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NEWS NOTES HERE AND THERE

Condensed Items of Interest from County, State and Our Exchanges.

Six barns were struck by lightning and burned, in Washington county, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Nicholas Longworth (nee Miss Alice Roosevelt) is said to be a smoker of cigarettes. A number of western Christian Endeavor Societies have appealed to her to give up the habit.

Cambridge, Maryland, had another big fire, last Sunday, causing a loss of over \$200,000, with insurance for about half that amount. Among the losses was a \$35,000 church on which there was insurance of only \$9,500.

John G. Carlisle, who was Secretary of the Treasury under President Cleveland, died of heart disease, on Sunday night, aged 75 years. Mr. Carlisle practiced law and frequently argued important cases before the Supreme Court. He resided in New York City.

In Texas, the advocate of state wide prohibition have elected at least two-thirds of the members of the incoming Senate and House, which means that a prohibitory amendment will be submitted to the people. A strong fight will be made by the liquor interests to defeat the amendment when it comes before the people.

Death's harvest in Germany credited to automobile amounted to 134 persons killed and 2,945 injured for the year ended September 30, 1909, according to United States Consul William J. Pike, of Kiel, Germany, in a report to the State Department. In the city district of Berlin there were 843 injuries and 36 deaths.

Over most of the United States, hot, dry weather is interfering with the corn crop. The great pasture ranges of the far west are suffering, as well as fruit and vegetable growth, of nearly all sections, even to the Pacific Coast. In a very few localities have rains been sufficient, but in portions of Kentucky and southern Indiana, damage has occurred from heavy rains and winds.

In spite of the fact that some horses appear to be getting used to automobiles, many are not and not a day passes without accidents, often serious. This week, a horse in Chestertown dropped dead from fear, on meeting an auto, and in Hagerstown another was killed by becoming frightened and running into a fire plug. The daily papers, nearly every day, contain accounts of accidents due to automobiles, while thousands are never reported.

The *Evening Press* made its appearance in Frederick, on Tuesday, new and up-to-date from stem to stern, with Paul Winchester, as Editor, and Fabian Posey, business manager. The *Press* promises to be a good local newspaper, and to be independent of all partisan or political influences. We welcome the *Press*, and trust that it will meet with the liberal support that its initial numbers deserve. It is a handsome, seven column, eight page paper, with linotype composition.

The editor sat in his hard bottom chair trying to think of a thought, and he plowed his fingers about his hair, but not a new topic they brought. He'd written on temperance, tariff and trade, and the prospects of raising a crop, and joked about ice cream and weak lemonade, till his readers had warned him to stop. And, weary of thinking, sleep came to his eyes, as he pillowed his head on his desk, when the thoughts while awake had refused to arise, came in drops that were strange and grotesque. And as the ideas airy float, he selects the bright one of the tribe, and this is the gem, while dreaming he wrote: "Now is the time to subscribe."

The appointment of ex-Governor Claude A. Swanson to fill the vacancy in the United States Senate caused by the death of Senator Daniel is one more episode in the political history of the Old Dominion signifying that there is a new Virginia and up-to-date and progressive ideals. For the new senator is not a representative of the antebellum aristocracy; he will not lay his chief claim to distinction upon the fact that he is of the F. F. V. affiliation. He will undoubtedly, however, develop into one of the most useful and effective representatives that Virginia has ever sent to the United States Senate. And this is saying much, for the Old Dominion has ever been careful to pick men of exalted qualifications to represent her in the senatorial branch of the national legislature.

The Frederick *Press* pitches into the Pennsylvania R. R., rather savagely, as follows: "The Pennsylvania Railway may be the greatest and most complete work of its kind in the world, and it may be the best managed of all the great transportation lines of the country, but it is difficult to make the people of Frederick believe that such are facts. The sample of the 'Great Pennsylvania System' to be seen in this county is nothing but a second-rate, jerk-water line with stations that would be condemned as unsanitary eyesores. In other parts of the country the Pennsylvania is a great line, but in Frederick county it is nothing but an apology for a railway, and an inconvenience. The station in Frederick would not be tolerated in a third-rate Western village. It is a disgrace to the town, a disgrace to the State and above all, a disgrace to the management of the greatest railway company in the country."

Importance of the Grangers' Pic-nic.

[FOR THE RECORD.]

One of the great events of the year in the State of Maryland, is the Farmers' pic-nic, in Ohler's Grove, next week. Its importance is not fully realized, I fear, by the people of Carroll County. In this I do not have in mind the educational and recreative features; these are so well understood by all thinking men and women that comment on them is unnecessary. I would only add that the addresses by eminent men will be of great practical advantage, and the healthful rest and friendly intercourse during the four days of the pic-nic, must prove highly beneficial to all.

People in towns and cities feel that they need a few weeks' rest, each summer, and usually take it, spending hundreds of dollars for a trip and board. This has proven to be a wise and healthful thing to do and beyond question tends to lengthen life. In my judgment no one is more entitled to a rest, nor needs it more, than the farmer, his wife and children. Now where can this be better, more satisfactorily and cheaply obtained than at the yearly gatherings of the Farmers' club, or Grange? The real substantial reason why every farmer within reaching distance of Taneytown should frequent these meetings is the grave importance of having the farmers, and these relying on them for a livelihood, stand together.

Every profession, trade and calling has its well organized associations, local, state and national, for mutual benefit and advantage. The farmer was the last to wake up and even now is poorly organized, and his influence not in keeping by any means with his numbers. This is not noticeable in the various State legislatures and in Congress. At the time of the consideration of the tariff, last year not a single farmer appeared to advocate the interests of this large and important class of the citizens of the country. An active lobby is found in Washington in favor of removing all restrictions on oleomargarine, a substitute for the good healthy dairy butter. If this is done, and there is grave danger of it, the farmers' butter will have to compete with this spurious compound, reducing the price from five to fifteen cents a pound. This is only one instance, of many, where the farmers' pocket would feel the loss.

Then why not stand together and make these pic-nics a success in every way, thus showing the strength of the farming interests, the greatest and most important of all human activity? To show my interest in this matter, I am taking my vacation and rest in Carroll County, all of next week, when I expect to meet my friends, whom I love and respect.

Yours Sincerely,
J. A. GOULDEN.

Fleagle-Heller.

Mr. Harry V. Fleagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fleagle, of Union Bridge, Md., and Miss Mabel Heller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heller, 1631 East Lanvale Street, Baltimore, were married at the parsonage of the Third English Lutheran church, Baltimore, at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning by the pastor, Rev. I. C. Burke. The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling gown of Copenhagen blue, with large picture hat. After the ceremony the couple left for a trip to Atlantic City and the North. They will reside at 1818 Rutland Ave.

MARRIED.

HAINES.—CARNES.—On August 1st, at the Lutheran parsonage, Uniontown, by Rev. G. W. Baughman, Mr. Clarence M. Haines and Miss Myrtle L. Carnes, both of near New Windsor.

RITTINGER.—FISSEL.—On July 30th, 1910, in Harrisburg, Pa., Mr. Edward Rittinger of Harrisburg, and Miss Rosa M. Fissel, of Gettysburg.

DIED.

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

MCKELLIP.—On July 31, 1910, in Cedar Bluffs, Nebraska, Mr. James McKellip, aged 73 years.

HALTER.—On July 29th, 1910, at Mayberry, Mrs. Susan Halter, aged 78 years. Funeral on Monday, at the Reformed church, Silver Run. Rev. G. W. Baughman, officiating.

WOLF.—On July 31, 1910, near Union Bridge, Mrs. Hattie Belle, wife of Mr. Cleon S. Wolf, aged 21 years, 6 months, 17 days.

IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE

Of Charles R. Babylon, who departed this life, June 28th, 1910. Just one month ago.

A precious Father from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home,
Which none will ever fill.
God in his wisdom has recalled,
The boon his love had given,
And though the body slumbers here,
The soul is safe in Heaven.

By the family.

Tribute of Respect.

WHEREAS, by the death of Mrs. Lydia A. Rodkey, the Young People's Society has lost one of its most useful and active members. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Young People's Society express its sorrow and extend its condolence and recognize that in the death of their esteemed member it has lost a true and loyal friend, of uniform kindness, happy and helpful disposition, and correct and honorable character.

Resolved, That we greatly regret her death and extend our sincere sympathy and condolence to the family in their great loss and affliction, and that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Society, and a copy sent to each member of the family.

O. EDWARD DODRER,
W. U. MARKER,
JOHN C. SPANGLER,
Committee.

Church Notices.

There will be preaching services in the Taneytown U. B. church, Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock; at Harney in the evening, at 8 o'clock.

W. B. BAKER FOR CONGRESS.

Will be Talbot's Opponent in the Second Maryland District.

Wm. B. Baker, of Harford, the veteran Republican campaigner, who was three times elected in the second district and several times defeated, will again be nominated by the Republicans and it is said that he will make an active campaign. This announcement followed a conference of leading party workers, on Tuesday, at which Mr. Baker was present.

The selection of Mr. Baker came as a surprise to many of those present. Every one of them wanted him, but it was generally supposed that he would not accept, having declared repeatedly that he did not again want the office. However, friends, feeling that he is the strongest man in the district to run against Congressman Talbot, prevailed upon him to accept. Mr. Asa B. Gardiner, of Baltimore, was prominently mentioned for the nomination in the event of Mr. Baker's declining to run. Mr. Gardiner gladly stepped aside in favor of Mr. Baker as soon as it was made known to him that the former would accept the nomination.

In reality the selection of Mr. Baker is not a nomination. It will be necessary for him to be nominated at the primary election on August 30, but it does mean that he will have no opposition and if he does whoever opposes him will not receive the support of the organization. It is unlikely that anyone will oppose him, for he probably is the most popular Republican in the district, and the voters are heartily anxious for him to accept the nomination. The absence of opposition will reduce the cost of the primary to the Republicans to a minimum.

What is Road-making Coming to?

According to an Editorial in the *Sun*, the Road Commission is greatly worried because traction engines—a necessity for the farmers—are cutting up the surface of the fine state roads so far constructed, and there is talk of invoking the law against such wheels. According to the *Sun*:

"The Road Commission believes that the law gives it the authority to prohibit vehicles with such wheels from using the State roads, and it intends to enforce the law not only against injury to the roads by traction engines but by any other vehicle or in any other manner which is preventable. The law charges the commission with the duty of keeping the roads in good condition as well as constructing them."

This is all very nice; splendid, in fact, and raises the questions—Are county roads to be made so fine as to render them too nice for county usages and must the whole system of doing necessary farm work be made over, to suit the smooth and tender faces of our artistic and scientific state roads? The *Sun* Editorial further says:—

"It would be of much advantage to the State as well as to property owners along the State highways if they would cooperate with the commission in making the roads beautiful and attractive. After the roads have been made perhaps the commission will decide to plant avenues of trees along them. In the meantime the abutting land owners would do a good work by keeping the roadsides through or along their respective properties clean and neat. The fences should be well kept and slightly and not encumbered with briars and undergrowth, and weeds should be kept down by regular mowing."

Just to think of that! First keep off the cruel traction engines, with their horrid gripper wheels, then embellish the roads with "avenues of trees," making travel "beautiful and attractive." Presumably, it will be necessary to equip engines and farm wagons with big rubber tires, and pay special attention to landscape gardening, all for the purpose of getting in harmony with the plans of our up-to-date Road Commission. Some are unreasonable enough to think that the Commission should build roads to suit country usages, but they are "old foghish" and away behind the times.

Death of Mr. James McKellip.

Mr. James McKellip, a half brother of Mr. John McKellip, Taneytown's well known druggist, died at the home of his sister, the widow of the late John E. Tawney, of Cedar Bluffs, Nebraska, on Sunday, aged 73 years. Mrs. Tawney is the mother of Congressman James A. Tawney, of Minnesota, the widely known chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. McKellip left Taneytown about 28 years ago, and has lived in Nebraska ever since, but paid his former home several visits, the last about five years ago. He was a popular and unassuming man, with many warm friends, and will be well remembered by many of our readers and citizens. He leaves one full brother, Joseph A. McKellip, of Baltimore, and two sisters: Mrs. Tawney, of Nebraska, and Miss Maggie C. McKellip, of Washington; also, as before mentioned, a half brother, John McKellip, of Taneytown. He had been ill for some time with stomach and liver troubles.

The Annual County Statement.

Owing to the fact that the copy for the annual statement of Carroll County was received a day later than it was promised to us, we are compelled to hold it over until next week. We are now passing through our mid-summer rush of special work, which we always have at this time, and which will keep us busy during the whole month of August; therefore, it will be impossible, for the time, for us to handle orders for general job work with our usual promptness. Due to advance preparation for the county statement, thinking that it would be published this week, this issue of the RECORD is somewhat unequally balanced.

Are Savings Deposits Taxable?

Attorney-General Straus dictated the following statement Wednesday:

"I have been called upon by a number of lawyers who have asked for an opportunity to submit their legal views upon the question of the assessment of deposits in savings banks for which books or certificates of deposit have been issued and which are not subject to check.

"I will suspend my final decision on the question until such members of the bar as wish to be heard on the subject have submitted their briefs. In the meantime the opinion will be held in abeyance. Among those who will submit written arguments on the point will be Mr. George R. Willis."

Mr. Straus' statement was a sequel to his opinion given to Mr. Charles E. Fink, counsel to the Board of Control and Review for Carroll County, who wished to know if deposits in banks bearing interest and not subject to check were assessable. Mr. Straus answered in the affirmative.

If the opinion of the Attorney-General stands by his interpretation of the law there is hardly any doubt that the savings banks will fight the question and carry the issue to the Court of Appeals. Many farmers throughout the State have already withdrawn their money from savings banks and taken up mortgages. They dislike the idea of allowing the county and state the income from their savings of years. According to the assessment law mortgages are not taxed.

While there seems to have been little or no discussion on the subject in the city, bank officials and depositors in the counties have been much exercised over the question for some time. Assessors have been distributing blanks among the farmers and other residents of the counties, on which to state the amount of assessable property. On one of the blanks is a space with instructions to fill in the amount of any deposits in any bank in the state. It is clearly indicated that these deposits are to be added to the taxable basis, the same as other real or personal property. A fine of \$1,000 is imposed for misstatements in answer to any question.

On receiving these blanks some of the depositors withdrew their money and took the risk of keeping it in their homes until the assessors had made their rounds, as there was no provision made to tax cash on hand. Others, who did not wish to take this chance invested money in other securities.

Carroll County Marriage Annulled.

An interesting case in the Carroll county court was terminated, on Monday, by the filing of a decree declaring a marriage null and void.

On July 24, 1909, Nimrod Sellers, aged 23, made application to the clerk of the Circuit Court for a marriage license for himself and Rhoda Trump, making oath that she was 21 years old, when in fact, her age was only fourteen years and five months. Sellers had been working for Charles E. Trump, a farmer of this county, and on the evening of July 24, 1909, persuaded Miss Trump to go with him to Rev. William Nicoll, of Hampstead, who married them. They remained at the home of a brother of Sellers that night, as man and wife in name only, and the next day the child returned to her father and mother.

At the following November term of court Sellers was indicted for perjury and tried before a jury, swearing, in his own behalf, that the girl had told him that she was 20 years old. The jury took into account his evident ignorance of the enormity of his offense and brought in a verdict of not guilty. Thereupon M. E. Walsh, Charles E. Fink and J. Milton Reifensider filed a bill in equity for the annulment of the marriage. Messrs. Went and Henning represented the defendant, who resisted the suit and brought suit on the law side of the court against the father of his normal wife for damages for the alienation of her affections. The suit for damages was afterward dismissed. On Monday morning the decree was passed by Judge James K. Brashears, who sat in the perjury case, and was familiar with all the circumstances of the case, declaring the marriage null and void and granting leave to Miss Trump to resume her maiden name.

Tireless Autos Next.

The government has a report from Germany stating that a retired German army officer has solved the great problem of the automobile—the elimination of the expensive and unreliable pneumatic tire. If this is true, it will work a revolution in the automobile business, for the high cost of tires and the necessity for frequently replacing them have been the greatest drawback to the universal use of these vehicles.

He has shifted the point of elasticity to the axle by the use of an ingenious angle lever system. The inventor uses ship's cable for tires, but even with wooden wheels he can maintain a completely elastic course over cobblestones, country roads, etc., as the jolts are no longer up and down, but move in a horizontal plane forward and backward.

Quinine as an Anaesthetic.

Surgeons in the quest for a new local anaesthetic have discovered that quinine—that ancient foe of "chill and fever"—has the property of rendering patients immune to pain in operations on localized sections. So successful has been the simple white powder in its new field of usefulness that it bids fair to replace cocaine and other local anaesthetics in certain lines of surgery.

The advantages of quinine over the other local anaesthetic drugs is summed up as follows: Quinine is soluble in water; it can be sterilized; it is equal to cocaine in anaesthetic power; it is absolutely harmless; it has a pronounced styptic effect; control of after-pain lasts from four hours to several days and it is inexpensive and almost always available.

INSURGENTS RAMPANT.

Iowa and Kansas true to their Insurgent Leaders in Congress.

The State Republican Conventions in the Western States, especially in Iowa and Kansas, have enlisted great political interest, this week, and these two states have shown greater insurgent strength than anywhere else in the country, as was expected.

In Iowa, the insurgents captured the state convention, on Tuesday. Senators Cummins and Dooliver being in full control, though the regulars had a large following, the vote on the endorsement of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill being 568 for, to 815 against. On the other hand Gov. Carroll, regular, was renominated for Governor, over Garst, insurgent, as the result of the state primary vote.

Resolutions strongly indorsing the Taft administration were voted down, and brief resolutions indorsing the "President's efforts to fulfill the promises of the national platform of 1908," were passed instead.

The mix-up may give the state to the Democrats, unless the two factions succeed in patching up their differences, which seems unlikely. The convention was unruly in the extreme, and at one time threatened to develop into a riot.

Senator Cummins, in his address on the tariff, said: "It is not a Republican measure, although passed by Republican votes, for the men who are chiefly responsible for it thought more of swelling the overgrown fortunes of their intimate friends than they thought of the party principles, the party pledge, or the welfare of a long suffering people."

"It is claimed that the average tax upon dutiable imports is something like one per centum less than under the Dingley act. This may or may not be so, for I have learned to doubt the accuracy of tariff statements, but granting the truth of the statement, what a superb showing it is."

"There are many gratifying reductions in the Payne-Aldrich act, but upon the whole it is not a fair exemplification of the protective policy, nor is it an honest performance of our platform promise, and no matter what happens I will tell the truth as I see the truth, about it. Let me, however, again warn Republicans who are of my way of thinking concerning the shortcomings of this measure that the failure of the Republican leaders in Congress to abide by our platform furnishes no reason for delivering this country into the hands of the Democrats."

"The one thing can be said in favor of our recent revision is that it is vastly better than any tariff which the Democrats could enact founded upon the exploded theory of levying duties for revenue only."

Mr. Cummins praised the tariff commission obtained by the President, and continued: "We must insist upon a law or rule of Congress that will allow one schedule to be amended or revised without going over the whole range of the tariff. We must exclude the opportunity for the trades and combinations which now dishonor tariff legislation. We must make it impossible to coerce or bribe a member of Congress into voting for what he knows to be wrong in order to get what he believes to be right."

In Oklahoma, the regulars carried the Congressional primaries, all the insurgent candidates being defeated. In Kansas, the insurgents appear to have carried all districts, while the vote for Governor is exceedingly close between the two candidates, the insurgent apparently leading.

In Missouri, all the regular Congressmen were renominated except possibly one, who appears to be defeated by an insurgent in a close vote.

When a Quarter Was Big Money.

A news item from Pennsylvania tells of how somebody in the old commonwealth, an archeologist, has made discovery of a protest against high prices in 1804. It seems that the charge for a meal of victuals at a tavern in Butler, Pa., in 1804, was 25 cents, and the cost of half a pint of whiskey 15 cents, and an earnest and solemn protest was made against the extortion that such prices meant, though they seem ridiculously low a century later.

At that time the traveler overtaken by nightfall at the hamlet was charged but 25 cents for supper, breakfast and lodging, and the provender, shelter and grooming of his horse was a matter of course and computed in the charge of 25 cents. Certainly, he was expected to give the boy who blackened his boots 5 cents, and as much or twice as much to the hostler who took care of his horse; but that was a matter of taste and not of obligation. Whiskey was sold him over bar at 5 cents a glass, a quantity that would make two outrageous drinks. The only serious trouble about our present high prices is that highwaymen stand somewhere.—*Washington Post*.

Dr. John Mehring, of Littlestown, who has been under treatment for tuberculosis at a sanitarium above Denver, Colorado, is so greatly improved that he has been offered and accepted an appointment on the staff at the sanitarium. The Doctor, it is believed, will remain in the high altitude of Denver for a year or two in order to be doubly sure of his cure. Mrs. Mehring is now with the Doctor, while the bright little son of six is at the home of his grandfather, Hon. S. S. Mehring, at Littlestown.

Peaches promise to be low in price, this year, on account of the unusually large crop. City market prices, so far, are very low for the first of the season.

The State Camp of the P. O. S. of A., will meet in Elkton, Cecil county, next Tuesday and Wednesday. There will be about 200 delegates.

New President Gettysburg College.

The committee to make arrangements for the inauguration of Dr. William A. Granville as President of Pennsylvania College have been busy preparing plans. The committee composed of Rev. Dr. C. M. Stock, chairman, of Hanover; Prof. Charles H. Huber, secretary, of Gettysburg; John F. Dapp, of Harrisburg; Harry L. Stahler of Norristown, and Charles S. Duncan, of Gettysburg, met recently and decided that the inauguration should take place on Thursday, October 20. Notable educators have been invited and President Hadley of Yale University has accepted an invitation to make one of the addresses. Presidents of colleges and educational institutions throughout this section will be invited and it is expected to have a large number present. It is the purpose to have excursions run to Gettysburg from a number of nearby points and nothing is going to be left undone to get a good start to the greater Gettysburg everyone hopes is coming.

Among the plans of the committee is that the exercises will be held in a huge tent on the campus; that a male chorus of 200 or 300 voices from college, seminary and town will be trained and that a collation will follow inauguration with reception in the evening.

Dr. W. F. Eyster of the class of 1839, and William Gerhart of the class of 1841, have been invited to be present as the two oldest living graduates and it is understood that they will be here if their health permits.—*Gettysburg Compiler*.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

Monday, August 1st, 1910.—Letters of administration on the estate of Mary E. Bachman, deceased, granted unto Noah Brown, who returned inventory of money and settled his first and final account.

Jacob C. Hull and George W. Hull, Jr., executors of George W. Hull, deceased, settled their second and final account.

Letters of administration on the estate of Shellman Harris, deceased, granted unto Ravila Harris, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Harry D. Wantz, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property. Mary E. Crapster, administratrix of John J. Crapster, deceased, received orders to transfer stocks, returned report of sale of personal property and settled her first and final account.

Letters of guardianship granted unto Mary E. Crapster, as guardian of B. Walter Crapster and Catherine Elizabeth Crapster.

Elizabeth H. Rakestraw, guardian of Helen E., James E., Mary C. and Malcolm H. Rakestraw, infants, received order of Court to use \$50.00 of principal of wards' funds for their support and maintenance.

TUESDAY, August 2, 1910.—William L. Babylon, administrator of Charles R. Babylon, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, money and debts and received order to sell personal property.

Albert A. Gilbert, administrator of Martha A. Gilbert, deceased, received order to pay to Birdie V. Gilbert the funds standing in her name in the Union Bridge Banking and Trust Co.

Charles A. Runkles, administrator of Albert H. Runkles, deceased, upon petition received order to sell business of his intestate.

No Compromise in 6th. Dist.

Efforts have been made by the Republican leaders in the Sixth Congressional District to patch up their difficulties and effect a compromise by which the Hon. George A. Pearre would be nominated without friction, but without avail, and the fight will proceed bitterly to the finish. Mr. B. H. Warner, Jr., has put an end to all harmony negotiations by filing his papers with the respective Supervisors of Election in the different counties, and depositing with each the money required to have his name placed on the ballot.

This means that A. R. Hagner, of Washington county, and Gist Blair, of Montgomery county, will do the same, and that Pearre will have three opponents in the field against him, which no doubt Mr. Pearre prefers, as three in the field will split the strength of the opposition, and Pearre can surely hold his own straight sailing, if however, Blair and Hagner withdraw, the fight will become very interesting.

AUTOMOBILITIS.

Automobilitis is the latest disease. It is a species of madness. The unfortunate people afflicted with this dread complaint would mortgage their houses and farms to obtain money to purchase a motor car. Physicians as yet have found no remedy for the trouble, and are in despair about their patients. The Rockefeller Medical Institute, a Standard Oil philanthropy, is now engaged in making researches to locate the microbe of automobilitis, and when discovered to formulate some kind of serum to destroy the bacterial pest.

Many prominent bankers have declared that thousands of people have either mortgaged their homes or hypothecated valuable securities to buy automobiles in the United States. The terrible thing about it all is that the automobile, the cause of the mental malady, has come to stay. The faithful horse who has for so many years been on the hoof is now on the bum. In a few years the animal will be relegated to the cavalry or the cowboy.

This is the age of the motor car. Gasoline is king. Soon we shall see magnificent State institutions devoted entirely to those afflicted with automobile madness. Lucky is the man who has nothing to mortgage, for he only can successfully cope with the disease.—*Hanover Record*.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 6th., 1910.

All articles on this page are either original, or properly credited. This has always been a fixed rule with this office, and we suggest the adoption of it by our exchanges.

ONE OF OUR enterprising exchanges, in printing an assortment of fruit jar labels, for the use of housewives, furnished one for "PLUMBS." We were not aware that there was an edible variety of this very essential mechanic's device for striking perpendiculars, the usual sort being made of lead, or brass, but the advance in invention is so wonderful that even canned GAUGES, PAIRS and SAWS may not be impossible.

Autos and Finance.

The enormous investment of wealth in automobiles, is assumed by many to be of national importance, sufficient to affect financial conditions, and the question is being raised whether, or not, many do not purchase autos who are not financially able to do so, and thereby unsettle business affairs generally. Without attempting to settle the question, it may be well to mention a few facts, all of which should be, and perhaps are, weighed by the average purchaser.

We assume that the average auto purchased, costs from \$1500 to \$2000. Some are lower, and some much higher in price. The life of the machines, according to our information, is about five years; after which, the probability is that an exchange proposition on a new machine, involving a large cash payment, with a very small allowance for the old, is the way out most generally taken, providing the five-year old machine is actually worth more than old junk. Exchanges, we are informed, are usually made before five years use. At any rate, at the best, the depreciation in value is exceedingly rapid, and a large percentage of the first cost must be counted as loss, each year.

Contemplating only average use, and average careful handling, the incidental expenses for tires, other repairs, and for professional "know how," runs up into a considerable sum, each year. Even when the hire of a chauffeur is saved, and when there is no important garage cost, the running expense, gasoline, oil, suitable clothing and other essential items belonging to automobiling, must necessarily amount to a large sum, each year.

Ownership of an auto, naturally calls for its use; therefore, the expense of hotel bills, and other items incident to travel, must be met. And, when travel interferes with giving the proper care and attention to one's private business—when one is away from home too much to look after his home interests—this consideration, alone, is apt to make autoing a very costly pleasure. There is also the probability of causing accidents, or damage, to others, which the conscientious autoist feels like "making good," and there are also likely to be cases of this kind when he must do so, whether he wants to or not.

Then, there is to be considered, interest on the investment; taxes, license and insurance, on the auto, all making an appreciable total of annual cost. These are all items of cost which must be calculated on, and met, and certainly the list justifies the thought that perhaps many are indulging beyond their depth in the luxury of auto travel.

But, there are many who can afford the machines, and perhaps more than we think, for the country is very prosperous, and the spirit of money-spending, rather than money-saving, is abroad very extensively in the present age. When one's financial affairs are in a safe and prosperous condition, with a good big sure income, and no business connection requiring his close attention; when there is ample time for pleasure, and when one can indulge in autoing without curtailing his financial obligations in all other directions, there seems to be no good reason why he should not do so, if he desires it.

Autoing, under present conditions, is a very expensive pleasure, and as long as nothing more simple and reliable than a gasoline engine can be invented to supply the power, and nothing more durable than rubber for tires, the conditions are sure to continue. Five years from now, there will likely be much more definite light on the subject of ex-

pense than there is now; five years of "experience" may either quadruple the use of autos, or there will be many less in use than now. Predictions, at present, are hardly worth while, but the development of the big question, and its results, are pretty sure to be interesting.

Talbot vs. Baker.

It seems to be settled that the Congressional nominees in the Second district will be Hon. J. F. C. Talbot, the present incumbent, and Hon. Wm. B. Baker, of Harford, by the Republicans. Mr. Talbot has such a hold on the party lines that nothing can dispossess him, although many of his party followers would be glad to do so, and his nomination will be merely a formality.

Mr. Baker, who has represented the district three terms, is probably the strongest candidate the Republicans can name. He is popular, able, a man of considerable wealth and a good campaigner, notwithstanding the fact that he is getting up in years. Although the Democratic majority in the district is a pretty safe one, the great personal popularity of Mr. Baker always makes him a formidable candidate, and Mr. Talbot will need to "keep-a-movin'" to win, especially as his candidacy has not much enthusiasm back of it.

Mr. Robert Garrett, who has several times fought the losing fight in the district, is hardly a possibility this year; for, notwithstanding his excellent fitness and financial prominence, he never succeeded in enlisting much enthusiasm, and besides there are now a considerable number of sharpened knives waiting for him, held by those who failed to land appointments. It would seem to be wise, therefore, for Mr. Garrett to save his time and money, and stay out of the running.

The Direct Primary Scheme.

The direct primary law, for Maryland, is largely a political dodge, one of the bright schemes intended to strengthen the dominant party, a statement which at first sight, seems to have no point; but, here it is. It is figured that in counties with a large colored vote, and this vote participating directly in nominations, even negroes may be placed on the ballot for county offices, which would so disgust many white Republicans that they would be driven into the Democratic party.

Simply stated, this is one of the chief objects of the law. It was figured that with the convention system of nominations in force, the white Republicans could so manipulate district primaries as to control conventions, but with direct voting for nominations the negro vote would be decidedly more difficult to control, and in any case make itself more prominent in political affairs, and consequently more obnoxious to whites.

Like many another well laid plan, this one is likely to react, with results not on the program. The independent thinking, fair-deal sentiment, is strong, and growing more so every year. The lines of distinct goodness in one party, and of distinct badness in the other, are becoming known to be more imaginary than real, and tricks and expedients are apt to be sized up at their true value—and rewarded as they deserve.

The Harm of "Treating."

Not long ago, a prominent business man of a town, who, by the way, is a "temperance" man, offered a customer a drink of liquor at the close of a business transaction, the said customer being a man with a reputation for taking "a nip" occasionally, if not more frequently. To the surprise of the business man, who meant to play "good fellow," the customer declined, the former thinking that the latter simply acted "cutely," trying to create the impression that he did not drink. The real truth was, the man with the drinking reputation had quit the habit, a year or more previously, and it is to his great credit that even though so respectable a personage tempted him, he did not break his resolution.

Here was a man who did not drink, except very rarely, and perhaps never in a public place; a man outspoken, even, against the liquor traffic, having no sympathy with it, and yet, for the sake of creating a desirable impression in a business way, was ready—unconsciously, of course—to tempt a man to go back to a habit which once dominated him to his own injury. With variations, this is nearly always the real result of "treating" to drinks—tempting somebody to do wrong, who, if left alone, would not do it.

As a custom among young men, it is the worst with which our country is afflicted, and is in direct conflict with "Lead us not into temptation."

It is certainly bad enough to voluntarily do wrong things, but infinitely worse to tempt others to do them, and this truth applies equally well to those things (if they actually exist) which are right for some, and wrong for others. Before you offer to "treat" a man, at least consider whether you may not be tempting him, unawares, to break a resolution which he has made for his own safety.

Prisons Breed Tuberculosis.

That there are 12,000 tuberculous prisoners in the state, federal and local prisons and jails of the United States, with less than 25 special institutions and hardly 800 beds for their treatment, are

some of the charges made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in a recent bulletin.

From several investigations that have been made, it is estimated that on an average about fifteen per cent. of the prison population of the country is afflicted with tuberculosis. On this basis, out of the 80,000 prisoners housed in the penal institutions of continental United States at any given time, not less than 12,000 are infected with this disease. If the Philippine Islands and other insular possessions were taken into consideration, the number would be much larger. Some of the prisons of Pennsylvania, Kansas and Ohio show such shocking conditions with reference to tuberculosis that many wardens admit that these places of detention are deathtraps. Similar conditions could be found in almost every state, and in the majority of cases the only sure remedy is the destruction of the old buildings and the erection of new ones.

Only twenty-one prisons in fifteen states and territories have provided special places for the treatment of their tuberculous prisoners. These institutions can accommodate, however, only 800 patients. In three-fourths of the major prisons and in practically all the jails of the country the tuberculous prisoner is allowed freely to infect his fellow prisoners, very few restrictions being placed upon his habits. When the congested mode of prison life is considered, the danger of infection becomes greater than in the general population. New York and Massachusetts are the only states where any systematic attempt has been made to transfer all tuberculous prisoners to one central institution. The largest prison tuberculosis hospital is in Manila, where accommodations for 200 prisoners are provided. The next largest is Clinton Prison Hospital in New York, which provides for 150.

The fact that 100,000 prisoners are discharged from the jails and prisons of the country annually, and that from ten to fifteen per cent. of them have tuberculosis, makes the problem of providing special places for their treatment while they are confined a serious one. So important is the problem that the Prison Association of New York in co-operation with the State Charities Aid Association, is preparing to inaugurate a special campaign for the prevention of tuberculosis in the penal institutions of the state, and will seek to enlist the co-operation of all prison physicians and anti-tuberculosis societies in this work.

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Licenses to Kill.

That there are companies which make a business of selling licenses to main and kill people is a very broad assertion, yet that is pretty near the result of a certain form of casualty insurance issued to owners of automobiles. There are companies, it is said, that will for a consideration assume all risks of accidents either to the machine themselves or their occupants or to persons who may be run down and killed or injured. In the case of a person run down the function of the insurance company is to defend any action that may be brought against the owner of the machine, retaining lawyers and paying expenses of trials, also paying the final judgment, if one be ultimately secured and sustained through the appellate courts.

This condition was brought forcibly to our attention by the report of one automobilist to another. While one motorist was passing along one of our country roads two boys were skylarking on the footpath at the side. Suddenly, one of them, to escape from the other, leaped to the centre of the roadway just in front of the machine. The driver, with great exertion, stopped the car in time to prevent the little fellow's injury or death. Another motorist, who had witnessed the incident, said: "Why did you do that? If I had been in your place I would have kept right on. I am insured, and in case of any accident like that would have been, the company would have to fight any action for damage and pay the judgment, if any. When people foolishly get in front of my machine I am not going to stop for them."

It is all right for casualty companies to insure automobile owners against accidents to themselves or to their machines, but they should not be permitted to assume the responsibility for damage which may be caused to the lives, limbs or property of others by the carelessness, negligence or willfulness of the owner or driver of a motorcar. The distinction is evident and should be sharply drawn.—*Townson Union.*

Roosevelt, Root, Taft, Hughes.

It was once Mr. Taft's well-known ambition to end his career as a member of the Supreme bench. If Chief Justice Fuller had retired several years ago, as was expected, President Roosevelt would have appointed Mr. Taft as his successor. If Mr. Roosevelt or Mr. Hughes had been nominated at Chicago two years ago, Mr. Taft would, in all likelihood, now be appointed Chief Justice. There was a crucial moment in New York politics, several years ago, when Mr. Roosevelt's decision made Mr. Hughes the Republican nominee for Governor. It was Mr. Roosevelt's de-

cision, also, that made Mr. Taft the Republican nominee for President. Mr. Hughes at that time was not anxious to run for the Governorship, nor was Mr. Taft a seeker for the Presidency.

Mr. Root, if he had been so minded, could have been Governor of New York and Republican nominee for the Presidency. After his retirement as Secretary of War, when he had justly earned great popularity by priceless service to the nation, both Roosevelt and Taft urged Root with all their might to accept a nomination for the Governorship with a view to becoming the Republican candidate for the Presidency in 1908. Mr. Root, who was seeking no further political preferment and was content to be leader of the bar of New York, deliberately refused what was easily within his grasp. He would have been elected Governor in 1904, and again in 1906, and would have been elected President in 1908. In that case, also, Mr. Taft would probably have become Chief Justice. Under those circumstances, Mr. Roosevelt would very likely have taken Mr. Platt's seat in the Senate.

The death of Mr. Hay was followed by the imperative call that Mr. Root should return to the cabinet as Secretary of State. He was offered the same position in Mr. Taft's cabinet, but decided to go to the Senate. The four most eminent personalities in the Republican party at the present moment are these four whose political destinies have been so curiously intertwined. Mr. Roosevelt refused a third term; and by the supreme exercise of his political authority he succeeded in putting himself out of power and putting another man in. Yet in spite of himself he remains the most dominant influence in our political life.

Mr. Taft, who would have made a Chief Justice of the preeminence accorded only to Marshall, finds himself playing the more conspicuous but less congenial part of President. He is a better judge of law and of evidence than of men;—better fitted by nature for the bench than for executive work. He deals easily and rapidly with principles and questions. He is not skillful in dealing with a thousand little details that relate to persons rather than principles. Mr. Root, who is a good deal older than the other three in years, is rather the youngest of the four in personal appearance, and quite as young as any of them in the freshness of his mind.—From "The Progress of the World" in the *American Review of Reviews*, for August.

What's in McClure's.

A brilliant account of George V, written in Sydney Brooks' most able style, heads the list of articles in the August McClure's, and brings out a number of interesting facts about the personal character of England's unknown King. Burton J. Hendrick, in "Oxygenizing a City," describes Chicago's great fight for fresh air, which has revolutionized the ventilation of the city's schools and tenements. Louise Parks Richards contributes some remarkable psychological studies of the men and women who are taking part in the Passion Play at Oberammergau. The third instalment of "Senator Platt's Autobiography" is the highly interesting account of the fifteen-year fight of the Republican machine against Taftman; and William James contributes a strong article on "The Moral Equivalent of War."

The August fiction is unusually successful. Among the stories are "Shlela," one of a Western series by George Patulla; "The Fifth of October," a love story by Mary Shipman Andrews; "A Cup of Cocoa," a story of African adventure by Eleanor Stuart; "The Steamer Child," by Elsie Singmaster; and another John Thorndyke detective story. Charles Livingston Bull contributes a series of beautiful drawings in color.

Much In Little.

Bishop W. D. Johnson says that the Latter Day Saints (Mormons) who have made new homes for themselves in Mexico are not practicing polygamy. President Diaz is quoted as saying that he'd be glad to welcome more such industrious and law-abiding immigrants.

Mrs. George W. Trout is directing the suffrage campaign which is being carried on in Illinois this summer. Automobile parties will visit every part of the state, stopping at the small towns, villages and crossroads long enough to deliver speeches and distribute literature.

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Officers of state horticultural associations and commercial organizations in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana say there is every indication that the fruit crop this year will be the largest and most profitable in the history of the four states. It is predicted that higher prices will prevail as a result of the heavy damage to the fruit crop in the middle western states.

F. A. Huntley, state horticultural commissioner, says that Washington will produce twice as much fruit in 1910 as in 1908, the year of the record crop. Including peaches, apricots, cherries, berries and other soft fruits, the yield will be at least doubled owing to the increased acreage, he adds, while the apple crop will show an increase of about 25 per cent. Oregon, Idaho and Montana will have equally large crops as the result of increased acreage and trees coming into bearing this season. More than 350,000 acres of lands are devoted to orchards in the four states, and pomologists estimate the value of a full crop would undoubtedly equal \$175,000,000.

Northwestern apples are in demand in the eastern and middle western states and in Europe and Australia, and the markets are being extended year by year. American and foreign experts who have studied conditions in the northwest refer to the Pacific states as "the world's fruit basket," adding there has been established in a comparatively short time a domain where the first foot of soil properly cultivated is worth more than all the mines from Alaska to Mexico and all



SCENE IN TYPICAL COMMERCIAL APPLE ORCHARD EASTERN WASHINGTON.

the forests from the United States boundary to the Arctic sea. Millions of dollars have been invested in apple lands west of the Rockies during the last decade, and beautiful orchards of young trees today mark the spots where but yesterday was a waste of brown, barren sagebrush covered desert.

Although the domestic and foreign demand for apples has increased, strangely enough the production of the fruit has steadily decreased. The apple crop for 1909, reported to be less than 23,000,000 bushels, for example, was only slightly in excess of one-third of that for the years 1906 and 1900, when the production reached a low figure.

SUMMER PRUNING.

Seasonable Suggestions For Use of Knife on Weak and Declining Plants.

Summer pruning is the best for shade trees. Use the pruning knife freely on the tops of weak and declining plants in order to give them a new start.

Don't prune after the blooming period. Nearly all flowering shrubs bloom on the wood of the previous year's growth.

By cutting back the heads of young plants, a thicker and broader growth is encouraged. Never cut downward on a limb; a ragged wound is usually the result of so doing.

When planting shrubs cut back the branches one half, to balance the root system. To produce a low headed fruit tree, trim off all the branches and cut back the top to eighteen or twenty inches at planting time.

To avoid crotches in mature trees, remove all limbs in two-year-old trees that form crotches with their neighbors. Don't forget to cover the wound made by pruning with tar or common paint, preferably drab.

Do not depend on winter pruning to keep normal shrubs in shape, says Suburban Life. They will never look well. Prune two or three times during the summer.

Remember that summer pruning induces fruit bearing, while winter pruning encourages a heavy growth of wood. Summer pruning should be light, however, and pruning in winter is often necessary in any case.

It is much better to cut away a little wood each year than a large amount occasionally. Begin when the tree is young, and you can shape it any way that you desire. Remember that a low headed tree is easier to spray and easier to pick the fruit from than one whose branches are high in the air.

The Farmer's Uplift.

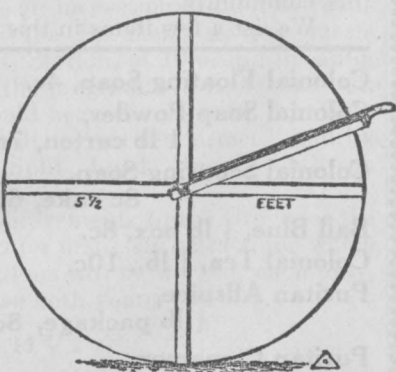
"What you farmers want is uplift," said the statesman. "That's right," answered the farmer. "I've got a grand piano, steam heat and a private gas plant. All we want now is an elevator in the house."—Washington Star.

LAND MEASURING DEVICE.

If Well Made It Will Be Found Very Useful on the Farm.

To measure fields readily the handy device shown herewith will be found very useful. It consists of a heavy wire or light iron rod sixteen and a half feet long, bent into a circle and the ends welded together.

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FOR MEASURING LAND. [From the Orange Judd Farmer.]

All that is necessary then is to mark one of the crosspieces and start measuring with this point on the ground. The number of revolutions multiplied by sixteen and one-half will give the distance in rods across the field. Each quarter revolution, therefore, measures a quarter of a rod.

It is necessary in keeping this measure that the circle be not bent, because this would give inaccurate measure. It is therefore advisable to use iron heavy enough to stand ordinary knocks.—Orange Judd Farmer.

LESS SWARMING, MORE BEES.

Experience of Expert Apiarist In Making Increase of Colonies.

Speaking of the swarming period of bees, Secretary Smith of the Connecticut Bee Keepers' association recently had the following to say:

"Swarming is frequently so annoying to comb honey producers that a recent experience of mine may be helpful. On May 17 I found five or six capped queen cells in my best colony, and, desiring to prevent swarming and make a moderate increase of colonies, I removed five frames of brood, shaking all the bees back into the hive.

"The empty space was filled with frames of comb. All queen cells except one were destroyed. The five frames of brood, with the largest ripe queen cell and five frames of foundation, were placed in a new hive. Another strong colony was moved to a new stand and the new hive put in its place. The removed colony gave up a sufficient number of its bees to take care of the brood in the new hive, and by June 1 the latter contained a mated queen and a good number of young bees. The queen is a beauty and may have been nursed under the supercedure impulse in the first place; therefore she is strong.

"By this method one hive furnished the combs, brood and queen and another supplied the bees. I have three good colonies waiting for the clover honey flow instead of two and do not expect them to swarm. The day after robbing the first mentioned colony of its brood I found the bees at work in the super. But little has been done in supers, however, the weather being so cool and the honey supply so meager."

HANDLING GRAPEVINES.

Don't Allow Them to Grow at Random—How to Get the Best Fruit.

Summer attention of grapevines consists of pinching off any branches that are not wanted so as to get foliage evenly distributed. There will always be a tendency for the vines to make more branches and growth at the top so that everything should be done to correct as much as possible and induce growth at the bottom.

When the laterals show the bunches pinch off the end, always leaving a leaf beyond the bunch of grapes. The branch will continue to grow by throwing out a shoot at the axil of the leaf when the same operation should be repeated beyond the next leaf produced.

In this way all the strength will go to the fruit and excess of foliage and growth will be prevented.

This summer pinching will reduce the winter pruning very materially, but it will always be necessary to prune off the branches that have borne the grapes, just leaving the vertical canes, cutting the branches back every winter.

The work is pleasant and very simple. A little study will enable any one to grasp the principles. Apart from the better quality of grapes that will be produced the grape arbors will be a much more pleasing object than they often present when the vines are allowed to grow at random.—Farm Progress.

What a Farmer Must Know.

To be a farmer of the present time one must be learned in chemistry, a good carpenter, a fair machinist, an ordinary house painter, an accurate bookkeeper, a good veterinary surgeon, a competent civil engineer, know enough about law to keep out of court, be a shrewd buyer, an affable salesman and a good citizen.—Farm Press.

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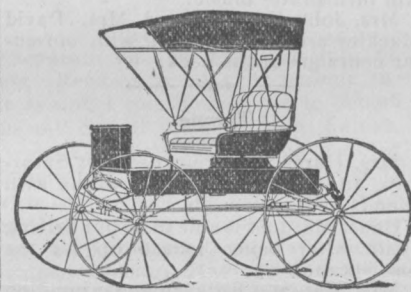
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School Children and Swimming.

Leaders in the Young Men's Christian association of Chicago have started a movement that they hope will result in every boy and girl in the public schools learning to swim. They have offered through one of the branch associations to teach all the pupils in eight north side schools how to take care of themselves in the water. From this beginning it is expected that the instruction will be extended to all schools. "The need for instruction in swimming is demonstrated by the fact that over 4,000 men and boys in the United States and Canada are accidentally drowned each year, and the records show that most of these persons could not swim," says one of the Young Men's Christian association teachers.

The Great Advantage.

The preacher is usually no doubt the last man to recognize the sermon as the church emptier. But one worthy Scotsman, Dr. Robert Henry, author of the "History of Great Britain Written on a New Plan," showed by a sly joke that he did. He shared a charge with Dr. Macknight, whose dullness in the pulpit was appalling, and Dr. Henry's own humor does not seem to have attracted congregations. One day he dwelt with remarkable emphasis to his colleague on the blessing it was that there were two of them in one ark, and Macknight, courteously acknowledging the advantage to himself, said he did not see how it benefited other people. "Ah," said Henry "an it hadna been for that there wad have been twa toom (empty) kirks this day."—London Chronicle.

A SINGULAR CASE

Where Circumstantial Evidence Played Justice False.

HANGED AN INNOCENT MAN.

Every Incident in the Remarkable Sequence of Events Seemed to Point Conclusively to the Guilt of Harry Blake, Who Was Accused of Murder.

It began in the Blue Horse tavern, on the highway leading to Albany.

Toward the close of an autumn day a half dozen men sat in the old bar-room discussing events which then were leading to the outbreak of the American Revolution. At such a time arguments were very likely to be rather more vigorous than ordinarily would be the case. And this was no exception. Fearing that trouble might result, one of the men exclaimed: "Come, Wickliffe, stop this. Such a dispute is nonsense."

Wickliffe was an ugly looking fellow, short and stout, with a dark, sallow face, black eyes, low, wrinkled forehead and lips that bared his teeth on occasions like a dog preparing to bite.

"My quarrel is with Harry Blake," he snarled. "It is none of your affair."

"Well, Wickliffe," Blake cried good naturedly, "if you will quarrel, I won't. I'll say no more."

Evidently Wickliffe was bent on trouble, for he muttered something which brought a cry of "Shame!" from every one in the room. Blake's face became deadly pale. "Wickliffe," he said steadily, "I didn't hear what you said, but I dare you to repeat it. If you do and there's one improper word in it, this hour will be the bitterest of your life."

Once more the offensive words were flung at him, and in an instant Blake had seized Wickliffe and thrown him across the room. For a moment he lay stunned, but presently, his face dark with hatred, he rose and, shaking his fist at Blake, exclaimed:

"You may take your measure for a coffin. You will need one."

"Not before you," was Blake's reply. Shortly after the quarrel Wickliffe left the Blue Horse for his home. Blake, whose road lay in the same direction, followed soon. Ten minutes later two more of the loiterers, also going over the highway taken by Wickliffe and Blake, started on their homeward way.

The last two travelers had ridden several miles, talking earnestly of the stirring events which then engaged men's minds, when a loud cry was heard at a little distance. In a moment it was repeated.

"Mercy," the voice pleaded, and then, "Oh, Harry!"

"Can Blake be settling scores with Wickliffe?" exclaimed Grayson, one of the two riders.

In a moment they had galloped around a copse of trees at a bend in the road. Within twenty yards of them, on his back in the dust, lay Wickliffe dead. Bending over him stood Blake, grasping a knife driven to the hilt in his bosom.

"Taken red handed," Grayson cried, while Walton, his companion, himself a magistrate, sprang from his horse, exclaiming, "Blake, I charge you with murder."

"Why, I didn't kill him," Blake said earnestly. "You are mad. I found Wickliffe lying dead and was about to pull this knife from the wound when you came up."

Grayson shook his head. "I wish I could believe you, Harry," he said, "but as I hope to be saved I saw you stab him. I did."

It would be hard to imagine a situation more likely to convince a jury of the prisoner's guilt. Conan Doyle in his wildest fancies in deduction never presented more damning evidence to Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson—the epithet resented, the fight, the counter-thrust of death, the departure of both while their temper yet was warm and then the terrible tableau on the highway.

What might a man expect even now with the thousand loopholes that the law provides for escape? There could be only one conclusion now, as then, and that conclusion the jury reached without leaving the courtroom. Blake's protestations were vain. He died on the scaffold declaring his innocence.

Three months after the execution the judge who presided at the trial was summoned to Albany to see a prisoner under sentence of death. Grayson, whose testimony chiefly had convicted Blake, also was summoned. Much in wonder, they entered the cell together.

"You," the prisoner said to the judge, "presided at the trial of Harry Blake."

"I did."

"And you," turning to Grayson, "swore you saw him stab Wickliffe. On your testimony he was hung."

"I saw Blake stab him," Grayson said.

"You did not," the prisoner sneered. "for I killed Wickliffe. I sprang into the wood at Blake's approach. His story was true."

The confession was so clear and full that it left no doubt in the judge's mind that a fearful wrong had been done Blake. As for Grayson, the chief witness, he committed suicide. The records contain many instances of the law's mistakes, but few so pathetic as the case of Harry Blake.—Kansas City Star.

Method is like packing things in a box. A good packer will get in half as much again as a bad one.—Cecil.

THE "THIRD DEGREE."

Ethics of the Process as Defined by Inspector Byrnes.

"The 'third degree,'" said Inspector Byrnes, the former chief of detectives, "should be a psychic rather than a physical process. It is not remorse brought about by continual thought upon the heinousness of his crime that drives a guilty man to confession. It is the nervous strain involved in a long effort to maintain his pretense of innocence, while he is in constant fear that the police are in possession of evidence that may prove his guilt. Something like a parallel case would be that of a prizefighter who should surmise that his antagonist was playing with him in the ring while capable of sending in a knockout blow at any time he felt so inclined. Apprehension that he was dealing with conditions of the nature of which he was unaware would eventually weaken the man in that case. Tell a suspected man who is guilty that you have evidence of his guilt and that he will get nothing to eat or will not be permitted to sleep until he confesses, and unless he is a particularly stupid fellow he will know that you have no proof against him and are only trying to get it. For instance, show him ostentatiously the weapon with which he may have killed a man and tell him that you know all about the crime and he would better confess it. He will say to himself, 'They haven't got sufficient evidence to convict me and are trying to make me furnish it, for if they had the evidence they wouldn't care whether I confessed or not,' and thus he will be encouraged to hold out. Also, if he does confess under duress, he makes a false confession, which he knows it will be impossible to corroborate.

"Now, a guilty man in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred is not sure that he has covered every trace of his crime, and he may readily be put into the state of mind of the man in Poe's story of 'The Telltale Heart,' wherein he can't help believing that proof of his guilt has been discovered and that his cross examiners are mocking him by pretending not to be aware of it. Let the guilty man catch sight of an implement with which his crime is associated in the possession of the police, which he believes has been unintentionally left where he sees it, and it throws him into a panic, because he does not know how they came by the weapon nor what else they may have discovered demonstrating his guilt in getting hold of it. Perhaps he has concocted a story in his mind which the discovery of this weapon renders implausible, and he mentally puts together and rejects one sequence of lies after another, wondering whether it is safe to take chances on this bit of information or that being not in the possession of the police. Then he is overwhelmed every few moments by the thought that everything is known and all his efforts are useless. The guilty man in this condition is no longer normal, and his collapse is only a matter of time."—Frank Marshall White in Harper's Weekly.

He Had Reformed.

A young man who was an enthusiastic lover of nature went to the seaside for a holiday and, approaching a typical fisherman, said:

"Ah, my friend, how well you must know the face of nature and know it in its many moods! Have you ever seen the sun sinking in such a glare of glory that it swallows up the horizon with fire? Have you not seen the mist gliding down the shrinking hillside like a specter?"

And, very excited and throwing out his arms, he continued:

"Have you never seen, my man, the moon struggling to shake off the ragged, rugged storm cloud?"

The fisherman replied, "No, sir; I have not since I signed the pledge."—Pearson's Weekly.

A Little Ambiguous.

The Ingrahams were entertaining two friends at dinner. After Mr. Ingraham had helped them to roast beef he happened to glance at the other end of the table, where his wife sat, and observed, to his horror, that the sugar bowl was the old one, with both handles broken off, that usually graced the dining table on wash days.

In vain he endeavored by mysterious nods and winks to direct Mrs. Ingraham's attention to it. She either did not see or would not see the mutilated piece of queensware, and his patience gave way at last.

"Cornelia," he said, with some sharpness, "do you think we ought to use a sugar bowl when we have company without ears on?"—Youth's Companion.

Suspicious.

"Let me show you 'Love Letters of Wise Men,'" said the clerk in the book emporium.

"Are they signed?" asked the cautious bookworm.

"Yes, indeed, every one of them."

"Then they must be forgeries. Wise men never sign their names to love letters."—Chicago News.

The High Water Mark.

Mrs. Robinson—And were you up the Rhine? Mrs. De Jones (just returned from a continental trip)—I should think so, right to the very top. What a splendid view there is from the summit!—New York World.

An Unwelcome Discovery.

Post—I discovered today that Parker and I have a common ancestor. Mrs. Post (a Colonial Dame)—For goodness' sake don't tell any one!—Brooklyn Life.

In the hands of many wealth is like a harp in the hoofs of an ass.—Martin Luther.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Latest Items of Local News Furnished by Our Regular Staff of Writers.

All communications for this department must be signed by the author, not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted.

The Record office is connected with the C. & P. and United Telephone, from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. Use telephone, at our expense, for important items on Friday morning. We prefer regular letters to be mailed on Wednesday evening, but in no case later than Thursday evening.

Harney.

The Lutheran picnic, on last Saturday, was largely attended, although there was no band present to enliven the occasion, all seemed to enjoy the time very much.

On last Saturday, Geo. C. Kemper sold his house and lot in this place, at public sale to Dory Hiltelbrick, for \$326.00. This was certainly a sacrifice price, but George had determined to sell, and move to Waynesboro. At the same time, Miss Endora Jones sold her personal property, which had been stored here for some time. Things generally went very cheap.

The Union services held at St. Paul's Lutheran church on last Sunday morning, was largely attended, and Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, Supt. of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland, made a very forcible address. He thoroughly discussed the workings of the League, and explained many other things connected with his work. All who were present were highly pleased, and hope that Mr. Anderson will visit our town again.

Chas. E. Myers, is making repairs on his mill dam, by putting in more concrete works.

John Thompson and Eyster Heck, of York, are spending several weeks at their home in this place.

On last Monday, the members of St. Paul's Lutheran church, commenced making repairs on the church, by having the one side of the roof taken off, leveled up the rafters and put the slate on again. It looks like a good job, and all hope that they will not be bothered with any more snow blowing in.

Geo. M. Ott, has a very sick horse, the animal seems to have something like blind staggers.

Our assessors have about completed their work, in this section. Land in this place was assessed at from about \$35.00 to \$75.00 per acre. Buildings and other personal property were about in like proportion to the land; many are "squealing."

Mrs. Cora Lambert, is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Shriver, of Littlestown St.

William Miller, who has been working in Waynesboro, visited his family, over Sunday.

Edgar Shriver and family, are spending some time visiting Mrs. Shriver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hess.

C. W. Hess and wife, of Baltimore, spent a short time visiting friends in this place, over Saturday and Sunday of last week. Charlie is a railway mail clerk, and runs from Washington to New York. He tells of having made a number of narrow escapes.

The Radisill Quartette which has become famous, throughout Adams county, as well as other parts of the country, will be present, at the U. B. picnic, on Saturday afternoon and evening, Aug. 13th., to enliven the occasion with some of their choice vocal selections. This exceptional family is noted for their great musical ability, and all should come and hear them.

Camping season has now opened up, and before long our camping grounds will be filled. A party from Westminster now occupies E. G. Sterner's grounds.

Mrs. Laura Bankart and son, Carl, of Reisterstown, Baltimore county, spent last Friday and Saturday, visiting at Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reaver's of near this place.

Quite a number of four people attended the Wild West show, at Hanover, on Wednesday, and pronounce it good.

Rev. L. A. Bush and family, who have been spending some time at J. Newcomer's, returned to their home, at Boonsboro, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Vertie Gruber and children, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. Shriver.

Keymar.

A social gathering of a number of friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hann, also including a few of their relatives from Uniontown, Taneytown, and Middleburg, numbering in all about 100 persons, met at their home in Keymar, Tuesday evening, August 2nd., to celebrate the 77th anniversary of Mr. Hann's birth.

At the request of Mrs. Ida Shildt and Mrs. Chas. Garber who planned the affair and dispatched the invitation, each family took something good to eat, and they did all eat and it was a happy crowd. The menu consisted of about everything that is required to make a first-class country dinner, with ice cream and cake for dessert, and it was all just as first-class as the Keymar ladies know how to make it.

After congratulations were extended and all expressed themselves as having a fine time, they departed for their respective homes.

Keyville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Whitmore and family, of Westminster, are spending a few weeks with relatives, near this place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crushon, of Graceham, spent Monday with Edward Shorb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hahn and daughter, Clara, of Baltimore, visited Mr. Hahn's parents, Sunday. Mr. Hahn returned home Sunday evening, but Mrs. H., will spend a few weeks in the country.

Charles Harner and wife, of Chicago, are spending some time with Harry Harner's.

O. R. Koontz and wife took a trip in their automobile, Sunday, to visit Mr. Koontz's brother, Mr. Joe Fox, of Creagerstown.

Marlin Stonieser, wife and sister, Miss Bertha, attended the Presbyterian Reunion, at Pen-Mar, Thursday.

Miss Pearl Star will recite for the Temperance Union, Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, sharp.

Union Bridge.

On last Friday night, the large crowd that surrounded the band stand the entire evening certainly indicated the pleasure the public takes in the practice night concerts, also the fine quality of the music that is furnished on these occasions.

Misses Mattie and Lulu Baker, of Friendship Bethel, visited Miss Elsie Kelly, on Sunday, and accompanied her to the cement plant to see the wonders.

William Baker, wife and child, of Hagerstown, visited the parents of each, at their homes in Union Bridge and Bark Hill, the latter part of the week, and Sunday.

The home team won the ball game from the Emmitsburg team, on Saturday, on the William Jennings Bryan plan of 16 to 1.

William T. Cram, of Liberty, who in 1865 attended to the lumber yard in Union Bridge for Jesse Anders, is now employed as a carpenter at the cement works.

Norman Grabill spent from Saturday until Monday with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Nolt.

Rev. Edgar T. Read, a former pastor of the M. P. church, here, with his wife and little daughter, Catharine, spent several days at the home of Cleveland Anders. Rev. Read has returned to the City, but Mrs. Read intends to remain some time for the benefit of their daughter's health.

Misses Jennie and Mattie Metcalfe, of Baltimore, are spending two weeks with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Myers.

Philip B. Myers, Jr., of Walbrook, spent Sunday with his grand-parents.

Misses Mary and Margaret Cover, of Baltimore, came home Saturday, on their vacation. They expect to spend the month of August with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cover, and their sister, Miss Annie.

Frank Metcalfe, a former resident of this place, with his sister, Miss Maggie, of Newark, N. J., arrived in town on Monday and spent that day and Tuesday with their brother, John Metcalfe. Wednesday morning they went to Libertytown to visit their brother, Clinton. They expect to visit other relatives before their return from their short vacation.

Peter Doderer, a well known retired farmer and capitalist, died at his home at Oak Orchard, on Sunday night, of the infirmities of age, being 85 years old. His funeral was held at Lingular Chapel, Wednesday morning, interment among his ancestors in the beautiful cemetery adjoining.

David Franklin's illness, spoken of last week, quickly responded to treatment, and he left on Monday evening for Detroit, Mich., where he has employment.

A pair of horses attached to a wagon belonging to Adam Devilbiss, started to run down a steep alley between Mr. F. Baker's and Mr. Waskine's stores, on Monday evening. Mr. Devilbiss was walking and attempted to catch the lines but fell and the wheel scraped his shoulder but did no injury. The horses continued their rapid flight through alleys and streets and were finally captured at the mill west of town, having ran about a mile. No damage was done to team or surroundings. They were started by the brakes coming loose on the steepest part of the alley.

At the cement plant, Wednesday, 294 men were at work. Besides the hydrated lime kilns and large storage house, which have been in use about four months, three other buildings have been completed: a store house, machine shop, and a blacksmith shop. Three foundations of concrete are about finished; they are for a power plant, clicker mill, and a coal mill. They are now building the foundation for the Portland cement kilns. Two concrete mixers were in active operation and a large force of carpenters were preparing forms for the concrete. Three switches are being put in at this time; the one to the coal mill is nearly completed, the others to different buildings are being rapidly put down. A force of men are engaged in digging other foundations and grading.

Edward Foreman ran a nail in his foot, last Monday, and is now walking on crutches.

Mrs. Mary C. Myers, of Ridgeway, Elk Co., Pa., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Frank Wilson.

J. Wesley Little is again in bed with rheumatism. He has been a great sufferer from that disease in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pfoutz, of Hagerstown, spent Saturday and Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Woodsboro.

Charles Bragonier and daughter, of Altoona, Pa., are visiting friends, here.

Mrs. Bertha Warner and son, of Spring Grove, visited her brother, Edward Geesey and family.

Mrs. Marian Miller and children, of Frederick, visited Dr. W. H. Kable and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Dudrear and daughter, Miss Loia, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kling and son, of Walkersville, and Miss Bessie Carter, of Libertytown, visited J. D. Kling and family.

Hunter Arnold, of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday, with friends here.

Miss Elsie Cramer, of Walkersville, visited friends here.

Dr. Thiede, wife and son, of Baltimore, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hahn, have returned home.

Misses Edith Zimmerman, of Hagerstown, and Fannie Zimmerman, of Walkersville, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Zimmerman, the past week.

Mrs. John Gillian and children, of Hagerstown, visited her sister, Mrs. R. S. Poffenberger.

Bark Hill.

Frank Rowe, who was ill at his sister's in Westminster, was removed home last Tuesday and is slowly improving.

Mrs. Samuel Gilbert, of near Westminster, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Jones.

Wm. Baker, wife and son, of Hagerstown, spent a few days with Albert Yingling and family.

Mrs. Noah Arbaugh and sons, of Patapsco, and Mrs. Florence Danner and son, of Baltimore, spent from Saturday till Monday visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Eurith Eckard, of Frizellburg, is visiting friends in this place.

Jesse Bohn and nephew, of Beaver Dam, spent Saturday and Sunday with Frank Bohn and family.

Miss Helen Foreman, of Union Bridge, is spending some time with John Rowe and family.

Ray Weller and sister, Cora, spent Sunday with Miss Fannie Rowe.

Uniontown.

Mrs. Julia Trite and daughter, Jennie, who have been in the mountains for the summer, came home, on Tuesday.

Edmund R. Fox and family, of Washington, came to Dr. Weaver's, on Friday last, for their annual visit.

Misses Belle and Margaret Cover, of Easton, came home on Monday for a month's stay.

In handling his potatoes, Jesse Billmyer discovered one the shape and size of a hand, the thumb and fingers very plainly outlined.

Newton Gilbert, of Annapolis, came home, on Saturday, in his handsome new automobile, accompanied by Norman Eckard, of Baltimore. They will remain here for a week with relatives.

Miss Lydia A. Forney, of Harrisburg, Pa., was the guest of Rev. L. F. Murray and family, from Saturday until Tuesday. She assisted in the services at this place and Frizellburg, on Sunday, giving very interesting talks.

Rev. J. G. Hill will have preaching service at the M. P. church every Sunday morning, during the time the repairs are in progress at the Pipe Creek church.

Misses Arminta Murray and Bertha Shriner, are spending several weeks with friends in Creagerstown, Woodsboro, Frederick and Buckeystown.

Mrs. Howard Brumbaugh and sons, of Orange, N. J., spent some time with her father, Daniel Diehl, at Evergreen Lawn.

John Carroll, a member of the Baltimore police force, and family, are spending several weeks with Mrs. Hannah Doderer, at Woodsboro.

Elmer Shaw, of Baltimore, is with his grandmother, Mrs. Shaw, at east end.

Will O. Mear and Howard Bollinger, of Glyndon, were at Mrs. Clate Hawn's for a few days, last week.

Loring Cover and family, of Green Spring Valley, visited his uncle, James Cover's, on Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Hahn and Harry Devilbiss, of Pleasant Valley, visited their uncle, Wm. Baust.

John Slonaker, of Baltimore, was stopping with his brother, Geo. Slonaker, over Sunday.

Rev. G. W. Baughman will hold open air service on the church lawn, Sunday, at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stuller visited in Westminster, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Kittie Darley, of Winchester, Va., is visiting Rev. G. J. Hill's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eyler, of Baltimore, visited her sister, Mrs. Dr. Kemp, on Monday.

Miss Eliza Wilson is around among her friends, here, this week.

Ladiesburg.

Misses Clara Repp and Mary Grabill, of Johnsville, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. David Grossnickle.

Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe, of New Jersey, spent a few days, the past week, with Mrs. Wm. H. Marty.

Misses Bessie and Celia Bohn, of Mornan and Orville Bohn, and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hange spent Sunday at Waynesboro and Pen-Mar.

Miss Bessie Hahn is spending a few days with friends in Taneytown.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Morningstar, of Westminster, spent Tuesday with Ruben Bohn and family.

We are glad to say Mr. A. D. Birely is able to be out again.

Miss Mary Wolfe and brother, Harry, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday evening with Misses Bessie and Celia Bohn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Royer, of York, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Graham and daughter, Edna, of Johnsville, spent Tuesday with Elder David Grossnickle and family.

Mrs. Jesse Birely and two sons, who have been spending several weeks with relatives, at this place, have returned to their home, in New Oxford.

Mrs. Ruben Bohn and son, Orville, and Miss Anita Bohn, of Baltimore, are spending a few days with G. C. Morningstar, at Westminster.

Mrs. P. D. Koons, of Detour, and daughter, Mrs. Oscar Townsend, spent Monday evening with A. D. Birely and family.

Mrs. Harry Otto and children, of the Eastern Shore, are spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Benj. Biehl.

Preaching at the Chapel, Sunday, at 2.30 p. m.; Young People's Society at 7.45 p. m. Everybody invited.

Copperville.

Miss Carrie Monner, of New York, and Miss Forney, of Harrisburg, have been visiting Miss Mary Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lutz, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Lutz's parents, at Green Meadow farm.

On Monday evening of this week Mrs. William C. Eckard, gave a berry party, which was very much enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Kansas Fink, returned home from the hospital, on Tuesday of this week.

Prof. J. E. Garner and daughter, Elizabeth, of Harrisburg, are spending their vacation with the family of Samuel Galt.

Old dog Jack, a pet in the family of Percy H. Shriver, had an encounter with an automobile. The dog not being able to extricate himself died from the effects.

Mayberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. I. Babylon, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Wantz, Misses Marie Carbaugh, Grace West, Naomia Babylon, Roy Carbaugh and Ralph Wantz, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mans, of near Silver Run.

Mrs. Benj. Fleagle, daughter, Rena, and son, James, of near Baltimore, attended the funeral of Mrs. Fleagle's mother, Mrs. John Halter, on last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Englar, of New Windsor, spent Monday afternoon with Mr. Driver's.

Mrs. John Halter passed away quietly on last Friday evening. Mrs. Halter has been an invalid for about a year. She was in her 78th year. Funeral took place on Monday from her late residence. Interment was made in Silver Run cemetery, Rev. Baughman officiated.

Don't forget the S. S. picnic, this Saturday afternoon and night. A band will be present.

S. S. this Sunday at 10 a. m. Preaching in the evening.

Floral Antiseptic Tooth Powder for cleansing and beautifying the teeth. Make the teeth white and purifies the breath. 10c bottle.—Get at McKELLIP'S. 10-23-6m

Frizellburg.

Mrs. Lavinia Fuss, a pious and esteemed old lady, died at the home of her brother, Alexander Little, near this place, last Wednesday about noon, after a lingering illness due to old age. She was a native of this country and attained the ripe age of 80 years. Her husband, Henry Fuss, died about 25 years ago while engaged in merchandising at Middleburg. She was seventh in the family where there were ten children. Only two brothers survive her, Alexander and James S. Little, both of this place. Hoffman Fuss, of Westminster, is her step-son. Her burial took place Friday morning from her late home. Services were conducted by Rev. P. H. Miller, of Westminster, at St. Benjamin's Lutheran church, after which the remains were interred in the adjoining cemetery.

Rev. A. G. Null, of Jefferson, Md., will preach in the Chapel, here, this Sunday night, at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Rev. G. J. Hill, of Uniontown, will preach, here, Sunday night, Aug. 21. Let everybody attend these services.

Edward Warhime and family, of Baltimore, are spending a week with folks, here.

It is rumored that our ball team will go to Linwood, Saturday. There seems to be plenty of rest between games.

Jonas Lawver has begun work on a silo 10x30 feet.

Two refreshing showers visited us last Saturday, but more is needed badly.

Middleburg.

Mrs. Harry Keefer and Mrs. Addison McKinney and daughter, Elizabeth, spent Monday and Tuesday with friends near Motters Station.

Miss Lucy Mackley is spending some time with her cousin, Miss Margaret Mackley, in Westminster.

Miss Edwina McKinney is visiting friends, for a few days, in Westminster.

Charles Mackley, of Westminster, who has been spending the past week with friends in Frederick and Thurmont, is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mackley.

Mrs. Harry Myers and family, and your correspondent, attended the supper at Keymar, Tuesday evening, in honor of Mr. Louis Hann's 77th birthday. A delightful evening was spent by all present. The guests numbered 98.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Jacob Snare gave a fishing party in honor of the Misses Suare, who are visiting her.

The M. E. Sunday School will hold its annual picnic and festival, in Walden's grove, Saturday afternoon and night, August 27th. The Union Bridge Band will furnish the music.

Mrs. John Humbert and Mrs. David Mackley are both suffering with muscular neuralgia of the neck.

Tyrone.

Mrs. Harry Fritz returned last Saturday, after spending several weeks with friends in Hanover, Pa.

Chas. Marquet is able to be out driving again, after being housed up for the past six months.

Mrs. Margaret Fritz, intends building an addition to her house, in the near future.

Miss Hilda Englar and Ethel Bankard, are the guests of Guy Formwalt.

Mrs. Baker, of Hanover, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Fritz.

Baust's Sabbath School will hold its annual picnic, on Saturday, Sept. 10th., in Kodkey's grove.

Camp No. 10, held a banquet, on Wednesday night, after business was transacted. Better attend boys and get some of the good things to eat.

Miss Marian Humbert, is spending several weeks with her grand-parents, John Humbert and wife, of Middleburg.

Milton Smeak, wife and two daughters, Misses Helen and Mary Louisa, are spending some time at Arthur Benedict's.

Chas. Petry and family, of Hanover, spent Sunday, with his brother, Howard.

Kump.

Andrew Graham, of Hagerstown, spent from Thursday until Monday, with his parents, A. J. Graham.

John Williams, wife and son, Stewart, of near Keyesville, spent from Saturday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Williams.

Daniel Utz and wife, of Elmira, New York, is visiting his parents, Elder and Mrs. John Utz.

Gerrie Erb, of Philadelphia, has been visiting his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Erb, the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bair returned home from Lancaster, Tuesday.

Luetta Currens is visiting in Gettysburg.

Quite a number of our people attended the Wild West show, at Hanover, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Clint Erb and daughter, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with her mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Erb.

Quite a number of our people have taken their potatoes up, and they report some very fine.

Edith Koop and friend spent Sunday with her grand-parents, Elder and Mrs. John Utz, also Mr. and Mrs. John Teeter.

New Windsor.

The grand officers of the I. O. O. F. Lodge, of Baltimore, paid Banner Encampment Lodge a visit, on Tuesday evening. After the meeting, refreshments were served.

Miss Minerva Roop is visiting friends in Thurmont.

Quite a number of persons from here went to Pen-Mar, this week.

Miss Lula Hollenberry and Miss Edith Westman, of Walbrook, Md., spent Sunday last, at M. D. Reid's.

Mrs. Owen, of Colorado, gave an interesting talk on "Boys" in the Presbyterian church, on Sunday evening last; also a talk in the M. P. church, on Wednesday evening, and rendered a program in the I. O. O. F. Hall, on Thursday evening.

Clarence Haines and Meryl Barnes, both of this district, were quietly married on Monday.

Mrs. Utz and grand-daughter, of Washington, D. C. are visiting at Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson's.

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YOU ARE INVITED
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All Kinds of Musical Instruments and Music.
This exhibit will be under the personal charge of—
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Clear Ridge.

Mrs. Rose Winter, of Taneytown, visited E. H. Beard and family, last week. Samuel Haines and family, of Westminster, visited his father, Samuel Haines, and his aunt, Mary Foreman, last Sunday.

Newton Gilbert, of Annapolis, came in his automobile and visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowers. He also gave them an auto ride.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. F. Stoner, of Westminster, went to Waynesboro, last Sunday, in Mr. Geiman's automobile. They also went to Baltimore last Wednesday. Mrs. Julia Englar's boarders have returned to the city.

Miss Anna Beard, of Westminster, and brother, John, visited their parents, E. H. Beard and family, last Sunday.

Use Much Cold Cream.

After exposure to the sun do not bathe the face at once. Rub in a soothing cold cream, letting it remain at least half an hour. Wash off with water as hot as can be endured. Before going to bed that night rub in more cold cream, letting it stay in until morning, when it may be washed off with soapsuds and dashed with cold water or lumps of ice to close the pores.

Where it is impossible to use grease on first returning home wipe off soil and grime with alcohol and rosewater, one part of former to three of latter, then apply cloths wrung from very hot water to allay the burn.

Where sunburn has a poisonous effect, producing blisters or ugly sores, extra care must be taken for protection. Before going on any long expedition on land or water rub glycerin into the face, then powder thickly with talcum, or use a skin food and talcum powder.

Eyes Indication of Health.

Since good health and spirits are manifested by the clearness and alertness of the eyes, so every derangement of the bodily functions leaves its impress upon them. Unconsciously, when vexed or tired even, one frowns, and soon the habit is produced, and ugly furrows appear, marring the beauty of the brow. To remove these lines stretch the skin smoothly between the thumb and forefinger of the left hand and vigorously rub a bit of skin food in a direction opposite to that in which they are formed.

The Hammock's
the Thing
For this time of year. It affords more pleasure and comfort than an equal expenditure in any other way, will bring. Ask to see our assortment. You will be pleased.

Lawn Mowers
All sizes and grades on sale now at a reduction of 50c each.

Lawn Hose
The very best grade of 7-ply Hose, regular price 16c per foot, we now offer at 14c per foot; regular 14c, 6-ply Hose, at 12c per foot.

Screen Doors
We still have a complete stock of these, which we will close out at a reduction of 25c each.

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Md. State Grange Pic-nic

Ohler's Grove, near Taneytown, Md.

Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12, 1910.

The Best Lecturers that we have ever secured for this Pic-nic. Every Farmer should hear every address; they are arranged for his benefit.

Every Day A Big Day.

Tuesday, August 11th., there will be an inspection of the two roads made with the King Split Road Drag, by the Speakers, invited guests and officers; starting from the N. C. R. Station, at 10 a. m., in automobiles, thence to the Grove where the program will be carried out. Every road supervisor and tax-payer should hear the lectures by Gov. Austin L. Crothers; subject, "What will benefit the farmer," and by Mr. Walter Thomson, subject, "King Split Road Drag," both on Tuesday.

The Managers have added many improvements to the Grove for the comfort of the public, and have arranged for first-class attractions which we are paying for. These stirring attractions will be worked each day, without any charge, and are sure to please both young and old.

Mid-Way.

Every effort is being made to cull out all features on the "Mid-Way" that are not clean and straight, but will have ample supply of amusements to entertain all.

Exhibits.

Provision is being made to take care of the exhibits, in Fancy Work, Farm and Garden Products and Poultry, which everybody is invited to exhibit whether you are a member of the Grange, or not. There is no charge for these exhibits. Help to promote this part of the pic-nic.

Admission.

To meet the necessary expenses of running this Pic-nic, it has become necessary to have more revenue. We are obliged either to allow shows of a questionable nature, and swindling games, which are willing to pay big prices for their concessions, or cut them out and charge an admission of 10c. Already we have turned down more applications for space for amusements that we thought were not straight, than would cover the entire expense of the pic-nic. It is not the aim of this pic-nic to be a money-maker, but to educate the farmer.

Admitted Free.

All children under 10 years will be given a ticket at the ticket booth, FREE.

Everyone who makes an exhibit not with a view for profit, will be given a four-day exhibitor's ticket.

All paid concessions will be given helpers ticket, which will entitle them to a pass whenever it is necessary to leave the ground.

Exhibits in the Open.

Space in the grove is free to anyone to exhibit any kind of machinery, and have the privilege of erecting their own tent. There is no admission tickets issued to this character of exhibits, as we make no charge for the space.

Passes.

A Pass can be secured every day from 11 a. m. to return before 2 p. m., at Penn Ave. entrance.

Admission Refunded.

Anyone who comes to the pic-nic, on Tuesday, August 11th., and is not fully satisfied that they received 10c worth, will please call at the official headquarters in the exhibition building, and their dime will be returned without argument.

The Amusements will be in operation each night until 11 p. m.

E. O. GARNER, President.

CHAS. E. H. SHRINER, Secretary.

Executor's Sale —OF— VALUABLE REAL ESTATE In Taneytown District, Carroll County, Maryland.

The undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Abraham Hession, deceased, by virtue of said will and by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, will sell at public sale upon the premises hereinafter described, the following properties, viz:

ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 18th., 1910, at 1 o'clock, p. m., upon the premises, all that valuable and desirable lot of land, situated about one-half mile east of Harney, on the public road leading from Harney to Littlestown, containing about

14 ACRES, MORE OR LESS,

about 2 acres of which is planted in fruit trees. This property is improved by a good 2-story Frame Dwelling House, good barn, 25x36, with wagon shed and corn crib attached; summer house, hog house and all other necessary outbuildings, with well of never-failing water and two cisterns. The land is in a high state of cultivation. This is one of the most desirable properties in Carroll county, and should command the attention of all who are looking for a home, as it is convenient to churches and schools. The property is now occupied by Mr. Jonas Maring.

On the same day, August 18th., 1910, at 2:30 o'clock, p. m., upon the premises, the undersigned will sell all that House and Lot of land, containing 38 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less, situated in Harney, Carroll county, Md., improved by a good two-story FRAME HOUSE, 30x40, containing 9 rooms and pantry, with front and back porches, well of never-failing water, and cistern at back door; stable and other outbuildings.

On the same day, and at the same time and place, August 18th., 1910, at 2:30 p. m., will sell House and Lot adjoining above Lot, containing 34 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less, improved by a one-story FRAME HOUSE, 16x27.

On the same day, and at the same time and place, August 18th., 1910, at 2:30 p. m., the undersigned will sell all that tract of WOOD LAND, containing 6 ACRES AND 116 PERCHES, more or less, situated in Mt. Joy township, Adams county, Pa. Adjoins land of John Kuhn, Emory Gibson, and others, about one mile east of Barlow. This land is covered with good Pine and White Oak Timber, and should command the attention of all who want fire wood or building timber.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash in 6 months, and the balance in 12 months, with interest from day of sale, giving security either by bond and mortgage, or note with approved endorsement, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

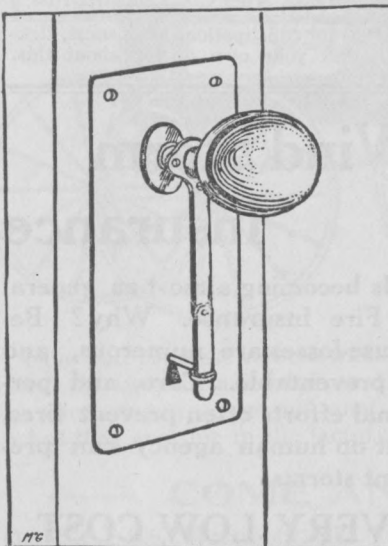
D. J. HESSON, Executor.

Big Prizes For Pacific Motor Race.
The Pacific International Motorboat association of Seattle, Wash., is completing arrangements for the first annual motorboat race from Puget sound to Ketchikan, southeastern Alaska, next August, for which prizes valued at \$7,000 will be given.

McGillivray Fails to Explain.
"The Bald Eagle of the Colorado" is what the Cincinnati scribes called McGillivray. The first part is all right, but wherein the second portion is apt is a mystery that Bill will not explain.

HINTS FOR THE BUSY HOUSEWIFE

Device to Keep the Key Fast
In the Lock.



People who lock their bedroom doors to keep burglars out do not always feel safe then. Expert knights of the jimmy have a way of pushing the key out from the outside and picking the lock. To frustrate their efforts in this direction a Washington man has designed a key fastener, which is as much protection as a big iron bar. This fastener is a thin but strong metal strip in two parts, the lower part shorter than the upper, and attached to the latter pivotally. The upper section, too, is made to fit over the handle of the door, so that when it hangs down the lower section passes through the ring of the key and not only prevents the latter from being pushed out from the outside, but from being turned except from the inside. From the room side of the door, however, the key will turn as easily as if there was no bar through it, the short section of the fastener moving readily with the movement of the key, and by turning the latter to one side the fastener may be easily withdrawn.

Fillet of Haddock.

Separate one or more fish into fillets. Remove the skin by passing the knife under the fillets so as to detach the tail end of the skin from the fish. Then take a firm hold of the piece of detached skin and, inserting the knife with the edge of the blade turned toward you, draw the skin toward you and keep moving the blade firmly against the skin. Having removed the skin, trim the fillets neatly, cutting off all rough edges, and place them in a basin with two sliced onions, some sprigs of parsley, oil and lemon juice, seasoning with salt and pepper. About ten minutes before dinner drain the fish on a napkin, dip each fillet in a light batter and fry to a golden brown in deep fat. Drain on coarse paper to absorb the grease. Serve with any fish sauce.

Ivory Jelly.

Ivory jelly is a good summer dessert. To make it requires one ounce of gelatin, one-half cupful of cold water, one cupful of hot milk, two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, one and one-half cupfuls of double cream, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract and a pinch of salt. Soak the gelatin in cold water and dissolve in the hot milk, add the salt and sugar and strain. When cool add the cream and vanilla and stir occasionally until the mixture begins to thicken, then pour into a mold. Serve with a fruit puree, chocolate sirup or cream.

Dandelion Wine.

Four quarts of crowded blossoms and four quarts of boiling water. Let it stand for twenty-four hours. Strain and squeeze. Add four pounds of sugar, the juice of two lemons, two oranges and slice two bananas. Dissolve one yeast cake in lukewarm water. (Add one pound of raisins if you like.) Put into a stone jar, let stand three weeks, stirring occasionally, then strain and bottle.

Sweet Cucumber Pickles.

For 200 cucumbers use brine to hold up an egg, pour over cucumbers and leave three days, then out of that into hot water one day. Pack pickles in jars or bottles and put tablespoonful of mixed spices into each quart jar with piece of alum as large as a dime. Use a pint of sugar to each quart of strong vinegar, heat boiling hot and pour into jars of cucumbers, spices and alum and seal.

Preserved Crab Apples.

Look over the crab apples, cutting out blossom end and any imperfections, but do not pare or stem. Wash and put into boiling sirup made of the proportion of twice as much sugar as water. Boil till tender from fifteen to twenty minutes and can boiling hot, sealing at once.

Blackberry Pudding.

One pint flour, one teaspoonful baking powder, pinch of salt; add enough milk to make a soft batter and then gently stir into it enough blackberries to suit the taste and put into a steamer and steam until done. Serve with a rich cream.

Homemade Breakfast Food.

Grind dry stale bread. Sift out the fine for breading chops, etc. Use only the coarse. Toast or brown in the oven. Serve with hot, not cold, cream or milk and sugar, and nutmeg or cinnamon if desired.

UNREALIZED BLESSING.

Consolation by the Court to an Applicant For Divorce.

"Well," the judge asked, "what is the matter? You say your wife has not proved unfaithful to you, and you admit that she is as sweet tempered as she was before you were married. You will have to give some good reason for wishing a divorce or the case will be dismissed."

"Your honor, I was deceived."

"In what way?"

"My wife seemed beautiful before I married her."

"Most men's wives seem beautiful to them before they are married."

"But my wife is not what I thought her to be."

"Come. You must be explicit. Did you find that she palled her figure or made use of an artificial complexion?"

"It wasn't exactly that, judge, and yet it was something in that line. She had always worn a big braid of purchased hair fastened over her ears in accordance with the prevailing style. Before we were married I never saw her ears. Oh, it was awful!"

"What was awful?"

"Her face when she let her ears loose. They spoiled her looks altogether. I claim that she married me under false pretenses, and I want a divorce."

"You can't get a divorce on any such plea as that. Go back to her and try to be happy."

"But I can't, judge. My nerves won't stand it."

"Pshaw! What have your nerves got to do with it?"

"You'd understand if you could see her with her false braids off. Every time I see her when she lets her ears loose I can't keep from expecting her to give a flap or two with them and then fly away."

"Go back to her. You don't know how you are blessed. Few men ever have any reason to entertain that fond expectation."—Chicago Record-Herald.

How It Can Be Done.

Suddenly the lecturer's voice failed him.

"Gentlemen," he asked huskily, "does any person in the audience happen to have a box of 'Blank's' throat tablets about him?"

"Yes, sir," instantly responded a tall, thin man in a suit of faded black, rising and making his way to the platform. "Here you are."

"Thanks," wheezed the orator, taking the box, extracting a tablet and placing it in his mouth. "I carelessly left mine at home."

Half a minute later he resumed his lecture with a voice as clear as a bell. There is more than one way to bring a thing before the public.

*Advertisements must go in their proper department.—Chicago Tribune.

Sure Enough Kid.

Bob was telling about his visit to the country. While there he had acquired some rustic idioms, and his mother was correcting these as he proceeded:

"Well, we goes up"—

"Went up."

"Went up on the farm"—

"To the farm."

"To the farm, and there we see"—

"We saw."

"We saw a little kid"—

"Little child. Now, begin again and tell it properly."

"Well, we went up to the farm, and there we saw a goat's little child." (Further narration suspended.)—Judge.

Suitable For Sunday.

Lady Customer—Have you any Sunday toys that I could give to my little grandson?

Shopman—Yes. Here is our sixpenny box of soldiers.

Lady Customer—But I couldn't let him play with the soldiers on Sunday!

Shopman—Of course not, madam. But these are Salvation Army soldiers.

—Christian Life.

A Disciple of Ananias.

Housewife—How is it that the large strawberries are on the top of the box?

Peddler—Well, you see, mum, they grow so fast this fine weather that the last ones picked and put in the box are naturally bigger than the first ones.—Boston Transcript.

She Held the Pole.

Brown—Wouldn't you like to have an arctic homecoming?

White—I've had the next thing to it when I've come home late and found my wife sitting up for me.—Harper's Bazar.

Grouch at the "Kaife."

Head Walter (to boss)—Them pay-truns iv your'n are kickin' ag'in.

Boss—What do they want now?

"Want t' know ef de clam shells is sterlized afore dey're brought on."

He Did.

Said the lady: "Here's a rug to beat; Also some pumpkin pie to eat. When you complete it."

The hobo cast a greedy eye. Upon that wholesome homemade pie And longed to eat it.

Then thoughtfully he eyed the rug, And, with a silent shoulder shrug, He straightway beat it.

—Brooklyn Life.

FOR THE CHILDREN

A Young Pirate.

The career of the disreputable young cuckoo is one of worldly success from his first chipping the shell to his late departure from our shores. He is born with a special contrivance in the structure of his back to enable him to hoist his foster brothers out of the nest and never rests till he has done so and made things quiet and comfortable.

The foster parents then pamper the young cuckoo with a silly infatuation, due apparently to its size and appetite. "See what a fine child we have got!" is the obvious feeling of wait-tails or hedge sparrows flitting round a young cuckoo, which though fully fledged, is too lazy to feed itself.

Even other young birds if placed in the same cage with a cuckoo soon begin to feed it. Yet after all the spoiling which it receives the cuckoo is a thoroughly ill conditioned, surly and spiteful bird. A young one which was daily fed by a thrush no older than itself, which was confined in the same cage, pecked the poor bird's eye out because it ventured to eat a worm itself.

Writing Tricks.

Can you write your name with your left hand? It is a good thing to know how in case you ever hurt your right hand.

Can you write a looking glass letter? That always amuses children, so if you have a friend who is ill send her a looking glass letter to cheer her up.

Practice by writing on a piece of paper held in front of a mirror, and soon you will find it is quite easy to do looking glass writing. Looking glass writing is done backward, so that it looks all right when it is held to the mirror. Also see if you can write your name backward—that is, begin at the last stroke and go back to the first—and as a last trick try to write your name upside down. That is not at all easy, but copy your signature upside down and you will be able to do it quite well after a little practice.

After you can do all these things learn to write a good clear hand in the proper way, like a sensible person.—Chicago News.

Soap Bubbles.

If your father happens to be smoking when you are blowing soap bubbles, get him to blow some bubbles for you. He just fills his mouth with smoke and then blows an ordinary bubble with the clay pipe. The bubble will generally grow very large and will, of course, be filled with smoke. Floating in the sunshine, some of these present a very beautiful appearance.

If you want to make a very large bubble, first cover your hands well with soapuds and then place them together in the shape of a cup, leaving a small opening at the bottom. Then hold your hands about a foot from your mouth and blow into them. The bubbles obtained in this way are so large that they immediately burst on touching the floor.—Chicago News.

Conundrums.

Why is a steam engine at a fire an anomaly? Because it works and plays at the same time.

Whose best works are most trampled on? The shoemaker's, because good shoes last longer than bad ones.

When is a boy in a pantry like a poacher? When he walks into the preserves.

Why are clergymen like brakemen? Because they do a lot of coupling.

When are two persons said to be half witted? When they have an understanding between them.

Why is a jailor like a musician? Because he fingers the keys.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Sits of Advice.

Each person is given a slip of paper and pencil. The leader then tells the players to write a bit of advice, original if possible, on the paper, fold it and drop it into a basket as it passes by.

The papers are all mixed together and the basket passed around again, each player taking one, but not opening it until called on to do so.

Before opening the papers each one must say whether the advice is good or bad, necessary or unnecessary and whether he intends to follow it or not. When the paper is unfolded and read aloud it may prove the very opposite of what he has said.

Vacation.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Vacation comes, When lessons are all done, And, oh, how glad I am to say I know mine every one! I've ciphered hard and learned to add, Subtract and multiply, But now the season has come round To put my ciphering by.

I've drawn the maps of every state In our republic grand, I've learned where rivers rise and run And where the mountains stand. The towns which are called capitals, The cities large and small, And great seaports along the coast—I know the names of all.

I've learned about the foreign lands And foreign people, too, Their customs, different from ours, And curious things they do. And grammar's rules that vex me so I've studied night and day Till I am tired of book and slate And long for rest and play.

I want to sail my little boats, I want to catch some fish, I want to wander in the woods And do just what I wish. Lessons are fine for winter days, But now the summer sun Is calling me on every side To three good months of fun! —Youth's Companion.

GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME.

The Fly Trap In Its Latest Guise.



A FLY DESTROYER.

Scientists have told us such terrifying stories about the destruction to life conveyed to us by the bite of the housefly that the average housewife is making more than the usual effort to rid her house of these annoying pests.

Fly paper was never a satisfactory means of catching the wily fly. It was much more likely to catch a human victim. This season we have a new trap, which is said to be far and away better than any other invention of the kind. The illustration shows one of these devices. It is made of tin and is five and a half inches high. The lower portion is perforated into twenty-five corrugations for the flies to travel up to the upper chamber. The top of the upper portion is perforated, admitting light and keeping the flies there. The trap by means of the ball is suspended anywhere that the pests are apt to congregate. Bait must be placed inside the trap. To empty the trap all there is to do is to hold it under the hot water faucet and turn on the water. The deceased can then be readily removed by pulling the trap apart and emptying and again made ready for use.—Hardware Magazine.

The Underfed Stomach.

If the stomach is in a healthy condition and able to digest food that condition will be indicated by a sense of hunger. If the system is in a disordered state, as is that of a person suffering from fever, no food is relished, and the patient does not care whether he eats or not. In such a case it is the duty of the nurse to insist on the patient's taking food the same as he would medicine, once in so many hours. Dyspeptics often literally starve themselves because their stomach suffers when they take food, and they take less and less until by and by the stomach loses all desire for food and almost loses its ability to digest it.

The only way to cure such a person is to train the stomach into a state of activity. The stomach needs to have a healthy stretching with a good big meal and to have some hard work to do.

There are a good many patients whose stomachs are not really feeble, but they need to be stretched by hearty meals. Once in awhile a good square meal is prescribed for a patient who complains that he does not want to eat anything.

There is an instance of a woman patient whose stomach had been pampered until it finally became so feeble and inactive that it would not act upon or even hold any food that was put into it. She was finally restricted to nothing but oatmeal gruel, but her stomach would not even digest that. The doctor then said, "The best thing for you to do is to eat what you please." So she ordered a good meal, and she ate everything she wanted. Her stomach disposed of the meal without a particle of trouble, all the vomiting and discomfort ceased, and from that time she began to gain in health.

The time sometimes comes in the treatment of cases which have been dieted so carefully that a change to an ordinary wholesome dietary becomes not only proper but necessary for recovery.

Novel Porch Pillows.

A set of porch pillows of unusual interest is worked in old English mottoes in quaint old English lettering.

The pillows are made of unbleached linen, oblong in shape, and contain such mottoes as "Sitte and Reste Awihyle," "Faire Idlenesssee," "Comforte is Goode."

The letters are worked in flat satin stitch outlined with black or can be darned in. Several tones of old blue Chinese green or shades of yellow are effective, or the coloring of old missals can be copied, with the capital letters in a different color from the small ones.

These pillows are usually finished with a heavy cotton cord the shade of the linen, but they sometimes have a narrow conventional border darned in around the edge to form a frame. The same colorings are used as in the mottoes.

Any one with a knack of lettering will find it easy to work motto pillows for any room, as a guest room, den or library. Ecru linens, dull green linen taffeta or silk or linen moire effects form good backgrounds, though the crash is better suited to the work than costlier materials.

Our Best Citizens all

read The Record.

OUR HOME DEPARTMENT.

Original and Selected Articles of Interest to the Home.

We invite contributions to this department from all readers who have something to say on topics which relate especially to home improvement, social conditions, or moral issues. While we disclaim all endorsement of sentiments which may be expressed by contributors, and desire to be as liberal as possible, we at the same time request all to avoid personalities, and stick to proper expressions of opinion.

All articles for this department must be in our office not later than Monday morning, of each week, to be guaranteed insertion the same week, and all articles must be signed with the name of the author, even when a nom de plume is given.

LETTER FROM PALESTINE.

PART II.

Dr. S. G. A. Brown.

We visited the Wailing Place of the Jews, a large wall 156 feet long and 56 feet high. Here, especially on Friday afternoon, the Jews gather to bewail the desolation of Jerusalem. It is filled with all classes and ages who recite verses from Lamentations and the Psalms.

"Jerusalem, Jerusalem, how oft His love had gathered thee beneath its wings And thou would'st not!—Love crucified! On Calvary, enthroned the Kings of Kings."

The Via Dolorosa is a long, narrow, tortuous street, through which our Lord bore the cross to Calvary. The first station marks the house of Pilate, or the Chapel of Scourging. Here also is the Ecce Homo Arch, a relic of the ancient Judgment Hall. There are 14 stations from there to Calvary, at the seventh of which, Simon of Cyrene was made to bear the cross. It is an interesting route to traverse. The Church of the Redeemer, a modern, German Lutheran church, has incorporated into it a handsome doorway from the ruins of the original hospital founded by the Knights of St. John, afterwards known as the Knights of Malta. We also visited the pools of Bethesda, whose waters when troubled by the Angel brought healing to the one who first entered them, and the pool of Siloam which is now dry, so that we cannot longer say "By cool Siloam's shady rill How fair the lily grows: How sweet the smell beneath the hill! Of Sharon's dewy rose."

Jerusalem with a population of 75,000, lies in the latitude of Brunswick, Georgia, being situated on four hills and having on one side the Valley of Hinnom, on the other the Valley of Kedron, where these two meet is the Hill of Evil Council, where Judas betrayed his Lord for thirty pieces of silver. Against the steep side of the Valley of Kedron are the reputed tombs of Absalom, Hezekiah and Zechariah. All this is probably old to most of you, but in chronicling our travels we must mention all incidents and scene. Jerusalem being surrounded by a high wall, has several avenues of entrance and exit. Through Jaffa Gate we first entered the Ancient City. To the north is the Damascus gate, the handsomest of all the city's portals. The Gate of St. Stephen comes next; near here Stephen was stoned to death while Saul of Tarsus looked on with approbation. Next is the Golden Gate, the gate of the "Triumphal Entry" of our Lord on Palm Sunday. The gate has been closed ever since as Holy Writ informs us no one shall ever pass through it again.

Passing along the Hosanna road we arrive at the Tomb of the Virgin. The Church is extremely old, having been built in the twelfth century. A short distance farther on is the Garden of Gethsemane, now a space about 20x300 feet surrounded by a high wall, and now controlled by Franciscan Monks. It is a spot of exquisite beauty and just outside the wall is shown the spot where the Disciples slept while Jesus prayed.

"There is a sighing in the pallid sprays Of the old olive, as if still they kept Their pitying watch in nature's faithful ways, As on the night when the disciples slept."

There are still some very old olive trees in the garden. From the north side of the city we entered Solomon's Quarries. They extend over 700 feet under the city being supported by huge natural pillars. We saw many rejected stones which the king evidently found unfit to adorn the temple; also many keystones of enormous size protruded from the walls. Judging from the size of this huge cavern, we can readily see why it required so many apprentices, craftsmen and over-seers for such a stupendous undertaking.

Bethany, now a collection of huts lies about two miles beyond Jerusalem. Here may be seen the reputed tomb of Lazarus, and the Home of Martha and Mary. While these places may not be the exact spots, yet it is sure that these places did exist within a short radius of the spot. Passing over the Mt. of Olives one gets a fine view of the Jordan Valley, the Dead Sea and the Mts. of Moab beyond.

On the road to Bethlehem we were shown the well from which the Holy Family is alleged to have drunk on its flight into Egypt. Further on we viewed the field in which the shepherds watching their flocks saw the Star which guided them to the Manger. Then we came to the Tomb of Rachel. Many devout Jews from the distance were there, kissing the tomb, touching it with beads, etc. A short distance further on was Bethlehem, a town of prob-

ly 6,000 people. It is the birthplace of Christ and David. Ruth gleaned in the fields near here. It was the birthplace of Jesse and Benjamin. It is the most hopeful of all Palestine cities, its people are industrious, its women exceptionally good looking. From the Latin Monastery may be seen toward the east, the Mts. of Moab and the Plains of the Jordan; toward the southeast, the Wilderness of Engedi, where David hid from Saul; to the south, the hills of Tekosh, famous for the pastoral life of Amos; to the north, the Mts. of Judea and Rachel's Tomb. The Church of the Nativity, erected 330 A. D., the oldest Christian church in existence is supposed to be over the site of the stable and manger in which Christ was born. We were shown the place of His birth, a cave or grotto, the pavement being of marble and a silver star set near the altar with the inscription, "Hic de Virgine Maria Jesus Christus natus est." The Chapel of the Manger nearby does not contain the original Manger, it having been sent to Rome. We saw many persons dropping to their knees, kissing the floor, the star, and the place where the Manger was, reminding us of the sonnet,

"A Russian pilgrim fell with gestures wild Before the manger; while in circuit shy A sweet young mother kissed the walls and smiled And softly sang a Syrian lullaby."

The Church is owned by five sects, Roman Catholics, Greeks, Copts, Syrians and Armenians, each sect having its own chapel, and so jealously do they guard it that if a Copt should trespass on the precincts of a Greek, or an Armenian worship during the time assigned to a Roman Catholic, a riot would ensue. Indeed ever since the Crimean war a fresh Moslem sentry has taken his place each hour in the Holy Grotto as a preserver of the peace. Around the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem; around the Grotto of the Nativity in Bethlehem; by the Garden of Gethsemane; in the crooked street through which He staggered under the cross; on the Mt. of Olives, Christian Monks and priests quarrel and fight over hair splitting questions of sectarian dignity and privilege.

Returning to Jaffa we embarked on a French steamer for Caifa by Mt. Carmel in Galilee. Upon arrival we drove to the top of Mt. Carmel, where Elijah brought together the 450 priests of Baal, and after calling down fire from Heaven upon the altar of the Lord restored the allegiance of Israel to Jehovah. Also the beautiful Abigail, widow of the rich and churlish Nabal lived here. She became the wife of David and dwelt with him in the Town of David which we saw in Jerusalem. Caifa is a town of about 12,000 people, half of whom are Moslems. Several miles beyond lies Nazareth and the snow capped peak of Mt. Hermon may be seen in the distance.

All of the Holy Land is interesting. One of our party, remarked upon landing at Jaffa, that he did not care for the Holy Land, but was anxious to push on to Constantinople and Athens. Upon leaving Caifa he told us that nowhere on our long journey had he seen so many things of interest as were shown us in Jerusalem. Some one has said the Holy Land is "like a stringed instrument, every touch upon which brings forth some sweet and musical sound, for it vibrates at every town with some suggestion or beautiful passage of the Word of God."

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But it is evident, judging from the number of widows who get married every year, that the average man is inclined to pay little heed to old Tony's warning.

This is, perhaps, because widows have improved in character and disposition somewhat since the Pickwickian days, or maybe their wiles and fascinations have become stronger and more irresistible.

Whatever the reason, the fact remains that widows frequently win husbands where spinsters fail, and according to official returns, there is a growing disposition on the part of the sterner sex to share their homes and fortunes with ladies who have already had some experience of married life.

Probably the fact that a widow's previous knowledge of men and matrimony secures for her an advantage over her single sisters has a great deal to do with this rather surprising state of affairs. Much married happiness is frittered away before the average husband and wife get to understand the vagaries of the opposite sexes.

Undoubtedly men are attracted towards women who understand them, and no one knows this better than the widow herself. What widow, for instance, ever objects to smoking? She

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knows a man loves his cigar or a pipe of tobacco. Therefore she makes a study of a man in order to gain a knowledge of his likes and dislikes, and never neglects an opportunity of catering to his whims. A widow has the happy knack of being more anxious to please than to be pleased, and, as very many men have a weakness for a little adulation from a pretty woman, she invariably succeeds in her object.

She is wise enough, too, not to argue with the man she would like to be something more than a friend, or if she does, she contrives to convey in a fascinating manner the impression that she is convinced he is right. She is aware that arguments are the crypt of friendship and the everlasting doom of love. She knows that when a man leaves his office or workshop who is desirous of leaving there all the worries and perplexities, with the result that she does not try to force her opinions on him.

It is, however, as a practical woman that a widow appeals most forcibly to a man. He feels convinced that by marrying her he will be sure to have a wife who can manage a home.—Virginia Harlan.

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MINT COIN COUNTER.

New Weighing Apparatus an Interesting Piece of Mechanism.

A most interesting machine recently installed in the United States mint is the automatic weigher for coins of all denominations. Last year the government coined nearly 8,500,000 pieces of gold and 36,000,000 pieces of silver. Formerly each piece was weighed by hand. Seated at long tables, each with a balance in front of her, were from thirty to sixty women "adjusters." It was their duty to weigh each piece. Pieces which were too heavy were reduced with a file. Those that were too light were thrown aside to be put again into the melting pot. Gold pieces were weighed twice, once in blank and once after coining.

The new weighing machines have each ten balances, which are set according to the required weight of the coin which is being tested. Then they work automatically, each machine taking ten coins at a time. The movement of the beams of the scales determines into which of several chutes the weighed coin shall drop. If it is too light the scale beam moves up and the coin is dropped into the "lights." If it is too heavy the scale beam drops and the coin falls into the "heavies." If it just balances the coin drops among the coins which are of the proper weight. The work is very rapid and very accurate.

There are eight of the weighing machines now in the mint, and they have displaced thirty-four women who earned \$2 a day. Even with the weighing machines in operation the entire requirements of the law are not complied with mechanically. The law limits the deviation of coins in bulk as well as in weight. They must therefore be divided into four groups, which are, in the language of the mint, "acceptable heavies," "acceptable lights," "too heavies" and "too lights." A bag of coins, therefore, must not be made up altogether of coins which possess the highest degree of "tolerance" nor of coins having the lowest degree of "tolerance." If a bag were filled with 500 "acceptable heavy" half dollars it might weigh from 500 to 1,000 grains more than a bag filled with 500 "acceptable lights" of the same denomination. Therefore the coins have to be mixed in proper proportion to bring the weight of the bag to the legal requirements.—Philadelphia Record.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of

CHARLES R. BABYLON, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30th day of January, 1911; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, 1910.

WILLIAM I. BABYLON, Administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of

ALBERT STUDY, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30th day of January, 1911; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

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ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 13th., 1910, at 1 o'clock, p. m., upon the premises, all that valuable and desirable Farm, known as the Jordan Farm, containing

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situate on the public road leading from New Windsor to Uniontown, about 1½ miles east of Uniontown and about 1 mile from Linwood station, on the Western Maryland Railroad. This farm is improved by a large Brick Dwelling House, (11 rooms), large Bank Barn, with double floors and mows, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, double Hog Pen, Chicken House, Work Shop, Wood House, Smoke House, Spring House, all of which are in first-class condition. There is an elegant orchard of the best young fruit trees and about 10 Acres of Timber land and is now occupied by William Haines. On the same day, August 13th., 1910, at 3 o'clock, p. m., upon the premises, the undersigned will sell all that lot of land, situate on "Clear Ridge" on the public road leading from New Windsor to Uniontown, about 1 mile east of Uniontown, containing

ACRES AND 50 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less. This property is improved by a Brick Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Hog Pen, Wood Shed, Corn Crib, Smoke House, Wagon Shed, with wells of excellent water most convenient to the buildings. This property is most desirably located and adjoins the Stouffer Farm and is now occupied by Frank Palmer.

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of Taneytown District No. 1.

For the purpose of accommodating the Tax-payers of Taneytown District, the undersigned Collector will attend at the following Places and Dates to receive the taxes for the year 1910:

Snider's Store, Harney.—Thursday, August 25th., and December 24th., from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Kump's Store, Kump.—Tuesday, August 30th., from 12 m. to 4 p. m.

Fink's Hotel, Taneytown.—Every Saturday, beginning August 6th., from 12 m. to 5 p. m.

By the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, I am authorized to give the following NOTICE:

All persons or incorporate institutions that shall pay their State taxes on or before the 1st day of September next shall be entitled to a deduction of 5 per cent. on the amount of said taxes; and if paid on or before the 1st day of October next, a deduction of 4 per cent.; and if paid on or before the 1st day of November next, a deduction of 3 per cent.; also all persons or incorporate institutions that shall pay their County Taxes on or before the 1st day of September of the year for which they were levied, shall be entitled to a deduction of 2 per cent. on the amount of said taxes, and at the time of receiving the said taxes, the Collector shall make the deduction aforesaid, and note the same upon the receipt given to the persons or incorporate institutions so paying; that said taxes will be in arrears on the first day of January next, and bear interest from that date; that all persons and incorporate institutions failing to pay their State and County taxes before the same shall be in arrears, will render property and estate of such delinquent liable to be sold for prompt payment thereof.

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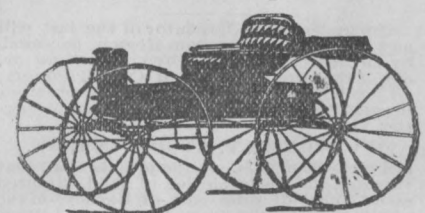
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Lesson VII.—Third Quarter, For Aug. 14, 1910.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Matt. xx, 1-16. Memory Verses, 6, 7—Golden Text, Matt. xix, 30—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This parable of the laborers is found only in Matthew and has its own special significance, as we may judge from its being found only here and from its context. May the Lord the Spirit open our eyes to see and our hearts to receive His message for us. The last verse of chapter xix, with the last verse of this lesson (16), cannot but suggest a vital connection between the two. It is a record of service and reward, but there can be no service until there is salvation, for they that are in the flesh cannot please God, and those who are unsaved are said to be in the flesh and not in the Spirit (Rom. viii, 7-9). Israel could not serve the Lord till they were redeemed from Egypt; therefore the Lord's message to Pharaoh was, "Let my son go, that he may serve me" (Ex. iv, 22, 23). There is no use talking of doing until we have been born from above and have thus become children of God and heirs of the kingdom, but then we are expected to be laborers, and who can estimate the honor of being "laborers with God?" (1 Cor. iii, 9).

The redemption is His; the vineyard is His. He redeems us freely by His grace, calls us to labor with Him, appoints our service, gives the strength and wisdom for it, works all our works in us and then rewards us abundantly for allowing Him to use us. What marvelous grace from beginning to end! Truly He is the God of all grace, His grace is exceeding abundant, and He is able to make all grace abound toward us, that we always, having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work (1 Pet. v, 10; 1 Tim. i, 14; 11 Cor. ix, 8). In Isa. v, 7, we read that the vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the house of Israel and the men of Judah His pleasant plant, and He asks, "What could have been done more to my vineyard that I have not done in it, wherefore brought it forth wild grapes?" This parable has doubtless a primary reference to Israel, but there is a message for all believers. The field is the world. Are we laborers in it, or are we idlers all the day in the market place or elsewhere? Do we try to excuse ourselves with the words, "No man hath hired me?" Let us recall that elsewhere it is written, "He gave authority to His servants and to every man his work" (Mark xiii, 34), and again that "He called His ten servants and delivered them ten pounds and said unto them, Occupy till I come" (Luke xix, 13). It cannot be that there are any for whom He has no work, but we must remember that He giveth to every one severally as He will (1 Cor. xii, 11), not as we will. We are not quite right with Him until we have learned to look into His face and say, "For any manner of service wholly at Thy commandment." "Thy servants are ready to do whatsoever my Lord the King shall appoint" (1 Chron. xviii, 21; 1 Sam. xv, 15).

It may be to continue in a hard place with an unreasonable person like Hagar. It may be to serve twenty years with some unjust Laban as Jacob did. It may be to open wells like Isaac and let the Philistines have them. It may be to suffer long and unjustly as Joseph did. It may be to feed the flock of Jethro forty years while all the time you can't shake off the feeling that you are called to be a great deliverer. If you are ever called to be a leader you will certainly have a visit from the Great Captain that you may submit yourself wholly and absolutely to Him as Joshua did. It may be eighteen years more at Nazareth in the most ordinary routine of a most ordinary life. Can you say "Whatsoever?" and wherever He may place you you will let your mottoes be "Unto the Lord," "Before the Lord." Do not bargain with Him for your penny and labor simply to get it, like so many employees who take little or no interest in their work or their employers' interests, but care only for the wages which they think they earn. Let the love of Christ consume you. Never mind the other servants and their toil or their reward, but with absolute confidence in Him and devotion to Him let it be seen that the joy of the Lord is your strength. We are called ultimately to His kingdom and glory, but we are called now to fellowship with Him in service and suffering.

In the regeneration of the last lesson, when the twelve apostles occupy their twelve thrones, the church shall be found with Him in His throne. The word "regeneration" is found only in Matt. xix, 28, in reference to the new birth and in Tit. iii, 5, in reference to the new birth, teaching us that there must be a new birth in order to enjoy the new earth. As to rewards for service, our Lord taught in last lesson that all who for His sake deny self or renounce this world or give up loved ones shall receive an hundred-fold and shall inherit everlasting life. I think I shall never forget the astonished look of a bank cashier whom I one day asked, "What is a hundred-fold?" After a little figuring, over which he went the second time, he said, "It is 10,000 per cent." I have ever since been urging people to invest in stock that pays 10,000 per cent.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Aug. 14, 1910.

Topic.—Do you let God plan your life?—Jer. x, 23; Prov. iii, 1-10. Edited by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, D. D.

Human life is a great mystery. If man alone were to map out his own plan for his life he would surely make a failure of it. He knows not what a day may bring forth, and how, therefore, could he plan his life? His plan might extend over years, as was the case with the rich fool in Christ's parable, and yet his life ended that very night. Had he known this one fact he would have planned differently. But, it not being known, he could not have made a greater mistake than he did in laying plans for his life.

Life is also a matter of great responsibility. Man alone is incapable of assuming this responsibility. What to do and what not to do, what duties to assume and what not to assume, are entirely beyond his ability because of his deficiency in knowledge concerning the ways of life. The man who takes his own life in his hands is most foolish and unwise. The prophet Jeremiah well says, "O Lord, I know the way of man is not in himself; it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps." He is incapable of so doing because of his ignorance of life as a whole.

While man cannot plan his life, there is one who can and will, if permitted to do so—God, who knows the life of man from the beginning unto the end thereof. Moreover, God has a plan for each and every life lived in the world. We can thwart the plans of God if we desire to do so through the freedom of our wills. Not wishing to force us to do his will and desiring us to do it voluntarily, He has given us the power to choose, even against Him, even pertaining to the most vital issues of life. Of salvation, the most important factor in life, Christ said, "Ye will not come unto Me, that ye may be saved." Man's will can therefore thwart God's will. But all of man's opposition cannot thwart the penalty of sin. Man may choose to sin even against God's will, but he cannot escape the punishment for his sins. Therefore how foolish to rebel against God. Rather we should obey the wise man's injunction: "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes. Fear the Lord and depart from evil!"

God's plans for us are always wise and good. He has created us. "We are His people and the sheep of His pasture. He hath made us and not we ourselves. He preserves our life. He loves us and has manifested His love by giving His Son to die for our redemption." Herein is love—not that we loved Him, but that He loved us and gave His Son to die for us.

The attitude of God toward us being love and unstinted interest, should we not appreciate it by conforming our lives to His will, accepting His plan and not one of our own? Trust in the Lord, obey His commandments, and thus we will submit our life to His will and make it fit into His plan.

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. xxviii, 1-9; xxxiii, 12; xxxvii, 1-5; ciii, 1-5; Prov. xxxiii, 16; xxvii, 1; Matt. vi, 10, 25-34; Job xxiii, 13, 14; Luke xii, 16-21; Ex. iii, 10; John xvii, 1-4; Eph. ii, 10; Jas. iv, 13, 14.

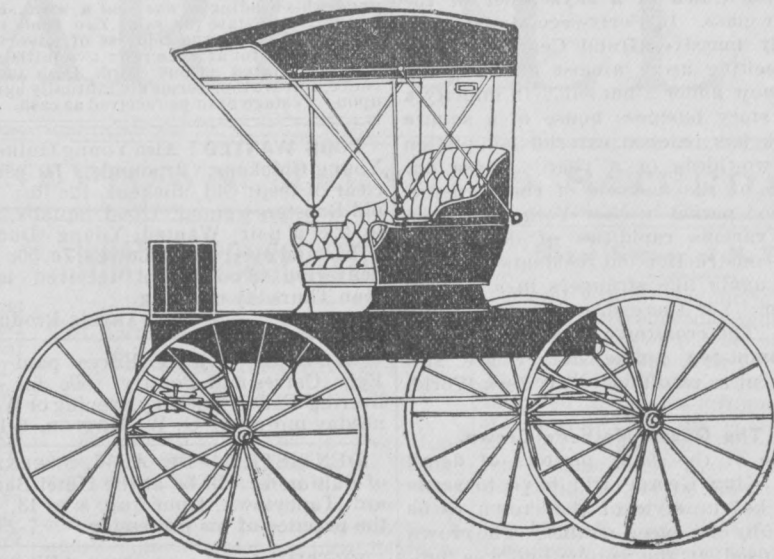
Nothing Lost by It.

A young man had been in business for himself but a short time when the Maryland State Christian Endeavor convention was held in his city. His business required very close attention on account of his being a beginner. At the same time he was an officer in the state union and felt that his duty was as much to the convention as to the business. For the few days before the convention he was undecided what he should do, but at the time of the opening session he was on hand and each day spent a large part of his time at the convention performing the duties that belonged to his office. Each morning he attended the early Quiet Hour service and at that time asked God for direction through the day. And each day he spent part of the time at his office and part at the convention. Some of his friends told him he was neglecting his business and would lose by it, but he felt that his first obligation was to God and that He would look out for the rest. And so it happened. During the second and third days of the convention business came to his office almost unsolicited, and telephone calls that he attended to between sessions brought him the largest volume of business he had for the month. In fact, he said the business he had in those three days amounted to as much as he had during all the rest of the month, and all because he had first served God. This is a true record and should certainly more strongly impress upon our minds the necessity of living out the Scriptural command to seek first the kingdom of God. There is no question in the mind of the true believer that the teaching is true and that to whoever will "seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness" all things will be added.—Alfred S. Day, Secretary Maryland Christian Endeavor Union, in Christian Endeavor World.

Our Society Is a School of Christ.

If Christian Endeavor is anything it is a training school for Christian work. Every prayer meeting is a recitation, every committee is a training class, every quiet hour at home is a study period, every failure is an examination. So is every success. If we look upon our society in this light we shall see its importance, and we shall learn to work harder in the Christian Endeavor cause.—Amos R. Wells.

COME AND SEE!



I have had the best vehicle trade this season since I began to handle vehicles. I have only a few left, and have come to the conclusion to cut the price, so as to close out what remains. Some prices are less than what they cost me in the factory. You need not take my word for it—

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One Stick Seat Runabout, \$35.00; one Twin Auto Seat Runabout, \$48.00; one Top Buggy, leather quarters, stays, and upholstery, \$40.00; one Top Buggy, regular price, \$70.00—goes at \$50.00; one Top Buggy, 16 oz. all-wool cloth, \$60.00; one Rubber Tire Top Buggy, \$55.00.

If you are in the market for a Buggy, don't miss this sale.

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Washing-day has always been "Blue Monday," week in and week out. But now all this is changed, and changed so thoroughly, that many a woman don't believe it. She can't realize that with a QUEEN WASHER, "Blue Monday" is a thing of the past and a joke. How does the QUEEN WASHER do all this? The simplest sort of a way. You turn a light, ball-bearing crank—the QUEEN Washer does the rest. It's as easy as beating eggs. A free trial will convince you.

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Largest Ships Tie Up at New Orleans.

New Orleans is the only city in the United States at which battleships tie up at the wharf. The battleship Mississippi was the first to do so, tying up at the Jackson avenue wharf on her trip up the Mississippi river to Natchez. The battleship Wisconsin followed her example. Many cruisers have done the same thing, including the German cruiser Bremen. This simply illustrates the depth of the harbor. Any ship afloat can come into New Orleans when the southwest pass is thrown open to navigation. Every ship, with a few exceptions, can come in now through south pass, in which is maintained an average depth of thirty-five feet. Southwest pass will have forty-five feet and now nears completion. The harbor averages a hundred feet in depth at low water.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Bold, Bad Elephants.

The destructiveness of elephants is shown in a British blue book on the preservation of wild animals in Africa. An official report from Uganda says that "the elephants seem to have become more bold than they were two years ago. I came across flourishing gardens and plantations that had been absolutely wiped out by the herds of wild elephants roaming through the country. The complete destruction wreaked by these beasts is hardly credible, and the natives are getting desperate." The governor of Uganda reported that the elephants "have become so bold that they not only feed at night in the native maize gardens, but actually enter the villages, remove the roofs of the corn stores and help themselves."

Cup Defender Has Become Oil Barge.

The Pilgrim, a former palatial ninety foot yacht built to defend the America's cup in 1893, but which did not go against the Valkyrie II, as the Defender won the trial races, started recently on what will probably be the last chapter of her career, that of a gasoline supply boat to be located in Marblehead harbor. The craft, on which no money was spared when being built and on which thousands have been spent, was stripped of all her machinery and finery at the Atlantic works, East Boston, and in place of her former mahogany fittings of its pit there now lies a huge gasoline tank that will hold hundreds of gallons.—Boston Post.

Our 23rd Business Year!

Twenty-three years ago we began to handle FERTILIZERS in a small way. During all these years we have endeavored to give our trade the best goods on the market, full value for their money, with the result that each year has brought us increased orders with larger sales. At the beginning of this season, (1910) we find ourselves in better shape than ever before to handle this branch of our business, and we hope with the facilities we now have to make this the banner year for our Company. Our new Fertilizer House, 36x80, just completed, and fully equipped with modern machinery, enables us to mix, bag, and deliver 30 to 40 tons per day.

WE MIX IT WHILE YOU WAIT!

The advantages of our present method over the old (Shovels and Screens) are in evidence on every side. Cannot explain on paper, just take time enough to come and see for yourself, and be convinced that we are in a position to satisfy your wants along this line, and do it satisfactorily, as we have once of the best plants in Western Maryland. You will see the different ingredients in bulk, and you will see them go through the mixer, over the screens, into the bag, ready for delivery. What you see you must believe, and you will find our goods in better condition than ever before. We offer Two Specials,

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These goods will be sold at attractive prices, and guaranteed to be equal to any on the market of the same Analysis.

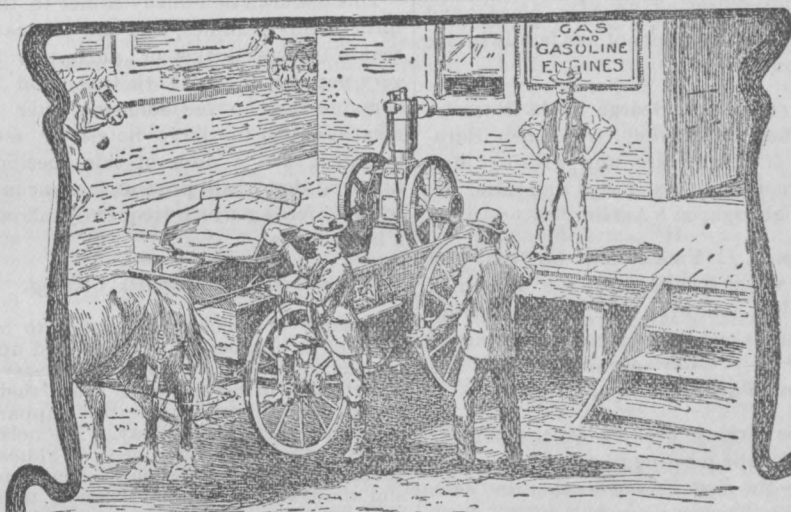
Buyers who furnish sacks get a reduction of \$1.00 per ton, but empty sacks cannot be returned for credit.

We want your trade for Spring and Fall. Come and see us, or our Agents; if we do not have what you want, will be glad to quote you prices on any formula you may suggest.

Very Truly,

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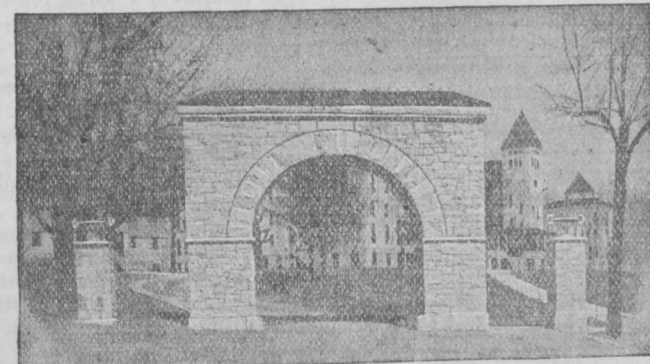


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TANEYTOWN LOCAL COLUMN.

Brief Items of Local News of Special Interest to Our Home Readers.

Miss Carrie Mourer, of New York, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Bessie Hahn, of Baltimore, visited Miss Alice Harman, this week.

Get ready for the assessors. They expect to begin work in Taneytown, next Monday.

Miss Ida B. Lynch, of Baltimore, is spending a week with her friend, Helen C. Gardner.

Edward and Frank Arnold, of Baltimore, are spending the summer at A. J. Weimer's.

Mrs. Sarah E. Arthur and daughter, of York, are visiting Misses Millie and Ida Sherman.

Mrs. Geo. W. Clabaugh, of Omaha, Neb., arrived last week on a visit to her home folks, in Taneytown.

Mr. S. White Plank's father, who lives near Fairfield, Penna., was found dead in bed, on Thursday morning.

Mrs. Frank Baumgardner, who is at Frederick City Hospital is gradually improving which will be good news to her many friends.

Mrs. Laura Reindollar, who for the past month has been visiting her son and daughter, in Ohio, returned home, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. D. B. Fringer, of Williamsburg, Pa., spent several days here, this week, on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worthington Fringer.

Mr. S. E. Bair, agent P. R. R., at Perryville, Md., is at home recuperating his health for a time. He has been at Perryville seven or eight years.

Miss Anna Wilhide, of Baltimore, is spending the month of August with her sister, Miss Clara, in this place, and with other members of her family in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beale Bloomer, returned, on Monday, from their European trip, and are now visiting Mrs. Bloomer's parents, Judge and Mrs. H. M. Clabaugh, at "Antrim."

Mrs. A. C. Fink, who, for the past three weeks has been at the Frederick Hospital, following an operation for appendicitis and other ailments, returned home on Tuesday evening, much improved in health.

This Friday evening is the regular time for the meeting of the Fire Company—the first Friday evening in each month. The members will please keep this in mind, hereafter, and not expect a monthly notice in this column.

Mr. Armer Bell and wife, Mr. Wesley Weikert, wife and daughter, Edith, and Miss Lillie Harner, all of Littlestown; Mr. Oland, wife and son, Charles, of Walkersville, and Messrs George and Edward Clabaugh, of Ladiesburg, were visitors at Harry O. Harner's this week.

A Word of Praise! "I take this means of expressing myself as to the excellent music produced by Taneytown band at LeGore Park, Saturday last. The band, in my judgment, has made wonderful progress of late, and rendered a very fine concert in the above named park. From one who has devoted his life to the study and direction of music."—LYNN STEPHENS, Bandmaster.

At the big fire in Cambridge, last Sunday, the firemen were greatly hampered in their work on account of the fire plugs being all on one side of the fire. This would be the same situation in Taneytown, with a big fire on the south side of Baltimore St., and the defect should be remembered. At least one plug should be on the alley in the rear of the lots, perhaps at the light plant, in order that a fire could be surrounded, and length of hose be economized.

As an illustration of how badly both owners and assessors may be deceived as to the cash value of property, the Kemper property in Harney, was sold at public sale last Saturday, for \$326.00, which had just been assessed at \$700.00. Of course, the assessors were apparently right, the property actually being worth more than \$700.00 to build; but, should a property owner pay taxes on a property on a basis for above what it sells for at public sale? Evidently, property such as the above ought to be assessed very low.

Gettysburg has a \$1000, suit on hand because of injuries sustained by a fall due to a defective gutter crossing, while Littlestown also has a suit on hand due to a fall caused by an opening in the sidewalk. As towns are required to keep all sidewalks and streets in a reasonably safe condition, and as well lighted streets are likely to help very materially to prevent accidents, Taneytown should take heed. There are a number of places in this town, chiefly at alley crossings, especially when the streets are slippery, where dangerous falls might be prevented if such spots were well lighted, but it would be better still to remedy the defects. At the places meant, the gutter slopes back into the sidewalk, making the latter too narrow for safety, especially when dark.

Telephone Cable in Chesapeake Bay.

The laying of the armored submarine cable beneath the waters of Chesapeake Bay has lately been completed. This is one of the most notable improvements in telephone facilities in this section of the country that has ever been undertaken and has attracted quite a little attention throughout the technical world because of the many interesting features of the new cable.

The cable is five miles long. It contains sixteen pairs of wire, and it was strung from Love Point to Kent Island to Sandy Point, northeast of Annapolis. Shipping and laying this cable was a tremendous task, because of its great weight and length. When this cable left the New York plant of the Western Electric Company, which manufactured it; it was in four sections, each of which, strung on an immense reel, contained 6,600 feet of lead covered and armored cable. Each spool with its load weighed 58,000 pounds.

The cable was taken from the four reels at the dock on West street, New York, and wound in a "figure eight" on board a barge. The barge was towed to Chesapeake Bay and the cable was then laid without mishap. The installation of this cable makes possible a short cut for telephone subscribers in Baltimore who may wish to talk to people in Delaware or on the eastern shores of Maryland and Virginia. It means a saving of fifty miles between Baltimore and Cape Charles.

The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania has run additional wires to the terminals of this cable from points in the southern part of the eastern shore, Pennsylvania, and from Baltimore and Annapolis to the other end. The lead covered cable is armored with layers of jute and wire. This outer covering is believed to be capable of withstanding the ravages of the deep for many years.

GOOD WAY TO DO BUSINESS.

In ordering a 50c. bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at 25 cents, Robt. S. McKinney is giving one of the greatest trade chances ever offered to the people of Taneytown.

If food does not digest well, if there is gas or pain in the stomach, if the tongue is coated and the breath bad, if there is constipation and straining, Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not, you have druggist Robt. S. McKinney's personal guarantee to return your money.

This remarkable remedy comes in the form of tiny granules, and can be carried in the vest pocket or purse. It is very popular in New York City, and it is not unusual to see someone after a meal at one of the large hotels or restaurants, take a dose of this specific, knowing that it will prevent the uncomfortable feeling which frequently follows a hearty meal.

Seventeen Year Locusts Coming.

Swarms of locusts, estimated to be millions in number, have descended upon the mountain regions of western Maryland, bringing with them their singing societies and orchestras, apparently for an indefinite stay. The noise made by the insects at times is almost deafening. There are more locusts in and about the woodland districts than were ever known before and the oldest inhabitants say that this is locust year and they are of the seventeen year variety.

Damage is already being done to the shrubbery and chestnut trees, upon which the locusts are feeding. They are also attacking other trees and stripping them of their leaves. The only tree that is free from the locusts is the black gum.

The locusts are reported in great numbers in the valleys, where they are attacking fruit orchards, and fruit growers are adopting drastic measures to get rid of them. Residents are alarmed over the ravages of the insects, and there is no estimating the amount of damage that will be done by the insatiable hordes before the summer is ended.

Struck a Rich Mine. S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of Liver and Kidney Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia, Debility. 25c at R. S. McKinney's Drug Store, Taneytown, Md.

When the Sky Will Be Obscured by a Cloud of Airships.

The airship means not the gain but the irretrievable loss of the sky—the trivial physical conquest, indeed, but the tragical spiritual loss.

In the few years that remain before aviation is an accomplished commonplace of our lives man is literally looking his last on the sky. All too soon it will be impossible even for a rich man to enjoy the peace which is mine this afternoon as in the heart of an old wood I lie upon the fern and contemplate the mystery of the boundless sky. Soon that flawless infinite will be feverishly alive to ear and eye with all the temporal traffic of the world, all the turmoil and vulgarity of any other earthly thoroughfare. Solitude will be utterly and forever destroyed, and wearied town tired folk that had been wont to flee into the country to rest their eyes and feed their nerves on tranquil spaces may as well remain in the city and will least of all turn their eyes on the sky, which will then be as suggestive of peace as Broadway at noon.

All the old peace and prayer of the world will have gone. The air, once so pure and tranquil, will be filled with the sound of gongs, the flash of signals and undreamed of forms of noise and colors. Man will have placed a cloud of gigantic gnats between him and the infinite, and, however high he may ascend in the swiftest airship, never will he find again the same sky that blessed him with its blue peace, its beautiful old dreams of better worlds and fantastic fairy isles and seas and laid the consoling hand of the eternal upon his troubled human heart.—Richard Le Gallienne in Smart Set.

In Changing Manhattan.

On a site in the Wall street district a record has just been made in the tearing down of a skyscraper of the older class. In Forty-second street the lately massive Grand Central station is melting away almost like a house of snow under a hot sun. In midcity a ten story business house of a square block has reached exterior completion in two-thirds of a year. These are some of the marvels of the transformation period in New York. Between the various rapidities of destruction and construction old residents feel now and again like strangers in a strange town. Yet there are things that linger. The cross-town horse car and the uncompleted public library are still faithful to tradition.—New York World.

The Queen Mother's Crown.

One of the many matters of detail that King George will have to settle will be the style of the crown to be worn by the queen mother. The crown she used at the coronation was broken up almost immediately after the ceremony for the very simple reason that the bulk of the diamonds of which it was composed were only hired for that purpose. The queen's crown, reserved with the regalia and made for Mary of Modena, is not at all likely to be taken into use, and the small diamond crown which Queen Victoria had made at her own expense was her private property. By her will she devised it as an heirloom to belong to the queen consort for the time being.

15-Day Special Sale

NOTICE:—You will find each Department full and complete, with Special Sale Prices.

500 Yds Latest Style Lawns, 12½ and 15c; now, 8c per yd.

100 Rolls Table Oilcloth, special at \$1.39 a roll; 12 yds in roll.

RUGS—50 Beautiful Matting Rugs, worth 50c; now 39c.

FISH—New White Fish, 9lb bucket at 50c.

HATS—Straw Hats all at cost and less.

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EXCURSION To Baltimore

Company No. 10, U. R. K. P. of Union Bridge

Will run an Excursion to Baltimore, from Pen-Mar, Westminster and intermediate stations, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20.

Arrangements have been made with the Waynesboro Electric R. R., also Emmitsburg R. R., to connect with excursion trains both ways.

--- GO WITH US ---

Meet your friends and enjoy a delightful trip to Tolchester, or visit the various resorts for amusement.

ROUND TRIP, \$1.

See Bills For Particulars!

TRUSTEES'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN HARNEY, MD.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Cause No. 4362 Equity, wherein John D. Hesson and others are plaintiffs, and Emma J. Smith and others are defendants, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public sale on the premises, in Harney, Carroll County, Md., on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1910,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., all that parcel of land, containing ONE-HALF ACRE, more or less, and improved by a large Two-Story

FRAME BUILDING, formerly used as a Hotel, being the same property of which Daniel Hesson died seized and possessed. This property is very desirably located, either for a dwelling or business, and is in a good state of repair.

TERMS: One-third cash on day of sale or upon ratification thereof by said Court; the balance in two equal payments of one and two years each, the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Cash deposit of \$50.00 will be required on day of sale.

JOHN D. HESSON, Trustee, Michael E. Walsh, Solicitor, Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE OF A Small Farm

The undersigned will sell at public sale, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1910,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., her valuable Small Farm of

TWENTY-THREE ACRES in Uniontown district, adjoining lands of Chas. E. Buffington and J. T. Starr. Improvements consist of a good 8-room log house, stable, hog pen, and other necessary outbuildings.

There are three wells of water on the place, and a good orchard. This is an excellent land, and a desirable farm. Terms easy and will be made known on day of sale. Possession, April 1st, 1911.

ANNIE B. BAKER, J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

Special Notices.

General Advertisements will be inserted under this heading at one cent a word, each issue. Real Estate for sale, Two Cents each word. The name and address of advertiser must be paid for at same rate; two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Cash in advance, unless other terms are mutually agreed upon. Postage Stamps received as cash.

EGGS WANTED! Also Young Guineas. Young Chickens, 2 pounds, 14 cents, clear of feed; Old chickens, 12c lb.; 500 old Roosters wanted. Good Squabs, 20c to 22c a pair; Wanted, Young Ducks, 3 lbs. and over; Good Calves 7c, 50c for delivering. Poultry not received later than Thursday morning. —SCHWARTZ'S Produce.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid for Eggs, Calves and Poultry. 50c for delivering Calves Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.—G. W. MOTTER, 6-10-9

DENTISTRY.—Dr. A. W. SWEENEY, of Baltimore, will be at the Hotel Bankard, Taneytown, from Aug. 8 to 13, for the practice of his profession. 7-23-3t

FESTIVAL.—The members of Winter's Sabbath School will hold their annual Festival in the pavilion adjoining Winter's church, on Saturday afternoon and evening, August 27, 1910. Ice cream, cakes, candies and a good supper, will be served. Proceeds for the benefit of the School. Taneytown band will furnish music. Everybody invited.—W. S. DRACH, 8-6-3t

CARLOAD OF POTATOES Wanted! Will pay 40c bushel for nice assorted white potatoes, to load car on Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 8-9th. For further information apply to—SCHWARTZ'S Produce.

FINE BLACK MARE colt, 5 months old, for sale by HOWARD W. SHEELY, ½ miles east Black's school.

FOR SALE.—One Runabout, good as new.—RUSSELL SMITH, Taneytown.

ONE BOAR, weight about 300, for sale by C. C. CRABBS.

SIX PIGS, 5 weeks old, for sale by E. D. STULLER.

NOTICE.—In attending the Granger's Pic-nic, you will find an exhibit of the White Sewing Machines, and also Washing Machines. We will give a discount on all orders taken during the week, for we do not sell a cheap grade machine at a high grade price, but we sell a high grade machine at a decent price. For "The White is King." Yours for business, E. C. FROCK, Keymar, Md. 30-2t

MERCHANT TAILORING at D. M. MEHRING'S Store. Old clothes made new, cleaning, pressing, etc., done on short notice. Give us a call! 7-30-3t

FARM FOR SALE, 11 Acres, 2-Story Frame Dwelling, good barn, and all necessary outbuildings in good repair. Located ½ mile from Tyrone, on the Pleasant Valley road. Possession Jan. 1, 1911. Terms Cash.—MARGARET FRITZ R. D. No. 11. 7-30-3t

CIDER MAKING and Boiling Apple Butter, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week. I have again made improvements by which I can handle apples and cider to a better advantage. P. Palmer, Taneytown, Md., R. D. 3. 7-30-5t

PLEASE DON'T FAIL to visit the fine exhibit of the "1900" Washer Co., and look over their full line of stock from a small \$5.00 hand Machine, to a \$60.00 Electric washer and wringer, this power machine can be run by any other power. Farmers don't fail to come and see this wonderful machine, please come and visit this exhibit. If for no other reason but to take a rest. We will have a small park furnished, just in order to accommodate our friends. The crowd will be large and the weather warm, so come in the shade while multitudes pass by. This exhibit will be under the direction of L. K. BIRLEY, General Agent "1900" Washer Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

DWELLING along Railroad for sale. Apply to J. Wm. HULL, Taneytown. 7-30-4t

FOR SALE.—My building on Baltimore St., before Sept. 1. Will leave \$2000, or less, in property on 5½ first mortgage.—P. B. ENGLAR. 7-30-4t

FOR SALE.—Property situated along the public road leading from Marker's Mill to Arter's Mill, in Myers District, Carroll County, adjoining lands of Jesse Lemmon, A. Leppo, Henry Forry and others, containing 32 Acres of Farm Land and about 2 Acres of Timber land, more or less. Frame House, Bank Barn and necessary outbuildings in good condition. Never failing spring of water at the house, and running water on the farm. Parties desiring to purchase can view the same by calling on Howard Lemmon, and for terms and conditions, call on or address—JOSIAH MYERS, Littlestown, Pa. 7-30-2t

SEPT. 3.—Pic-nic of Grace Reformed Sunday School, Taneytown, in Ohler's Grove. Taneytown Band, Refreshments, etc. 7-23

CIDER AND APPLE BUTTER. Will make cider and boil butter, Thursday of each week, until further notice.—C. E. MYERS, Harney. 7-16-4t

FOR SALE.—12-light Chandelier, 2-light extension Chandelier, and Hall Lamp, used in Presbyterian church. Apply to JOHN E. DAVIDSON or R. S. MCKINNEY, Taneytown, Md. 6-11-4t

Early Closing Notice. Beginning Monday, August 8th., we will close at 7 p. m., until further notice. TANEYTOWN GRAIN & SUPPLY CO. 8-6-3t

Closing Notice. Beginning Monday, Aug. 8th., and until further notice, our warehouse will close at 7 p. m. Yours very truly, THE REINDOLLAR CO. 8-6-3t

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