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Y. M. C. A. AT FRONT

Francis B. Sayre Appointed to Serve as Secretary.

WORK IS ALL IMPORTANT.

Men Sent in Response to Cabled Requests From Paris—Immense Amount of Equipment Necessary in Tents and Camps Already Established Abroad.

Washington.—Francis B. Sayre, son-in-law of President Wilson, has been appointed to serve as a Y. M. C. A. secretary with the American troops in France and will sail shortly with about twenty-five other men who have been chosen for this work in response to cabled requests from Paris for such help from America.

"My decision to enlist under the red triangle and do my bit in the war is a direct result of what the Y. M. C. A. accomplished on the Mexican border," said Mr. Sayre.

"I spent a good part of last summer in assisting in the association work at Camp Llano Grove and other huts between Brownsville and San Antonio. I regard this work as one of the most important elements of military service to be performed, and it attracts me as the biggest thing open for a man like myself to do, in so far as I am too old to be acceptable for military service under the selective draft.

"The great body of our men at the front and in the training camps must be kept clean morally as well as physically, and this is the service the Y. M. C. A. is eminently well fitted to perform. The American soldier is a clean fighting man, and he should be kept so."

The rapid development of Young Men's Christian association activities in France and in England necessitates the early sailing of this important contingent of association secretaries who are to serve the American soldiers and sailors.

The magnitude of the amount of equipment necessary to this service is indicated by the following list of supplies purchased for buildings and tents in camps already established. This list contains only twenty-four of the seventy-five items necessary for a full equipment of a single building: A hundred moving picture machines, 100 talking machines, 5,000 records, 500,000 phonograph needles, 300,000 feet of films (rented), 4,000 quarts of ink, 504,000 pens, 100,800 penholders, 100,800 pencils, 500 baseball gloves, 400 baseball bats, 200 baseballs, 5,000 baseballs, 7,000 sets of checkers, 3,000,000 sheets of letter paper, 1,500,000 envelopes, 20,000 testaments, 50,000 gospels, 10,000 hymn books, 2,000 blankets, 500 camp cots, 150 cash registers, 100 typewriters, 1,200 magazine holders.

FROZEN EGGS FROM CHINA.

Millions of Them Reach United States by Way of Pacific Coast.

Seattle, Wash.—Frozen eggs, shipped from China without shells, are helping combat the high cost of living on the Pacific coast and throughout the middle west.

In the ports of Seattle and San Francisco 34,500,000 eggs arrive annually in tin cans containing fifteen to thirty pounds each. One egg weighs two ounces.

A. L. Knisley of the United States food laboratory here says that a much smaller percentage of bad eggs are found in these shipments from China than in the local commodity.

Two companies, one English and one American, shell, pack and freeze the eggs in China.

The eggs cost at least one-third less than locals, it is said, because of the smaller cost of production—not on the part of the hens, but the laborers who gather, pack and distribute them are paid only small wages.

Turtle With Many Initials.

Brainerd, Minn.—Twenty-two years ago Joseph L. Hartell, Brainerd blacksmith, carved his initials and the date 1895 on the shell of a turtle. A few days ago that same turtle was found in Pillager, bearing so many initials that it resembled a traveling autograph album. Other initials deciphered were: Gat Lasher, 1900, and George Parks, 1910. W. H. Parks, John W. Lee and J. F. McGuire added theirs when they released the turtle after its most recent capture.

Concerning Fresh Shaves.

"I always feel more satisfied with life after getting a nice, fresh shave," observed Bromidius Vane.

"So do I," acidly answered Joshua Lott, the ungentle cynic. "In fact, whenever I get a shave I insist on getting a fresh one. Nothing irritates me more than to have an old, shaggy shave palmed off on me. This would be a gladder world if stale, second hand shaves and expressions could be banished together."—Lamb.

WAR SHOWS VALUE OF TUBERCULOSIS FIGHTS

Hardships Have Brought France, Which Never Attacked Disease, 400,000 Cases.

New York.—The war has added one more proof of the value of the English and American anti-tuberculosis, fresh air campaigns. While France is staggering under an almost unbearable load of 400,000 cases of tuberculosis, England has raised an army of 5,000,000 without any new or sudden tuberculosis problem such as that which has left France with her armies devastated.

Fresh air, out of door work and sports, open windows, good food, rest and treatment have kept England and America relatively free from tuberculosis. The French, who have almost entirely ignored the value of anti-tuberculosis campaigns, now find themselves with no facilities for caring for the thousands of new cases which the war has brought upon the country.

French peasants have few windows and an almost ineradicable aversion to fresh air in the house. French doctors have only in a few cases given special attention to tuberculosis problems. At the outbreak of the war the well trained physicians of Great Britain eliminated from the army all those who had the faintest taint of tuberculosis.

The lesson for America is written so all may read. Only through increased efforts against the white plague can the huge army which the United States must raise be kept free from the scourge which is weakening France.

WOMAN CAN SHOOT.

She Is Eighty-nine Years of Age, but Put Herself Upon Record.

Seattle, Wash.—Mrs. Helen E. Taylor, eighty-nine years old, walked into the headquarters of the National League For Women's Service in the Cobb building and said she wanted to register under the head of sharpshooter.

"I am a woman experienced in service for my country in war as well as in peace," she said. "I can qualify for nurse, cook or sharpshooter. I can hit the bulls-eye as often as most men and know how to handle a rifle."

The registry revealed that Mrs. Taylor was born in East Durham, Greene county, N. Y. Her husband was killed in the civil war. She came to Washington twenty years ago and lives at Ballard. She taught school for a few months when she was fifteen years old, she has worked as a nurse, is an experienced horsewoman and can hold the reins over a four horse team.

TOMMIES DO FARM WORK.

Glad to Spend Leisure From Trenches Cultivating Evacuated Land.

Behind the British Lines in France.—A special department attached to British headquarters has been created to superintend agricultural operations in the areas evacuated by the Germans.

Work in the fields by soldiers is largely voluntary. As details of soldiers leave the trenches for the rear they are invited to spend their leisure in agricultural work, which in the spring air and sun of France is one of the pleasant recreations imaginable.

Soldiers who who have once lived on a farm or done farm work "back home" generally jump at the opportunity, and many city men are eager to work in the fields, even preferring it to sports, such as football and field athletics.

The soldier-farmers are well provided with horses, usually artillery or transport horses from the reserves. The British agricultural military staff has gone so far as to secure its soldier-farmers cultivators and machinery of British models which are familiar to them. Seeds and fertilizers are also provided in abundance. The army will cultivate something over 30,000 acres this year in the liberated Somme area alone.

FIND NEW SLACKER GAME.

Federal Agents Believe "Farmers" Ought Not to Be Employed.

New York.—A new "slacker" ruse was found when it was learned that federal agents have recently been investigating the payrolls of a number of farmers of Newtown, Flushing and Great Neck, N. Y. Certain farm hands are wanted who are supposed to receive \$5 a week for playing golf and tennis and living on the farm.

The farmers, it is said, have received compensation for "employing" young sons of the rich Long Island set, who believed that by registering as farmers they could escape conscription. The farmers, it is believed, have in certain cases given away their own game, for they got tired of "the young swells who didn't know the difference between a grub hook and a cultivator" and began to talk about their "employers."

HOARDING IS FOLLY

Increases Prices and Makes All Food Products Scarce.

ENGLAND HAD ITS LESSON.

Newspapers Held Up to Scorn Both Hoarders and Merchants Who Had Catered to Them, and Government Threatened Penalties—Many Perishable Foodstuffs Spoiled.

New York.—The government is worried over hoarding of food supplies by individuals. So run the dispatches from Washington. Can it be that we are going to witness the same disgraceful exhibition of selfish folly that marked the opening days of the war in England?

I hate to believe that our countrymen are so dull or so heartless. But selfishness, like patriotism, knows no country, and it may be necessary to shame the self centered into decent behavior here, as was done in England in August, 1914. Just to wake up those who act in mere thoughtlessness it may be pertinent to mention the experience of an American couple in the first days after England entered the war, says Charles J. Rosebault of the Vigilantes.

They were living in a tiny village twenty-four miles north of London, and their main food supplies came up daily by motor truck from one of London's large department stores. Rumors that there might be a scarcity had penetrated even to their backwater retreat, but they declined to be ruffled thereby.

So the order for the morrow went to the department store as usual, only a bit larger than ordinary, as it was for the week end and guests were expected. It included fish and meat and a variety of fruit and vegetables, as well as some canned goods. The following day the big truck rolled up to the door at the usual hour and discharged a package of washing soda and some clothes pins!

The motorman was apologetic, but the department store had to admit itself beaten. The day before a horde of panic stricken Londoners had arrived in motorcars and had simply swept clean the counters, shelves and reserve bins of that huge shop. The other shops had met with the same experience.

All the greedy ones had acted as with one impulse. It was as though London was already besieged and the enemy had it in its grip. First come first fed appeared to be the slogan of those with money to buy and no regard for their fellows.

The senseless fright was short lived. The newspapers held up to scorn both the hoarders and the merchants who had catered to them. The government took a hand and threatened penalties. The shopkeepers, stung by the almost universal condemnation visited upon them, took their revenge by refusing to take back anything. Many perishable foodstuffs spoiled on the hands of the purchasers. The flavor departed from others long before they could be used. There was some poetic justice, after all.

But there was also a darker side to the incident. Prices of food had jumped overnight, and those of slender purse were the sufferers. Anxious housewives found themselves with empty larders and lacking means to replenish them. There was much hardship and nobody, not even the guilty ones, a gainer.

If there is one proposition which cannot be gainsaid it is that hoarding always has only one result—to increase prices and make scarce the articles hoarded. If everybody will be sensible and purchase only what is required for immediate use there will be neither scarcity nor inflated prices.

STUFF THAT MAKES HEROES.

Michael McNamara Braves Submarines to Fight For Flag Ho Loves.

Washington.—There's a little spot in Ireland that Michael McNamara had in his "mound's eye" for a long time—thirty years, in fact. All that time Michael was obeying orders, drilling, campaigning and doing the hundred and one things that fall to the lot of the American marine.

Michael finished his time, retiring with the rank of "serjant major, no less," and went back to that little spot in County Mayo.

Then came our participation in the war. Did Michael stay retired? He did not! He came right back on the steamship St. Louis, paying his own fare, and went directly to the United States marine corps headquarters to volunteer his services.

McNamara could have signed up with some Irish regiment, for despite his fifty odd years he is still a "foine broth ar a boy." Instead he braved the submarines to fight under the flag that for thirty years he had called his own.

Michael has a bit of the stuff of which loyal Americans and heroes are made.

DEMAREST GIRLS SEND SWEETHEARTS TO ARMY

With Twenty-three of Conscriptive Age in Town Only Four Are Left.

Demorest, Ga.—The girls of this place will be mighty lonesome for a long time, but have more than proved their patriotism. The conscription officer did not visit Demorest, because there are but four young men in the little city who are of marriageable and conscriptional age where formerly there were, counting them carefully, twenty-three prospective bridegrooms.

Nineteen of the twenty-three now wear the uniform of the United States army and the numerals of the Seventeenth infantry. It is more than a simple story of patriotism among the boys. Each of them had a second party to consult, and each received the same answer.

It was: "Go. Your country needs you."

"Hall to Demorest, first city of Georgia!" Captain G. V. Heidt, army recruiting officer said. "The army is proud of Demorest and of girls who gave up their sweethearts to Uncle Sam. That is the greatest record that has come to my attention since I have been on recruiting duty. The entire state can afford to boast of this little city."

SCHOONER RIDDLED BY SHELL

Long Missing Rebecca Palmer Attacked by Submarine.

New York.—American shipping men who have been wondering why the big five masted Yankee schooner Rebecca Palmer, which arrived at Liverpool from Savannah last December, had not returned to this side of the sea, had the mystery solved for them when some of her crew landed at an American port.

They said the Palmer was attacked by a submarine off the Irish coast in the middle of December and so badly damaged by shell fire that she was forced to lay up. The British docks were filled with shipping, so it was impossible for her to repair, and she may remain in England until after the war.

EDISON PLEADS FOR WORK.

Says All Must Do Their Bit to Help Win the War.

West Orange, N. J.—Thomas A. Edison in his laboratory at his plant here said:

This nation has assumed an obligation which practically amounts to this: We have agreed to save democracy from despotism, no matter what the cost may be. The nation is not a third person; the nation is ourselves.

The nation's obligation is our obligation, and each of us should work a little harder than he has ever worked before and produce a little more than he has ever produced before in order that he may be the better able to discharge his share of the obligation which the nation has assumed.

MAY CHANGE SCHOOL YEAR.

Coal Shortage May Cause Schools to Close During Winter Months.

Bridgeport, Conn.—A radical change in the school year, due to difficulty in getting coal, is under consideration by the local public school authorities, it was learned.

The proposal is to close the schools during the winter and keep them open during summer. By this means, it is pointed out, the necessity of heating the buildings will be avoided and the health of the children be much better conserved than would be the case in winter in buildings which might lack proper heating.

While the regular summer vacation will begin this month, the change, it is said, may be made next winter.

TO USE WIRELESS PHONE.

Scientists Say It's Practical, and Even Aeroplanes May Converse.

Washington.—Experiments with wireless telephony have proved its practical value to such an extent that it will be used by the navy in its war operations along with wireless telegraphy.

A statement issued by the public information committee says that engineers and scientists working with officials of the navy in developing the wireless telephone have made "important progress," but does not go into details.

The National Research Council and the Naval Consulting Board have devoted much attention to the subject, working on telephone communication with airplanes, new wireless methods and apparatus, for detecting the presence of submarines.

Usual Thing.

She—The moon is under a cloud. He (bitterly)—Everybody is who gets down to the last quarter.—Baltimore American.

HOME GARDEN PLAN A BIG HIT IN JERSEY

Remarkable Work Shown in Putting Vacant Lots Under Cultivation.

Trenton, N. J.—More than 25,000 persons in Jersey City have planted gardens, and the movement throughout New Jersey has gone to unprecedented proportions, according to reports made to Charles Lathrop Pack of Lakewood, president of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission. These reports are coming from various agencies which are keeping official tabs.

In Hackensack 11,000 gardens have been planted; Camden, 10,000; Morristown, 1,800; Trenton, 2,000; Edgewater, 350; Lakewood, 633; Glassboro, 250; Netcong, 450; Westwood, 800; Sussex, 300; Hightstown, 408; Rutherford, 250; Hopewell, 265; Washington, 200; Milford, 100; Hackettstown, 600; Point Pleasant, 500; Perth Amboy, 250; Carlstadt, 500. These are all the official reports so far turned in.

In Newark the vacant lot committee members have set out 5,000 gardens, and the number in the whole city is unofficially estimated at 30,000. In Paterson 7,500 garden patches are under cultivation; in Elizabeth, 6,000; in the Oranges, 16,000; in Montclair, 6,000; in Atlantic City, 10,000 to 12,000; in Caldwell, 1,000; in Plainfield, 7,000. These are all unofficial estimates from local sources.

In Camden the increase is 1,500 per cent; in Newark it is 1,400 per cent. School boards, civic clubs and women's organizations have promoted the campaign. The commission is furnishing to every community up to date advice on canning, drying and preserving.

VAINLY SEEK DE SOTO TREASURE IN INDIANA

Bodies, Skulls and Weapons Found, Sometimes Near the Surface.

Jefferson, Ind.—The search for the reported De Soto treasure started by Vol Kelly of Clarksville many years ago is said to have been renewed, as numerous holes have been dug along Nagle's creek, in the vicinity in which Kelly used to search.

The identity of the new seekers is not known, as the digging has been done at night. Kelly believed treasure was hidden because of an ancient record concerning De Soto. The tale is that his treasurer, Fernandez, deserted him, taking the money chest, and that this was buried not far from the falls of the Ohio when he was attacked by Indians. Kelly used a divining rod which was supposed to dip at the presence of gold.

Another old legend is that a Spanish knight appeared, clad in black, with helmet and armor, and danced a fantastic dance in the moonlight, the theory of the superstitious being that it was Fernandez, who gloated over the failure of those who sought to find his gold.

Treasures revealing or suggesting long forgotten or unknown history are not uncommon here. Bodies, skulls and weapons are among the things found, sometimes near the surface. A few years ago a resident discovered what were supposed to be bodies of chiefs, their heads surrounded with beautifully worked spear points.

FIFTH SON TO UNCLE SAM.

Charles Brickley, Football Star of Harvard, Is One of Them.

Boston.—Mrs. William J. Brickley, mother of the Harvard football star, has given four of her five sons to the country and says that as soon as the youngest is a little older he'll go too.

William J. Brickley, Jr., the oldest son, is a yeoman at Commonwealth pier, South Boston; Charley Brickley, the second son, whose toe has won many a victory for the crimson team, is training with the Harvard reserve officers' corps; George Brickley has joined the medical reserve corps as hospital apprentice, and Joseph Brickley is in the army unit at Norwich university.

So much has been written about the athletic prowess of Charley Brickley that New Englanders to a certain extent have overlooked the ability of the other boys on the field and in the gymnasium. Especially has little been heard about Bill, the oldest son.

The heavyweight champion of the naval reserves at Commonwealth pier issued a challenge the other day to all comers. The first acceptance was from Bill, and the bout was arranged. The bill was fast and furious and ended in Bill scoring a knockout.

What Work Does.

Work is a guardian angel. Work turns the wilderness into a garden. Work does sometimes what even love cannot do—roots a man firmly in his place in the world.

It is no honor or profit merely to appear in the arena. The wreath is for those who contend.—Garfield.

THE YANKEE PUNCH

"Put It In the War," Says General Squier.

AIRPLANES WINNING FACTOR.

Regiments and Brigades of Winged Cavalry Could Blind the Eyes of Germany Until Her Gunners, Deprived of Range Finders, Would Be Put Out of Business.

Washington.—"Put the Yankee punch into the war," is the way Brigadier General Squier, who directs the aviation service, expressed it in discussing the great airplane program which, if passed by congress, will involve the appropriation of something like \$600,000,000 in the beginning.

By "Yankee punch" General Squier means "a characteristically American way of working to get big results."

"Airplanes," said General Squier, "are the logical fighting machines for Americans because we are an imaginative people, and when our imagination strikes fire nothing can stop us. The game ideally suits the American temperament, and every young American worthy of the name should be keen to join our flying army."

"An army in the air, regiments and brigades of winged cavalry, mounted on gas driven flying horses, could blind the eyes of Germany until her gunners, absolutely deprived of range finders, would be put out of business by the allied artillery. The magnificently obvious thing is to knock out Germany's eyes by a thrust through the air. But my idea would be something vastly larger than a thrust. An inundation of airplanes would better express the idea in its magnitude."

"Sweep the Germans from the sky, blind the Prussian cannon, and the time would be ripe to release an enormous flock of flying fighters to raid and destroy military camps, ammunition depots and military establishments of all kinds. The firing upon troops by machine guns from airplanes is becoming commoner and more accurate. Once given an upper hand the flying machine becomes a frightful engine of destruction."

TWINS PUZZLE TEACHERS.

Eight Pairs Prove a Source of Worry to Teachers.

Omaha, Neb.—Whether Jimmy is Jimmy or his brother Johnny and Johnny really Johnny or just Jimmy is the question that constantly confronts teachers at the Webster school. Eight pairs of twins in the school are the cause of the complexity of the situation.

Three pairs are boys, three girls and two "fifty fifty."

In Miss Erline Jeskallek's third grade class are three pairs—Newell and Donald Davis, Lucile and Lillian Poulson and Walter and Wade White.

In each case the twins are as much alike as peas in a pod.

In confidence it is whispered that the twins have changed seats in their classrooms without any one being a bit the wiser excepting themselves. The seating arrangement, Miss Jeskallek admits, is the only means by which she can tell one of a pair from the other.

CORNELL MEN URGED TO WAR.

Character Will Count, Pastor Says in Baccalaureate.

Ithaca, N. Y.—"The nearer you come to the firing line the more will your character count," said the Rev. Charles Whitney Gilkey in Cornell's annual baccalaureate sermon. Dr. Gilkey was clad in his suit of khaki, having come here from Fort Sheridan, Ill., where he is chaplain of the training camp. Only one-third of the university's senior class attended, the others being engaged in the war service.

Dr. Gilkey said that the youths now in training camps had been moved to do their bit because every one else was doing his, that they had been quick to act because their nation called and that they would only find their real aim in this war after they had crossed the ocean.

WILSON'S BASIS OF SUCCESS.

Expects to Solve Problems by Study of Word of God.

Montgomery, Ala.—These words from President Wilson were read in the new Methodist church here:

"I expect to find the solution of problems before me as president in the proportion that I am faithful in the study of the Word of God."

Flag Landed All Right.

Mattoon, Ill.—A patriotic freak of a recent storm was the carrying of a flagpole from the home of G. M. Metcalf four blocks to the space swept clear of the home of Raymond Coon, where the staff was planted in the soft earth with the Stars and Stripes still flying.

Many aviation accidents have been due to aviators being unable to stop their machines quickly on reaching the ground...

The French army is adopting steel tires in preference to rubber for its automobiles and is equipping them with sand boxes like locomotives to aid the traction in slippery places.

United States Dreadnought Michigan

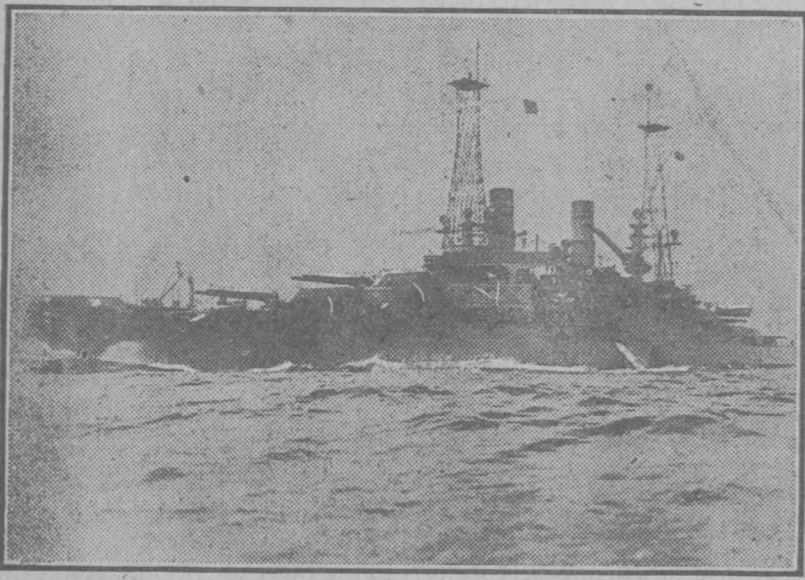


Photo by American Press Association.

The Michigan is a 16,000 ton battleship, 450 feet long. She carries eight twelve-inch guns and a complement of 869 officers and men.

Report of the Condition OF THE Emmitsburg Savings Bank

at Emmitsburg, in the State of Maryland at the Close of Business, June 30th, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Table with 2 columns: Resource name and amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$241,400.26), Overdrafts, Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.

LIABILITIES.

Table with 2 columns: Liability name and amount. Includes Capital Stock paid (\$25,000.00), Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits, etc.

Total Resources and Liabilities both amount to \$520,500.79.

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF FREDERICK, SS.

I, H. M. Warrenfeltz, Cashier of the above-named Institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Directors: J. LEWIS RHODES, W. A. DEVILBISS, B. C. GILSON.

Under Supervision of the State Banking Department.

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25c BOX FREE

A Skin Bleach or Whitener for dark or brown skin, removing all blemishes and clearing swarthy or sallow complexions...

WHAT USERS THINK OF COCOTONE.

- Testimonials from users in Macon, Ga. and Waycross, Ga. describing how Cocotone Skin Whitener cleared their skin.

THE COCOTONE CO. Atlanta, Ga.

I have never used Cocotone Skin Whitener, but if you will send me a 25c. box free, will be pleased to try it.

Name, Address, AGENTS WANTED.

STATE CONDENSED.

The scholarship at Western Maryland College has been awarded to Miss Mary C. Banes, of Elkton...

The Princess Anne branch of the Red Cross Society has raised \$1,011.75 for the national war fund...

Keene Claggett, Baltimore, was named trustee for the Green Ridge Valley Orchard Company...

As an experiment, 18 prisoners of the Maryland Penitentiary were worked as laborers in repairing a state road in Baltimore county...

John Bund, 12 years old, one of the boys at the Catholic School at Chesapeake City was drowned in Black Creek Monday morning.

John Kyd Beckenbaugh, of Hagerstown, captain of Company, B. First Maryland Regiment since 1914...

James H. C. Barrett, of Cambridge, justice of the peace in the administration of Governors Lowndes...

About \$5,000 has been subscribed to the Red Cross fund in Washington county. Those in charge of the campaign understood at the beginning...

A subcontract, estimated at about \$10,000,000, was awarded Saturday to Riggs, Distler and Stringer...

City Councilman Oscar Eyerman, of Cumberland, Saturday evening resigned his office to take the examination...

Dr. J. M. Tearney, formerly chief medical examiner of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad died at his home...

James Robert Oliver, 77 years old, soldier-journalist, died Sunday at his home in Baltimore.

Frank Neubauer, of Cumberland, aged 72 years, who went to work for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad...

Hagerstown Sewerage Commission has purchased from Dr. Edgar A. Fiery and Edward B. Spielman...

William H. Michael, aged 95, well-known cannor and farmer of Hartford county, died at 8 o'clock...

Rev. Milton H. Petzold, of Ellicott City has tendered his resignation to the trustees of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church.

Hagerstown's seven banks on June 30, when the comptroller called for statements as to their financial condition had on deposits the sum of \$10,303,935.46.

Company B. First Maryland Regiment has been recruited upon to war strength. One hour before the time limit for recruiting had expired the last man needed to bring the company up to war strength was sworn in.

Frederick county should lead the ranks in all patriotic endeavors.

FROM THE COUNTY.

Mayor Lewis H. Fraley and members of the Board of Aldermen are at odds. A hot controversy has resulted from the refusal of the Aldermen to co-operate with the Mayor in establishing in Frederick a six-day municipal market...

On his first run to Brunswick, T. H. Wilburn, aged 25, an employe of the 3rd division of the B. & O., was struck by express train No. 10 Saturday at 5.49 o'clock, A. M., and instantly killed.

Wilburn had gone to Brunswick Saturday morning as flagman on light engine No 1891, and was in the act of throwing the switch between the high speed track and the freight track...

Thurmont is to have a state improved highway. The stretch of road through the town, a distance of .34 mile, is to be rebuilt of concrete.

John D. Kelly, of near Monrovia, is recovering from an injury which might have been much more serious and even fatal. On Wednesday he was preparing to place hay in the barn and was releasing the hay fork...

John Kyd Beckenbaugh, of Hagerstown, captain of Company, B. First Maryland Regiment since 1914, has resigned because of physical disability.

Mr. Luther R. Shafer, aged 34 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Shafer, of near Burkittsville, a brakeman on the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railroad...

D. C. Winebrenner, III, has arrived safely in Paris with the rest of the Princeton Hospital unit, according to a letter received by a friend in Frederick.

The M. J. Grove Lime-Company has completed work on the new warehouse which it has found necessary to build at its plant near Frederick.

The Stave Mill at Catactin Furnace, operated by the Hickory Run Mfg. Co., of Allentown, Pa., was completely destroyed by fire at an early hour Thursday morning...

On account of the precarious price conditions, only two bids were submitted to the county commission Saturday for supplies for Montevue and the jail for the next quarter, and but two were awarded.

The County Commissioners have fixed the tax rate for the coming year at \$1.05 on the \$100. This is the same rate as last year. The State rate jumped from 32 1-3 cents to 35 7-12, making the total State and county rate \$1.41 5-12.

The taxable basis is \$31,446,571, and the levy \$366,477.96, as compared to \$357,366.10 last year. The School Board is given \$125,786.26, which is \$21,132.44 less than it asked.

A levy of \$11,635.59 was made for the State reassessment; \$3,000 in cash and \$3,000 in certificates was donated to the Red Cross fund; \$12,000.93 for roads and bridges; \$10,000 for hospital for insane; \$17,014.50 bonded debt; \$20,000 public road fund; \$20,000 Montevue Hospital and Jail.

The construction of the Cregarstown-Lewistown State aid road of four and a half miles will cost approximately \$52,000. Monday afternoon the County Commissioners awarded the contract for the building of this highway to L. R. Woesche, Thurmont.

Charles E. Keller, 67, of Buckeys town, a fruitgrower and landowner and a stockholder of the O. J. Keller Lime Company, of Frederick, was found dead under his touring car, near Feagaville, on Monday afternoon.

Richard Morningstar, 70 years old, near Frederick Junction, was held up and robbed of his pocketbook containing \$12 in the waiting room of the Baltimore and Ohio station Tuesday. His cries for help brought Constable William E. Miller, who arrested Charles Roberts. The pocketbook was found in Roberts' pocket, and he was held for the next grand jury.

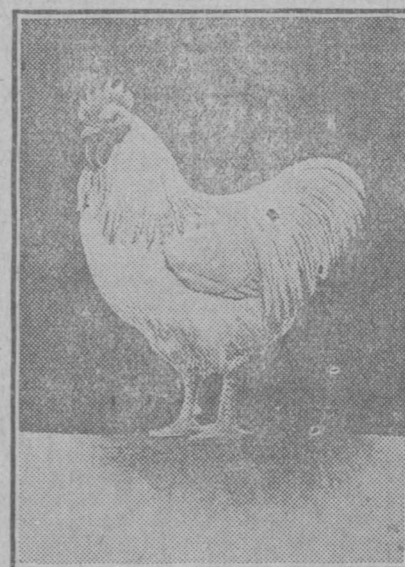
Poultry Farming

CAPONIZE THE ROOSTERS.

Birds So Treated Return a Much Greater Profit to Poultrymen.

Make capons of the young roosters, thus doubling the pounds of market poultry and increasing its quality. Market it next February and March, when there is no other supply of fresh poultry available.

Ordinarily the young roosters are put on the market during the hot months of the year, when there is an abundance



WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCK COCK.

of poultry for sale at comparatively low prices. By caponizing them they will make a profitable growth every day up to February or March, when they can be sold at good prices.

Half the chickens hatched, or nearly so, will be male birds. Sold in the ordinary way, this half of all our poultry will reach the markets during the hot months of July, August and September.

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The most expensive, risky part of the poultry business is to raise the chicks to the two pound frying size. The only practical way to save the male half of the flocks so that they will be fit and available for food when needed is to make capons of them.

It is these young males that spoil the egg crop. Caponize them. Market only infertile eggs and get more for them and at the same time make the capons the most profitable part of the poultry business.

TAKE CARE OF EGGS.

Farmers Should Candle Them For Their Own Advantage.

That it would pay the farmer to candle eggs is the opinion of N. L. Harris, superintendent of the poultry plant at the Kansas State Agricultural college.

During the hot weather it is an advantage to the farmer to candle the eggs for two important reasons—to avoid selling eggs that may have become spoiled from lying in the sun or being gathered from stolen nests...

One of the most satisfactory and least expensive methods is to make a roll or tube of common brown paper, which should be twelve inches long and the size of the egg in circumference. Place one end of the tube so that the sun can shine on the egg. With this device one can determine the spoiled eggs from the good ones.

By observing the size of the air cell in the end of the large end of the egg it is possible to determine the age of the egg or the length of time it has been allowed to evaporate.

Why Salt Kills Chickens.

Salt will kill chickens only when they have not been accustomed to getting salt as a part of their daily feed. Because they have not had salt for a long period and have a marked craving for it they will consume an excessive amount if salt is put before them.

Poultry Needs Fresh Water.

Change the water in the drinking fountains as often as you will, you can never be sure that some diseased bird is not contributing a share of germs to the henry health.

State of Maryland State Roads Commission

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for building one section of State Highway, as follows:

Contract No. F-24, Frederick County: One section of road through Thurmont, a distance of approximately .34 mile. (Concrete) will be received by the State Roads Commission...

Bids must be made upon the blank form contained in the book of specifications. Specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00...

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

F. H. ZOUCK, Chairman.

CLYDE H. WILSON, Sec. ad 7-6 2.

ORDER NISI ON AUDIT.

NO. 9601 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

JULY TERM, 1917.

In the matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 30th day of June 1917.

William F. Fisher, Mortgagee of Margaret A. Shank as an individual and as Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Joseph N. Lohr, dec'd. On Petition.

Ordered, That on the 21st day of July, 1917, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid in the above cause, 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 two successive weeks prior to said day.

Dated 2nd day of July, 1917.

ELI G. HAUGH,

Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True copy—Test:

ELI G. HAUGH, Clerk.

Albert S. Brown, Solicitor. July 6-3ts.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, passed in a cause pending therein, wherein Millard F. Shuff is the plaintiff and Fannie S. Williams et al. are defendants, being No. 9613 on said docket, the undersigned trustee, will sell at public sale at what is known as "The Spangler Hotel" in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, on

Tuesday, July 31st, 1917,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all the right, title and interest of John M. Springer, deceased, in and to the following described real estate, of which the said John M. Springer, died, seized and possessed, to-wit:—All that lot or parcel of land, situated about 2 1/2 miles West of Emmitsburg, along the public road leading from Annadale School House to Eyer's Valley, containing about one-half acre of land, improved with a two and a half story frame house and other out-buildings with a spring of water on the place, and some choice fruit, and for the title see deed to John M. Springer by George S. Springer and wife dated December 30th, 1905 and recorded in Liber S. T. H. No. 274, folio 6 etc., one of the Land Records of Frederick County.

Terms of Sale as prescribed by the decree: One half cash on the day of sale or the ratification thereof by the Court, and the balance in six months from the date of sale, the purchaser giving his, her or their notes bearing interest from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser. A deposit of \$50.00 will be required of the purchaser on day of sale.

RENO S. HARP, Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE

Valuable Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by Sophia G. LeFevre and Franklin T. LeFevre, her husband, to J. Stewart Annan, Guardian bearing date on the 6th day of September 1905 and recorded in Liber S. T. H. No. 273, folio 10 etc., one of the land records of Frederick County, the undersigned, assignee of said mortgage, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, on

Saturday, July 28th, at 11 A. M.

All that lot of ground and premises situated in Emmitsburg, aforesaid in what is known as "Shields' addition," on the South Side of Main Street, adjoining the lot of Helen J. Rowe on the East and being the western half of lot number Eighteen (18) in said "Shields' Addition" of which Sophia Houser, dec'd seized and possessed and which was conveyed to her by Lewis D. Cook and wife, by their deed dated on the Twentieth day of August, in the year 1894, and recorded in Liber J. L. J. No. 7, folio 264, one of the land records of said Frederick County, and which was conveyed to the said Sophia G. LeFevre by Eugene L. Rowe, Trustee, by his deed dated on the Fifth day of September, in the year 1905, and recorded in Liber S. T. H. No. 271 folio 194, one of the land records aforesaid.

The improvements on this property consist of a Two-Story weather-boarded house. Excellent location for residence or business building.

Terms of Sale as Prescribed by Mortgage: Cash. Purchaser to be at expense of conveyancing, including Revenue Stamps. A deposit of one hundred dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time of sale to insure compliance with its terms.

GEORGE R. DENNIS, JR. Assignee of Mortgagee.

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Let us help you select your wedding present by offering suggestions from our large stock of silver and cut glass.

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The Philippines produce about 10,000,000 gallons of alcohol a year, most of it being made from the sap of the nipa palm.

Let it never be said that Frederick county lagged behind in a time of national peril.

RUBBER STAMPS.

Rubber Stamps for all purposes. The kind that lasts. Stencils, brass and enamel signs, seals, pocket punches, ink and ink pads. Leave your orders with THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

PROCLAMATION POINTS OUT FAIRNESS OF DRAFT METHODS

The draft system is one of equality and fairness, President Wilson explained in a proclamation accompanying exemption and draft regulations issued Tuesday.

His proclamation said: "The regulations which I am today causing to be promulgated, pursuant to the direction of the selective service law, cover the remaining steps of the plan for calling into service of the United States qualified men from those who have registered, those selected as the result of this process to constitute with the Regular Army, the National Guard and the Navy, the fighting forces of the nation, all of which forces are under the terms of the law placed in a position of equal right, dignity and responsibility with the members of all other military forces."

"The regulations have been drawn with a view to the needs and circumstances of the whole country and provide a system which it is expected will work with the least inequality and personal hardship. Any system of selecting men for military service, whether voluntary or involuntary in its operation, necessarily selects some men to bear the burden of danger and sacrifice for the whole nation. The system here provided places all men of military age upon an even plane and then by selection which neither favors the one nor penalizes the other calls out the requisite number for service."

"The successful operation of this law and of these regulations depends necessarily upon the loyalty, patriotism and justice of the members of the boards to whom its operation is committed, and I admonish every member of every local board and every district board of review that their duty to their country requires an impartial and fearless performance of the delicate and difficult duties intrusted to them. They should remember as to each individual case presented to them that they are called upon to adjudicate the most sacred rights of the individual and to preserve untarnished the honor of the nation."

"Our armies at the front will be strengthened and sustained if they be composed of men free from any sense of injustice in their mode of selection, and they will be inspired to loftier efforts in behalf of the country in which the citizens called upon to perform high public functions perform them with justice, fearlessness and impartiality."

"WOODROW WILSON."

A MERCILESS JUDGE.

One Who Shows No Favor. A merciless judge is Father Time. Before him the weak and the wanting go to the wall. Only the truth can stand. For years the following statement from a Hagerstown resident has withstood the sternest of all tests.

Mrs. A. Harrison, 325 Liberty St., Hagerstown, Md., says: "I had a very bad back, which pained me persistently. I couldn't sleep, no matter how tired I was, on account of the misery and pain across my back. I could do little bending but what my back pained me and I couldn't do my housework. The passages of the kidney secretions were annoying. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me."

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs. Harrison said: "I am glad to confirm my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Harrison has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props. Buffalo, N.Y. Advertisement.

The world's largest plant for sterilizing water with ultraviolet rays is being built at Niagara Falls and will have a capacity of 16,000,000 gallons a day.

Practically all electric street cars in Europe are equipped with meters to induce motormen to be economical with current.

Secretary Daniels Promotes 18 Marylanders

Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced the promotion of 18 Marylanders and 34 Virginians from the rank of warrant officers to commissioned grades in the navy.

In all 496 warrant officers, all of them enlisted men, were promoted to be commissioned officers by the Secretary, under the new law. This is by far the largest number of officers ever commissioned in the navy at one time.

At the same time the Secretary announced that he had promoted 345 enlisted men of superior merit to warrant rank for temporary service during the war.

The appointment of the warrant officers to commissioned grades was authorized by the act of Congress providing for the increase in the enlisted strength of the navy to 150,000 men. All the promotions were made upon the record of the men. No special examinations were required. Only the merit of service was needed to win the commissions.

"I hope that when the war is over," said the Secretary, "Congress will accede to my recommendation that the regulations governing permanent commissions be amended to permit retention in the commissioned grades of all these men who prove their capability. I have no doubt a large percentage of them will meet this test, for they are all experienced men who have demonstrated high intelligence and ability."

Under the Secretary's order 95 chief boatswains; 117 chief gunners and 125 machinists will become ensigns; 85 chief carpenters will become assistant naval constructors; 64 chief pay clerks will become assistant paymasters; and 10 chief pharmacists will become assistant surgeons. Of the enlisted men designated to become warrant officers 37 will be boatswains, 92 gunners, 48 machinists, 15 carpenters, 90 pay clerks and 54 pharmacists.

Impressive Exercises Held At Gettysburg.

Six thousand United States soldiers participated in impressive Independence Day exercises at Gettysburg Wednesday. They assembled as two brigades on the portion of the historic field which witnessed the bitter fight of the third day of the great struggle of 1863.

About the equestrian statue of Gen. George G. Meade were grouped the men of the famous Fourth Infantry, and with them the newly formed Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth regiments. To the northwest of this assembly were gathered the Seventh Infantry, also an old command, and the new Sixtieth and Sixty-first. Hundreds of recruits who have been in the service less than two weeks appeared in the ranks.

The martial airs of the Allies, with the "Marseillaise" especially prominent, marked the opening of the exercises. Then the Declaration of Independence was read, followed by patriotic airs and extracts from President Wilson's war message. "The Star-Spangled Banner" concluded the program, and then came an impressive parade on the battle field avenues.

The Fourth band led the march, playing "Swanee River," "Dixie," "Maryland, My Maryland" and other Southern tunes. The parade was over the ground where the Confederate hosts attacked just 54 years ago. The camp had a holiday after the men were dismissed.

Received Contract For Navy Socks.

Joseph Black & Son, of York, Pa., hosiery manufacturers, have been awarded a contract by the United States Navy Department for the 72,000 pairs of socks. They will cost 183 cents a pair and the total cost will be \$13,500. This contract is part of an order for 3,567,200 pairs of socks for the navy.

Plans for Army Supplies.

Quartermaster General Sharpe is struggling with a great problem—he is making plans to feed and clothe 1,600,000 men. All told he must arrange for the purchase and distribution of 343 different articles, ranging from fresh beef to shoestrings. While many of the departments were taking more or less of a day off, the quartermaster's aids were busy Sunday making plans to feed and please Uncle Sam's army.

Among the items on the list of the Quartermaster's Department is 20,000 tons of fresh beef. It sounds bigger when it is put into pounds. The figure is 397,639,240. Then there is canned and corned beef totaling nearly 8,000,000 pounds. These estimates apply only to soldiers in the United States, so that when our armies begin to move to France there will be a greater total.

The magnitude of the task of Quartermaster General Sharpe is shown by the demands of an army of 1,000,000. They include more than 29,000,000 pounds of coffee, four kinds of tea, more than 25,000 tons of granulated sugar, 866,000 gallons of cucumber pickles, 3,800,000 cans of black pepper, cloves, cinnamon, ginger and nutmeg, totaling 372,000 cans each, nearly 500,000,000 pounds of potatoes, 55,000,000 pounds of onions, more than 300,000,000 pounds of flour in addition to hard bread and 7,300,000 pounds of butter.

Sugar Crops Large in Porto Rico.

The end of July will see the end of the most successful sugar season Porto Rico has ever known. The total output of all of the Centrals, there is every reason to believe, will exceed 500,000 short tons of sugar. Last year's production was 483,000 tons and many sugar men say they will not be at all surprised if this season is ended with 25,000 or 30,000 tons in excess of that amount. The price at which the crop so far sold has been disposed of is said to average more than \$100 a ton.

There were fewer labor difficulties during the harvesting of the crop than had been expected. The field laborers generally received an average of \$1 a day. In many instances this wage was paid for an eight hour day for the first time.

Edmund Enright, assistant Commissioner of Interior, has been appointed a special commissioner by Rear-Admiral James H. Oliver, Governor of the Virgin Islands, to study the problems existing between the plantation owners and the laborers of those islands and to attempt to have them end their differences through arbitration. Mr. Enright sailed for St. Thomas and is expected to remain in the islands until his task is completed.

Interesting Items From Germany.

Some interesting items of German news have been gleaned from letters found in raided dugouts. One of them, written from Bielfeld, Prussia, June 6, tells of an explosion in a munitions factory at Detmold and continues:

"It was terribly sad. On Sunday 90 victims already had been buried. One woman, who has lost four sons in the field, has now lost her three daughters in the explosion. It is strange that the Westphalian newspapers give no report of the accident."

Another letter, written at Erfurt, Prussian Saxony, May 23, says:

"The church bells have pealed a farewell. This week all of them will be taken away to be smelted down and turned into shells. No eye remained dry when the pastor mentioned that instead of ringing out tidings of an early peace they must now cause death and destruction."

U. S. Has 7635 National Banks.

The number of national banks operating in the United States has reached the highest point in the history of the system.

A total of 7635 is recorded by the Treasury, according to a statement issued by the Comptroller of the Currency. This is an increase of 47 during the fiscal year just ended. In the year 150 national banks have increased their aggregate capital stock \$25,000,000.

Mr. Zihlman Will Address Convention.

Congressman F. N. Zihlman will speak before the 41st. Annual Convention of the American Flint Glass Workers Union, which will be held in New Bedford, Mass. from July 21, on the subject, "The War and Labor's Needs and Duty." Mr. Zihlman is the only member of Congress from the Glass Worker's trade having started to work in a glass factory when 11 years of age and is one of the best known flint glass workers in the country.

Taking Big Chances.

It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on the train or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaint are often sudden and very severe and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere.

**Advertisement. July 6-1-mo.

For saving lives at sea there has been invented a water tight cask in which a person can float indefinitely until rescued, as a valve admits air, and food supplies are carried.

The germ theory of the transmission of contagious diseases was entertained as far back as 1657, when the plague ravaged Rome.

Daddy's Bedtime Story

Jorinda Went Home

[Adapted From Hans Christian Andersen.]

THE bedtime story began with this fairy tale. Said daddy: "There was once a purple flower that could break magic spells. When an old fairy turned Jorindel's sweetheart into a nightingale he looked and searched the countryside over for this purple flower. For eight days he scoured the dales for this wonderful posy."

"On the morning of the ninth day he found it, and in its center sat a big drop of dew that looked just like a pearl."

"Jorindel joyfully plucked the flower and then traveled day and night till he came to the enchanted castle where the spiteful fairy had made Jorinda a prisoner in a birdcage."

"Before, when he got within a hundred paces of the castle, he became fixed to the spot. But now that he had the purple flower he found that he could go right up to the castle walls. He was very glad indeed to find this was so, because it was going to be a hard job at the best to touch his nightingale with the purple flower."

"Jorindel next touched the great castle door with his magic posy. And open wide swung the door."

"He went cautiously on in to the courtyard, where many pretty birds were singing in their cages."

At last he made his way to the chamber where sat the old fairy with 700 birds singing in 700 cages.

"When she saw Jorindel coming she was very angry. She was so angry, in fact, that she screamed with rage. She struck at him with her wand, but she could not come within two feet of him. The purple flower in his hand was his safeguard."

"Jorindel looked at the caged nightingales. But there were so many of them, alas! How could he ever tell which was his own Jorinda?"

"While he was thinking he saw the old fairy take down one cage and begin to make off with it through a door. This made him suspicious that she was trying to put Jorinda beyond his reach. So he ran up to the old fairy, touched the cage with the purple flower, and there stood Jorinda."

"There she was as beautiful as ever. She threw her arms around Jorindel's neck, and out of the chamber, through the courtyard, into the big woods they went together."

"But before he left Jorindel very kindly touched all the 700 other cages with his purple posy, so that all the enchanted maidens in the cages took their own forms again and went happily home. They all married their lads and lived happily together, just as did Jorinda and Jorindel. It was a beautiful fate for so many maidens who had been compelled to live in birdcages and sing out their lives for a spiteful old fairy," daddy finished.

Then the children kissed him and ran off to bed without asking for another story.

Tongue Could Tell.

"Last night, George, you told me you loved me more than tongue could tell, and oh, George, that wasn't true!"

"Why, darling, what do you mean?"

"I mean that it wasn't more than my little brother's tongue could tell. He heard it all!"

Puzzled Him.

"Women are so awfully hard to understand."

"What's the matter now?"

"Three of them have refused to marry me. I wonder what sort of a man they are looking for anyhow."—Detroit Free Press.

Pessimistic.

Optimist—A gran' mornin' the morn'! Misanthrope (grudgingly)—It's no a'thegither ill—(Brightening) but, eh, mon, think 'o' the national debt!—London Sketch.



Rear Admiral Walter McLean.

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Atlanta, Ga. Dr. F. A. Jacobson says that Phosphates are just as essential to any man or woman who tires easily, is nervous, or irritable, worn out, or looks haggard and pale to make a strong, robust, vigorous healthy body, as they are to cotton to make it grow. The lack of Phosphate is the cause of all endemic conditions and the administration of 5-grain Argo-Phosphate tablets will increase the strength and endurance of weak, nervous, care worn men and women 300 per cent. In two or three weeks time in many instances, and their continued use will build up the whole nervous system, and give new life, vim, vigor and vitality to the whole body. I always prescribe Argo-Phosphate to patients who are pale and colorless, and it is surprising to see how quickly a few weeks treatment will transform a pale face to a rosy checked beauty. There can be no rosy checked, healthy, beautiful women, without their system is sufficiently supplied with Phosphates. In recent interviews with physicians on the grave and serious consequences of a deficiency of Phosphates in the blood of American men and women, I have strongly emphasized the fact that doctors should prescribe more phosphates in the form of Argo-Phosphate for weak, worn out, haggard-looking men and women. When the skin is pale, and flesh flabby, it is a sign of anemia. When the phosphates go from the blood, the pink cheeks go too. The muscles

lack tone. They become nervous, irritable, despondent, melancholy, the brain fags, and the memory fails. Therefore if you wish to preserve your youthful vim, vigor and vitality, to a ripe old age, you must supply the deficiency of phosphates lacking in your food by using Argo-Phosphate, the form of Phosphates most easily assimilated.

NOTICE: Argo-Phosphate which is recommended and prescribed by physicians in all endemic cases is not a secret or patent medicine, but one that is sold and recommended by well known druggists everywhere, and physicians are daily subscribing the constituents contained in it. Being entirely unlike many other phosphates, it is easily assimilated and will be found effective in the treatment of indigestion and stomach troubles, as well as for care worn, nervous conditions. The manufacturers of Argo-Phosphate will forfeit to any charitable institution \$200.00 if they cannot treat any man or woman under 65 who lacks Phosphates, and increase their strength and endurance from 100 per cent. to 300 per cent. or more in one month's time, if they are free from organic trouble. It is dispensed by all reliable druggists.

If your druggist will not supply you, send \$1.00 to the Argo Laboratories, 10 Forsyth St., Atlanta, Ga., and they will send you a two weeks treatment by return mail.

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FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1917.

"A glance over the pages of history reveals to us that of all institutions which affect the wellspring of human activity the newspaper is perhaps the greatest."

THE CHRONICLE will be independent in politics, progressive in spirit and a champion of what it conceives to be right.

1917 JULY 1917 calendar grid showing dates from Sun 1 to Sat 7.

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

FREDERICK COUNTY.

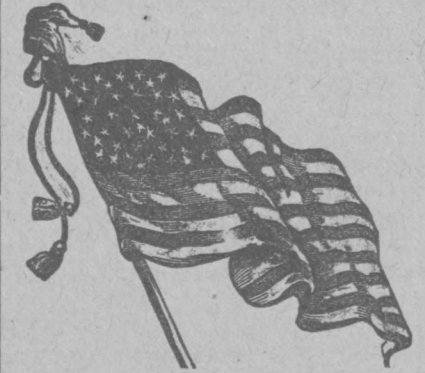
Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county.

EMMITSBURG.

In all Western Maryland—the beauty spot and the garden spot of the State—there is no town more attractive than Emmitsburg.

HERE'S TO OLD GLORY, GOD BLESS HER!

If anyone attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot.—John A. Dix.



O folds of white and scarlet! O blue field with your silver stars! May fond eyes welcome you, willing feet follow you, strong hands defend you, warm hearts cherish you, and dying lips give you their blessing!

ENTER THE MINISTRY.

Everywhere the evangelical churches are calling for young men to enter the ministry. They want educated men, men of parts, men of spirit.

"It is generally assumed that America is a Christian country," says a writer on the subject of "Ministers' Salaries," "but in view of the slight estimation in which the clergy are held, judging by the salaries they receive, it may be pertinent to inquire how Christian it is.

Put aside all that argument about the "high calling," all that talk about lifting the ministry to a plane that is not characterized by "commercialism" and come to hard facts—can a young man of education, tact, ambition and ability be expected to enter a profession that is not treated with respectful consideration?

The average minister of our day does not receive more than enough money to buy books and periodicals and proper equipment to keep him abreast of the times; and if he enters the pulpit and has nothing of importance to say, he is not listened to.

THE LITTLE WORD "NO."

To a certain class it is an absolute bugbear; they cannot force it from their lips.

Constant blindness and deafness to things, events, and persons is bound to result in narrowness, in deficiency.

Those who have held themselves in readiness, whenever the occasion demanded, to say "no," are among history's noble characters. Great men have grown great by repeating "no" at every step of their progress.

In the history of humanity "no" has ever proved a word of power. "Before it error, consecrated by antiquity, has fallen and truth has risen in her splendor."

STOP-LOOK-LISTEN.

Some go through life as if resolved to get the least possible out of it. They take the mechanical side of existence with its grind and toil, but refuse the sweetness and novelty that constitute the ever desirable spice.

Registration Returns Completed. The mighty roll of registration for the selective draft was completed when the two lagging states—Wyoming and Kentucky—wired their complete returns.

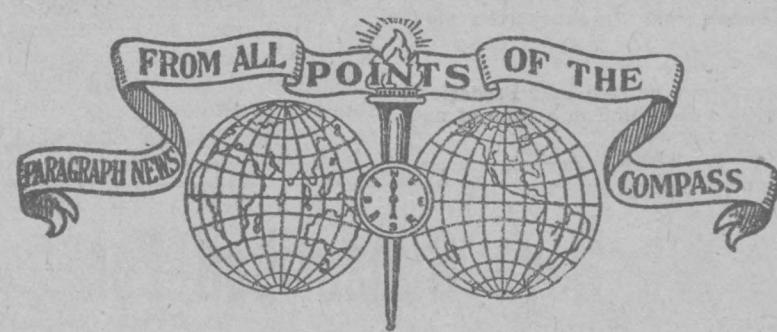
Registration Returns Completed. The grand total of names on the "roll of honor" is 9,649,938. The totals are to be submitted to the Census Bureau for a close analysis to determine why certain Western states showed a registration of only about 50 per cent.

Parisians Never See Army Leaders Work. France is enjoying with amazed pleasure the manner in which Major-General John J. Pershing's staff officers are making ready for American troops.

Americans Break Too Many Dishes. They're breaking dishes faster than they can make them in the United States and the other countries are too busy warring to make pottery.

Urgent Appeal To Join Farm Army. An urgent appeal for about 60 men for the farm army has been issued. Company A needs 50 men, and 10 more are needed in Company B.

N. G. May Be Sent At Once To France. The probability of National Guard troops being dispatched to France without the intensive training that was planned for them in Southern concentration camps was strengthened when Brigadier General Mann, chief of the militia bureau of the War Department, issued orders to Adjutant General that guardsmen in large cities may be permitted to mobilize in armories and there await orders.



Friday. Sir George Birdwood, scientist and author, died in London, aged 85 years.

Declaring its belief that no emergency exists now, the Interstate Commerce Commission suspended the proposed general 15 per cent. increase in rail road freight rates until October 28, but asserted its willingness to meet any situation which may arise.

President Wilson today asked Congress to pass a law to permit Brad Whitlock, American Minister to Belgium, to accept a decoration from King Albert of Belgium in recognition of his marked services to the little kingdom.

President Wilson today appointed the board for vocational education, which will have charge of the Federal Government's participation in that work as provided in the recent bill passed by Congress.

M. J. Schollaert, president of the Belgian Chamber of Deputies and former Premier, died in Havre, France.

Saturday. Hugh M. Dorsey was inaugurated as Governor of Georgia.

Revision of the \$1,800,000,000 War Tax bill passed by the House five weeks ago was completed today by the Senate Finance Committee.

Today, the last of the government's fiscal year, finds the Treasury with a net balance in the general fund amounting to \$302,278,486, despite heavy withdrawals for American war expenses and credits to the Allies of more than a billion dollars since the declaration of war against Germany.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson signed the woman's pledge to assist the food administration by practicing economy in the home.

Dr. William Dewitt Hyde, president of Bowdoin College since 1885, died in Brunswick, Me., after a month's illness. He was 59 years of age and had written a number of books on religious and sociological subjects.

Secretary Baker, of the War Department, declared that the price of three dollars a ton for bituminous coal at the mines was exorbitant, unjust and oppressive.

Sunday. Rev. Almon Gunnison, a noted educator, died today at his home in Brooklyn, aged 73 years.

Probably 37 persons were drowned and 39 were rescued late this afternoon when a Great Gorge Route car was hurled into the Niagara River.

President Wilson has commissioned William A. Brady to mobilize the movies for disseminating desired information to the public.

More than \$500,000 worth of moving picture films were destroyed, \$150,000 damage was done to two buildings, one man and a woman were overcome by smoke and a score of firemen had narrow escapes when fire destroyed the Pathe Film Exchange, Ltd., on the fourth floor of the Consumers Building, a 20 story structure on Quincy and South State streets in the heart of Chicago today.

Secretary of Navy Daniels, acting upon President Wilson's proclamation issued Friday, today ordered Rear-Admiral Walter McLean, commandant of the Norfolk Navy Yard, to take formal possession of the Jamestown Exposition and Pine Beach properties in the name of the Federal Government and to notify all residents and property owners to vacate by August 1 so that the Navy Department can begin work on the construction of its naval cantonment and operating base in the lower Chesapeake Bay for the American fleet.

Monday. Kingdon Gould, eldest son of George Jay Gould, and Miss Annunziata Camilla Maria Lucci, an Italian art student were married in the rectory of St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York.

Antonia de La Gandara, a famous society portrait painter, died in Paris, aged 54 years.

Presidents of all the leading life insurance companies and officials of many others gathered in Washington in conference with representatives of the War, Navy and Commerce Departments and the Council of National Defense to devise a plan for life insurance for American soldiers and sailors.

Beginning today the exportation from Mexico of corn, wheat, rice, black

beans and flour is prohibited. The exportation of peas, onions, Spanish beans, lima beans, lentils, bran, and sugar will be allowed only after special permit from the Treasury Department.

President Wilson today took a hand in the attempt to eliminate the dangers which are feared will come through intermingling of "patriotism and profiteering."

Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, the actor, died in London tonight.

The National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage at a meeting of its board unanimously voted to transfer the national headquarters from New York to Washington.

C. Beard, cashier for the National Tea and Coffee Company, of Chicago was held up by five bandits and robbed of between \$15,000 and \$20,000 today. The men escaped in an automobile.

An explosion in the storage vaults of the Pathe Film Company, in Chicago caused a fire which will amount to \$500,000 damage. The Pathe Company being the principal sufferer.

Six companies of the Illinois National Guard were ordered out early today by Governor Lowden in response to a telegram from the Mayor of East St. Louis, Ill., to quell rioting of negroes there.

Tuesday. Under the direction of Miss Florence Marshall, of New York, a new woman's bureau of the American Red Cross was organized, whose special purpose is to aid in mobilizing the nonprofessional women of the United States for Red Cross work.

The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: To be rear-admiral, Capt. Henry B. Wilson. To be captain, Commander William C. Brotherton.

Charles M. Lander, aged 71, prominent lawyer and political leader at Columbus, O., died at the home of his daughter in New Orleans.

Allan G. Newman, a New York artist was awarded the National Arts Club's competitive prize of \$500 for a design for a valor medal.

Safe arrival at a French port of the last ships of the first American overseas expedition was announced tonight by Secretary Daniels in a statement revealing that twice on the way across the Atlantic German submarines attacked in force and were fought off by conveying warships. The Americans did not lose a man, a ship or an animal. At least one of the undersea enemies was destroyed.

H. Clinton Sutherland was today appointed postmaster at Haysi, Dickenson county, Va. The office is a newly established one.

Wednesday. Russia's war mission will become the permanent Russian representation in the United States today.

Dr. Ernest H. Lindley, of the University of Indiana, was elected by the state board of education as president of the University of Idaho, to succeed Dr. M. A. Brannon.

Designation of 496 chief warrant officers for war commissions in the line and staff of the Navy was announced by Secretary Daniels, who said he expected a large percentage of them to so perform their new duties that their promotion could be made permanent after the war.

Appointment of J. S. Meyers and John McBride as federal conciliators to confer with operators and workers in the copper mine strikes in Arizona was announced today by the Department of Labor.

Abram I. Elkus, former United States Ambassador to Turkey, arrived at New York.

Thirteen woman suffragists were arrested in another attempt to picket the White House in force.

For the first time press dispatches to the United States telling of the American troops in France are being censored by the War Department.

All France celebrated the Fourth of July. Paris turned out a crowd that no American city ever surpassed for size, enthusiasm and profusion of stars and stripes. A battalion of the first American expeditionary force about to leave for training behind the battle front had its first official review in France and was the center of the celebration.

Emperor William, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam, has decided that all German men who have been made prisoners of war will receive the iron cross on their return home after the war if they can prove they did not surrender voluntarily.

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The invention of an Englishman is a machine to permit a singer to hear his own voice just as an audience hears it.

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July 8-10-17r.

CANDIDATE'S CARDS.
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 Our Republican County Commissioner, the only representative of Middletown Valley on the entire Board, having been called by death from our midst, and the Democratic State Central Committee having seen fit to fill the vacancy with a Democrat from New Market district, thus leaving our valley, from Pen-Mar to the Potomac River, without representation, at the earnest solicitation of my many friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner from Middletown District, No. 3, subject to the Republican Primaries in September, 1917. I kindly ask your support.
 m18tp **ALBERT S. REMSBERG.**

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
 At the request of many of my friends in Frederick county, I have decided to submit my name to the Republican Primary for the office of County Commissioner. I would appreciate the support of all Republicans.
DAVID OLAND,
 J. 8-tp. Buckeystown District, No. 1.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
 At the solicitation of friends throughout the county I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election in September. I will greatly appreciate your vote and support.
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 Jne 15 tp Mechanicstown District.

For County Commissioner.
 At the earnest solicitation of innumerable friends I announce my candidacy as nominee for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primary.
ROBERT L. TROXELL,
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For County Commissioner.
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My crank case holds three gallons and three quarts of oil when up to the petcock lever, and I have a dash sight feed which shows a steady stream when the oil is at the right level, but when I have the amount of oil I speak of the motor smokes. How can I stop it smoking and still know that I have enough oil to lubricate the motor?
 The manufacturer of this motor should have set the oil level at the correct height. Therefore we could not advise doing anything to change the height of the oil in the crank case until you have made sure that the trouble is not elsewhere. Smoking may be due to loose fitting piston rings, worn pistons or worn cylinders or all of these combined.

Poor oil might also be causing the motor to smoke or it may be that the cooling system is not working properly, with the result that a large quantity of the oil is consumed because the motor runs hot. If the smoking does not seem to be caused by any of these conditions it might be well to reduce the level of oil in the crank case, but before taking such a step you should confer with the manufacturer of the car or with some good repair man.

Will you please tell me what is meant by fixed nozzle carburetor?
 Some carburetors have a valve by which it is possible to change the size of the hole through which the gasoline enters the mixing chamber at the top of the spray nozzle.
 The fixed nozzle carburetor has no such adjustment, and in order to change the nature of the mixture the amount of air entering the carburetor must be regulated. Cutting down on the air will increase the vacuum and cause the mixture to be richer. By allowing more air to enter the mixture will be leaner in character.

How many dry cells should I use to operate a motor driven electric horn on my car? Would it be very expensive to use dry cells for this purpose on a car that is not driven much during the season?
 If you really desire to use a motor driven electric horn in conjunction with dry cells you will find that a set of six cells will be necessary for use with a large horn. Our experience is that it is necessary to renew these cells about once a month, even though the car is not driven to any great extent. Unless you have a storage battery on your car it will be both more satisfactory and more economical to use a hand operated type of horn.

In timing the valves of a fifty horsepower engine is the allowance for expansion less on the admission side or intake and something greater in the gap on the exhaust side? State the number of thousandths of an inch if possible.
 It is customary on the average engine to allow between a sixty-fourth and a thirty-second of an inch clearance between the valve stem and the lifter. You can hardly adjust to a one-thousandth of an inch, since the wear which takes place at this point differs more or less on the different valves. The difference in clearance on the intake side and on the exhaust side is not taken into consideration.

In adjusting the valve clearance it is best to observe the flywheel marks, in order to have all the valves timed alike. This should be done rather than having the clearance in each case equal.

What effect does oil have on celluloid? There is a bulls-eye sight oil feed on the dash of my car that had a glass in it about the size of a half dollar. It was broken, and I had it replaced with celluloid. Will it serve the purpose for any length of time?
 It is claimed that ordinary cylinder oil does not affect celluloid, but also it is a well known fact that benzine is a solvent of celluloid, and as both benzine and cylinder oil are products of crude petroleum and closely related, as far as their chemical constituents are concerned, it is reasonable to believe that in time the cylinder oil would tend to soften the celluloid and cause a leakage of oil around the edges. We would suggest that you proceed with the experiment, however.

Cylinder No. 2 on my four cylinder car leaks compression between the piston and the cylinder into the crank case, while the other three cylinders are as good as new. Would fitting the defective cylinder with new piston rings cause the compression to be more than the others and perhaps start vibration?
 It is impossible to say whether the No. 2 cylinder would be benefited greatly by the use of new piston rings, because the leak might be due to bad seating from the cylinder, in which case it would have to be rebored. If it is due simply to uniform wear the fitting of new piston rings, and more particularly the non-leaking type of piston rings, probably will prove a remedy. However, this leak may be caused by the slots in the piston ring coming in line, in which case new rings will not be necessary, and you will need only to space the slots in the various rings so they do not come in line.

My car knocks when running idle or about twenty miles per hour. I have noticed when it is idle and running slowly it misses, but it does not miss when on the road. The valves have been ground and now spark plugs put in and all connections on the intake pipe made air tight. The knock is regular when running fast, but irregular when running slowly. Is the trouble with the magneto?
 A motor when running idle and throttled down will often run irregularly—that is, miss occasionally. This is due to the carburetor not giving the proper mixture at very low engine speed. If you should adjust the carburetor to stop this missing you probably would not get the desired results at higher engine speeds. Since your motor runs well when pulling, it is best to endure the miss when running idle.

As to the knock in your motor, it seems not likely to be that of a wrist pin or crank pin bearing. It should not be in the magneto, judging from what you have said. However, inspect the magneto coupling and note if it is tight. A knock in a motor is often difficult to locate. It may arise from a dozen causes. Sometimes a knock may be easily located by letting the motor run idle and then sounding the various parts with a piece of steel rod which is held in the teeth. When doing this close both ears. If your trouble is in the magneto you can readily locate it in this manner.

I have two old inner liners that I have used for two years in different casings. Can you tell me the best way to put liners in new casings now and make them stay tight so they will not heat up the tubes? The sticking quality has gone to some extent.
 Liners should be cemented to casings with any good fire cement and in the same manner that such cement is usually applied. The inside of the liner should be powdered with French talc before inserting the tube.

For some time I have been trying to locate a peculiarity in my steering gear. The difficulty seems to be in lost motion or side play in some of the parts, which is made apparent on traveling over a stretch of rough pavement by a continuous hammer jar communicated up through the column. What adjustments or remedy would you suggest in order to take out this lost motion?
 Adjustments are usually provided on the steering gear for putting the proper spring tension in the reach rod and also to take up the slack or backlash in the gear by moving the eccentric bushing on the worm gear shaft. This is done by removing the steering arm from the end of the worm gear, loosening the clamping screw on the steering body or chuck and making the proper adjustment of gears, then tightening the clamping screw holding it in position.

It might be that your car has experienced some jar which has bent the axle, knocking the wheels out of alignment, which would give the trouble you mention.
 The valves of my car have not been ground for a long time, and I notice that the engine does not pull as well as it did. Do you suppose the trouble lies in the valves? How often should the valves be ground?
 Without a doubt the valves in your motor need grinding. When the valves do not seat properly there is a loss of compression and consequent loss of power.

To obtain the best results it is advisable to reseat the exhaust valve approximately every thousand miles and the inlet valve about every 2,000 miles. If not resealed frequently they become pitted and then must be replaced.

There is a grinding sound in the rear axle or gears of my car which I cannot locate. When the wheel turns halfway around it grinds, and the rest of the way it runs smoothly. Can you explain this trouble?
 It is a good plan to look for the simplest troubles first. If the sound is a rasping or scraping one it is probably due to dragging brake bands, or the drums may be out of true. If the brake bands are dragging loosen them up slightly. Unless the drums are not badly out of round it will be sufficient to loosen up the bands, but if this will not answer the drums should be trued up in a lathe or else replaced. The grinding noise may be due to a shaft that is bent, and it is more probable that an axle shaft instead of a transmission shaft would give trouble in this way. The bending of a shaft will cause any gear on it to alternately mesh too loosely and too tightly with its mating gear. This will cause a grinding sound. Whether this is the trouble can be determined only by inspection. The straightening of the shaft should be left to some man who has had experience in work of this character and is accordingly qualified to perform this particular job. It is probable that you would not be able to do it because of lack of equipment.

Another possibility is that one of the roller bearings is causing the trouble. One of the rollers may be broken, although this is not very likely, or the roller race may be worn out of round.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. Goodman and two daughters, Pearl and Helena of Baltimore, visited Miss Corinne Gelwicks on Sunday... Miss Margaret H. Redding, of Baltimore, returned after an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Eckenrode.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. J. M. Kerrigan has had his store on East Main Street repainted. Quite a number of automobile parties motored to Pen Mar, Wednesday evening.



TOPPER.-WOLFE.

On Saturday morning, June 30, at 8 o'clock, St. Joseph's Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Miss Stella Agnes Wolfe, youngest daughter of Mrs. Philomena Wolfe, of McSherrystown, Pa., became the bride of Mr. James Ray Topper, the oldest son of Mr. Charles Topper, of Emmitsburg.

HOURS FOR MAIL.

Mail out 7.00 A. M. in 9.07 " " " 11.55 " " " out 4.23 P. M. " in 5.47 " " " out 6.50 " " " in 7.55 " "

Bell Estate In Court 25 Years.

Twenty-five years after it was taken into the courts the estate of the late Thomas Bell has been distributed. Superior Judge Coffey ordered the final sum of \$18,878 turned over to the widow and children.

NOTICE.

The Woman's Exchange for the benefit of the Public Library will be discontinued until September 1. adv

CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows: CATHOLIC Mass, Sunday 6, 7:30 and 9 a. m. Vespers, Sunday 7:30 p. m. Mass, week day, 6 and 7 A. M.

A Patriotic Song Service was held in the Lutheran Church, Sunday evening, July 1.



The Red Cross Service is not a service of Charity, it is a service of Mercy, and in this service knows no limitations.



WOMAN'S DEFENSE LEAGUE.

The Auxiliary of the Woman's Defense League held their regular meeting Thursday night. Continued interest is being shown in the work done. The Secretary reports four new members, making a total of 84, also that one dozen Comfort Kits were finished and sent to Mrs. Glenn Worthington, of Frederick, Md., for Co. A. Kits were made and sent to the following Emmitsburgians enlisted in the regular service: Frank Bouey, Quinn Topper, William Bowling, Samuel Annan, Miles Houston, Sterling Galt, Sidney O'Donoghue and also for the volunteers from Emmitsburg who are members of Co. A, Frederick.

Delightful Picnic At Foot-Log.

A delightful picnic was held at the Foot Log, Monday afternoon, chaperoned by Misses Valerie and Mary Welty, Marie Delaney, Mary Felix and Madeleine Frizell. Those who attended were: Misses Mary Clare Boyle, Helen Rider, Saranna White, Ethel Annan, Virginia Eyster and Mae Rowe; Masters Richard Biggs, John White, Joseph and Edward Hopp, Lawrence Kreis, Dorsey Boyle, John B. Boyle, William Hays, Lefevre Kerrigan, Jessie Stone, Harry Rawlings, Ray Dukehart, Flautt and Nimrod Frizell.

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THE FOURTH IN EMMITSBURG

Annual Picnic Of Vigilant Hose Company.—Big Parade, Interesting Game of Ball, Band Concerts, Display Of Fireworks.

The Fourth of July in Emmitsburg is always a gala day and this year was no exception to the rule. By Tuesday night, many former Emmitsburgians and their guests had arrived. Long before nine o'clock, the time scheduled, a crowd had gathered to witness the parade which is always a feature of the Vigilant Hose Company's picnic.

The crowd followed the parade to the grounds, where the morning was pleasantly spent. Long tables filled with attractive delicacies greeted the eye on every side and many stayed for lunch, assuring themselves of a good seat at the baseball game in the afternoon between the Gettysburg Athletic Association and Emmitsburg.

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Table with columns AB R H PO A E and rows for Sadler, Stover, Mundorff, Felix, Bream, Beck, Richardson, Taney, Woodward.

EMMITSBURG

Table with columns AB R H PO A E and rows for Sellers, Cogan, Brady, Freeze, Greager, Grimes, Worthington, Dorsey, Rowe.

The summary: Three base hits, Woodward; two base hits, Sadler, Cogan, Freeze and Rowe; Walked by Woodward, 7 by Rowe 1. Struck out by Woodward 11, by Rowe 8. Umpires, Kerrigan and Rowe. Time 2 hours and 30 minutes.

The evening at the grounds was but a repetition of the pleasures of the morning and afternoon. There were fireworks, balloon ascensions, and band concerts, and the attendance at night was greater than during the day.

OBITUARY.

FRANCIS GIBBS.

Announcement has been received in Emmitsburg of the sudden death of Frank Gibbs, in Taylor Falls, Minnesota, on Tuesday, July 3, 1917. Mr. Gibbs was a brother of Mrs. Sarah J. Shuff and a former resident of this place. He was a retired railroad engineer and a veteran of the Civil War.

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First American Killed on French Soil.—Thomas Winch Barrett, 21 years old, of Cleveland, is the first American fighting man to be killed in action.

Barrett was in France only about a month. He was a member of the first aeronautical detachment. He was the second to volunteer in his division at Pensacola when the call for 100 for service overseas was issued.

Barrett and a French officer were killed Friday when his machine fell 1000 feet while on a practice flight.

GREAT MAMMOTH PICNIC.

The Great Mammoth Picnic for the benefit of St. Joseph's Church, Buckeystown, will be held July 25, 1917. All are cordially invited to attend. adv.

EMMITSBURG PARTY IN BAD AUTO CRASH

Pushed Off Road By Big Car.—Mrs. Edgar Stansbury, Injured.

A Ford touring car containing Vernon R. Ohler, J. J. Murray and Mrs. Edgar Stansbury, Emmitsburg, and Miss Beulah Stottlemyer, Baltimore, struck a stone pile and ran into a telegraph pole on the Baltimore pike about a mile below New Market Sunday afternoon.

While ascending a hill, it is claimed a large car running about twenty five miles an hour came up behind them. Just before it shot past a man on the front seat shouted "we will pass this old Ford on the hill." By this time the big car was alongside the Ford and fearing an accident Mr. Ohler turned to the side.

The injured people and others in the party were brought to Frederick in a Delaware machine, which came along shortly after the accident occurred. Mrs. Stansbury went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Herbert Kreh, West Third street, where she was given medical attention. Mr. Murray had his hand pressed at the office of Dr. William Crawford Johnson. The Ohler machine was badly damaged and had to be taken to Frederick on a truck for repairs.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The property on south Frederick St., containing 38,400 sq. feet, and known as the Emmitsburg Generator Company's lot is for sale on private terms, for cash. This lot, having a street frontage of 160 feet and extending back 240 feet, is particularly suitable for factory, warehouse or business purposes.

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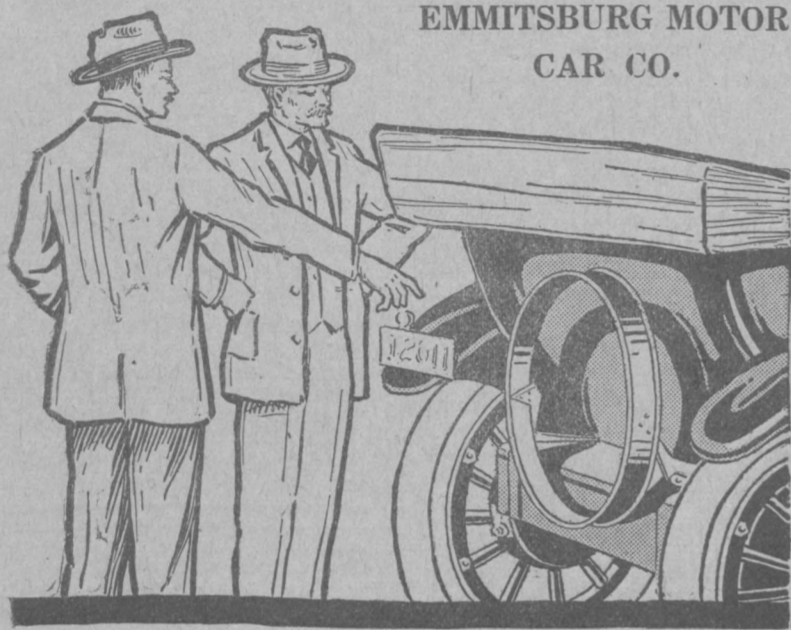
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ACROSS THE LINE

Over \$5,000 for the Red Cross fund from Waynesboro has been subscribed and the amount probably will reach \$10,000. The county's allotment was \$20,000, of which Waynesboro was expected to raise one-fourth.

The twenty-eighth annual reunion of the Reformed Churches of Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia will be held at Pen-Mar July 19. The ministers and delegates of the churches will be entertained at the Pen-Mar Inn by Col. J. J. Gibbons. The Rev. Dr. William Mann Irvine, headmaster of Mercersburg Academy, and Dr. George Leslie Omwake, president of Ursinus College, Collegeville, Pa., will deliver addresses.

Daniel Smith Fahnestock, 71 years old for many years a passenger conductor on the Waynesboro branch of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, died in Waynesboro, Wednesday night.

Patriotic Sunday was observed in York when special sermons were preached in the churches and exercises held by the Sunday schools. During these special services an effort was made to enroll as many persons as possible in the Red Cross. The local Red Cross fund is now approaching the \$100,000 mark.

On a special train the men of the Battle Creek base hospital arrived in the ambulance camp at Allentown. There are now approximately 4,000 men in the camp, and Major Yale has ninety-eight sections of thirty-six men each organized under the French army system. The commander and every other officer in camp declares Major Percy Jones the best ambulance drill instructor in the world, having had marvelous success in every task of this kind for years.

In an effort to stop the spread of hog cholera, which has broken out on a farm near Berwick. Dr. J. R. Mathers, acting for the state live stock sanitary board, has vaccinated over 100 hogs.

Allegheny Mountain coal operators, who have retailed coal at \$2.50 a ton, have advanced their price to \$3 a ton as a result of the coal price fixing agreement effected last week in Washington. This increase in price has ruffled thousands of consumers who have been buying their coal at the mouth of the mines.

The Gettysburg Railroad company made its payment of \$1,000.00 to the Borough Saturday, for the repairs to the streets which will be necessary as soon as it lifts its tracks. It is reported that the company has sold all the rails and most of the other equipment, and that the machinery necessary for the work will be brought in and the work completed as soon as possible.

Anthony Nail, of South Bethlehem some time ago lost a leg at the Bethlehem Steel Works, for which he received compensation. This together with his savings, amounted to \$2,700, which he placed in a bank. Now Nail has nothing, following an experience with two slick persons, who first convinced him that the banks were unsafe, and then, after giving him a "doped" cigarette, robbed him and escaped.

Another commodious recreation center for the benefit of the soldiers in Gettysburg to be placed at their disposal, during their leisure hours, will be the formal opening of Xavier Hall Monday evening for that purpose. In making that announcement on Sunday morning, Rev. Father Boyle made it clear that the use of the spacious hall was not intended for the soldiers of the Roman Catholic faith only, but that soldiers of all denominations or of any creed whatsoever would be welcome and have been invited to avail themselves of the accommodations provided for the entertainment of all who desire to go in—in fact, the question of religion will not be considered.

Although 23,000 volts passed through his body, Edward Potts, of Pottsville, survived that shock on top of a thirty-foot pole, and it is possible he will recover. His condition, however, is critical.

The Pennsylvania railroad women's division, of Altoona, for war relief has forwarded 200 soldiers kits for the Ninth regiment of engineers, now in training. Each kit is enclosed in a bag of khaki. They contain writing paper, pencils, envelopes, a testament, tobacco, a pipe and needles and thread. Each kit cost about \$2.

Two men were killed when one of the drying plants at the Pennsylvania Trojan Powder company's work, at Iron Bridge, three miles northwest of Allentown, was blown up.

The biggest robbery pulled off in Wilkes-Barre in years was perpetrated when professional thieves broke into the apartment of W. G. Harding, a wealthy brewer, at the Hotel Sterling, and stole \$50,000 in jewels from a vault.

Biliousness and Stomach Trouble.
"Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and biliousness," writes Miss Emma Verbyrke, Lima, Ohio. "I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of something to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly." Obtainable everywhere. **Advertisement. July 6-1-mo.

Uncle Sam needs more men. Enlist now, if you are in a position to serve.

ST. ANTHONY'S.

The annual all day picnic of St. Anthony's parish will be held in the church grove on Saturday, August 4th. See advertisement in other column.

Mrs. J. Ledlie Gloninger and family spent the Fourth in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Simeon Oaster and children are are visiting Mrs. Oaster parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McNulty in this vicinity.

Sunday afternoon the Seminarists and boys, together with several of the employees of the College picked a baseball team and crossed bats with a team representing St. Anthony's and Mott's. The latter were handed the little end of the scored 11-3. Knipple who was on the mound for the St. Anthony's and Mott's boys pitched well but his teammates failed to support him. Ernest Seltzer who was on the mound for the Collegians pitched masterly ball and was effective with men on bases. Only for an over throw in the second inning by one of his team infielders he would have scored a shut out. Brady's catching and O'Donoghue's home run were features. Mr. John F. Cogan has charge of the Collegians summer team and is anxious for Sunday games.

Mr. John Little, of McKeesport, is visiting his relatives in this place.

Several sections in this locality was on Tuesday visited by another severe hail storm.

Mr. Jacob Peters, of Baltimore, spent Sunday in this locality.

An auto party from this place spent Wednesday evening in Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dutrow have rented the Felix Walters property.

Commencement exercises of the Virgil Piano Pupils, was held in St. Mark School Hall, Altoona, Pa., on Thursday evening, June 21st. Just three pupils finished their course and among them was Miss Helen Wagner who has many relatives and friends in this locality. Her piano solo was Rubenstein's Staccato Etude and she was well applauded by the large audience who were present. Miss Wagner is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner, formerly of this place.

Constipation and Indigestion.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Chamberlain's Tablets are mild and gentle in their action. Give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the agreeable laxative effect which they produce. Obtainable everywhere. **Advertisement. July 6-1-mo.

GRACEHAM

Miss Anna Newcomer and Grandmother, of Keysville, spent Wednesday last with Miss Lillie Newcomer.

Miss Agnes Joy, spent several days with Misses Bertha and Beulah Troxell. Miss Colliflower spent Sunday with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Koontz, Sr., of Detour.

Mr. Wesley Wachter and son, Curtis, of near Frederick, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Colliflower, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Colliflower's brother, Mr. Charles Colliflower and family, of near Thurmont.

Mrs. Martha Seiss and Mrs. Mabel Noll are visiting Mr. William Devilbiss and family, of Keysville.

Children's day service will be held at Apples Church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, entitled the "Church of the Word".

Mrs. Mattie Colliflower, spent Wednesday with Mrs. W. E. Smith.

Those who paid a brief visit to Mrs. Mattie Colliflower Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Butt and son, Cameron, and Miss Mildred Philiph, of New Midway; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Valentine, of Creagerstown; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sheely, near Motters Station.

Mr. John Colliflower is confined to bed with a touch of Pneumonia.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mr. Harvey Beard, spent Sunday with Miss Laura Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hahn and daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday with Mr. George Warren.

Mr. Harry Warren spent a few days with his cousin, Elmer Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Shorb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. Ohler.

Mr. George Warren and son Elmer, visited Mr. Charles Warren, on Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Bell and Mrs. Ruth Eyer, visited Mrs. Bell who is a patient at the Frederick City Hospital, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Ashbaugh, spent Sunday with Mr. Elbert Dicken.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Mrs. Annie Whitmore, of Rocky Ridge is visiting friends in this place.

Miss Fay Stull, visited Mrs. Sam Dewees on Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Fry, and children spent one day last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wastler.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gall and children, Mr. Raymond Speak, and Miss Marie Dewees, were in Gettysburg, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer and little son Lloyd, and Mrs. John Seiss, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Washington Ridenour.

Mrs. John Ridenour and children, spent Sunday with friends in Thurmont. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dewees, and son, spent Sunday evening with their mother, Mrs. William Dewees.

Eyer's Valley Happenings.

Mrs. Katie Lantz, of Cascade, is spending some time with her friends in this place.

Misses Mary McKissick and Rosa Debold made a business trip to Emmitsburg Saturday.

Mrs. McClelland Warren and little son, Robert, made a business trip to Waynesboro Saturday.

Those who spent Sunday with Mrs. Rosa L. Eyer, were: Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Eyer and children, Vaughn, Verona, Vergie, Lena, and Ralph of Zentztown, Mrs. William T. Miller, Miss L. Ruth Miller, Messrs. Englar and Guy Kipe and Clyde Williard.

Mrs. Shreeves Zentz spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother, Mr. Wm. Fisher.

Misses Ruth and Esta McClain spent Sunday with Mrs. L. P. McKissick.

Mrs. Harry Baxter spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Forney.

There will be preaching service in the Eyer's Valley Church Sunday morning, July 8, 1917, by the pastor Rev. H. O. Harner.

LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Long, spent Saturday with friends in Littlestown and Hanover, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Fox spent Saturday with Mrs. Ruth Weddie, of Creagerstown.

Mrs. Ethel M. Pittinger and children, of Rocky Ridge, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Samuel Martin.

Mrs. Meade Fuss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McNair, of Emmitsburg, visited Mrs. Wilbur Long, of Long's Mill.

FROM ALL POINTS OF COMPASS.
(Continued from page 4.)

Thursday.

Food legislation was considered today both in the Senate and in conference. The Senate, following its holiday recess, resumed debate on the food control bill and conferees continued their efforts to reach a final agreement on the food survey bill, already passed by the Senate and House.

An American fire company crossed into Mexico today and put out a fire which was beyond control. As Juarez has no organized fire department they appealed to El Paso for help. An automobile hose company responded, being the first fire company to cross the border to Juarez in three years. The loss was estimated at \$100,000 gold.

"Ed" Scully, Cleveland, was killed and 20 people injured when failure of brakes to work caused a Youngstown and Southern Traction car to leave the tracks and smash into a house early this morning.

Scully was pinned under the car. Wreckage caught fire and passengers were rescued among thrilling scenes.

An additional \$12,000,000 worth of gold from Canada has been received by J. P. Morgan & Co., and sold to the Federal Reserve Bank, it was announced today. This makes total imports from Canada received in the present movement \$119,531,000.

Golden Anniversary Of W. M. College.

Western Maryland College, at Westminster, Md., appears in our columns this week in an advertisement soliciting the patronage of our people for another year's enrollment.

It has just celebrated at its recent Commencement the completion of its first fifty years. The success of that occasion in every way proclaimed that "Western Maryland" has made a good record and built up a reputation that was enviable. Men and women can be found all over the State doing credit to its training and there are few communities not represented in the enrollment of its recent years. Altogether it has registered about 3500 students and of these it has graduated over 1000.

Its beautiful location, in the highlands of Maryland, its excellent equipment in buildings and grounds, its well-trained faculty, its up-to-date curriculum, and its charges all kept down to reasonable terms make it an attractive place to get an education.

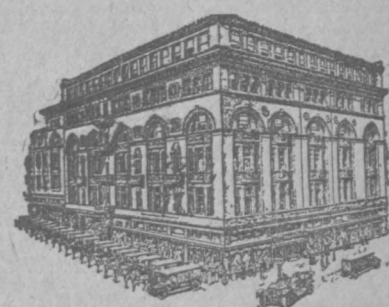
In addition to the usual Classical, Scientific and Historical courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts, there are supplementary courses in Music, Elocution, Oratory and Pedagogy. Completion of this last-named course secures the certificate of the State Board of Education.

New Association Of Fruit Growers.

A new co-operative fruit growers and shippers' association, known as the Potomac Fruit Exchange, including the leading growers and shippers from Hagerstown to Keyser, W. Va., has been organized. S. H. Fulton, Sleepy Creek W. Va., is president, and J. F. Critchfield, Cumberland, general manager.

The exchange expects to handle 300,000 bushels of peaches this summer. There are 3,000,000 peach trees in the territory in which the association will operate and about 1,000 commercial fruit growers.

The peach crop in this section will be unusually large and good prices are expected. The crop in the South Mountain and Hancock belts is in fine condition. Two years ago Hampshire and Mineral counties, West Virginia, shipped 2,300 carloads of peaches. Morgan county, West Virginia, will have a bumper crop this season.



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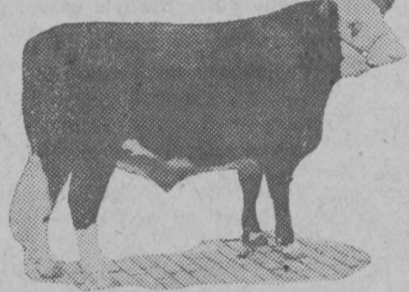
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 [Prepared by United States department of agriculture.]

Although it takes less food to produce a pound of flesh on baby beeves than on mature cattle, they sell for as high a price per pound as the best of other fat cattle. This fact and the demand for small high quality cuts and the increased cost of producing beef in general have fostered a rapid growth of the baby beef industry. An additional advantage is that markets for baby beeves have been very stable during the past ten years. Baby

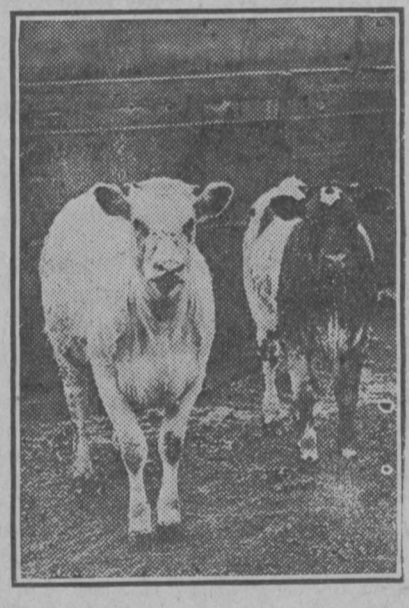


The illustration shows a prime baby beef. Note his depth, thickness, quality and finish. This animal is a cross bred—Hereford and Short-horn.

beeves may be described as well fattened, finished animals, weighing from 900 to 1,200 pounds and marketed when between fourteen and twenty months old.

The young heifers sell as well as the steers, and the returns from the money invested in the production of such cattle come quicker. On the other hand, it takes more experience to succeed with baby beeves than with mature cattle, a better grade of stock is required, and farm roughage cannot be substituted for grain to the same extent.

In a new publication of the United States department of agriculture, devoted to this subject, Farmers' Bulletin 811, it is pointed out that the first necessity for the production of baby beef is a herd that has at least a fair amount of beef blood. The cows need not be pure bred, but they should have at least two or three crosses of such blood in them. A preponderance of dairy blood will not give profitable results. The cows should, however,



This pair of calves illustrates the type approved by the producers of baby beef. They have been kept growing and have not been allowed to lose their milk bloom.

produce enough milk to keep the calves well and growing without much additional feed.

A good bull will do much to offset defects in the cow herd. A good beef form and a strong tendency toward earliness of maturity are essentials. The owner's success, in fact, depends to a great extent upon the bull's ability to transmit the latter characteristic to his offspring. Money spent in acquiring a bull that will do this is likely to prove a good investment, for the whole baby beef industry depends upon speed in finishing the animals for market.

A herd at least large enough to produce a carload of calves a year is recommended in the bulletin already mentioned. Shipping in carload lots is usually the only economical way of getting stock to market, from twenty to twenty-seven baby beeves constituting a carload. Some allowance must of course be made for loss and for calves that are not suited for treatment as baby beef. Since a well matured bull can easily take care of fifty or sixty cows, the bull charge per calf also will be greater when the breeding herd is small. On the other hand, great care must be taken not to crowd the pastures. Good blue grass or clover should carry from fifty to a hundred cows on a hundred acres; other pastures from fifty to as low as five. The amount of available roughage is another important factor in determining the size of the breeding herd. Roughage should form the basal portion of the ration for the cows. It cannot be bought with profit at the prevailing prices, and no more cows should be kept, therefore, than the farmer can feed with home grown roughage.

HIGH EGG PRICES NOT UNREASONABLE

Advance In Cost of Whole Grain Must Be Met.

MASH MIXTURES CHEAPEST

Poultrymen Of the State Must Meet Changed Conditions.

College Park, Md., June 21.—Although egg prices are nearly double what they were a year ago, the cost of grain feeds has advanced even more and poultrymen are facing failure unless cheaper feeds can be made use of. Poultryman Roy H. Waite, of the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, in a circular to the poultrykeepers of the State, calls attention to the change in price levels and urges the adoption of mash feeding. Mr. Waite says:

"In June, 1914, eggs were 19 cents a dozen, according to the quotations of a Baltimore commission man. In June, 1917, they were quoted at 36 cents a dozen, an advance of 90 per cent. since the war began.

"This is the part the consumer sees, and he is all too prone to judge that he is being held up by the poultry raisers, packers, or middlemen. He does not come in contact with the increased cost of feed.

"In June, 1914, a Baltimore wholesale feed dealer quoted wheat at \$1.07 per bushel. In June, 1917, he quotes wheat at \$2.70 per bushel, 152 per cent. increase. Long ago the poultry raisers who keep books gave us the use of whole wheat as a feed for poultry.

"In June, 1914, corn was quoted at 89 cents a bushel. In June, 1917, it is quoted at \$1.91 a bushel, 114 per cent. advance. Where does the poultry raiser get his profit with his 90 per cent. increase in the price of eggs? There is only one thing for him to do. He cannot boost the price of eggs, and he cannot bring down the price of corn and wheat; the only thing he can do is to substitute a cheaper ration, if he can find one. Just at present there seems to be an avenue of escape from the excessive high cost of feeds in the use of mill by-products.

"Bran, in June, 1914, sold at \$1.40 per bushel. In June, 1917, it is quoted at \$2.15, an advance of 54 per cent. Middlings, in June, 1914, were quoted at \$1.49. In June, 1917, they are quoted at \$2.45, an advance of 65 per cent. These two products are the best part of the wheat for feeding purposes, and by making extensive use of them poultrymen can replace their wheat and still get a feed that will help bring down their total cost somewhere near a place where they can make a normal profit.

"Meat scrap, a poultry feed which in normal times is much the most expensive, has only advanced about 40 per cent. If one will combine bran, middlings, and beef scrap into a mash and feed it liberally, along with corn as a scratch feed, he will get a ration that has advanced about 85 per cent. since 1914, or approximately the same advance as eggs."

CONTROLLING INSECT ATTACKS.

College Park, June 21.—In the general scheme of crop preparedness, growers are finding it most important to be equipped to control attacks of insects in their crops. Valuable suggestions regarding the use of insecticides are given by E. M. Cory, of the Maryland Agricultural Extension Service. Prof. Cory says:

"Combinations of standard insecticides with standard fungicides will prove more economical than separate sprays of each, while being just as effective and in some cases more effective.

"Arsenate of lead or lime, arsenate of zinc, or Paris green may be combined with standard fungicides for the control of insects injuring plants by eating portions of the fruit or foliage. The usual rate for the use of the first three is one pound of the powdered poison to every 50 gallons of spray mixture, or two pounds of the paste form of the poison to the same amount. Paris green is a rather variable compound and should be avoided unless it is impossible to get one of the other poisons. If it is necessary to use it, it should be used at the rate of one-half pound to 50 gallons of spray mixture. In every case the poison should be thoroughly stirred up in a small amount of water before being added to the diluted spray mixture.

"For the control of sucking insects the tobacco products, such as Black Leaf 40, may be combined with the fungicides. Black Leaf 40 should be used for most insects at the rate of one-half pint to 50 gallons of water.

"Where Black Leaf 40 or the poisons are to be used without a fungicide, soap at the rate of two pounds to 50 gallons of water should be added to increase the wetting power of the spray. It must be remembered though, that soap and any mixture containing lime are incompatibles and are never to be used together.

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 Register of Wills—Albert M. Patterson. Deputies, Edward A. Toms, John Horner, Reno S. Crum.
 Orphans' Court—Charles H. Butts, Chief Judge, George Ed. Smith, John L. S. Aldridge. Orphans' Court meets every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.
 County Treasurer—Roger G. Harley. Deputy County Treasurer—Charles R. Harper.
 County Commissioners—Frank M. Stevens, President; John W. Humm, T. N. Mohler, Harry B. Witter, George C. Huffer, H. L. Gaver, Clerk. D. Princeton Buckley, Attorney.
 Tax Assessor—Alfred W. Gaver.
 School Commissioners—W. C. Johnson, president; A. W. Nicodemus, William P. Morsell, Oscar B. Coblentz.
 Secretary, Treasurer and Superintendent—G. Lloyd Palmer, Assistant Superintendent, Franklin Harshman. Clerk to Board, E. R. Stockman.
 State's Attorney—Aaron R. Anders.
 Sheriff—William C. Roderick. Office deputy, William O. Wertenbaker; riding deputy, Chas. H. Klipp; turnkey, Chas. Sponseller.
 Supervisors of Elections—Joseph F. Eisenhauer, President; Len Ranneberger, Harry E. Chapline, John T. Best, Clerk.
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