Wise.

Jones—Do you know, I fancy I have quite a literary bent. Friend—All right, my boy. Keep on and you'll be worse than bent; you'll be broke.—Stray Stories.

Minds are not conquered by arms, but by love and generosity.

Neighborliness Pays.

"Get acquainted with your neighbor; you might like him." This, from the letterhead of a western village improvement association, is excellent advice. What fine things a large personal acquaintance can do for us, provided we are worthy of it! Let us put aside any petty dislike, engendered perhaps by fancied faults in other people, and go out and shake hands with neighbors whom we probably have never really known. Let us talk over our common problems with them; discuss the welfare of our community, the state, the nation, so that we may all have a better understanding of our common hopes and aims. All this pays. Its returns come not alone in the help we can be one to the other, but in the greater discernment with which our personal business can be conducted, and in the better feeling and progress that follows in a town or city where all are working for the common good.—Countryside Magazine.

Stage Fright.

Stage fright, if it may encourage startled readers, does not appear to have affected William Cobbett, whose maiden speech in the house of commons must have been one of the most astonishing performances that even that seasoned assembly had ever listened to. Here is the opening sentence: "It appears to me that since I have been sitting here I have heard a great deal of vain and unprofitable talk." By way of contrast, we have the case of Gibson Craig, whose abortive eloquence, on his introduction to parliamentary life, was thus described by Disraeli: "Gibson Craig, of whom the Whigs had hopes, rose, stared like a stuck pig and said nothing. His friends cheered, he stammered. All cheered; then there was a dead and awful pause, and then he sat down, and that was his performance."—London Spectator.

The Dipper.

That beautiful constellation, the Dipper, hangs, silent and solitary, amid the northern star lighted firmament, like a veritable sky dipper indeed, or a sky plow driven around and around Polaris, the north star. As we all know, the dipper's "pointers," Merak and Dubhe, indicate pretty accurately the whereabouts of the north star. There are five other stars in the Dipper. They are respectively in order from the end of the handle Benetnasch, Misar, Alioth, Megres and Phecda. Here in the United States we speak of this collection of stars as the Dipper, while abroad it is known as La Grande Ourse, Der Grosse Buer, Orsa Maggiore, and among the ancient Egyptians, who were not acquainted with the bear, it was known as the Hippopotamus.—New York Times.

In Defense of Conscience.

The meanest thing ever said about conscience were the words put into Hamlet's mouth by William Shakespeare: "Thus conscience does make cowards of us all." This remark has caused many people to believe that conscience was nothing but a coward maker, and consequently they have refused to have anything to do with it. Never was anything more unjust. Shakespeare's assertion is true only on the assertion that we are all sinners. To be fair, he should have said: "Thus conscience does make cowards of all of us who have sinned, or who are about to sin." Then he would have been more in agreement with Solomon, who was wiser, and who said, "The wicked flee when no man pursueth, but the righteous are as bold as a lion."—Life.

Curious Old Drink Theory.

One of the most singular views on drinking ever recorded occurs in a letter from Sir Henry Ingelby on Aug. 21, 1661, printed in "Pryings Among Private Papers." "Sir William is so ill," wrote the baronet, "one of his doctors told me yesterday there was no manner of hope. \* \* \* I have been taught that Jupiter allows every man who comes into the world a different proportion of drink, which, when he has dispatched, there remains nothing for him to do but to die, and that the proportion and expedition make great difference in men's ages."—London Standard.

The Earliest Lamps.

The most primitive lamps were probably the skulls of animals, in which fat was burned, while certain seashells were also employed for this purpose, says an exchange. When pottery and metal began to be used the principle of these natural lamps was for a long time retained, as seen in ancient Egyptian, Greek and Roman lamps and in the stone cups and boxes of northern nations.

Clean as a Whistle.

The origin of the saying "As clean as a whistle" is ascribed to the "whistle tankard" of olden times, in which the whistle came into play when the tankard was emptied or "cleared out" to announce to the waiter that more liquor was required.

Horticultural Note.

"I see Philip is going in for intensive gardening." "You don't say!" "Yep; raising a mustache."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Pessimist.

"Papa, what is a pessimist?" "A pessimist, my son, is a man who does not believe that his make of motorcar is better than anybody else's."—Judge.

Sorry He Spoke.

"Fools rush in where angels fear to tread." "I know. What place have you been kicked out of now?"—Chicago News.

Cleverness of Beavers.

Some beaver dams, if built by human beings, would be styled feats of engineering. They are by no means haphazard. Each site is carefully selected and each dam accomplishes a purpose that seems as if reasoned out in advance. Trees are felled with a sledge that can be duplicated only by skilled woodsmen. And the beaver does not limit his tree cutting to saplings. In the Adirondacks the animals have been known to cut down trees twenty inches and more in diameter. They prefer yellow birch and poplar, though they will cut any tree that seems necessary to their purpose. The dams are built of alder sticks, mud and grass and are finally chinked with moss, making a solid wall that often must be dynamited to be effectively destroyed. The cutting teeth of the beaver are very sharp, and there is great power behind the little jaws. Ordinary beaver chips are about half the size of the chips made by the average woodchopper, and they much resemble chips made with an ax, so smoothly are they cut.

A White House Fete.

I know nothing more impressive in its dignity, more complete in its way, than the White House en fete. It embodies all our best tradition of hospitality and cordiality—of perfection without ostentation. Then there is something in the atmosphere which hangs about it—especially during the days of a closing administration—which makes one think of that serenity that seems to cling around the woods of Mount Vernon and which appears there almost like a material reflex from the calm and tempered ripeness of its owner's soul. There is, I imagine, an affinity, a certain likeness in the magnanimity of all generous, wise and simple men whether of ancient or modern times. Alas, too hard for our generation of egotists to follow or even respect! The only ideal which is preached nowadays is "one's duty to oneself."—"Pieces of the Game."

His Real Victory.

The writer has seldom witnessed deeper feeling or more enthusiastic applause from a student audience than that which greeted the confession of a southern student who arose before the men of his university and confessed dishonesty in debate. The young man had recently won the sophomore-junior prize debate, but later in chapel he asked permission to make a statement to the student body, saying: "I overheard my opponent rehearsing his debate in an adjoining room and, although I stopped my ears and refused to listen, my roommate took down the points. Afterward the temptation was so subtle and strong that I took the notes and arranged my debate accordingly and won. But," said the student, with feeling, "I stole it, and I have come to plead the forgiveness of the student body."—Christian Herald.

Mother Remembers.

A hall bedroom, a battered suit case, a single bed, a cheap washstand, plaster falling from the walls, loneliness and— A post card from mother: Your birthday! Huh! Almost forgot. Funny that mother didn't forget. No-o, she didn't forget. It isn't a mother's way. What, weeping? Let 'em come, boy. Tears more manly were never shed. Save the card. It's sacred. Twenty years from now you'll weep over it again and thank God for the chance. Say a prayer for its sender, the best mother a fellow ever had. And then sit down and write—well, write just the kind of letter she's been waiting to receive from her boy.—Cleveland Press.

Napoleon's Ocean Prison.

The iron duke was responsible for Napoleon's exile to St. Helena. Returning from India in 1806, Wellington's ship touched at St. Helena, and the soldier was heard to remark upon the utter barrenness and desolation of the place. Upon getting into the ship's gig after taking leave of the civil and military authorities of the island Wellington said to the governor, "If I had an enemy whom I wished to bury alive I'd send him to this island." The overthrow of Napoleon gave him the "enemy" and the wish, and he did not forget the place.

Would Waste Nothing.

A woman was engaging a cook, and, having almost brought the interview to a successful termination, said: "There is one thing, Mary; I do hope you are not wasteful." "Wasteful, mum! Why, Lor' bless you, I'd eat till I busted rather than waste anything."—London Tit-Bits.

France.

The name of France is derived from the Franci, or Franks, a people of Germany who seized that part of the country nearest the Rhine and settled there. Later on they subdued Paris and made that the royal seat of their increasing empire.

Two In One.

Suspicious Policeman (at entrance to side show)—What's that infernal racket inside? Ticket Seller—It's only de two headed lady disputin' wid each other.—New York Times.

Just So.

"The doctor knows I hate camphor." "So?" "Yet first he made me sniff it, and now he has prescribed it as a liniment."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Fashion Demand.

"What's become of that new car you bought last month?" "I'm having it repainted. My wife's got a new gown, and it doesn't match."—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Duty is a power which rises with us in the morning and goes to rest with us in the evening.—Madstone.

English Military Offenses.

There are more than a dozen different offenses for which a soldier may be sentenced to death while on active service. The first on the list of death offenses applies to a commanding officer and reads: "Shamefully delivering up a garrison when in command of troops, without due necessity—punishment, death." A soldier can be shot for throwing away his rifle or sword in the presence of the enemy, for cowardice or for leaving his commanding officer in order to plunder. If he forces his way past a sentry on active service he may be sentenced to death or for assaulting any one bringing up provisions for the troops. A soldier is expressly forbidden while on active service to commit any offense against a resident of the country in which he is fighting under pain of death, nor may he break into any house in search of plunder or discharge his rifle intentionally to create a false alarm on the march. A soldier while acting as sentry who is found sleeping at his post may be shot. Any man causing or joining in a mutiny is liable to be shot. Desertion or attempt at desertion while on active service is naturally a death offense.—London Opinion.

Dreams.

What is the purpose of dreams? Dr. Isaac H. Corbin answers the question thus in "The Meaning of Dreams": "It can be shown through dream analysis that dreams subserves a definite function in our mental life in that they really act as protectors and not as disturbers of sleep. This guardianship of sleep by means of dreams is due to the persistent dynamic action of the censor. In sleep the censor is exceedingly active, and its function is to protect sleep from the mass of repressed emotions which threaten to overwhelm the sleeper in the shape of a dream. This is done by means of the dream mechanisms, in which the dream thoughts are fused and displayed, thus undergoing such disguise and symbolization as to be unrecognizable to the sleeper and consequently not disturbing to him. When the censor nods or is evaded, when the literal dream thoughts bombard and invade consciousness in an undisguised form, sleep is disturbed and insomnia results.

Benjamin Harrison.

"Do you think," Benjamin Harrison once asked Louis T. Michener, his campaign manager, "that I am a cold man?" "I don't think so," General Michener answered, emphasizing the pronoun, "because I am acquainted with you, but persons do say that I am the only living man who hasn't been chilled by a Harrison cold blast. I understand your habits and your moods, and when you pass me in the street and don't speak to me I know the reason." "Well," Harrison replied, "I do get into a subject when I am thinking about it and at such times may seem a little blind and distant." "But Benjamin Harrison," General Michener told the writer of this article, "was not a cold man. No man is cold whom children and dogs love, and all the children and dogs of Indianapolis knew Benjamin Harrison. He saw them always, and they saw him."—New York Sun.

Agate and Onyx.

The distinction between agate and onyx is not apparent to every one, as is indicated by the samples of the two minerals received by the United States geological survey with requests for information. Onyx marble, or Mexican onyx, is composed of calcium carbonate or banded limestone. True agate is a variety of silica. Onyx marble is much softer than agate and is rarely used for gems, but when onyx is obtained in pieces of sufficient size it is cut and polished for small ornamental objects like inkstands and paper weights, as well as for table tops and soda water fountains.

Trick of the Smugglers.

Russia was once overrun with counterfeit notes. The police felt certain that the notes were imported, which proved to be the case. One day an accident solved the mystery. Some packages of lead pencils arrived there from England, and, while examining, one of the pencils fell out. On sharpening it to use the customs officer was surprised to find the lead but a short piece, while the inner portion was hollow and contained a counterfeit note.

Not Worth Quarrelling Over.

"Debbs and his wife never have any arguments about money matters." "How fortunate." "Yes, Mrs. Dubbs says that a mere trifle like Debbs' salary should not be allowed to come between them, so she takes it all."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Buying "on Tick."

Buying "on tick" is not new slang, but goes back to the seventeenth century. It is stated in a letter dated 1661. "The Mermaid tavern is lately broke, our ticks amounting to £1,500." And in another document a little later it is said, "Every one runs upon tick."

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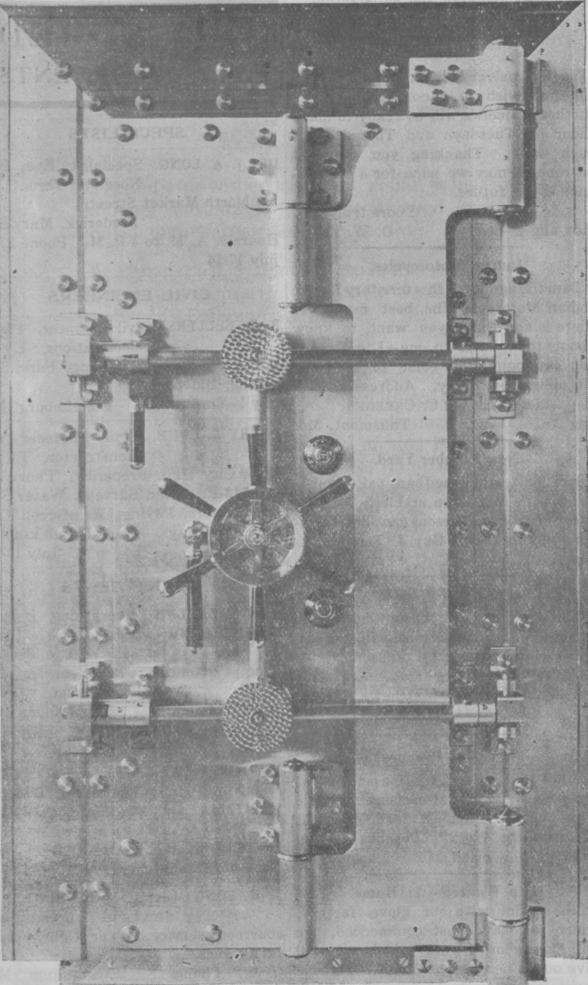
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## A TRIP ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Series of Interesting Letters from Rev. J. M. Barry, Formerly of Emmitsburg.

July 29th, 1915 I left San Francisco a day ahead of party that I might see more of the country in the Santa Clara Valley. Visited St. Patrick's Seminary, Menlo Park, where I was invited to dine with the good Sulpician Fathers. Was warmly greeted by Fathers Agriniae, Harig, Vinbert, but missed my old friend Father Kunkle, who is in the East. Dear old Father Vinbert showed sincere joy at meeting a familiar face from the Southeast, and had many questions to ask. He is still quite vigorous although a unique ornament on the buffet was the top of a certain monster cake which marked his jubilee dinner. A most complete altar with all equipments with young priest in white vestments and altar boy, and jubilee bell in tower above. I have never seen anything so appropriate and attractive and suggested that it deserve a glass case. The grounds deserve the name of park as they are beautiful with lawns, palms, shrubbery of every description, with flowers entrancing. I went through the orchard and tasted fruit right from the tree and viewed green olives, figs, almonds and apples. This property of over 100 acres was a gift to the late lamented Archbishop Reardon, and was named after his patron Saint.

The 2 P. M. train saw me off a few miles south to San Jose, dropped my grip at a hotel near the depot, and in less than 20 minutes was in a sight seeing auto through the Valley. I covered sixty miles before night and obtained a fine practical knowledge of the Valley, which I propose writing up for future review. It lies immediately south of Alameda county, of which San Francisco is the metropolis. The peninsula formed by the bay extends into the county and San Jose is the county seat. It is a city of 50,000, built a few miles from the water. The Valley lies between the Santa Cruz mountain and the Hamilton Range and Lick's noted Observatory may be seen from all points below 4,200 feet above, and immediately east the great Stanford University. I find the soil extremely rich and such quantities of fruit I have never before seen in one county. It forms the staple crop; vegetables, the exception. Seed-growing on a wholesale plan was in evidence from the train in the eastern side of the Valley towards the Hamilton foothills. Almost no waste ground in this Valley--you ride miles and miles, through endless orchards with English walnut, olive, almond, encelyptus and live-oak trees shading the highway. No fences, but an endless view of prunes, plums, cherries, peaches, apricots, lemons, grapes, apples and nectarines. This county claims the following: one-third the prunes of the world, 900,000 apricot trees, 700,000 peach, 400,000 cherry, 300,000 plums and 150,000 pear and a half million other fruits including walnuts almonds, figs and olives. Citrus fruit (orange, lemon, grape-fruit and limes) do well in some sections, but have not been grown commercially, except the lemon. It does very well here: proof--from one hundred and twenty-five trees was sold \$1,200, last year. I noticed young lemons planted between rows of other fruit that is growing old.

55,000 tons of prunes, 7,000 tons 'cots 2,500 of peaches, 200 walnuts, 160 almonds--all this dried, besides 50,000 tons of fresh or green fruit that is shipped out of the valley yearly. I am not yet finished. There are nineteen Canneries, some the largest in the State, and from them went forth to a hungry world, one billion cases of fruit, 800,000 cases of vegetables. Eggs alone from the Valley netted half a million dollars, 500,000 lbs. of butter and a little more of cheese is last year's record. Add to this the green vegetables shipped and consumed by 95,000 inhabitants, the output of 300,000 gallons of wine, half million of champagne, same amount of brandy, three hundred tons of sweet pea seed alone, besides nearly all other seeds wholesale.

Now why have I gone into all these details? Because I wish to remember that all this comes from a small county--not a country--about 37 miles square, with two mountains on its border to take from its arable land. I have never seen such care and attention given fruit as I find all over this Valley. Not a blade of grass or a weed to be seen in a well kept orchard, and they are nearly all that way. Trees are trimmed low, with from two to three foot trunks, and this whitewashed. What a neat appearance that gives with the clean cultivated ground. The prunes and other fruit that is to be dried is subjected to a dip into a solution of lye (whether cold or hot, I have not found out) and some to a sulphur bath, this prevents them moulding. I found that grapes, etc., are treated to a dry sulphur spraying before ripening to add to their keeping qualities and to keep insects off. Almonds are treated with brimstone to improve their color, it bleaches them.

I turned out early this morning to see the farmers come to the wholesale market. I enjoyed comparing notes with our Eastern methods. I picked some points, but will not inflict you. Now think of it, this little county has

an inland city of that size, twice as large as anything we have outside of Baltimore. Then you will commence to enthuse with me. Then the beautiful setting of the Valley as in an immense shell of mountain gliding down to the bay.

I am going to quote from Father Arnd's letter received in San Francisco: "How I long to see the far West again. O, that dear old California! The finest garden spot of the world!"

Now, forgive me, are you jealous, or do you honest me for giving you so much of this Santa Clara? The Jesuits have the Valley by the ears: Santa Clara Church and University, Saint Joseph's (San Jose) are immense and beautiful structures, Los Gato's novitiate--and the Mission Chapel, as far as I know except a few. The Stanford University is in the suburbs ideally located.

The State Highway connecting San Francisco with San Diego, which when completed will cost 18,000,000 dollars. It runs through the center of the Valley, a lateral of this great highway is now under construction which will leave San Jose on the south, pass through Los Gato's and over the Santa Cruz Mountains to the Pacific Ocean, and thus open a favorite route for automobilists south.

Now for a few points I picked up by inquiry. The rain-fall abundant from November to May--neither rain nor dew during the summer. All this wonderful abundance accomplished by irrigation whence the water, from streams, as they are all sunk dry now: from wells which they sink from two hundred to seven hundred feet deep. Some use windmills, but the greater number gasoline engines. The result is, that they can supply all the water needed, at the precise time to get best results, and they get them. Barley and oats are cut before too ripe for hay and alfalfa. Prunes are allowed to remain on trees until sugary or ripe enough to fall. To prevent bruising, the ground is cultivated at this season of the year and rolled to a mellow bed.

A 65° trade wind was blowing from the bay making the Valley delightful; there it just now blew through a transom back of me. At 1.30 P.M. July 30th, when you are sweltering at this same hour in the same latitude at home. No humidity in the air. The mean temperature of January, the coldest month, is 58° and that of July 67°.

Do you wonder then that this is called the City of Homes? People from the world over, hearing of it come and settle for the remainder of their lives: hence it is so thickly populated. I counted twenty-three stations in 47 miles from San Francisco here and I expect the same going to Santa Cruz this evening, in fact, thanks to my good friend of Elkton, Rev. P. P. Arnd, I autoed in that direction to Los Gato yesterday were the Jesuit Fathers have their novitiate and saw a most interesting part of the Valley.

We arrived in Santa Cruz too late last night to arrange for devotions this morning, hence six-thirty found me at Monsignor Fisher's Rectory, asking the privilege of celebrating in Sister Catherine Norton's chapel in the Holy Cross Academy adjoining. Why so? Because she is one of the old St. Joseph's girls, from Barre St., and I promised Fr. Manly and her sisters and brother to look her up on this distant shore. She remembered me as a young curate at Star of the Sea Church, twenty five years gone by, and knowing from home letters of my coming, was awaiting me. She entertained me at breakfast with Sr. Henrietta Noonan, of Balto. You know how many questions were asked and answered during the hour we spent happily together. I returned to the St. George, packed my grip, left it in the lobby took a street car to the beach, then to the other end of the city, and stopped at the convent again to introduce my travelling companions to these good Sisters, and another hour fled by too quickly. Our one regret was that our train left at 11.30 a. m., which was a too short stay here for us--but I met two ladies from Balto., who complained that Mr. Eager had sent them to Santa Cruz "where there is absolutely nothing to see." It is called the "Atlantic City" of the Pacific, and is that great seaside metropolis in miniature. It has a population of 10,000 with a great increase in summer, from the hot valleys of the Sacramento and San Joaquin.

Mon. Fisher has a splendid property and the Sister's house combines Academy, Day School and Orphanage, with fine equipment. Sister gave me a peep into the cooking class-room and other interesting parts of the building. Whilst they led me around the lawn, ablaze with the most luxuriant flowers, one of the party snapped the good Sister for the folks at home, who have no pictures of her in the habit. Two o'clock found us approaching Pacific Grove, and having heard, yesterday, that there is no Catholic church there, I stopped off of train at Monterey, two miles away to find out our facility of observing the Sunday

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## SHOE STORE

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Pre tty patterns in Laces and Embroideries for Spring. The low price of Cotton means better materials in our new Spring Line of Ladies' Waists and Skirts. Childrens Dresses, Middies. Childrens Rompers.

### SPECIALS FOR MEN.

Dark Brown Jumpers or Work Blouses in all sizes. We have about 50 of the above worth 45c. NOW 25c.

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B. V. D. Summer Underwear,  
Palm Beach Suits,  
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THE BEST AND LARGEST ASSORTMENT.

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## Mid-Summer Clean-Up Sale!

For the coming two weeks we will have a CLEAN-UP SALE that will be very interesting to shrewd shoppers.

Not only will summer goods be marked way down, but all over the store you will find attractive Bargains that will reward you.

**WHITE DRESSES**  
will be sacrificed. Eight or ten of this season's choicest models that will be sold at less than cost of material. These come from one of the best Dress Shops, and are bargains.

89c  
will buy you the choicest of about a hundred useful House Dresses that sold up to \$1.50.  
These are staple garments, and you can anticipate your wants with a saving.

**WAISTS**  
are on the MARK-DOWN list for fair. About two dozen elegant Lingerie Waists, high and low neck, that sold up to \$4.50, your choice \$1.50.  
A lot of Tailored Waists, some Embroidered, sold up to \$1.25--49c.  
Other Waist bargains that you want to see.

**SIKLS**  
have been made very attractive in price.  
A splendid 36-inch Black Mes-saline at 75 cents.  
Several lots of Fancy Dress Sikls that sold up to \$1.00 down to 59c.  
A lot of 50c. Fancy Silk and Cotton effects, 25c.  
Many Waists and Dress lengths on center table--about half price. Better look these up.

**FEW TAILORED SUITS**  
that will be sold for a saving. There are several Shepherd Checks among them. If we have your size, this is a suit chance seldom offered.

Ladies' Black and White Silk Stockings, 39 cents. Men's \$1.00 Value Shirts, 79c. 19c Ribbons. Parasols--Clean-up Prices. 89c. Bed Spreads.

THOMAS H. HALLER,  
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OUR varied showing encompasses the needs of every man--you will find the style you like at the price you want to pay. The assortment forms a complete and interesting style exhibit embracing all the FASHIONABLE FABRICS, DESIGNS AND COLORINGS approved for this season's wear.

J. D. LIPPY, Tailor,  
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Feb. 8-17

PERSONALS.

It is the aim of THE CHRONICLE to publish as many personal and social items as possible...

Miss Harriet Beam returned from a visit to Waynesboro on Sunday.

Messrs. Frank Bouey and Quinn Topper, of Altoona, are visiting relatives near town.

Miss Anna Marie Nelson, who spent a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Topper, has returned to Baltimore.

Master Lefevre Kerrigan visited his sister, Mr. F. J. Campbell, of Irvington, Md., this week.

Miss Lulu Adelsberger and Master Norbert Adelsberger have returned to Baltimore after spending a week here with Mrs. J. M. Adelsberger.

Mr. Charles N. Baker, of Baltimore, visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and son, of Baltimore, are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stansbury, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adelsberger and two daughters, June and Marie, have returned to their home in Philadelphia, Pa., after spending two weeks here with Mrs. J. M. Adelsberger and Mr. and Mrs. John Topper.

Master Lawrence Baker, of Baltimore, is visiting his cousin, Master Raymond Dukehart.

Misses Florence Gallagher and Margaret E. Barnett, of Harrisburg, left last Saturday after a two weeks visit with relatives of Miss Gallagher. During their visit they were pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Springer, Mrs. David Bentzel and Mr. Arthur Bentzel.

Mr. Thomas Frailey spent several days in Philadelphia and Atlantic City this week.

Mr. J. Albert Saffer is spending his vacation at Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyle, of New Jersey, visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Rudolph Duffenbach and child, of Hyattsville, Md., are visiting Mrs. Lucy Beam.

Miss Adele Minnich, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke, returned to her home in Carlisle, on Sunday.

Mr. W. P. Nunemaker, of Blue Ridge Summit, spent Sunday in this place.

Mrs. Michael Hoke, returned on Friday from a visit to her daughters, Mrs. S. R. Minnich and Mrs. Louis Dornor, of Carlisle, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Minnich, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dornor, of Carlisle, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. William Rosensteel and children, of Baltimore, and Messrs. Harry Hoke and Ted Smith, of Baltimore, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke on Sunday.

Misses Lillian and Marion Baker, who have been spending the past few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Maxell have returned to Hagerstown, Md.

Misses Laura E. Person and Elisabeth H. Weinant, who have been visiting here, have returned to Royersford, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eyer, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Eyer, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Eyer and Mrs. John Wagerman, motored to Philadelphia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hebb and son, of Funkstown, Md., Mr. Isaac Straack and Miss Susie Hebb, of Hagerstown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Maxell, Sunday.

Messrs. William Rosensteel, Lucien Beam and Joseph Topper, spent Sunday at Pen Mar.

Dr. Carson P. Frailey, spent the week-end with his family in Emmitsburg.

Dr. and Mrs. Waltham and Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Gillelan, of Baltimore, who have been spending the past two weeks with Mrs. Ida S. Gillelan, returned home this week.

Mr. Walter Zeigler, of Frederick, visited this place on Friday.

Those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Anne Hoover in Emmitsburg on Monday morning were: Rev. J. T. Hoover, of St. Louis, Mo.; Rev. James Neck, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mobley, daughter and friend, Mr. Joseph Hoover, Mrs. George McLaughlin, Miss Regina Kimmel, Mrs. F. Lambert, all of Baltimore.

Mr. John D. Lippy and son, of Gettysburg, were visitors in Emmitsburg recently.

Mrs. Charles D. Gillelan returned from a visit to Philadelphia last week.

Misses Eva and Anna Rowe, returned from Johns Hopkins University, at which institution they had been students for a six-week's summer course of study for teachers.

Mrs. Harry C. Harner, Mrs. Edward Harner and Mr. Robert Hahn were among those who attended the Maryland State Grange at Taneytown, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Caldwell and family returned to their home in Franklin, Ohio, after having spent a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Caldwell.

Rev. Charles E. Reinwald and Mrs. Reinwald are spending several weeks at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. McCleery, of Frederick, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buffington.

Miss Marguerite and Anna Bell Deil, of Frederick, were guests of Mrs. Edgar Stansbury this week.

Mrs. Cleveland Hoke and three children are visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harboldt, of Baltimore, visited in Emmitsburg on Monday.

Mrs. Eliza Rowe is visiting in Fairfield.

Mrs. William Sellers and Mr. Robert Sellers have returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Dr. and Mrs. Ulrich, of Baltimore, were the guests of Prof. F. J. Halm, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peppeler, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peppeler, Jr., Miss Emma Peppeler and Mr. Walter Peppeler, of Baltimore, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Patterson.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles Huber, Mr. Blocker and Miss Elizabeth Huber, of Gettysburg, spent one evening last week with friends in Emmitsburg.

Mrs. D. E. Stone and two sons, Jesse

and Owens, have returned from a visit to New Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huber, of Gettysburg, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Annan took an automobile trip to Luray and other places in Virginia this week.

Mrs. W. E. Claudy and daughter, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mentzer, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hollinger left last Friday for a trip across the mountains where they visited among relatives and friends in and around Waynesboro, Greencastle and Mercersburg.

They returned Monday much refreshed by their short vacation.

Dr. W. H. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Clarinda, Ia., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Sperry on Friday of last week. Dr. Wilson and Mr. Sperry, accompanied by Mrs. Sperry and Miss Mary Hollinger, drove to Gettysburg Friday where they were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Ripley, who are taking summer work in the seminary preparatory to becoming missionaries to India.

Mrs. Joseph Stracke and children and Mrs. S. Stracke, of Baltimore, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Guise.

Miss Lillian Jacobs, of Baltimore, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rosensteel.

Miss Mary Guise has returned from a two-weeks' visit to Baltimore.

Miss Ruth Jacobs, of Baltimore, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lillian Rosensteel.

Messrs. Joseph and John Stracke and George Gilly, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mr. D. H. Guise on Sunday.

Mr. Ralph Zacharias, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is visiting his father, Mr. C. T. Zacharias.

Mr. P. M. Cantner, of Waynesboro, Pa., was in Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Leber, of Baltimore, spent Tuesday in Emmitsburg.

Miss Catherine Allemen returned to her home in Hanover, Tuesday, after spending a week with her uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. J. McC. Foreman.

Misses Madeline Frailey and Carrie Rowe returned Wednesday from the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, where they have been taking a special summer course.

Miss Mary Shuff returned from a visit to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Haines, of Union Bridge, is the guest of Miss Mary Shuff.

Mrs. H. D. Orr is visiting in Cambridge, Md.

Miss Mary Hobbs has returned home after spending a week with Miss Julia Smith, of Taneytown, Md.

Miss M. J. Loney, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. Edward Hobbs and family.

Mr. Robert L. Kerschner, of Hagerstown, was in Emmitsburg on Monday.

Miss Effie Eichelberger, of Frederick, who has been visiting Miss Harriet Motter returned home Tuesday.

Mr. William Roche, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooke Boyle.

Mrs. Charles Du Bourg, of New York City, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Felix.

Miss Margaret Gretzinger, of Lewisburg, Pa., is visiting Miss Helen Sellers.

Miss Madeline Felix and Master Hubert Felix, of New York City, N. Y., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Felix.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyle, of New Jersey and Misses Margaret and Irene Favorite spent yesterday in Gettysburg.

Mr. Jeremiah Butts, of Altoona, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Felix on Monday.

Mr. James Hardman left yesterday morning for Hagerstown, where he has obtained a position.

Prof. W. C. Blake, of Baltimore, who has been spending his vacation as the guest of Dr. H. D. Orr, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Myers, of Browningsville, Pa., spent a few days with Mr. Joseph E. Myers.

Among those who attended the game in Thurmont Tuesday were: Misses Loretta Gillelan, Helen Sellers, Margaret Gretzinger, Anne Codori, Eloise Gross, Hazel Patterson, Mary and Josephine Adams, Mildred and Dorothy Biggs, Messrs. Frank Shuff, Charles and Robert Sellers, John Rosensteel, Charles Rider, George Eyster, Robert Payne, Lawrence Mundorff, Benjamin Topper, James McGreevy, Robert Long, Robert Burdner and J. Ward Kerrigan.

Miss Eleanor Dill, of Frederick, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edgar Stansbury.

Miss Rachael Shulenberg has returned to Hagerstown, after spending several weeks here as the guest of Mrs. Ida Gillelan.

Miss Anna Felix left Tuesday for "Kamp Kill-Kare" at Knoxlyn, Pa., where she will be a member of that Camp for two weeks.

We are making now a full showing of new FALL SUITS and coats—in both WOOLTEX and other AUTHORITY STYLES. Over-fifty styles of suits to select from today, at a price range from \$9.75 to \$32.50. NEW FALL COATS in the very popular CORD DU ROYS and other fabrics in SPORT STYLES and longer garments \$5.00 to \$30.00. THE NEW SILK DRESSES and DANCE FROCKS, are also on display now at

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Fine Peaches At Orchard.

Next week about 200 fine peach trees will be ready for picking at Woodcrest Orchard, near Fairfield. Prices from 50c to 80c a bushel.

adv. D. P. RILEY, Mgr.

House Burned.

The residence of Joel W. Bollinger, near Taneytown, was burned Sunday. The fire originated in the attic. Some of the furniture was saved. The loss was about \$2,000, partly insured.

DIED

Regular death notices published one time free of charge. Obituary poetry and resolution charged for at the rate of five cents a line.

HOOPER.—On Friday, August 13, 1915, at Baltimore, Mrs. Anne Hoover, formerly of Emmitsburg. She was 88 years old. Funeral services were held in St. Joseph's Catholic church, this place Monday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. J. T. Hoover officiating. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Euchre!

On Friday evening, August 20, a Euchre and Five Hundred will be held on the lawn adjoining St. Vincent's House. Tickets 25 cents. aug 13-2ts.

TOWN NEWS NOTES

Every reader of THE CHRONICLE is invited to send news to this office. The management of THE CHRONICLE will take it as a particular favor if patrons will telephone or write to this office concerning matters of general interest.

Readings from The CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, Aug. 20, 1915.

Table with 4 columns: Day, 8 A. M., 12 M., 4 P. M. Rows for Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.

Mr. Samuel Wagerman who has been ill for the past few weeks, is now convalescent.

Many people from this place attended the picnic at Rocky Ridge on Saturday.

The picnic of St. Joseph's Catholic church held last Wednesday was a success. The amount cleared was \$108.03.

Among the property deeded last week is Leonie Lagarde to J. Ledlie Gloninger, real estate in county, \$1,100.

Misses Elizabeth Huber, of Gettysburg, Ethel Annan and Cynthia Clagett and Masters Edward Hopp, Richard and Sheridan Biggs took a walk to Indian Lookout on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Gillelan and Miss Loretta Gillelan entertained at cards, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

McGill Belt, Esq., of Urbana District, Democratic candidate for State Senator was in Emmitsburg yesterday.

Mr. Bernard Peters laid a concrete pavement in front of his property on East Main street, this week.

Miss Columbia Winter had her two properties on West Main street, repainted this week.

The Emmitsburg Motor Car Company, received another carload of five-passenger Ford automobiles on Thursday. The entire consignment had been sold before its arrival.

Word has been received in Emmitsburg of the death, on Monday, of Mrs. Lavina Winchester Harwood, at the home of her son, Charles M. Harwood, of Baltimore. Mrs. Harwood was a native of Louisiana but was educated at St. Joseph's Academy, this place. She was aged 77 years.

Now and again persons succeed in raising large single specimens of garden produce, but rarely in any considerable number. Mr. E. J. Fitzgerald, however has succeeded this season in producing several bushels of tomatoes that average 1 1/2 pounds each. One specimen, beefsteak variety, sent to the CHRONICLE Office, weighs exactly 2 1/2 lbs.

Miss Margaret Annan entertained the following at her home on Friday evening: Mrs. Annan Horner, Misses Mildred Biggs, Josephine Adams, Ethel Patterson, Loretta Gillelan, Mary E. Eyster, Dorothy Biggs, Mary Weant, Ethel Annan, Eloise Gross, Pauline Annan, Elizabeth Huber, Catherine Allemen, Messrs. Frank Weant, Frank Shuff, Thomas J. Frailey, J. C. Annan, Charles Gillelan, Frank Rowe, Samuel Annan and James Hays.

While on his way to G. Meade Patterson's on Tuesday morning to secure milk for his customers, Mr. E. F. Brown, the dairyman, would have met with a serious accident had he not jumped from the wagon in which he was riding. Someone, with malicious intent, it is supposed, had removed the nuts from two wheels of his vehicle causing the wheels to come off while his horse was going at a rapid gait. Although a part of his wagon was injured, Mr. Brown only received a shaking up.

Misses Ruth and Rhoda Gillelan entertained at cards at their home on Friday evening. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Gross, Dr. and Mrs. J. McC. Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Gillelan, Mrs. Luther M. Zimmerman, Mrs. Carson P. Frailey, Mrs. J. Brooke Boyle, Mrs. Edgar L. Annan, Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Waltham, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillelan, Misses Rhoda Gillelan, Ruth Patterson, Mary Adams, Josephine Fitzgerald, Ann Codori, Rachael Shulenberg, Belle Helman, Mary Scott McNair, Anna Felix, Messrs. Eugene E. Zimmerman, Clay Shuff and Edward Motter.

Concert at St. Anthony's.

The unqualified success of the recent card party and dance given at "Hillside," the residence of Mrs. Jane Corry, has resulted in many requests for a repetition of the entertainment. In response thereto Rev. L. Paul Reynolds has arranged a concert for the evening of August 26, the proceeds to go toward the organ fund of St. Anthony's Church. At the conclusion of the musical program there will be dancing in the attractive new pavilion on the lawn of "Hillside."

CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC

Mass, Sunday 6 and 9 a. m. Vespers, Sunday 7:30 p. m. Mass, week day, 6 and 7 A. M.

ST. ANTHONY'S

Mass, Sunday at 7:00 and 10:00 a. m. Week day Masses 7 o'clock. Catechism, 9:00 a. m. Vespers, 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN

Sunday, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor, 1:45 p. m. Senior " " 6:45 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m. Saturday, Catechetical instruction 2 p. m.

REFORMED

Sunday, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Sunday School, 1:30 p. m. Service, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Vesper Service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

TOM'S CREEK M. E. CHURCH

Sunday School, 9 a. m. Preaching, 10:30 a. m.

Rev. Mr. John S. Wilder, Pastor of one of the leading Baptist Churches, Savannah, Georgia, preached at the Methodist Episcopal Church, this place, Sunday afternoon, August 15, 1915. Rev. Mr. Wilder, who is an eloquent speaker, delivered a forcible and appealing sermon from this subject—"If God is with you, who can be against you?" Rev. Mr. S. E. Rose, the local pastor, was present and introduced the visiting minister. Dr. Carson P. Frailey, Washington, D. C., rendered a vocal solo as an offertory.

MRS. LEWIS KRISSE

Mrs. Lewis Krise died at her home in Fairfield last Friday, aged 74 years, 3 months and 27 days. Death followed a long illness from slow paralysis.

Mrs. Krise was a daughter of the late Michael Hoke, of Emmitsburg, and was born in York. She had been a resident of Fairfield for many years.

Surviving her are her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Richard Polly and Mrs. John Musselman, both of Fairfield. One sister, Mrs. Sallie Rowe and two brothers, William Hoke and Michael Hoke, all of Emmitsburg; two grandchildren, Lewis K. Polly and Earl Musselman, also survive.

PAINT THAT LASTS.

This is the season to paint. No doubt you have been thinking about it, but you are not quite sure of the kind of paint to use.

STAG PAINT—the kind sold by R. L. ANNAN—is the most serviceable and lasting.

It has every good quality that paint should possess, and the price is right. Come in and talk it over. I can save you money and give you satisfaction.

R. L. ANNAN. adv.

CIDER.

To all patrons having Apples for Cider we wish to announce that until further notice we will be ready to make Cider on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. Thanking you for past patronage, may we hope for a continuance in the future.

Yours truly, D. W. Zentz. adv aug 20-3ts

Indian Motorcycles.

I am the agent for this territory for the Indian Motorcycle—the best made. If there is any thing you want to know about them write to me—I will send you catalogue and come to see you. No obligation to buy. Address

EDWIN C. CREAGER, aug 20-2ts. Thurmont, Md.

New Lumber Yard.

I have established an oak lumber yard in the McCarren stables, back of West Main St. Persons can obtain lumber there by seeing Guy J. Topper.

aug 20-tf. C. C. SPRINGER.

FINE PEACHES!

Throughout the season many fine varieties of peaches at reasonable prices. Point View orchard, 1 1/2 miles north of town on Gettysburg road. See Zach Stahley or J. A. W. Matthews.

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Peaches! Peaches!

Go to B. B. Wertz for fine peaches, at low prices and liberal measure; 1 mile from Zora on Fairfield road. Famous "Stump the World" Peaches coming week. Tel. United 630F. aug 20-7ts.

Help Wanted—At Home.

In connection with our glove factory, which we have just commenced, we will have a lot of work which we will give out to be done at home. Persons desiring such work should apply to Mr. George S. Miller.

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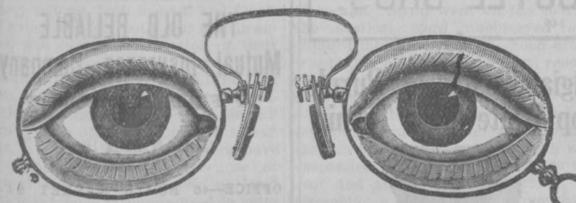
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THURMONT NEWS.

Mr. Earl Freeze, of this place, has secured employment with the Packard Motor Car Company, in Detroit, Mich., and is now located in that city.

Mrs. George Worth, children and niece, Miss Hilda Worth, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are visiting Mr. Isaac Rout. Miss Mildred Williams and Miss Wrelyk, of Frederick, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin left Sunday for Chicago, at which place they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stimmell. Returning they will visit in Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rouzer, of Washington, D. C., are spending some time at their summer home at this place.

Mrs. William Carback and sons, spent last week with Mrs. Effie D. Creager. Messrs. Edward Scott and Edgar Lawrence, of Philadelphia, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Rouzer recently.

Miss Ruth Black, of Baltimore, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Edward Sefton.

Miss Helen Creager is spending some time with Miss Ethel Miller, of Hagerstown.

Miss Clara Donsife, of Woodsboro, visited her cousin, Miss Bessie Martin, recently.

Miss Beth Firor and Mr. Paul Fleagle who were pupils at the Millersville, Pa., Normal School have returned home.

Messrs. Donald Waesche and Ira Kelbaugh, who sometime ago went to Oklahoma, returned home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ecker, and Mr. Ernest Ecker and children, of York, Pa., are visiting Miss Jennie Ecker and other relatives.

Mrs. Daniel Stonebraker and daughter, Miss Florence, of Washington, are visiting Miss Elizabeth Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sebring and three children, and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Sebring, of Sebring, Ohio, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Rose, the latter being a daughter of Mr. George Sebring.

From here Mr. H. O. Sebring will go to Florida while his father makes a business trip to Philadelphia and New York. The ladies and children will remain in Thurmont until the gentlemen return from their trips.

Mrs. John Albertson, and Miss Margie Beatty, of Washington, D. C., and Master Irvin Zepp, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of Miss Etta Damuth Marten.

Misses Naomi Shook and Virginia Fitz, of Frederick, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. English, recently.

Miss Mary Oerter, who spent several weeks, with Miss Bessie Martin, has returned to her home in Nazareth, Pa.

Colonel and Mrs. George F. Landers, Coast Artillery Corp., U. S. Army, visited Mrs. John Landers last week.

Colonel Landers for the past two years has been in command of the defenses of Narragansett Bay, Newport, R. I. On August 15th he reported in Washington D. C., for duty at the Army War College.

Mr. Paul Beard, son of Rev. M. L. Beard, of Thurmont, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Chas. L. Weaver, Deputy Scout Commissioner, of Baltimore, who will leave Baltimore on September 1st to take up his new work as Scout Executive, at Richmond, Va.

Mr. Beard has been in Baltimore for some weeks engaged in this work.

Mrs. Mary Becker, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Margaret Waesche.

Mrs. William Late and Miss Florence Late, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dotterer.

Mrs. Lulu Nissley, Miss Sue Nissley, of York, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Amanda Baltzell.

Miss Elizabeth Lantz, of Baltimore, visited Miss Maude Freeze during the past week.

Mrs. Chas. Cassell is visiting her son, Dr. Howard Cassell.

Miss Madeline Kissinger, of Gettysburg, is visiting her aunt Mrs. S. M. Birely.

Mrs. Howard Cassell is visiting in Philadelphia and Pitman, N. J.

Miss Leona Cover of Washington, D. C. is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cover.

Mr. J. William Payne, who for several months past was obliged to leave his job on account of his health, returned to his post last Sunday evening.

Miss Bertha Bennett, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bennett during the past week.

A surprise party was given at "Chestnut Springs" last Tuesday evening, August 17, in honor of Miss Nellie Cover's birthday.

The evening was spent in playing games, music and dancing. At 10.30 refreshments were served, after which the guests all departed for their homes wishing Nellie many more happy birthdays.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cover, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Unger, Misses Blanche and Marie Eyer, Coletta O'Toole, Bessie Webster, Maude Weller, Mabel Freeze, Margaret Wilhide, Dorothy Rouzer, Katherine Albaugh, Helen Root, Cassandra Hesson, Miss Sue Nissley and Mrs. Lulu Nissley, of York, Pa.

Messrs. Charlie and Roy Wisotzky, Earl and Ira Kelbaugh, Charles Brennaman, Victor Birely, Lester Damuth, Frank Weller, Raymond Creager, William Pryor, Paul Fleagle, Claude Freeze, and George Root.

Miss Katie Freeze, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mayor William Freeze.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Miss Annie Pryor is visiting Miss Sarah Dutrow, near Gracesham.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grushon, of Thurmont, spent Sunday with Mr. E. A. Fry and family.

Mrs. Catherine Wilhide is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. Edward Dewees and children visited Mrs. Samuel Dewees on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fry, of New Midway.

Miss Beulah Troxell visited Miss Annie Pryor last week.

The Misses Roelkey, of Frederick, visited Mrs. Carl Gall last week.

Miss Florence Demuth is spending a week at her home, near Washington.

Miss Myrtle Eyer returned home after spending some time with Mrs. Joseph Fry, near New Midway.

Mrs. William Dewees and little granddaughter, Mable, spent Thursday with Mrs. Samuel Dewees.

Notes and Remarks Both Personal and Pertinent By "Country Contributor."

Amongst those who enjoyed the mountain breezes during August, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Shafer at "Cloverdale House," are the Misses Lucille Odend'hal, Nannie Yoe, Margaret Kiel, M. Slattery and Nannie Owens. Messrs. Sebastian Oden'hal, Sr., Sebastian Oden'hal, Jr., Thomas O'Keefe, John Kiel and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott, all of Baltimore, and Mrs. Edw. Prochnow, and Miss Elizabeth Prochnow, of Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. J. Wilson Stehl and Master J. Wilson, Stehl Jr., spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Stehl's sister, Mrs. Patrick Martin and family at "Idlewild."

Amongst the guests at "Hillside" for August are: Mrs. S. Oberdorf, Misses Alice Martin, Elizabeth Hanner, and Sophia Wheeler, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Lelia Scheen (nee Cretin) of New York.

Miss Mary Rehill, of White Plains, N. Y., is spending August at "Split Rock Cottage."

Mrs. August Reudter, of Baltimore, and Mr. Allan Burkett of McKeesport, Pa., visited Mrs. A. P. Jennings at her home "Split Rock Cottage," near Mt. St. Mary's.

Miss Ella Warthen has returned home after spending several weeks at "Rose Cottage," Owings Mills, as the guest of Miss Libby Baxter.

Mrs. Prescott, of Philadelphia, Pa., Miss Carrie McNulty, of McKeesport, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geiselman near Mt. St. Mary's.

Mr. James McNulty, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Patrick McNulty, near Mt. St. Mary's.

Miss Julia Roddy is visiting friends in Taneytown.

Mrs. Lysman and three children, of Baltimore, who were spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hahn have returned home.

Miss Hunt and Mr. John Bailey, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey and family.

Doctor David O'Donoghue and Mr. Jeremiah O'Donoghue, of Passaic, N. J., are visiting Mrs. O'Donoghue and family at "Bella Vista," near town.

Mrs. Patrick Martin and the Misses Leha, Laura and Alice Taney spent Monday in Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly, (nee Lingg) of Altoona, Pa., are visiting friends and relatives near Dry Bridge, and Mt. St. Mary's.

Miss Laura Callan, of Washington, is spending the late summer and early fall months at "Hillside," the guest of the Misses Cory.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bentz and Messrs. Bishop and William Bentz motored to Frederick and Hagerstown on Wednesday.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

Saturday morning the St. Anthony's base ball club journeyed to Rocky Ridge and crossed bats with the nine of the latter place. It was a pitchers battle between W. Shorb and L. Fox, the latter fanning 14 men. The locals lost in the last half of the sixth inning 5-1. Until the fifth inning with a man on either side watched second base.

In the fifth St. Anthony's scored their only run. In the sixth an error by Warthen and a base on balls aided by timely hits gave Rocky Ridge 5 runs.

Only 6 innings were played, in order to allow St. Anthony's time to get to Detour where they played the Detour nine at 2.30 P. M.

The second game the locals won by the time of 22-0. W. Shorb, who had pitched in the morning game was chosen to twirl again. Finding he had not to work very hard, he pitched the full nine innings and allowed but 8 scattered hits.

Myers, Fogle and Ecker, of Detour, were touched for 23 hits, of 22 runs, five of these hits were two baggers and one a home run. The nine from the junction will play St. Anthony's here Saturday evening at 4 P. M.

The stone work on the new junior building at the college is rapidly progressing. Several of the door frames have already been set, and nearly all the window sills for the first story have been placed in position.

Mrs. George Wagner in on the sick list.

Mr. Allen Jennings, who has been indisposed for sometime, is able to be out again.

KEYSVILLE.

Mr. Russel Stonesifer accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Metlin Stonesifer and family motored to Charlestown, W. Va., Saturday and returned Sunday.

Miss Nora Forney, Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. N. Forney, who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fogle and child, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Mr. Charles Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Leise, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Leise, of York, Pa., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Hahn, have returned home.

Mrs. Frank Deberry has been ill with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Wilhide and daughter, Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Six and daughter, Lillie, visited relatives in Middletown Valley, Sunday.

Miss Luella Eyer, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. Calvin Valentine last week.

Mr. W. V. Forney, of Frederick, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Jessie Mangans, of Maugansville, and Miss Edith Hess, of Harney, have returned home after spending some time at the home of Mr. Peter Baumgardner.

Mrs. Warner and daughters, of Glen Rock, Pa., visited at the former's cousins, Mr. W. E. Ritter, Tuesday.

W. C. T. U. meeting Sunday at eight o'clock.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mr. and Mrs. John McCleef and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCleef, of Waynesboro and Mr. and Mrs. C. Shorb spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Andrew McCleef.

Miss Emma Shorb spent Sunday with Miss Lillie Dicken.

Messrs. Roy Shorb and Frank Turney spent Sunday with Mr. J. T. Shorb, of Willow Run.

Mrs. Daniel Shorb is suffering with a sore hand.

GRACEHAM

Mr. Daniel Saylor, of York, Pa., spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Saylor.

The Lewistown C. E. Society have sent an invitation to the C. E. Society, of this place to visit them on Sunday evening. The invitation has been accepted.

Mrs. Addison, of Thurmont, is visiting Mrs. Charles Miller.

Messrs. O'Dale and Bennett Pittenger, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Pittenger.

Mr. Chester Joy and family visited relatives at Middletown Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Routzahn, of Westminster, Mrs. Susan Fogle, of Thurmont, spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

Messrs. Leslie and Charles Hocken-smith, of Waynesboro, and Miss Grace Smith, spent Sunday with Miss Bertha Munshower, near Thurmont.

On Wednesday evening, August 11, Miss Edna Smith was given a surprise party by her many friends in honor of her 19th birthday.

Those present were: Messrs. Edna Smith, Bina Eyer, Mary Brown, Belsa Fox, Mary Claybaugh, Bertha Munshower, Rhudove Layman, Flora Holland, Linnie Smith, Addie Yingling, Edith Graybill, Mary Fritchie, Lottie Troxell, Mary Long, Bertha Smith, Esther Heimer, Belsa Col-flower, Beulah Long, May Creager, Florence Buhrman, Grace Smith, Blanche Creager, Glenna Boller, Edith Brown, Belsa Robinson, Ella Eyer, Mildred Smith, Birdie Troxell, Hattie Smith, Minnie Long, Ada Eicholtz, Beatrice Stevens; Messrs. Russell Troxell, Guy Boller, Gregg Keiser Le-roy Rhodes, Oscar Saylor, Calvin Troxell, Lester Smith, Lowell Long, Charles Troxell, Granville Layman, William Freshour, Wilber Blickenstieff, Frank Long, Guy Claybaugh, Luther Smith, Charles Boone, Ernest Clabaugh, Morris Smith, Calvin Eicholtz, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Yingling and Mr. James Smith.

The time was spent in playing music and different games. Refreshments were served. At a late hour all returned home wishing Miss Edna many more happy birthdays.

HARBAUGH'S VALLEY

Mr. Lewis Warren, of Waynesboro, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Warren.

Mr. Allen Harbaugh and family and Mr. Wilber Harbaugh, of Blue Ridge, spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. Arben Harbaugh.

Mr. Robert Kipe spent Monday with his cousin, Mr. Harold Sprengle.

Mr. Clarence Andrew, of Eyer's Valley, spent Sunday with his grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harbaugh.

Mr. Harold and Miss Sylva Sprengle and Miss Thelma Eighenbrode visited Mrs. C. J. Harbaugh on Monday.

Mr. Howard Harbaugh and Miss Myrtle Bailey, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday with Miss Cora Harbaugh.

Miss Cora Harbaugh spent Monday with Mrs. John Kipe.

Miss Lillie Andrew, of Eyer's Valley, spent a week with her sister, Miss Flora Andrew.

LOY'S AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Baltoltz and Mrs. S. Creager, of Thurmont, spent Saturday with Mrs. William A. Shorb and family.

Miss Bessie Arnold, of Rocky Hill, visited Mrs. Mary Mary E. Colbert on Sunday.

Mr. Clarence C. Pittenger, of Pleasant Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Washington Pittenger and family.

Quite a number of people from this place attended the picnic at Rocky Ridge on Saturday, August 14th.

Mrs. George W. Pittenger spent one day of last week with Mrs. Annie M. Martin and family.

Mr. Harvey M. Pittenger spent Monday evening with Mr. I. D. Wood, of near Rocky Ridge.

Fairfield Opens Season.

Fairfield's newly organized ball team will play its first official game on their new play grounds Saturday, August 21st, when they will have for their opponents a strong amateur nine from Gettysburg. Game called at 2 P. M.

Frederick Has Another Fire.

Fire broke out in the residence of Mrs. William P. Maulsby, of West Church street, Frederick, shortly before noon Tuesday and did damage amounting to probably \$1,000. The fire was confined to the upper part of the house, where a lot of clothing was kept, together with a number of other articles. Although the firemen responded promptly the flames had gained considerable headway by the time of their arrival and it was with difficulty that the blaze was fought. The carpets on the floors were ruined and the plaster soaked. In the back building were many blankets and other articles of bed covering which were destroyed. Valuable heirlooms were burnt and some valuable heirloom dishes were broken. The fire burned many rafters in the roof, and on account of the difficulty to reach the fire, much water was thrown, which went through the building from top to bottom.

Coffins are being made of paper in France.

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Each County of the State and each Legislative District of Baltimore City will be entitled to one or more scholarships in the Department of Engineering for the year 1915-16, in addition to those which have already been filled. There will be vacancies in the scholarships awarded to the graduates of Loyola College, Maryland Agricultural College, Mount St. Mary's College, Rock Hill College, St. John's College, Washington College and Western Maryland College, and in the scholarships "At Large," which may be filled in September 1915.

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EDWARD J. SMITH.

For State's Attorney.  
I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of State's Attorney for Frederick County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.  
H. KIEFFER DeLAUTER.

For State's Attorney.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate to succeed myself as State's Attorney, subject to the Democratic Primaries. I stand upon my record.  
S. A. LEWIS.

For State's Attorney.  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of State's Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries, and respectfully solicit your support.  
FABIAN POSEY.

For Register of Wills.  
I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the Nomination of Register of Wills of Frederick county, Md., subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary to be held in September next, and respectfully solicit the support of every Democrat in the County.  
EZRA L. CRAMER,  
of Walkersville District.

For Register of Wills.  
At the earnest solicitation of my many friends, I hereby beg to announce my Candidacy for the office of Register of Wills of Frederick County, Maryland, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary.  
ALBERT M. PATTERSON,  
of Emmitsburg District.

For Register of Wills.  
Having decided to enter the field as a candidate for the office of Register of Wills of Frederick County, I earnestly solicit the aid of my friends and other members of the Democratic party at the Preferential Primaries to be held next September.  
FRANCIS J. NEWMAN,  
Frederick City.

For Register of Wills.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register of Wills, of Frederick County, subject to the decision of Republican primaries for 1915. Your support will be appreciated.  
WM. P. MORSELL.

For Clerk of the Court.  
I am a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Frederick county and will appreciate the support of my friends and voters in securing the nomination at the coming Democratic Primaries.  
L. E. MULLINIX.

For Clerk of the Court.  
ELI G. HAUGH  
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For Clerk of the Court.  
Subject to the Democratic Primary.  
FREDERICK W. CRAMER.  
I will devote my entire time and attention to the office, and feel qualified to conduct it in an efficient, business-like manner. I wish to thank the people of Emmitsburg District for their confidence and splendid support in the past, and I shall take great pleasure in serving you if elected Clerk of the Court.

For Clerk of Circuit Court.  
Subject to Republican Primaries.  
JOHN. P. T. MATHIAS.  
If nominated and elected, the people will have a good, clean administration, such as will be a credit to the County and helpful to those who may have business in the Clerk's Office.

For Judge of Orphans' Court.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Md., subject to the decision of the Republican primaries. Your support is respectfully solicited.  
ORRA F. BOND.

For Judge of Orphans' Court.  
I hereby beg to announce my candidacy for the office of Judge of the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, subject to the decision of the Democratic party.  
JOHN T. JOY,  
Thurmont District.

For Judge of the Orphans' Court.  
At the urgent request of my many friends here, I hereby announce myself a candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters in the coming primary. Your support and influence will be greatly appreciated.  
GEO. EDW. SMITH.

CANDIDATES CARDS.

For Judge of the Orphans' Court.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Judge of the Orphan's Court for Frederick County, subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries. Your support and influence will be appreciated.  
DAVID M. WHIPP,  
Burkittsville District, No. 22.

For Judge of Orphans' Court.  
At the earnest solicitation of my many friends, I desire to announce to the Republican voters of Frederick county, myself as a candidate for Judge of the Orphan's Court, subject to the coming primaries. Your support and influence will be gratefully appreciated.  
WILLIAM LUTHER GUYTON,  
Jul 30 tp  
Burkittsville District.

For County Treasurer.  
Subject to Democratic Primaries.  
CHARLES R. HARPER.  
If nominated and elected, I will carry out the same policies as inaugurated and followed by our present Treasurer, Fred. W. Cramer.

For County Treasurer.  
At the earnest solicitation of many of my friends I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Frederick County subject to the decision of the Republican Primary. I earnestly solicit your support.  
CHARLES A. OGLE,  
New Market District

For County Treasurer.  
After mature thought and consultation with my friends in Frederick county, I have decided to announce my candidacy for County Treasurer, subject to the Democratic primaries, and assure the voters of this county that if nominated and elected I will give them a thoroughly business-like administration.  
ALFRED W. GAVER,  
Middletown District.

For Sheriff.  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Frederick county, subject to the Republican primaries of 1915. I stand on my record as an officer and respectfully solicit your support.  
MARION C. MILLER,  
2-26-15  
Woodsboro, Md.

For Sheriff.  
I hereby beg to announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Frederick County, Maryland, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.  
ROBERT E. CROMWELL,  
Walkersville District.

For Sheriff.  
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—where a delightful surprise awaited me. I soon found the church, about a half-mile from the depot, but was so ignorant in the history of California Missions as not to expect the very oldest of them all, San Carlos, built in 1770. Another greater surprise was in store for me. I went up to the Rectory, handled the old eighteenth century knocker on a door with wrought iron nails, and welded hinges, not knowing whether a secular or religious priest would respond. A handsome Spaniard with iron-grey hair, but black brows, at side door other than I described and looking at me said: "Isn't this Fr. Barry who has a parish near the Catholic University in Washington?" Think of my feelings to be recognized in distant Monterey. I answered twenty-five years ago I was pastor of St. Ann's, Tenallytown, and rode horseback to lectures at the University. "During that time, Fr. Reaney took me, a young priest, to one of your tournaments, as he was to address the Knights, and I never forgot it, and you." It was Rev. R. M. Mestres, who has been pastor here for twenty-two years. I found through conversation that four times the bishop of Los Angeles wished to promote him. Three times he begged to remain with his people nearly all of whom spoke Spanish, but the fourth time, San Diego tempted him and he accepted. Then all the community turned out, and thousands of signatures went to the bishop asking not to separate the family. The good saintly padre gave up his ambition, and remained, and may now end his days at home. He took us back of the old original church still in use and showed us a trunk of a mighty live oak, with a marble tablet attached thereinto, whence I copied the following: "The Junipero Oak at Monterey, June 3rd, 1770 the ceremony of taking possession of California for Spain, was executed by Father Junipero Serra." Under the shade of this tree the first holy Mass was celebrated and he showed the old trunk that was brought from the ship at anchor in the bay near-by, and the altar service complete, altar cards in metal with the prayers stamped (indented) on them, book-stand, cruets, chalice, ostensorium, etc., all in silver, and the crucifix in wood. He has relics precious and interesting enough to fill a large room, all treasured in the little old sacristy in which the good Padre Junipero lived back of the altar. Our auto indulged in a flat tire, and it was a boon for the automobilists, for it gave us much longer time for this interesting chat with the good Father over his hedge of geraniums of mixed colors, which he had clipped back to four feet. He showed us a thirty inch photograph of a reproduction of the scene enacted June 1770, at the Exposition in San Francisco by his people, before an audience of nine thousand people. It will be repeated Aug. 28th I think he said with the celebration of Holy Mass included in Monterey. That the Bishop had given permission. He coached his people to impersonate all the characters then present. Told us a reminiscence of Padre Serra, how the Indians were so astonished at the whiskers of the Spaniards that they would come up and try to pull them off, unable to believe them real. Told us of his dear old mother recently departed at the age of 86 in the North of Spain near the French border, showed us around his garden and lawn, gave us ripe figs from the trees, flowers from a species of the gladiola, we had never seen. He has calla-lilies planted around his church under the eaves. They are just coming up after resting from Easter. He said "If you could only see them at Christmas, when in full bloom and vigor, resembling a greeting of purity to the Most High. I am invited to celebrate his eight o'clock Mass and preach. Oh! how proud am I! What sentiments, think you will well up into my mind, when offering the adorable sacrifice on the altar of a saint. I hope I will be able to restrain my feelings and keep back tears.

Mr. Eager had planned this seventeen mile drive for us, and we found every inch of it interesting. We had hardly left the Pacific Grove Hotel, when we passed two remarkable Dahlia gardens, commercial, for this flower, which is brought to its highest development in this low temperature. When we reached the hotel at 6:30 P. M., the thermometer registered 64°, steam heat, and logs blazing on the lobby hearth. At this writing every chair is there occupied by guests, enjoying the genial warmth. Another depression. Up-to-date construction of hearths, provides a few from without, entering the grate to supply the air for combustion instead of drawing it all from the room, thus causing a chill down your back. Passing the flowers, we mounted a terrace over the bay and were soon along the ocean proper, a natural arch bridge in rock worn by the waves came in sight, their hedges of rocks, covered with birds, gulls, looms, penquins, seal rocks, and one large seal engrossed our special attention, as it was a grey white, not having heard of white seals I concluded it must be an old fellow turned gray. Then we plunged into a grove of pines and cypress covering 6000 acres, with meadows interspersed! Pebble Beach came in sight with its lodge House and Summer Cottages, all emitting smoke from the hearths. A line of elegant limousines lined up from the swell Del Monte Hotel, whose owners were dining in the lodge and on the verandah. Soon we rolled into the gate way of thirty acres, the property of the Young Womens' Christians Association where in a log convention hall, they are to meet to-morrow; lastly through the dear quaint old city of Monterey, which led us back through the nineteenth century into the eighteenth. Spanish the tongue—old houses, material of which may have rounded the Horn. Spaniards, Mexicans, Indians, Chinese, Italian Fisherman with a few Americans; Passing the Presidio, where a new monument to Gen. Scott crowns the hill, we landed a happy crowd, with a grand appetite for a good dinner.

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