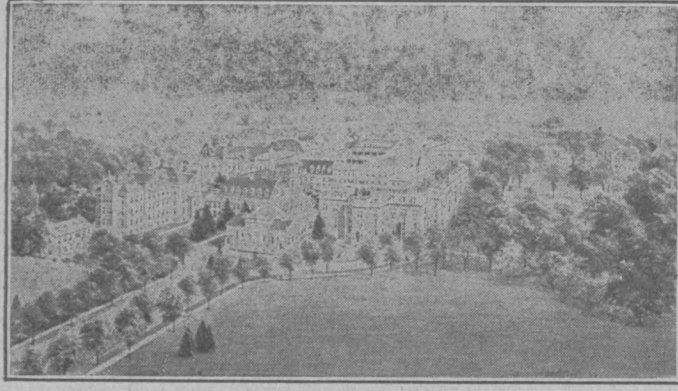


ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE--ACADEMY



Valley Echoes

Miss Katherine Conley, '11 is now engaged in teaching in the Norwood Massachusetts High School. Miss Helen Conley, '12 who entered the novitiate of the Ursuline Nuns at Fishkill, New York, las. June is teaching under the name of Sister Marie. Miss Theodora Brown, 14 who was married to Mr. Colin Herrle on June twenty-eight is now receiving her friends at Dunbarton Courts, Washington, D. C. Miss Pauline R. Staley, '16 who became the bride of Mr. Leo P. McManus on July twenty-fifth is now at home to her friends in her own apartment at Overbrook, Pa. Assistant State Superintendent of the Maryland Schools, Mr. G. H. Reavis, Annapolis, Md., made an official visit to St. Joseph's, Monday and Tuesday of this week. The State Board of Education of the South Richmond High School notified Miss Major K. Miller, '17 of her recent appointment as a substitute on its High School Faculty. Miss Miller began work last week. Miss Caroline Denny, ex '19, Johnstown, Pa., after leaving St. Joseph's completed the two year course for teachers at the Indiana State Normal, Indiana, Pa. Miss Denny has just accepted a teacher's position in the Johnstown Public Schools. Hard wood floors are being laid in the double parlors; the work is under the supervision of Harrington Bros., Baltimore. Rich red and green velour portieres will replace the screen between the doors thus making an effective entrance. At present the students entertain their guests in the auditorium which is fitted as a parlor. Misses Caroline Gable, Ruth Pattison and Maria Louise Pattison were the first to start on horseback explorations this week. Among the equestriennes this week were: Misses Elise Kalbach, Mary Cofer, Edith Gibney, Margaret Gable, Adelheit Fesenmeier and Maria Louise Barette. Miss Masie Sebald has acted as chaperon on several occasions. Among the summer visitors at St. Joseph's were Admiral Benson, Chief of Naval Operations, U. S. Navy and Mrs. Benson; Lieutenant and Mrs. Howard Hartwell Benson, Washington, D. C. It may be of interest to know that Mrs. Benson has in her possession a letter written in 1814 by Mother Seton to Mrs. Benson's aunts, the Misses Eliza Wyse, 1813 and Margaret Wyse, 1816. Sunday afternoon, September thirtieth, a party was given by the junior preparatories. The color scheme was pink and white and the girls looked charming in their fancy dresses. Games of all kinds were indulged and the affair afforded the guests a happy time. Those present were: Misses Anna Sheahan, Gertrude Brown, Francesca Hall, Kathleen Martin, Madeline, Loretta and Eugenia des Garennes. Florence Rodgers, Irenita Monterey, Louise Rogers, Osra Duffy, Mary, Kathleen, Grace and Virginia Theriault, Maru Brennan, Mary Adelsperger, Edith Bayne, Rebecca Field and Mary Cameron Brown. Mrs. Emitt Spalding Mann, '09, is expected to visit St. Joseph's sometime in October. Mrs. Mann left for China as a bride and has lived three years in Peking, Shanghai and Hong Kong respectively. Mr. Mann was then stationed in Manila, Philippine Islands for a year. Coming home by way of California, Mrs. Mann is bringing her four year old son, Leslie, born in the Celestial Empire, Miss Martha Spalding,

A KINDERGARTNER

How One Woman Got Legislation Under Way.

FROM MAINE TO THE WEST.

Mothers and Clubwomen of Five of the United States Have Already Succeeded in Getting Better Laws For Early Education Passed.

During the past few years mothers and clubwomen all over the country have been growing more and more alive to the need of more kindergartens, and this year they have been successful in five states in getting better kindergarten laws passed.

The women of Maine, Texas and Washington have the greatest cause for rejoicing, because their new laws authorize school boards to open kindergartens when parents petition for them. By having the matter regulated by law mothers and fathers in these three states will now have some guarantee of success when they ask to have a kindergarten started in the public school in their neighborhood.

Miss Nellie Brown of the Federation of Women's Clubs was largely responsible for the success of the legislative campaign in Maine, but it is safe to say she could have done nothing without the support which she received from the clubwomen and kindergartners of Bangor and from the kindergartners themselves.

From the visitors' list: Very Rev. P. S. McHale, C. M., Germantown, Pa.; Rev. J. McGovern, Rev. P. A. Coad, Mt. St. Mary's; Mrs. A. T. Pattison, Mr. George Pattison, New Orleans, La.; Misses Elizabeth Barry and Alice Reilly, Lancaster, Pa.; Mr. E. W. Sours, Mexico City, Mexico; Mr. J. Ledlie Gloninger, "Valley View"; Miss Mary A. Rodgers, '15, Mrs. A. M. Seton, Mrs. E. R. Brown, Baltimore; Dr. S. J. Rigg, Roanoke, Va.; Mr. Maher Cogan, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. E. R. Ruiz, Tampico, Mexico; Mr. John McMorris, Pittsburgh; Misses Mary and Rosa Rogers, Frederick, Md.; Mr. Henry L. O'Rourke, Lowell, Mass.; Madame Lagarde, Emmitsburg; Miss Ann Codori, Mrs. Codori Forman, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Kate Curtin Taffany, Mrs. Horan, Mr. James Horan, Dunbar, Pa.; Mrs. John Foley, Misses Rita and Josephine Foley, Mrs. E. Height, Mr. Patrick O'Hallihan, Canonsburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moran, Master Paul Moran, Baltimore; Mrs. D. H. Warfield, Misses Margart and Lillian Field, Rockville, Md., Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Plank, Miss Louise Plank, Harrisburg, Pa.; Messrs. Felix and Reubel Goldsborough, Catonsville, Md.; Mrs. R. L. Williams, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reavis, Annapolis, Md.

The White House, Mother Seton's first erection in the "Valley" is adding another chapter to its history. First built on the present site of the Church in 1810, it served as the home of the Sisters and upwards of a hundred pupils. In this house Mother Seton died. Beginning the Church in 1839 necessitated a transference of the White House, to its present location. The oak flooring from the time of 1810 must have been re-used, because it shows even now the two sets of nail holes. Time has done its work of disintegration well; the lack of foundation and rotting beams bade fair to cause a collapse. Such a landmark is not to perish. A sturdy brick foundation allowing air space for ventilation, has been laid fifty feet northwest of where the house now stands. Intelligence in planning and skill in the construction will combine to duplicate the White House, as nearly as possible, under the contractor John T. Bramble, Baltimore.

New materials will be employed for the frame, walls and roof, but the original oak flooring will be preserved. The hand grooved baseboard, the hand-carved chairboard and mantels, the carved stringer of the stairway, the doors, and the archway leading to the alcove containing the altar—all these will be placed in the new house to lend the atmosphere of the old. The preservation of the original architecture, despite modern construction will carry with it the spirit of Mother Seton; the color of those pristine "Valley" days will not vanish.

Some of the arguments she used successfully with legislators were: The early years are the most impressionable, and in a wise educational system these years should not be left unprovided for.

Little children are given a good start not only in school, but in life, through the excellent training which the kindergarten gives.

The majority of parents who want kindergarten training for their children cannot afford to pay tuition at private kindergartens.

The kindergarten is democratic in that it brings educational advantages to all children before any must leave school to go to work.

Vegetable Coloring. A very dainty green color for candles or icing is quickly obtained from lettuce leaves. Simply macerate the leaves between saucer and spoon and add the juice to the cooking sugar until dark enough. This has the advantage over spinach as a coloring agent of being obtainable at all seasons and is not so expensive as the liquid vegetable color.

To Remove Chewing Gum. Should you happen to sit down on a piece of chewing gum do not try to scrape it off and risk spoiling your skirt. Simply take a piece of ice and hold it tightly over the gum for a few minutes. This hardens the gum and causes it to crumble. It may then be brushed off with no injury to the cloth.

THE GOLFER'S DREAM.

You may boost his pay And may cheer his name And may strew his way With your worldly fame, But the golf bug's dream Is to be three up In the final fight For a silver cup.

You could offer him power Or a kingly crown, Or the joys of earth, But he'd turn them down. For the constant dream Of the golfing bug Is to get his name On a silver mug. —Detroit Free Press.

Couldn't Find Him.



Captain Gray—I told you to shoot at will and you never moved. Rookie—I couldn't find him. Captain Gray—Find who? Rookie—That fellow Will.—Philadelphia Record.

Why He Refused.

A young theologian named Fiddle Refused to accept his degree. "For," said he, "'tis enough to be Fiddle Without being Fiddle, D. D." —Philadelphia Ledger.

Some Pitcher.

"That waitress kin shoot a plate of bean soup down the lunch counter and never spill a bean." "Yea, bo. She's got perfect control." —Spokane Spokesman Review.

Ever Thus.

I told one of my funny jokes A pretty maid to cheer. I looked to see her split her sides— She wiped away a tear. —Yonkers Statesman.

Out of Sight.

Reggie—I am just crazy when I am away from you. Regina—Ab, yes; out of sight, out of mind, you know.—Purple Cow.

Ouch!



Brown—What do you think of my car? Jones—I wish I had one just like it. A chap worries so constantly over a good one.—Chicago News.

Identical Result.

The feebly propagates a chill, The furnace holds a flame, But either costs so much to fill The finish is the same. —Washington Star.

The Boss' Prescription.

Elevator Boy—I told de boss today I wanted a raise. His Chum—What did he say? Elevator Boy—He told me to get in an' pull de lever.—Boston Transcript.

Information Wanted.

This piece of information We long in vain have sought: Precisely how much protein Is there in food for thought? —Los Angeles Times.

A Joke.

She—I strongly disapprove of leaving the word "obey" in the marriage ceremony. He—Oh, leave it there, my dear. It puts a little needed humor in the solemnity.—Baltimore American.

After a Tilt.



Kid—What part of speech is woman, uncle? Uncle—She isn't any part of speech at all. She is the whole of it.—Pittsburgh Press.

THE WAR FROM DAY TO DAY.

Formation of a special ministry to return measure for measure to the Germans for air raids over London is the War Cabinet's response to the almost unanimous public demand for reprisals, according to a forecast Thursday by the London Chronicle.

Drafted men apprehended and tried as deserters will not be permitted to escape service by being dishonorably discharged after serving a sentence of confinement. This official statement was made by Provost Marshal General Crowder, Thursday.

The Council of National Defense Thursday completed its greatest contribution to the war work of the United States. This is the direction of the spending of \$640,000,000 for aircraft, America's aircraft program, now fully under way, was given its start by the aircraft production board of the Council of National Defense.

That Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, expended the enormous total of \$27,000,000 in the United States from his arrival here, following the outbreak of the war between the European nations until he was sent back home was revealed for the first time Thursday. State Department officials declared that this was about the figure. A good part of the money was utilized, they said, for legitimate purposes, part of it in purchasing raw materials for use after the war.

Frederick county is the heart of Maryland. Our patriotism should prove it.

SPECIAL NOTICE. All communications for this paper and all letters of a business nature should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE and not to individuals in the office. Strict observance of this rule will obviate mistakes, delays and misunderstandings. July 13-14 Watch crops constantly so as to discover and combat insect pests.

CANDIDATES CARDS.

For House of Delegates. SHERMAN P. BOWERS Residence - Lewistown, Md Law Office—Frederick, Md. Motto—"THE BEST LAWS FOR ALL THE PEOPLE, EQUALLY." I solicit your influence, and assure you that I will endeavor to merit any trust the people may tender.

For House of Delegates. As a candidate for House of Delegates on the Democratic ticket I hereby solicit your vote and support at the polls at the election on November 6. R. BRUCE MURDOCK, Frederick, Md.

For Sheriff Having received the Democratic nomination as candidate for sheriff at the recent Primaries, I hereby earnestly solicit your vote and influence at the coming election. CHARLES T. FAGAN, Frederick, Md.

'THE GEM' THURMONT, MD. Saturday, October 6 The Web of Desire featuring Ethel Clayton Wednesday, October 10 The Woman In The Case featuring Pauline Frederick 8.30 p. m.

GREAT FREDERICK FAIR OCTOBER 16, 17, 18, 19, 1917 Big Display of Live Stock, Poultry and Products of the Farm and Garden SUPERIOR Free Attractions! Balloon Ascensions and Good Racing "ADMISSION, SAME AS ALWAYS, 50 CENTS." DAVID CRAMER, President O. C. WAREHIME, Secretary

ENLIST NOW In the Large Army of Smokers of the Following Brands of CIGARS Royalty Club Red Apple King Apple Lord White Brad Reed John Russell Scoop 3 FOR 10c EVERY ONE A GOOD SMOKE SOLD EVERYWHERE Harry E. Hain, Distributor YORK, PA.

Notre Dame Du Camouflage Concealed behind complete disguise, Be-powered to her very eyes, Her naturally tinted nose Is whitened like the Alpine snows. Cheeks that should wear a fleeting flush Are daubed into a settled blush, Eyebrows, bereft of normal shades, She pencils as black as ace of spades. Her hair, the crowning gift of God, Is touched to match the goldenrod Outwitting Nature with her art, She so transforms her facial chart, We decorate her with this badge—"Our Lady of the Camouflage." —GENEVA V. WOLCOTT

Miners Find Cave of Pure Lead. The operatives in the Hickel mine, south of Baxter Springs, Kans., recently went into a cave of lead. It was 35 feet long, 8 feet wide. Tons of pure lead were taken out of it. Pieces of the mineral measured from 2 to 10 inches in thickness. This mine has yielded an unusual amount of pure cube lead. "What are you knitting my pretty maid?" She purred, then dropped a stitch. "A sock or a sweater, sir," she said, "And darned if I know which!"

