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SAVINGS CERTIFICATES AND WAR THRIFT STAMPS.

Our "Uncle Sam."

The United States government has adopted a plan to secure money for the conduct of the war, which may take the place of further Bond issues. The plan is by the sale and use of "War-Savings Certificate Stamps," and "Thrift Stamps." The plan is as

A United States War-Saving Certificate, series 1918, will be an obliga-tion of the United States only when it has one or more Certificate Stamps attached to it. These stamps can be purchased at Postoffices of the first, second and third classes, and have a maturity value of \$5.00 on Jan. 1, 1923. Each Certificate contains spaces for 20 such stamps, and when the certificate is completely filled it will have a redemption value of \$100.00 on Jan. 1, 1923. The Certificate, however, can have attached any number of stamps from 1 to 20, the redemption value be-

from 1 to 20, the redemption value being \$5.00 for each stamp affixed.

The stamps will be sold according to the following scale of charges; in December, 1917, and January, 1918, at \$4.12, advancing one cent each month, making the cost in December \$4.23. The average issue price for the more 1918, with interest at 4 peryear 1918, with interest at 4 percent compounded quarterly, will amount to \$5.00 on Jan. 1, 1923.

The name of the owner of each Certificate will be written on it at the time of issue, and stamps can be attached to it from time to time, as purchased. These certificates can be registered without cost at any postoffice, and when so registered are payable only at the postoffice where registered; otherwise, the U. S. will not be liable if payment should be made to a person not the rightful owner.

War-Saving Certificates are not transferable, and will be payable only to the owner named thereon, except in case of the death or disability of

They will be exempt from taxation by the United States or any state, or by any local authority, except estate or inheritance taxes, and graduated additional income taxes, and excess profits and war profits taxes.

These certificates will have a surrender value, at any time bfore Jan. 1, 1923, according to an established scale of values, but no postoffice shall make any such payment until 10 days after receiving written demand therefor. Final payment of the Certificates will be made at the Treasury Department, Washington, or at any Money Order postoffice, upon the surrender of certificates, but no postoffice shall be required to make such payment until 10 days after receiving demand therefor.

Thrift Cards and Stamps Payments for War-Savings Certificates may also be made by the use of "Thrift Stamps" of a value of 25 cents each but bearing no interest. These stamps must be attached to "Thrift Cards" which may be obtained without cost at any postoffice. The stamps are not directly redeemable in cash, but each card contains space for 16 stamps, and a Thrift Card, when filled, may be exchanged at any postoffice, on or before Dec. 31, 1918, for a War-Savings Certifi-cate Stamp by paying the difference between \$4.00 and the cost of such Certificate Stamp.

Other agencies, such as banks, trust companies, stores, fraternal and other corporations, who offer their services free, will be appointed at the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury, to sell these stamps and issue certificates.

'No purchase of stamps in excess of redemption value can be purchased by any one person at any one time, and it shall not be lawful for any one person at any one time to own over \$1000.00 worth of the certificates.

This plan has been adopted to secure loans from, and to offer investments to, those who can not readily the larger sums for Bonds As the interest accumulation is 4 percent compounded, the plan represents a higher interest than the

What "They Say" Still.

(For the Record.)
"Doing what you please," We hear you say, But—flatter not yourself
'Tis "darkly kept," Nay, Nay.

The mark of selfishness Is plain to see. Tis known and read-by all-

Your duty to conserve; Your duty too to knit, And anything your Uncle Sam Says, is "your bit."

There is no time, nor place Under your Uncle's flag, For those who think it smart To drag—and brag.

So-this is what "They say": "Tis plain to see That sweets, and meats and smokes Are dearer far-to you Than someone's folks."

(Reprinted for correction of errors.)

A Civil Service examination for Rural Carrier vacancy at Mount Airy, will be held in Westminster and Mt. Airy, on January 12.

Republicans Control the Board.

County Commissioner William A Roop assumed the duties of his office, on Monday; hence, the Republicans have entered upon their control of the Commissioners office for four A Popular New Plan for Loans to years. It will now be up to the new administration to show compensating results for the change from one party to the other, and without any lowering

of the efficiency of the service. There has never been a great deal to complain of in the conduct of the financial affairs of the county by previous Democratic boards. county has been free from scandals of a financial character, and generally—especially by comparison with other counties—the county's affairs have been economically managed and its public service satisfactorily main-tained. The new board, therefore, will not be able to make more than a few changes that will show up, in the annual statements, to the tax-

payers' interest. In our opinion, a good place at which to begin to save money is in the office of the Tax Collector. A salary of \$1800.00 with \$300.00 extra for clerk hire, is extravagant pay for the work of the office. At the most, \$1500.00 should be ample for salary and extra clerical work, but the coun ty should pay the bonds of both Treasurer and Collector, the bond of the latter to be reduced through requiring him to make weekly deposits of

collections with the Treasurer. The Republican Board will be seriously handicapped in making a good showing in the year's balance, because of the great advances in cost of supplies of all kinds; so the result of a saving in a few items is decidedly likely to be more than counterbalanced by the increased cost of sup-plies, and this must be fairly taken into consideration by the public.

Ex-Gov. Hanley to Speak in Westminster.

Former Governor J. Frank Hanley, of Indiana, will speak in Centenary M. E. Church, Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 7:30 P. M., under the auspices of the

Flying Squadron Foundation.
Governor Hanley was the Executive Chairman of the Flying Squadron of America in their nation-wide cam-paign for National Prohibition and he is now at the head of the Flying is now at the head of the Flying Squadron Foundation, as that campaign closed at Atlantic City, June6, after having appeared in more than 260 cities, visiting every state in the union and traveling more than 65,000 miles. The people of Westminster are very fortunate, indeed, to have the experiments of heaving one of the opportunity of hearing one of the greatest orators and most enthusiastic temperance workers in this coun-

Governor Hanley is one of the few to fight the greatest evil that confronts the American people today, 'The American Saloon.

The meeting to be held in Westminster is open to the public, and admission is free. A very large attendance is anticipated by the committee in charge.

The committee on arrangements consists of Mr. Geo. Mather, chairman, assisted by Mr. John H. Mitten, Rev. E. T. Mowbray, and Mrs. D. F. Ship-

LYCEUM ARTS ENTERTAINERS.

The third number scheduled on our Entertainment Course is the Lyceum Arts Entertainers. The title is refreshing—and enticing. A charming collection of gifted girls always has a resistless appeal—and here they are. And when you add to the pull of vocal accomplishment the gift of dramatic art and instrumental dexterity-you have a rare combination—and one hard to beat. That is precisely what this refined evening of singular opportunity has in store for its fortunate recipients.

It is beyond one's imagination to believe that folk of real culture-people who really care even a punctilio above propriety—could possibly dare do other than publicly show their sense of morals better than by patronzing attractions of this finer sort. THEY have everything to gain. Such an evening not only registers their refinement of taste but in a very real sense proves of what stuff Taneytown is made-and one's obligation to his home town is a positive deposit in the bank of community security

And when you recall that this is an evening devoted to the charm and uplift of wholesome music—the appeal is unescapable. A democratic people -we, more than the citizens of monarchies, need all the music we can absorb. We need the harmonizing, humanizing influences of the art that cultivates reverence for the things that we are so likely to feel all too familiar with. We need to get lost in the high places into which music brings us-as no human thing else can possibly bring us to such a sense

of complete intoxication.

Luther himself said: "Music is * * next to theology. I would not exchange my small musical talent for \$4.65 per day, or \$139.50 per month; anything esteemed great. It produces fine and accomplished peo-Those of us who have never heard the banjo played by an artist, flagmen and brakemen \$3.61 per day, will welcome the chance to hear a ladies' banjo quartet on December the all time on duty over 8 hours. 20th. And then there is the sweet and inimitable melody of the real IRISH HARP-O Joy!! Say, friend, -why not put on your hat and coat and scamper to Doctor McKinney's Store right now for that ticket for the 'only girl"—and yourself?

WEEK'S WAR OPERATIONS FAVORABLE TO GERMANY

The Italians Again Meet with Heavy Losses.

The main war operations of the past week have been favorable to the German-Austrian forces, and they may be summed up in three items.

After a week of great preparations the Germans and Austrians launched a supreme effort against the Italian front, and as a result the German war office claims to have taken 11,000 prisoners and 60 guns. The Italian office does not state the exact losses, but says their forces have retired to stronger lines after inflicting heavy

losses on the enemy.

The British forces have fallen back from some of their advanced positions gained last week, the Germans again specifying gains, while General Byng of the British army says the retire-ment was orderly and for the purpose of maintaining a perfect line.

The suspension of hostilities be-

tween Russia and Germany is now in force, pending negotiations for peace, which will likely cover about ten days. A terrific explosion at Halifax, caused by an accidental collision of a ship loaded with relief supplies for Belgium, with one containing war munitions for France, must be counted as an event against the allies. About 2000 persons were killed and a large portion of Halifax is in ruins.

Carroll County Council of Defense.

Acting upon the resignation of Mrs. Austin Gallagher from the Women's Section of the Maryland Council of Defense for Carroll County, Governor Harrington has appointed Mrs. Robert Sargent Shriver as Chairman in her place, and the Commission is now fully formed consisting of the following members: Mrs. Henry M. Fitzhugh, Mrs. John H. Cunningham, Mrs. Maurice S. H. Unger and Miss M. Madelin Shriver.

At a special conference called by Governor Harrington, he told the Commission of his plans for stim-ulating renewed interest in the work of the Women's Section of the Maryland Council of Defense, and impressed upon them the necessity of active and efficient work. Mrs. Edw. A. Shoemaker, of Baltimore, State Chairman of the Commission, was

also present at the meeting.

The new Commission urgently hopes that the splendid work already begun in the County will be actively continued, and that with earnest co-operation even more and better work will be accomplished. An invitation has been extended to the District who laid aside political ambitions Leaders to join the members of the Commission at a get-together luncheon at the Firemen's Building, Westminster, on Saturday, December 8, at 1 o'clock, to meet Mrs. Edw. A. Shoemaker, who will put before them the plans of the Commission and the work to be done. It is earnestly hoped that all the District Leaders will be present. It is part of the program of the National Council of Defense appointed by President Wilson, to form these Commissions in every State to act under the National Council of Defense. In the great task before us, that of winning the world war, there is no stronger force for large accomplishment than the loval co-operation of each individual member of a community, and with that knowledge in mind, the Women's Section of the Maryland Council of Defense asks for the enthusiastic aid and generous consideration of the men and women of Carroll County.

Red Cross Meeting in Taneytown.

A public meeting will be held in the Opera House, on Friday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 o'clock, in the interest of the Christmas campaign for members of the Red Cross. The membership of this organization is now about 5,000,000 in the United States—nearly ten times what it was at the begin-ning of the war. The Christmas campaign will be an effort to increase this number to 15,000,000.

The meeting in the Opera House will be purely for the purpose of information, and no effort will be made to collect money. An address will be delivered by Dr. T. H. Lewis, of Western Maryland College, Westminster, and it is expected that the boy scouts' band of Westminster, and the orchestra of the Taneytown Lutheran Sunday school will be present to furnish the music. Don't miss it, for the meeting will be a treat and will not cost you a cent.

Demands of Railway Trainmen.

On Saturday, the Railway Trainmen issued their ultimatum to practically every railroad in the United States, asking for a reply to their demands by Dec. 31. The increase in wages asked is approximately 40 percent higher than at present, and is as

Conductors \$5.43 per day, baggage electricians \$4.50 per day, or \$135.00 per month; baggage men \$3.88 per day, or \$116.40 per month; or \$108.30 per month. Overtime for

set forth in great detail, covering many contingencies, among them being pay for time, whether working or not, for all employees who are ready for work and who do not lay

Circuit Court Proceedings.

State vs Albert Gearing, neglect to support wife; tried before jury. Ver-dict guilty. Seabrook for State; Steele for traverser.

State vs Harry Green, alias Theodore Green, larceny of automobile. Plea of guilty confessed. Paroled. Seabrook for State. Eckard for pris-

State vs Lester Rickell, playing poker for money; plea of guilty con-fessed. Recognized. Seabrook for fessed. Recognized. Sear State; Weant for traverser.

State vs Benjamin Coleman, alias Benny Jenkins, breaking and entering dwelling house, with intent to commit a felony; tried before the court. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to the House of Reformation at Chaltenham.

State vs John Haines, breaking and entering store house; plea of guilty confessed. Recognized and paroled. Seabrook for State; Weant for pris-

State vs Corydon P. Gowman, assault with intent to rape; tried before the court. Verdict not guilty. Seabrook for State; Steele & McCormick, Guy W. Steele and E. O. Weant for

Milton T. Haines, plaintiff vs Western Maryland Railway Co, de-fendant; action for damages; tried before jury. Verdict for defendant. Clemson for plaintiff; E. O. Grimes, Jr., for defendant.

What A "Statement" Means.

The sending out of statements, by business men, means much more just now than the act has meant for years. It means, "We want you to pay up!" A statement has always meant that, but often in an apologetic, sorry-to trouble-you-but-don't-get-angry, sort of way; often coupled with the information that the statement is not a "dun," but sent merely for the sake of "comparing accounts"—a very gentle reminder of the debt.

The business man himself gets them, monthly, and knows their import. Being a business man, and knowing how he needs prompt settlements in his own business, and as he knows his credit status must be maintained, in order to get more goods, he

new experience, and through it be made a better and more careful business man-or do without goods on credit. City credit and country credit are entirely different propositions. The one is a straight business proposition, while the other is-not business at all, but playing with bankruptcy.

Must Raise More Pork.

Allies, the Department of Agriculture announced today in urging every farmer to do his share toward rem edying the shortage of pork products. Allotments by states have been made to increase the production ranging from a 50 per cent increase in Missouri to a 5 per cent increase in West Virginia. The percentage of increase allotted to other states in-

cludes Maryland, 10. "If the farmer breeders of the various states do not reach the quotas set forth for them," says the department, 'a more acute shortage of pork products will result than now prevails, extremely high prices for hams, bacon and lard will prevail and only a few will benefit, the consumer suffering from extremely high prices and a shortage of necessary animal fats. On the other hand, if the program is carried out a market is provided for about one-third of the 1917 corn crop, the demands on the country for pork products can be met without strain, prices to the producer will be remunerative and those paid by the consumer should be reasonable.

"The Food Administration already has announced that prices of hogs will be kept at a point which will assure remunerative returns to producers so far as it has power to do so through its purchases for the Government and

Te Report for Military Duty.

By direction of the Secretary of War, the following men are ordered for \$10. to report to the office of the Local for Carroll County, Court House, Westminster, Md., for military duty and for transportation to the Army mobilization camp at Camp Meade. The time they must report is 8:15 A. M., Monday, December 10,

Name. Order No. Paul Brown Green Francis Eearl Sentz George W. Stonesifer Francis R. Windsor Charles Pfoutz Geiman Donald Milton Myers 1477 Alternate: Leavin Austin Baublitz 1702

Don't Sell the Family Cow.

This might appear to many to be a good time to sell the family cow or the family dairy herd, because prices for cows are high and it is easy to sell; but suppose you do sell? What is gained? Prices of milk and butter are high-seem higher when you buy than when you sell. Perhaps we are crossing the "stream" referred to Other demands and regulations are by Abraham Lincoln when he advised against swapping horses while crossing a stream. In any case, will it not be better if the family cow and the family dairy are kept by those who know how to make them most

PRESIDENT WILSON ADDRESSES CONGRESS.

War to be Declared Against the German Allies.

Washington, Dec. 4—President Wilson read a powerful new note into his message to Congress today. Calmly, but with his usual unassailable logic, he urged an immediate declaration of war against Austria-Hungary. In moving words that brought cheers from the distinguished gathering which listened to him he branded the Dual Monarchy as a vassal of Germany, and as such, an enemy of the United States.

The President added that the same logic would lead also to a declaration against Bulgaria and Turkey. They

also are tools of Germany.
"But," he continued, "they are mere tools and do not yet stand in the direct path of our necessary action."

President Wilson's utterances were greeted with tremendous applause and cheering from the floor of the House and from the galleries. bassadors, members of the Supreme Court, members of the Cabinet and the crowded rows of citizens expressed their hearty approval.

To win the war, the President de-clared in emphatic and ringing tones, is the immediate and unalterable task ahead. He urged Congress, just beginning its second war session, to concentrate itself upon it.

The President sharply dismissed the possibility of premature peace, sought by German intrigue and debated here by men who understand neither its nature nor the way it may be attained. With victory an accomplished fact, he said, peace will be evolved based upon "mercy and justice"-to enemy and friend-with hope of a partnership of nations to

guarantee future world peace."

The war will be deemed won, he declared, "when the German people say to us through properly accredited representatives, that they are ready to agree to a settlement based upon pays very respectful attention to statements.

If the country debtor generally had to buy his goods and seek his credit, in the cities, he would meet with a new experience and through it he on justice and reparation of the wrongs their rulers have done." Terms of peace, he added, would not include dismemberment, robbery or punishment of the enemy, but would be based now experience and through it has a conjustice defined briefly as follows:

on justice, defined briefly as follows:
Freedom of nations and their peoples from autocratic domination, reparation to Belgium, relinquishment of German power over the people of Austria, Turkey, the free Balkan States, as well as evacuation of Prus-sian territorial conquests in Belgium

and Northern France. Emphasizing the purpose of the United States not to interfere in the Washington, Dec. 5.—Fifteen per internal affairs of any nation, the cent increase in the production of President asserted that no wrong pork in 1918 will be required for do- against the German Empire was innestic consumption and export to the | tended and that there was no desire to rearrange the Austria-Hungarian Empire. He said when he spoke eight months ago of the right of nations to free access to the seas, he had Austria, as well as the smaller and weaker na-

tions in mind. The definition of war aims and peace terms, the most explicit ever voiced by the head of any of the great warring powers, was accepted as the more significant because since his reply to the Pope's peace note the President has come to be regarded more and more as a spokesman for all the nations fighting Germany.

By advance arrangement the address was made available for publication today in nearly every corner of the globe. It probably will not appear in full in the Teutonic press, but the papers of neutral countries and the work of Allied aviators will get it to many Germans in unmutilated

Transfers of Real Estate.

C. Edward Stem and wife to B. Wallace Shull, convey 1 acre, for \$5. Charles H. Maus and wife to Howard O. Maus and wife, convey 16 acres for \$1661.25.

J. Thomas Zile, executor, to Charles H. Maus, conveys 122 acres for \$14,-900. Wilford E. Hobbs and wife to

perches, for \$10. Mamie Dietrick to Wilford E. Hobbs and wife, conveys 14688 square feet Gambrill Mfg. Co to Maryland Mill-

ing and Supply Co., conveys 41/4 acres for \$10. William F. Hunter to John L. Eckard and wife, convey 93 square perches, for \$5.

David L. Witter and wife to Clayton Copenhaver, convey 1/4 acre, for Clayton M. Copenhaver to Keener E. Bankard and wife, convey 3 tracts

of land, for \$4500. George L. Stocksdale, attorney, to Joseph Niner, conveys 98 acres, for \$317.90. Joseph Niner and wife to Ernest R.

Niner, convey 98 acres, for \$10.

John T. Wagner and wife to Cecelia Fowler, convey lot of land, for Ephraim B. Condon and wife to

Edgar S. Jenkins, convey 501/2 acres, for \$500. Elias O. Garner to John H. Roop and wife, conveys 82 square perches,

William A. Roop et al. to John H. Roop, convey 2 tracts, for \$2000.

Marriage Licenses.

Howard G. Carbaugh, New Windsor, and Amanda C. Bostion, Johns-

Alfred Ogle Lewis and Frances E. Buckingham, both of Woodbine.

Reasons for Higher Insurance Cost.

Carroll County had been re-rated, last Spring, but the new figures were not promulgated until about a month ago. This re-rating was pretty generally upward, especially for shingle-roof buildings and mercantile risks; and now on top of this, or since Nov. 22, a ten percent increase has been added to all rates. The "revision" would have been made, irrespective of the war, while the 10 percent is a direct war necessity. The reasons given for the latter, are as follows:

for the latter, are as follows:

"The war tax on premiums is material and cost of postage has been increased 50 per cent. All traveling costs are advanced. Printed matter and all office and agency supplies show an average increase of 50 per cent. The direct cost of clerical help is materially higher, to say nothing of the cost of maintaining at the colors many employes on a basis of the ors, many employes on a basis of the difference between their normal salaries and the compensation allowed by the government. The one per cent tax in lieu of the stamp tax will equal on the net retained lines of companies a tax of \$1.30. This item alone absorbs nearly one-third of the average underwriting profits for the last ten years. Large losses of incendiary origin are occurring with greater frequency and have played an important part in producing an increase of \$30. part in producing an increase of \$30,-000,000 for the first ten months of 1917, as compared with the same period of 1916. The partial losses and the cost of replacement following the heavy advances in materials have caused a drain upon profits out of all proportion to the former tax for fires of the ordinary run.'

A Mathematical Coincidence.

Here is a queer coincidence in figures that works out in exactly the same way with the President of the United States, the President of France, the Kings of England, Italy, Belgium and Serbia, the Emperor of Japan and the former Czar of Russia-8 rulers We give the figures for President Wilson-

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Divided by two 1918
The same items for the other seven added together (though the figures vary) produce exactly the same result. The Emperor of Germany varies the result by only one year, as fol-

Ascended throne 1888 Has reigned 58

Divided by two 1917
This collection of figures has been worked out by a New York tobacco firm to demonstrate that "the war will end in 1918," to which, The American Economist (N. Y.) adds the compilation for the Kaiser. The exhibit is at least a remarkable mathematical

Six Discharged from Camp Meade.

The exemption board, on Wednesday morning, received notice that the following men were exempted at Camp Meade, on account of disability and were ordered home: Albert W. Fuhrman, Edward D. Morris, Bernie Reifsnider, Preston C. Dell, Walter Bowman and Jesse M. Leatherwood. James McSherry Shriver, son of B. F. Shriver, of Union Mills, whose case has been pending before the President, was ordered to Camp Meade Wednesday morning.

More Billions Needed.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Congress was informed by Secretary McAdoo in his annual report submitted today that \$5,128,203,793 must be provided in addition to funds from taxes and bond issues already authorized in order to make estimated receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, equal disbursements. If this deficit is met by a new issue of bonds, the total amount of securities to be issued in the next seven months is estimated at \$9,969,-

For the next fiscal year, ending Mamie Dietrick, convey 371/2 square June 30, 1919, the estimated excess of disbursements over receipts is \$7,627,-

Huge war expenses and loans to America's allies at the rate of half billion dollars a month have made these estimates many times larger than any ever presented. Of the \$12,-316,000,000 estimated ordinary expenditures for the year ending next June 30, \$11,527,000,000 is for war purposes, and the proportion is about the same for the fiscal year ending in

So far the nation has borne the financial burdens of the war well, says Secretary McAdoo, owing to healthy business conditions, and the aid of the Federal Reserve system. Increasingly greater habits of economy must be developed by individuals an business institutions, the Secretary declares, and "business as usual" cannot be adopted as the guiding principle of the war. People must save and invest in Government securities to avoid postponing

Send Your Gifts Early.

Christmas presents to be sent long distances should go out unusually early, this year, owing to the general disrupted condition of all transportation facilities, including mail and express. Mail packages can be marked "not to be opened until Christmas" without extra charge. This also means that special orders, through local merchants, should be given immediately.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30th., 1917.

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.



the Star-Spangled Banner! Oh, long may it wave
O'er the land of the free, and the
home of the brave."

Governmental authority in Russia now comes and goes with the weeks. Now it is one, and then another, leader, and each one as he is deposed has to look out for his life. Surely, Rusunhappy countries of the world.

urday, thereby making card-playing one of the new luxuries. The result will likely be the hunting up of "old to-do people in every community who their Country's service who are now decks" which may yet be used for never gave a dollar, all told, in their in Camps, Cantonments or naval many "grand slams."

popular man in the country, but the to home-folks; but, giving to outside our own men and their families and optimist is often the biggest liar. Both charitable or benevolent objects, or to the Divisions, camps, and cantonments, of these chaps are now doing a great the relief of suffering, has been strict to ease the hardships of the men in deal of talking about the war, and if ly left out of their disbursements. is now to be the responsibility of the we express ourselves candidly, it is a Just pure selfishness, that's all; and toss-up as to which to rest our hopes | yet, such people are passably repre- | desire, a desire shared by all his ason. Somehow, we feel that there is sentative people in their neighbor- sistants, that any member of the Poa pretty large measure of genuine hoods-and even in "the church." How tomac Division of the Red Cross comfrankness that is being bottled up to have a Christmas, this year, is not ing to Washington shall feel that at

with a lot of other free trade stuff—to self—a new view of what we might, glad to take up cases of relief when let foreigners do the ship-building and monopolize the ocean carrying business, because it was "cheaper" than for Americans to do it. The war will be worth a lot, even if it does no more than knock a lot of slushy political theories out of the heads of our Congressional beauties-chiefly of the Western variety, of which La Follette is the brightest flower.

War-Saving Certificates.

cates, which is fully explained on the first page of this issue, should represent a popular plan of loaning the government money, and at the same for good-only for a few years until time represent an attractive form of saving money. Sums as low as 25c | finance some now under way, and see can be used, from time to time, with just what we can afford to do. We Uncle Sam as banker, and paying 4 percent compound interest.

this easy plan will require considerable promotion and personal canvassing, for somehow there is a more or less distinct impression afloat that can safely wait, are not popular now. government loans are not loans, nor In fact, all public expenditures, investments, but a sort of tax to be whether by bond issues or as plain apavoided. Nothing could be further propriations, not absolutely demanded from the truth, but the average small | for the public service, are plain eviinvestor is doubting, none the less.

some predict, it may take the place of legislature to put through pet further bond issues by bringing in billions of dollars from the big class | more or less proud because they sucthat has not yet invested largely in | ceeded, and not very guilty about bonds. It would also result in easing where the money was to come from. up the money market, and leave cash | We think right now is the opening for for other loans of an industrial and the other sort of representative-for general business character that are the kind that will discover ways to anxiously seeking money just now.

The Christmas Problem of this Year.

Just now, the question agitating a In a general way, the question is easy enough to answer, but to answer in specific detail would be very diffible out of place.

Ance of its organization and to them a few words of explanation may not be out of place.

Not only was Germany's policy based upon military power, but it was seen everywhere that the object of Cornell's militarian way not the object of the control of th cult. In general, this Christmas Briefly, then, very much as the

CARROLL RECORD apt to use it and regard it as a day, America. Each one of these thirteen or season, for "good times"-pleasures, and frivolity-and especially for Branches and Auxiliaries. The Pogift-giving and feasting It is a joyous time, and we rightfully enjoy it P. B. ENGLAR. Editor and Manager as such; but perhaps we have been and the District of Columbia and emphasizing this characteristic too within its limits there are approxiextensively, and our problems regard- mately five million persons, each one ing it, this year, are largely those connected with our customary lavishness, something to help the helpless, reif the truth be admitted.

It would be a very difficult proposition, even if it would be a wise one, to attempt to radically change longof abuses and extravagances, we can National Red Cross Army. do no better than say that "Christmas is-just Christmas"-and let it festive season.

to the normal—the real thing.

suit your own case and conscience.

sia takes the lead among the present need it more than ourselves and our have been drafted from the area of Playing cards received an extra tax | the real Christmas spirit, and, we the shoulders of the Potomac Divisof 5c a package, or 10c in all, last Sat- have from time immemorial been very in falls largely the care and comfort selfish, if we admit the truth.

have given to their church, spent for | ion. The pessimist is about the most un- their own enjoyment, and given gifts a very difficult problem if we will just this headquarters he or she will alearnestly get down to all of the facts, ways be heartily welcome, shall know Wasn't it a fool proposition—along which means taking a new view of it as a place where the officers will be and ought to do, for others.

Will there be a Road Loan?

This is one of the questions to come before the legislature. It is debatable, of course, for otherwise it would not be much of a question. The Record thinks the answer ought to be-'Some time, but not now." Maryland has been rushing the state road proposition in recent years, and has the results to show for it; but, it is very The issue of War-Saving Certifi- like the "preparedness for war" question-if we had commenced, long ago, it would not be costing so much now.

We would not have state roads stop, we take stock of new problems, waited many years before commencing to build roads, so we can well It is probable, however, that even afford to wait a little longer for more, especially as road-building, just now, is abnormally expensive.

dences of untimely financiering. The Should the plan be as popular, as time has been when men went to the schemes, local and otherwise, and felt save, instead of ways to spend.

Objects of the Red Cross.

Pretty much everybody knows what good many, is-What kind of a Christ- the objects of the American Red mas is it proper to have, this year ? | Cross are, but many are still in ignor-In a general way, the question is ance of its organization and to them

should not be very different from War Department has organized its others, if we celebrate according to army of war into various divisions, German ambition. The more clearly the true spirit of the season, which the Red Cross has lately organized the moral issues were defined, and the means, joyfully, temperately, ration- its army of mercy into thirteen dially; to bring good cheer and good visions, recalling to mind the original will, and to temper all with thoughts organization of our Country, with its would be defeated but that civilization appropriate to the coming of Him thirteen states. These divisions, in- at large would have gained much whom the great day commemorates. dependent of each other, are all the from the struggle.—From "The Progress of the World," in the American We do not, however, live up to the ereation of and responsible to the parbest sentiments of the day, but are ent body, the National Red Cross of 1917.

divisions is sub-divided into Chapters, tomac Division covers the states of Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland of whom, without exception, can do lieve suffering on the field of battle, in the camp and in the homes of those who have given their dear ones to the Country. Out of this great number, standing methods of celebrating it is hoped that we may create one of Christmas. Even with its long list the most important Divisions in the

The Honorable Henry White, former Ambassador to France, the comgo at that; so, when we face many manding officer of this Division, has present changed conditions, we natur- established headquarters at 932 14th ally wonder just how we are going to St., N. W., Washington, D. C. He is best fit them together for the coming assisted in his work by eight Lieutenants, or to give them their real We would not say, "Stop gift-giv- title, Directors of Bureaus, while No, that would be an unneces- each Chapter, Branch and Auxiliary sary "conservation," and an unwise has its own immediate officers. The one. It would be placing an exagger- headquarters aides are David H. ated conclusion on "the times." It Brown in charge of the Development would be indulgence in heroics without | Bureau; J. H. Purdy, Bureau of Pubjustification. But, surely this is a licity; Mrs. Frank M. Chapman, Bugood time—a very proper time—to reau of Woman's Work; Miss Georgia indulge in a real Christmas, so far as Nevins, Bureau of Nursing; Dr. J. W. gift-giving is concerned. We have Magruder, Bureau of Civilian Relief; been over-doing Christmas, these Admiral Richard Wainwright, Bureau many years; so now let us get back of Supplies; and Paul Quattlander, Bureau of Accounting.

Let gifts represent love, not dis- | Already 79 Chapters have been orplay; the wish of our heart, not the ganized in Virginia, 43 in West Virgiving for form's sake; according to ginia, 21 in Maryland and one in the our ability, not extravagantly; for District of Columbia, with, in all, 188 practical use, not expensive trifles; Auxiliaries of Chapters, 262 Branches having in view the best use of our and 35 organizations for Civilian Remoney, and not selfish use. This is lief. More Chapters and Auxiliaries only the line of thought that seems to | will be formed as recruits enlist in us timely and proper-elaborate it to the work, and soon no home in this division will be too remotely situated This should be a year to turn our to be in close touch with some one of Christmas thoughts toward a new di- its branches. The first thought of rection for most of us; toward those our people naturally will be of their who most need Christmas joy-who own men, of whom 50,000 already immediate families-and broaden out the Potomac Division for service in with our generosity. Selfishness kills the National Army. Besides this on of 250,000 soldiers, sailors, marines, Why, there are hundreds of well- aviators, engineers and other men in whole lives, to real charity. They bases in the small area of this Divis-

To provide for the actual needs of Potomac Division. It is Mr. White's asked to do so, to give information on any subject pertaining to our great work, to look up addresses or conditions of riends, to send documents or literature-in short to make themselves generally useful in connection with Red Cross activities.

Contrasting Standards.

The new world in which all wise and sensible people hope to live is to be a world in which moral power is substituted for physical force. The most marvelous thing that has happened since 1914 is the rapid evolution of this new world. In a very substantial sense the coming together of the nations for justice is already taking place, and the dream of the international reformers is being realized amidst the clash of arms. It is incumbent upon us, therefore, to keep honor bright and to keep enthusiasm high. We are far from perfect in this country, and life has its sordid and selfish side in every race and na-But there is such a thing as a declared and accepted standard of public and official conduct, precisely as Bond issues, for improvements that | there are standards in the business and social communities, and in private life; and our public standards to-day are elevated and ethical. The are in accord with justice, while being

tempered with generosity.

The standards of German public policy, on the other hand, are not those of justice and generosity. The conviction that Germany is pursuing policies and methods dangerous not only to Europe but to the world's civilization, has progressively alienated one country after another. It was not that other European powers were blameless, or had made records wholly free from the stain of greed and aggression. But while these other powers were coming under the restraints of moral power—restraints exercised wholesomely through public opinion at home and abroad—Germany had definitely rejected the principles of justice and had become the chief surviving type of a government whose policy was based upon the unrestricted use of physical force.

Germany's militarism was not the defense of rights, but the trampling down of whatsoever lay in the path of more completely the Allies purified their own war aims, the more certain Review of Reviews for November,

CATERPILLARS CAUSE RASH

Several Cases of Blood Poisoning Reported at Emergency Hospital of Salt Lake City.

No less than four cases of blood poisoning and body rash caused by a virulent variety of caterpillar have been reported to the emergency hospital, says the Salt Lake Tribune. Mrs. Dean R. Daynes of 876 South West Temple street, appealed to the city officials for advice in regard to a rash that had broken out on her baby's back. Mrs. Daynes said she had found an ordinary looking yellow caterpillar in her baby's clothing and discovered the rash later. She was advised to call in a physician immediately.

"Caterpillars are the larvae of a lepidopterous insect, not necessarily a butterfly, in the first stage of metamorphosis," according to Webster. The larvae of such insects as the geometrid moth or the hawk moth are smooth and are not poisonous. The large yellow haired ones have a pencil of hairs that look like horns and a fasicule of hairs that resembles a tail. It is the sting from these hairs that poisons, as it is almost impossible for the insect to bite.

No case of a caterpillar sting has proved fatal, so far as the officials of the Salt Lake hospitals know. Mothers were advised to keep their very young children off lawns and from beneath trees, unless some one was in attendance to watch them.

George Williams, thirty-eight years old, of 537 South West Temple, also of Salt Lake, was bitten on the thigh by a caterpillar while in bed. Within an hour the poison had spread through his entire system and a rash had broken out on his arms and back. He was treated at the emergency hospital, bringing the caterpillar with

WRITES HIMSELF TO DEATH

Anagram Writing From Shakespeare's Works Takes Vitality of Noted British Author.

The death of Capt. Basil Willett Charles Hood, the British author, was, brought about by his excessive attempts at anagram writing from Shakespeare's works, according to testimony at the inquest in London. He was fifty-three years old and a former officer of the Prince of Wales' West Yorkshire regiment.

The coroner, according to the London Times, said it was evident what caused death. Captain Hood was engaged in a laborious undertaking, constructing writing out of the cryptograms which he alleged that he found

in Shakespeare. "There are reams of writing here," said the coroner. "Every single letter is written most carefully, and it must take months to file all this stuff about secret writing and various messages which he purported to have found concealed by means of cryptograms in Hamlet and other plays. It seems to me that he has been working very late at night and all day at this rubbish-it cannot be called anything else-and has been exhausting himself and wearing out his nervous system by going without a proper amount of nourishment because he thought his brain more active on an empty stomach. All the time he was using his strength in this way he was exhausting his strength."

Soldiers' Chance of Life.

If you, a drafted man, believe that statistics tell the truth, you will feel as safe in France as you usually do in the streets of New York. So says Roger W. Babson, the eminent statistician, according to Popular Science Monthly. Furthermore, he says that the man who is connected with the heavy field artillery is no more likely to be killed than one in the employ of a railroad. However, he does not hold out such high hopes for the lieutenants, sergeants and corporals, the death rate being very much greater among officers than among privates. Also, the mortality is higher among volunteer corps than among drafted men. Sixty men per thousand are now being killed in the war, and about 150 men out of each thousand are

One Year to Travel 25 Miles. Rudolph Manderson, chief of the Southern party of Stefensson arctic expedition, has received a letter from Rev. H. Girling, Emanuel, Saskatoon, who for the last three years has been trying to reach the so-called blond Eskimos. The little boat in which three missionaries comprising the party were traveling was blown up by an explosion last spring, and they lost the greater part of their supplies. In a year's time the party had suc ceeded in traveling only 25 miles along the coast, so great were the difficulties experienced.

Should Keep Time With Feet. The wrist watch has been made pop ular by the boys in khaki. It is much nore convenient they find to turn up their sleeve and note the time than it is to dig in their jeans to discover it. But, according to a facetious member of the camp at Van Cortlandt Park, it ooks as if the cherished fad will be ent to the discard. "The old man," neaning, of course, the colonel, he said, s very much up in the air about wrist watches. What he wants mostly is for

Yum, Yum.

"George!"

"They say there is danger of a gar shortage.

pokies to keep time with their feet."

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(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Although the feeding of marketable potatoes to hogs is unprofitable unless corn is worth four and one-half times as much as the potatoes, the culls and other unmarketable potatoes usually can be fed advantageously, no matter what the comparative price of corn. At such times as the present when corn is high and potatoes plentiful, the feeding of culls to hogs is especially desirable. A waste is utilized and more valuable feed is saved; transportation charges on a poor product are saved; and the potatoes marketed bring a higher price than they would if the small ones were included.

Potatoes resemble corn in composition, and this is especially true of sweet potatoes. Both corn and potatoes are poor in protein and rich in carbohydrates, thus they make fat rather than bone and muscle. The potatoes should be boiled or steamed until they form a mealy mash, which should be mixed with some other feed such as corn meal, shorts or bran. Only enough water should be added in the cooking to prevent burning and to make a thick mash. While some potatoes may be fed raw to add succulence to the ration, they should be given only at intervals and in small quantities. Too many are likely to cause scours.

A potato ration should be supplemented with feeds rich in nitrogen, such as old-process linseed-oil meal or fresh meal. Where sweet potatoes are plentiful and cheap a combination with gluten meal and skim milk makes a good ration.

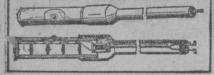
shoats made one pound of gain for each 3.13 pounds of grain when they were allowed to do their own harvesting of raw sweet potatoes. Sweet potatoes are said to be the best root crop for pigs for fall and winter grazing in the cut-over pine lands of the

The meat of potato-fed hogs is equal in quality to pork from a grain ration, but the latter is likely to carry a greater finish. After cooling there is no appreciable difference in firmness of the carcass between a potato-fed and grain-fed animal.

ELECTRIC PROD FOR ANIMALS

Handle Holds Dry Batteries, Coil, Wire and Button-Shock Is Said to Be Effective.

Dry batteries make the use of electricity possible in many novel appliances, writes C. J. Lynde in Farmers' Mail and Breeze. The following cut will not injure the flesh or hide. The first cut shows the prod as it looks when completed. The larger end is



Electric Animal Prod.

teries, coil, wires and button, as shown in the second cut. The small end has two metal terminals a short distance apart. In use, the terminals are placed against the horse and the button is pressed. The horse then receives an electric shock which is much more effective than an ordinary

YOUNG COLT NEEDS SHELTER

At Night Animal Needs Protection From Cold and Storms-Allow Liberty Next Morning.

When the nights become cold and frosty the young colt should be sheltered each night, but allow it its liberty again the following morning. It never pays to confine a colt unnecessarily, as it needs lots of exercise, fresh air and plenty of good feed in order to develop bone and muscle and to grow into a large shapely animal. Half of a horse's growth is made during the first twelve or fifteen months of its life, hence during this period the aim should be to secure a uniform and proper development of all the parts of the young animal. Keep the colt in a thrifty, growing condition every day during its first winter. Feed liberally; it is costly economy to stunt the colt by stingy feeding. The growing colt should never be in high flesh, however, but just in good growing condition.

SOME KNOWLEDGE IS NEEDED

Foolish to Think That Anyone Can Successfully Manage Farm Right From Start.

While it is well to encourage the "Back-to-the-soil" movement, especially among young people, it is foolish to think that anyone can manage a farm successfully from the first. It requires careful study and patience, year in and year cut, but the person who has industry and common sense will succeed in the end.

**************** SOME SILO SAYINGS.

"Save the grain" is the motto

Using silage to feed the cow. Stave off the high costs of dairy feeds with a stave silo. Don't be satisfied with the abstract idea of having a silo;

make it concrete. It can't rot out, blow down or burn up. You like canned fruits and vegetables during the winter. Silage, says the United States department of agriculture, is the

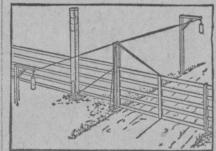
dairy cow's canned stuff. If you feed only the ears you lose nearly half the food value in the corn crop. Turn the leaves and stalks into silage and save that 40 per cent.

After all is said, the fact remains that the two necessary war foods are bread and milk. For winter milk production nothing equals the silo.

****************** TILTING GATE QUITE SIMPLE

Inexpensive Arrangement Operated by Weights-Eliminates Shocks and Wear on Mechanism.

The Scientific American, in illustrating and describing a gate, invented by J. W. Loveland of Lincoln, Ill., says: An object of the invention is to provide a simple and inexpensive tilt-



Perspective View of Gate.

In one case of experimental feeding ing gate, so as to eliminate shocks and wear upon the various parts of the gate mechanism.

BAD TIME FOR HOG CHOLERA

Nation Cannot Afford Loss Involved in Burning \$16-Hogs That Have Died of Cholera.

Burning \$16-hogs that have died of cholera is no pleasant duty. The na tion, moreover, cannot afford the food losses in this country of more than

Every hog raiser can aid in preventing so great a loss from cholera recur ring this year. Keep the hogs healthy. Clean pens, clean water and right feeding increase the hog's resistance to disease.

Effective control of hog cholera requires more than individual effort. It requires neighborhood co-operation, When cholera appears in a vicinity all hogs on neighboring farms should be promptly treated with serum or serum t is said and virus.

Quarantine of the premises where there is cholera or where herds have been double-treated should be enforced for a reasonable time. Hogs dying from cholera should also be quickly burned or buried, and a thorough disinfection made of the yards and pens before the quarantine is re-

KEEP FOOD HOPPERS CLOSED

the handle which contains the bat- Enormous Amount of Grain Consumed by Rats and Mice Can Be Partially Avoided at Night.

> The amount of grain consumed by rats and mice is enormous. This can not be avoided entirely, but there is no reason why rats and mice should have access to the food hoppers at night, and fill themselves up on mash. When the chickens have gone to roost, close the hoppers. If there is a leak,

> Keep deep litter on the floor, and toss it up each night, so that the hens will have no difficulty in scratching in it. This kind of exercise in the morning will be good for them.

PROPER SEEDBED FOR GRAIN

Soil Should Be Mellow and Well Pulverized About as Deep as the Seed Is Planted.

The ideal seedbed for sowing small grain should be mellow, but well pulverized about as deep as the seed is planted. Below the depth at which the seed is planted, the soil should be firm and well settled, making a good connection with the subsoil, so the water stored in the deeper soil may be drawn up by capillarity into the surface soil. The firm soil below the sprouting seed supplies the necessary moisture while the mellow soil above favors the upward growth of the young shoots in the air and sunshine.

GOOD COMBINATION ON FARM

Grasses and Live Stock Go Hand in Hand-Proper System of Rotation Is Favored.

Grass and livestock should go hand in hand. There is no farm which, if properly managed and kept at least one-half of the time in grasses and clovers, and gradually brought under a proper system of rotation, would not produce more, in fact double the crops which it now does, and yet constantly be growing better and better.

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WOMEN IN DRAMATIC ROLES

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The following characterizations of Shakespeare's women are from the pen of. Dr. George Brandes, the famous Danish, critic, the Philadelphia Inquirer states:

Katharine, "Taming of the Shrew;" high-spirited, self-willed, but lova-Beatrice, "Much Ado About Nothing;" high intellect, combative, energetic, daringly witty. Rosalind, "As You Like It;" gay without a sting, sensitive and intelligent; loving passionately and being passionately loved. Viola, "Twelfth Night;" sound of understanding, emotional, deep and patient, with great power of passive love. Lady Macbeth, "Macbeth;" wicked even to the point of brutality under stress of passionate love and great ambition. Portia, "Merchant of Venice;" thoroughly genuine, almost masculine, yet most womanly in power of self-surrender. Helena, "Love's Labor Lost;" high souled type of loving and cruelly maltreated woman. Tamora, "Titus Andronicus;" powerful intellect, defiant of morality. Juliet, Romeo and Juliet;" passionate love, yet under control of principle. Cordelia, "King Lear;" filial love, kindness of heart. Cleopatra, "Anthony and Cleopatra;" quintessentially erotic emotion chemically free from all other elements. Marina, "Pericles;" nobility of character. Isabelle, "Measure for Measure;" spotless purity of soul. Imogen, "Cymbeline:" born for happiness, inured to suffering, calm, collected. Hermione, "Winter's Tale;" majestically lovable, grand and gracious simplicity. Ophelia, "Hamlet;" unobtrusive affection, devotion even to insanity. Miranda, "Tempest;" all that is admirable in woman, maidenly, immaculate. Desdemona, "Othello;" victim of jealousy.

MILLIONS WORK IN MINES

More Than Half of the 6,000,000 Men Employed Below Earth's Surface Dig Coal.

The magnitude of the mining industry may be grasped when one realizes that more than 6,000,000 men are engaged in the mines of the world. Of this number 3,800,000 are employed in the coal mines and 2,200,000 in the metal mines. In addition, millions more are engaged in allied industries dependent directly upon the mines for coal and metal, according to the Engineering and Mining Journal.

Mining is one of the hazardous industries employing over 1,000,000 men in the United States, in which three out of every 1,000 men employed are killed every year by reason of some accident. While complete data relating to non-fatal injuries are not available. reports to the United States bureau of mines for all metal mines in the United States show that about 200 men per thousand per year are injured sufficiently to cause a loss of time. A reduction of 50 per cent in the number of mine accidents would of 1500 lives in the United States every year, in addition to reducing the loss of time and suffering resulting from more than 200,-000 non-fatal injuries.

Snow and Ice Worms.

There are at present known in the world approximately 60 species and varieties of snow and ice worms. Sexually mature specimens, yellowish to a dark reddish brown or black in color, about an inch long and one-twentieth inch in diameter were found in February and April (1916) abundantly on the open snow fields of Mount Rainier, at an elevation of 2,750 to 5,600 feet above sea level. They also occurred on the snow on the mountain slope protected by a dense forest of fir and hemlock.

These worms have not thus far been found on solid ice nor on the glaciers, though they occur on the snow below the ice from and outside of the lateral moraines of the Nisqually glacier. The snow on which they were found is not permanent through the entire season, but melts with the coming of summer, and it therefore appears that a part of their life must be spent on or in the

Telephone Many Years Ago. There are not so many new things under the sun as people suppose. The telephone has the credit of being an entire novelty, yet Robert Hooke two hundred and odd years ago, wrote:

"I have by a distended wire propagated sound to a very considerable distance in an instant, or with as seemingly quick a motion as that of light; and this not only in a straight line, or direct, but in one bended in many angles."

Here was the invention of the telephone right in hand, so to speak, only Hooke did not follow up the lead. So the world had to wait two centuries for the admirable instrument which saves so much of humanity's time today.

How Silk Worms Work.

On attaining their full growth silk worms seek something to which to attach themselves in order to wind themselves up in their silk envelopes. Having found it, the worm spins a thread from 500 to 1,000 yards long, wrapping it around its body as it spins. This takes from 36 to 48 hours. If left alone the worm's skin hardens, its internal organs disintegrate to a thin jelly and then begin reorganizing themselves into those of a butterfly. Within a week or ten days it would be a butterfly and as such would eat its way out through its envelope of



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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

About the first of the year-or as soon as we get the names-we want to send out "sample copies," for three weeks, to persons in your neighborhood who are not subscribers to The Record—good responsible people who can afford to subscribe for a three months trial, or for longer time if they desire.

As a financial venture we do not expect any profit out of it, as there is no profit in a Dollar weekly just now; but, The Record wants to do business, and have new subscribers, just as though it really paid, and we ask our correspondents to kindly forward the names, on a separate slip of paper, along with their news letters.

We do not want over 100 names, but will try the experiment if only 50 are received. We will "follow up" these samples with a plan of our own, and give our correspondents no further trouble than to furnish the

This request, by the way, is not limited to "correspondents," for we will be glad to receive good names from communities where we may not have a representative.

THE CARROLL RECORD.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

The Board of Trustees of Blue Ridge College met in special session, last week, to discuss a \$250,000 endowment campaign for the College. There was present at this meeting, Mr. John Heckman, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Mt. Morris College, Ill., who explained the methods which were used in the recent endowment campaign of the College which he represents. He put enthusiasm into the hearts of the Trustees, and made them feel that this campaign will be a success, if they have faith in it. The date for the opening of the campaign was fixed for Inn 14 the campaign was fixed for Jan. 14, 1918. In the meantime, plans will be made and discussed concerning this important affair, and every loyal friend of Blue Ridge will be ready to do his part to make the campaign a success; and if this be the case, the dream of a greater Blue Ridge will seen by realized. soon be realized.

A number of the students went to Westminster, Friday, in behalf of the endowment campaign.

Dr. Holsopple preached a Thanks-giving sermon in the Presbyterian church, Thursday morning.

The students who remained at the College over Thanksgiving, gave a during the week.

play on Friday evening.
The following were visitors at the College over Thanksgiving: Misses Gretta and Cosie Wyndham, of Boyce, Va.; Mr. Miller and Mr. Bender, of Springs, Pa.; John and Galend Peck,

Mrs. Holsopple entertained, on Saturday evening, in honor of the Misses

The following students of Blue Ridge attended the lovefeast in Hagerstown: Misses Jennie Beer and Viola Snively, and Messrs. Paul Zuck and Ellis Wulfkill.

Most of the students have returned from their vacation, ready for three weeks of hard work, before Christmas Blue Ridge College will play a basket ball game with the Polytechnic School, Baltimore, on Friday evening, in the gymnasium.

BARK HILL.

Sunday School, next Sunday, at 9:30 A. M.; C. E. at 6 P. M.; preaching at 7 P. M.

Raymond Rowe and Miss May Shaefer, of Westminster, were guests of Levi Rowe and wife, on Sunday. Miss Grace Sullivan, of Uniontown, was a visitor at Mrs. Ellen Rowe's, on

The Church of God is holding a series of meetings, with some degree of success. Rev. C. Amos Reynolds

Frank Rose and wife, of Union

Bridge, were visitors in town, on Harry Eckard has been kept busy butchering for the last three weeks.

in one day Samuel Gilbert and wife were visitors at John Koontz's, on Sunday.

Last week he butchered at three places

NEW MIDWAY.

Much progress is being made by members of the Union Sunday School for their Christmas service.

David Clarke spent some time with friends and relatives in Lewistown and Frederick

After a lingering illness, Mrs. David Dorcus passed away on Wednesday

Private Raymond Albaugh, of Camp Meade, spent Thanksgiving at home. Mrs. Wade Hedges, of Baltimore, spent a few days, last week, with her parents, Elmer Phillips and wife.

Dr. J. W. Helm and son, John, of

New Windsor, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mrs. N. W. Barrett, wife of the

Mrs. N. W. Barrett, wife of the manager of our new creamery, arrived here from northern New York State, last Saturday.

Auburn, N. Y.

UNIONTOWN.

Mrs. Annie Wright, who has been very acceptable teacher in our school for several years, was called to Washington to accept a government position, last week, having passed the civil service examination. Her pupils were very sorry to give her up. Miss Eliza Zollickoffer took charge as assistant to H. B. Fogle, on Monday.

Preston Kaufman, one of the boys from Camp Meade, visited friends in town, first of the week.

Miss Orpha Beachy, of Blue Ridge College, spent Thanksgiving with Miss Hilda Englar. Charles Selby, wife, and daughter, of Waynesboro, were guests at the same home.

Mrs. Carroll Weaver and daughter, Mary Louise, of Baltimore, are visit-ing at H. H. Weaver's.

Gover Routson, wife and daughter, Mrs. Samuel Wetzel and little son, and Hayden Michaels, of Waynesboro, visited relatives and friends in town

Richard Diehl, of Hagerstown, spent
Thanksgiving at the home of his
grandfather, William Bankerd.
Ezra Caylor left, on Tuesday, to
join a party at Blue Ridge Summit,
who are going out to hunt deer on the

who are going out to hunt deer on the mountain.

Theodore Eckard, Jr., came home on Saturday, from Uniontown, Pa., where he has been travelling for the Pain

Last Thursday, members of Winter's congregation came to the parsonage, well supplied with articles for store-room and cellar, for the parson, Rev. Saltzgiver and wife, and also

furnished an appetizing lunch.

The M. P. congregation sent a very good donation of eatables to the Old Folks' Home, in Westminster, last

U. G. Heltibridle is moving his place of business into a room in an adjoining building, were he will have more room to receive his patrons. of the Paul Devilbiss has gone to Arizona, town for the winter, for the benefit of the

Walter Devilbiss, of Philadelphia, second son of Snader Devilbiss, has enlisted as a machinist in an aviation

corps, and left the past week for Fort Houston, Texas, where they expect to remain for a time.

Dr. J. J. Weaver has sold his farming lot adjoining town, to Chas. A.

Mrs, Dilley, of Frostburg, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Angele Dilley, at Chas. Carbaugh's, the past week.

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DETOUR.

A train wreck was narrowly escaped by the Fast Mail, one morning last week, when the switch here was open. The block signal gave timely

Jacob Myerly and John Brewer were in Frederck, on business, Wednesday.

Nora Hahn is visiting in Baltimore. Harry Speilman, of Washington, and Fannie Brown, of Smithsburg, visited Robert Speilman and wife, a few days last week

sore knee; the cause of the soreness has not yet been ascertained. Mary Renner visited in Frederick Judge Thomas Haines and wife

UNION BRIDGE.

Some of "our boys" have visited us by proxy in the form of photographs. It is a pleasure to gaze at their smiling faces and it fills us with pride that our town is represented in almost every branch of the service.

Union Bridge district contributed almost \$700. during the Y. M. C. A. drive. It was a pleasure.

Every man, woman and child a member of the Red Cross, is the goal set for the week before Christmas-10,000,000 new members-and Union Bridge is to furnish 227 to make this

Mrs. G. A. Hartman will dispose of her household effects on Saturday, preparatory to her removal to Baltimore. We are sorry to part with her.

Miss Crebbs, of Taneytown, has been appointed to the teaching force of the local school, and began her duties on Monday, in the 3rd grade.

Eighteen empty beer kegs and a case of empty bottles at the freight station, is a strange sight to behold in a dry town.

The Sunday Schools are practicing for the Christmas entertainments. "Peace on earth" was never more

Mrs. Malone has returned from a week's visit to Pittsburgh.

The M. P. Church will hold a sale of fancy work articles, on Friday and

Saturday evenings of this week.

MIDDLEBURG.

Charley McKinney was badly injured at the railroad shops, in Union Bridge. He made a misstep and fell into the turntable pit and fell across some iron rods. Charles Myers, of Baltimore, spent a few days this week with his mother, Mrs.

Carrie Bowman and Helen Crawner entertained the Girls' Club, of Union Bridge, on Thanksgiving night.

John Fisher, of Camp Meade, spent Thanksgiving with friends. Mrs John Mackley spent a few days with her sister, Wrs. Daniel Bohn, at McKinstry Mills. The Christmas entertainment will be

eld on Christmas eve. -----Stomach Trouble and Constipation. Those who are afflicted with stom-

ach trouble and constipation should read the following: "I have never found anything so good for stomach trouble and constipation as Chamberlain's Tablets. I have used them off and on now for the past two years. They not only regulate the action of the bowels but stimulate the liver and

LINWOOD.

Rev. Riddle returned on Friday from Indiana, where he had gone to attend

the funeral of his youngest brother.

James Etzler bought Mrs. Albaugh's property, for \$6025. The tenant house, across the railroad track, was sold to Harry Smith, colored, for \$500. We hear Bud Albaugh has rented Jas. Etzler's farm, and he will occupy his new home in the village, this Spring.

Lieut. Mac. Rouzer was home, Sunday, looking spick and span in his new

Mrs. Elsie Rinehart spent several days with friends at Blue Ridge Summitt and Waynesboro.

Miss Elsie Gilbert, of Hagerstown, spent her Thanksgiving holidays at Linwood Shade. Mrs. Samuel Brandenburg is visiting her mother, near Johnsville. She

recently passed her 89th birthday. The S. S. C. E. will meet this Friday afternoon, at Mrs. Clara Englar's. H. Englar spent the week-end | Church, Harney. with home folks, and enjoyed the time

PINEY CREEK.

Messrs Edgar and Harry Shildt and ister, Miss Lora, of Ladiesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowers and Miss Ada Bowers, of Walnut Grove; Miss Mary Hilbert of Bethel, and Jesse Sauerwein were guests f Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Bowers on Sun-

Miss Marie Rinehart, spent Sunday in Taneytown, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. He leaves a widow, daughter of the Norval Cutsail.

He leaves a widow, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Americus Shoe-

Harry Newcomer, of Frederick, Miss Mary Hilbert, of Bethel, and Earl Lan-singer, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sauerwein, on Thurs-

Edward Hawk is employed in the office ers and four sisters: George and of the Adaros County Independent Littles- Frank, and Mrs. Mary J. Valentine

Master Russel Lemmon is spending the week with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowers, at Hanover.

Mrs. Alfred Bowers, at Hanover.

Gettysburg, Pa., and Mrs. Amelia Mr. and Mrs. Milton Study and sons,

Floyd and Paul, of near Silver Run, spent Sunday with Oliver Hesson and family. Andrew Graham and family, of Kump, and Edgar Sauerwein and sister, Miss Catherine, spent Sunday with Jacob Sentz and family, at Taneytown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mayers and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Lynn, at Littlestown.

The last Herbert B.

NEW WINDSOR.

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Mrs. John Beard spent Saturday and Sunday last, at Thomas Fritz's.

Bernard Fisher and wife, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last here, with G. C. Devilspent Sunday last here, with G. C. Devil-

Master Truman Ensor and sister, Miss Mildred, spent from Thursday until Sunday visiting in Baltimore.

Donald Hay, of Baltimore, is spending the week here with his family.

Mrs. Dr. Meyers is on a visit to friends in Philadelphia and New York.

Miss Vannie Wilson, spent Tuesday in Westminster.

Edward Baker is quite ill at this writ-Albert Galt, of Camp Meade, spent personal property and settled her Saturday and Sunday last here, with his first account.

Mrs. Clyde Fisher, died at her home early Monday morning, in convulsions. She leaves a husband, one son 4 years, and a daughter 1 day old. Funeral from Harry Albaugh is suffering from a her late home on Wednesday afternoon. Services and interment at Winter's Church. She was the oldest daughter of

Chamberlain's Tablets.

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UNION MILLS.

Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. Billman and Miss Mary Wetzel, of Hanover, were guests of Dr, Wetzel, from Saturday until Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Shanner and two children

are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Yingling and Chas. Herman. of Baltimore were guusts of Welden R. Nusbaum and family over

Mrs. Bernard Ecker and daughter, Margaret, spent several days last week with Rev. J. P. Koontz and family, in

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trostle and son of Gamber, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweigart, of Westminster, spent last Sunday with Monias V. Bankert and family.

Misses L. Miraud Nusbaum, Beryl Erb, Margaret Sloan and Messrs W. M. Penn, Raymond Markle and A. J. Be miller, were among the teachers who spent last week in Baltimore, attending

How to Prevent Croup.

the State Teachers' Meeting.

In a child that is subject to attacks of croup, the first indication of the disease is hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off and all danger and anxiety avoided.

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Oliver S. Metzerott, Republican, the Senator-elect from Prince George's county, did not get a commission in the army at the training camp at Fort Myer, which has just closed, and thereturned as defeated, would contest the | truck factories are expanding. seat from Prince George's. Mr. Metzerott's plurality is a very small Metzerott's plurality is a very small ing their working forces because the one, on the face of the returns. He public is buying less of their products was at the training camp all through the campaign. He is well-known in gloves, fancy sweaters, brooms and Annapolis, and is the Republican floor brushes, type-writers and high-grade leader in the present House.

MARRIED.

MILLER-ROWE.

Alvin W. Miller, Taneytown, and Miss Beatrice E. Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Rowe, Hanover, Pa., were married Saturday in York, Pa., by Rev. Daniel Bowser. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will live in Taneytown.

DIED.

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

MR. THOMAS J. HESS.

Mr. Thomas Jefferson Hess, formerly of Harney, died at an early hour Wednesday morning, in Hagerstown, from a complication of diseases, aged 60 years, 6 months. Funeral services will be held this Saturday morning, at 11 o'clock, at the United Brethren

MR. HENRY SMITH.

Mr. Henry Smith died suddenly at his home near Taneytown, on Saturday evening. He received a stroke of paralysis about 4 o'clock and died six hours later. Mr. Smith was a huckster, having followed the business for many years. He had first been paralyzed last January, but his sudden death was quite unexpected. His age was 72 years, 1 month, 9 days.

maker, and three children: Mrs. Samuel Clingan, of this district, and Vernon and Mary, living at home. Funeral services at his home, on Tuesday morning, by Rev. S. R. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lemmon, of Downie, interment in the Reformed

Kump, spent Thursday with their son, cemetery.
William Lemmon and family.

He is also survived by three broth-Frank, and Mrs. Mrs. Alfred of Motter's Station; Mrs. Alfred of Motter's Station; Mrs. Alfred of Motter's Station; Dorsey, Angel, near Taneytown.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Dec. 3, 1917.—Letters of guardianship of Helen F. and Mary H. Spencer, were granted unto Mary

The last will and testament of Herbert B. Davidson, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testa-

ceased, returned inventories of per sonal property and received an order to sell personal property and stocks. Annie E. Reaver and Rufus W. Reaver, administrators of William E.

Reaver, deceased, reported sale of personal property and settled their first Westminster.

Misses Shunk and McCaffrey, attended the Teachers' Conference, held at Westminster, on Tuesday.

Edward Baker is quite ill.

order to notify creditors.

Julia A. Basler, executrix of John
T. Basler, deceased, reported sale of

Frank M. Snader, executor of Emma H. Snader, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts and

Dorry R. Zepp, executor of Joseph Zepp, deceased, settled his first and final account. real estate of Thos. Sinnott, deceased,

was finally ratified and confirmed.

Cornelia L. Myers and Nettie A Weaver, executrices of Edman H. Weaver, deceased, reported sale of real estate. The last will and testament of John C. Hartman, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary

thereon were granted unto George A.

Hartman, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify cred-The last will and testament of John E. Bromwell, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Florence Bromwell, who received warrant to ap-

praise and an order to notify credi Letters of administration on the estate of George A. Utz, deceased, were granted unto Savilla M. Utz and Thomas E. Utz, who received warran to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

The Labor Situation.

Washington, Dec. 5 .- Unrest among workers on war contracts because of the belief that the firms are taking excess profits is reported by a Federal survey of labor conditions in New York State. The survey finds large numbers of women replacing men and workers being laid off in nonessential

The inquiry, which is being made through the employment agencies of the Department of Labor, has covered thirty-seven cities to date. It has been found that war-order firms employing 168,446 persons want 23,048 additional workers.

Approximately 57 per cent of the demand for more laborers came from airplane and seaplane factories. Additional workers also are needed by makers of ordnance and ammunition, iron and steel castings, machinery, scientific instruments and optical sup plies, knit goods, electrical apparatus and supplies, chemicals and trucks and motor vehicles. It was found that firms expanding their operating forces and firms laying off employes frequently were in the same industry.

Carpet factories are discharging workers because demand for their goods has fallen off, but duck and woolen mills want additional emfore will enter upon his term in the State Senate. There has been talk that Senator Holmead, who was re-

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The right thing to eyes examined and glasses. To put it off trouble. So come to



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Buy your Tires this month and save money, as they are going to advance about 15% the first of the year. Goodyear Large Diamond, 30x3½, \$20.; 30x3, \$15.75. United "Non Skid" 4000 miles guaranteed; 30x3½,

\$18.75; 30x3, \$14.25. Goodyear & Michlen Inner Tubes, \$2.75 to \$4.50. Champion X Spark Plugs, 75c. Champion X Porcelains, 45c.

Little Giant Spark Plugs, 60c. Long Henry's Spark Plugs, 50c. Fan Belts, 25c to 45c. Marvel Jr. Vulcanizers, with 6 Patches, \$1.25. Extra Patches, by the dozen, \$1.00. $30x3\frac{1}{2}$ Rid-O-Skid Chains, \$3.25. Red Seal Dry Batteries, 40c each. Cup Grease and Gear Life, 75c Bucket.
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MAJOR CHARLES SWEENEY WILL ADDRESS THE MEETING.

From the standpoint of service with the armies of Europe and honors won, Major Sweeney is proba bly the most distinguished real soldier in this country today. Major Sweeney is an American, a graduate of West Point, enlisted as a private in the foreign legion August 4, 1914.

Major Sweeney has been decorated with the Legion of Honor, Croix de Guerre and Medal Militaire. Marshall Joffre on three different occasions cited Major Sweeney in the order of the day for conspicuous ocurage and bravery on the field of battle.

Major Sweeney has been "over the top" more than two hundred times, has been shot through the lungs once, through the liver twice and gassed. Colliers Weekly published Major Sweeney's picture lately with the statement that he had won all the

honors the French Government could award. Vanity Fair produced his picture as their candidate for the Hall of Fame and the kind of man, who did not know he was famous until he saw it in the magazines.

Marshall Joffre brought him back to this country as a member of his commission and left him here as authority in hand grenades and bayonet work. He is now stationed at Camp Lee.

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The use of the Alumni Hall is tendered by Dr. T. H. Lewis, President of the Western Maryland College, for which the Christmas Membership Committee of the Red Cross is most appreciative.

The expense of this advertisement is paid by the B. F. Shriver Co., as a contribution toward the success of the Christmas Membership Campaign of the Red Cross to secure ten million new members by

Protest Against Appointment of Robert Crain.

Whereas, Mr. Robert Crain, Attorney for the National Brewers' Association, has been appointed a director of the War Savings Fund Campaign for Maryland, and

Whereas, This work will require the support and co-operation of the ministers, Sunday Schools and different church organizations of the state and, since there is at the present time a campaign being waged in the state and nation for the prohibition of the

liquor traffic, be it therefore

Resolved, That the Headquarters
Committee of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland, earnestly protest to Secretary McAdoo and Frank A. Vanderlip against the appointment of Mr. Crain for the reason that he stands diametrically opposite to those upon whom he must depend for success of the Thrift Movement as evidenced by the fact that for a number of years Mr. Crain has been the Attorney and recognized lobbyist of the liquor interest of the state and nation which today is wasting food-stuffs in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors.

We further submit that an appeal from the Brewers' Attorney to the children to save their pennies would not be so well received as if it came

from a business which had been fair to the childhood of the country. We further protest against the appointment of the Attorney of the Brewers' Association for this pecu-liar kind of work at this time.

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of the said deceased, and this day reported
to this Court by the said Executrices, be
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shown to the contrary on or before the
1st Monday, 7th day of January, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for
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printed and published in Carroll County,
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By Marion Verner

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"You ask my advice," said the closest friend Ray Massen had in the world, Parker Woodson-"tell your wife.'

"I don't dare to!" half groaned the former.

"Why not?"

"I am in too deep."

"I say, Massen, this is serious-" began Woodson, with a grave face.

"Oh! there is nothing wrong in what I have done," Ray hastened to say. "I haven't even been foolish. Insensibly, by the mere force of circumstances, I have been led to appear as a flirtatious individual, chosing the company of a former flame during the absence of my wife."

"You'd better give me details," orged Woodson.

"I will. Lucia went away to visit her folks for a month, as you know. I closed up our pretty suburban home and took up hotel quarters in the city here. It was law vacation time, so I counted on rest, recreation. The third day after Lucia had gone, there appeared at the hotel the lady I have told you about, named Patty Richmond. Twelve years ago, at my boyhood home we were all but engaged. Older, maturer, but the same gushing, frivolous creature to all seeming, she called upon me at the hotel."

"As a lawyer?" "As a lawyer and as an old-time acquaintance. She dwelt upon our former friendship. She appealed to me professionally. 'I am in trouble,' she said. 'You can help me.'"

"Do what?" asked Woodson. "Help her find the original of a photograph she showed me."

"Of man, or woman?"

"Of a handsome, but somewhat dissolute looking man. She would give no name, she would impart no particulars. She said she knew nobody in the city where she was sure the man was, except myself. She implored me to show her about the city, to accompany her to its public places, theaters, even cabarets, at any one of which she might find this man."

"And you-?" "Obliged her. Every afternoon for a week I have taken her out automo-



So Much Talk About Nothing.

biling along the boulevards. All the time she is looking, looking, scanning the passing throng for the face she

"You don't think she is still in love with you?" asked Woodson promptly. "What can I think? She clings close to me, she calls me 'Ray,' she insists | Cavour, Bismarck. on my calling her 'Patty,' as in the old days. What worries me is that I am well known. What must my friends think of seeing me daily in those to whom the epithet of "great" the company of a woman not my wife? has become attached in common Last evening came the climax. We speech—perhaps higher. Taken as a were seated at a table in a cabaret, whole, these 20 show a higher aver-All of a sudden she hid her face on my age. There are none of these 20 of

Woodson.

"The worst of it is, that I noticed a | these things combined. cousin of my wife just leaving the place. I don't know that he noticed us, but, if he did, what won't he tell my wife!"

"See here, Massey," spoke Woodson firmly, "you must explain all this

to Miss Richmond." "She knows I am married., Why, she said only yesterday: 'I can't insult an old friend like you by offering payment for your kindly services, but I shall not forget that sweet little

jewel of a wife of yours.' She even knows her present address." "Tell this reckless young lady that you can't keep up this compromising business, and forthwith write the

whole history of the affair to your wife." "I'll think it over," muttered Ray

gloomily. But the next day he burst in upon Woodson, his face radiant with joy.

"It's ended," he shouted. "She has found the original of the mysterious photograph. Read that."

"Dear, loyal friend," ran a hastily scrawled note, "I have found him, and am leaving the city at once. You are the noblest man I ever knew, and blessings upon you for bringing me happiness and peace."

Ray Massen was a new being after that. The day of Lucia's return he had the house all in order. He greeted her with ardor and delight.

"You poor boy!" she said pitying-"You look thin and worried. I declare! I shall never leave you again. I suppose you have been studying that detestable law nights, as you did before we were married."

"N-no, not exactly," floundered Ray. Why, you've got a new pin, haven't

He noticed, wonderingly and then surprisedly, that Lucia wore a magnificent diamond sunburst, far beyond his power of acquisition as a young and struggling lawyer.

"Oh, yes," nodded Lucia brightly, "an unexpected present."

"H-m! From your uncle, I suppose?" ventured Ray.

Lucia uttered a ringing laugh. He suppressed a fleeting sensation of jeal-

"Uncle Hiram make me a gift like that!" she cried. "Hardly." "Then-?"

"I'll tell you about it later, dear. And I have so much to talk about." "Tell your wife!" the hovering

shade of Parker Woodson seemed to "Lucia," spoke Ray gravely, drawing her to his side, "I have a confes-

sion to make. In fact, something to tell you that I should have told you about long since. You see-this is-" He stammered and reddened. Lucia viewed him tantalizingly, with spark-

"Is it about a lady?" she suggested.

"Yes." "An old flame—a girl you were once in love with?"

"Oh, no! I never was really in love with anybody except you," declared Ray fervently.

"A girl you were engaged to, then?" persisted Lucia mischievously. "Well—in a way."

"Then you needn't tell me about it," said Lucia sweetly. "But-"

"For I know all about it already. Oh! you dear man!" and she threw her arms about his neck. "The sweetest, nicest letter I ever received! From Patty Richmond, that was."

"She wrote you?" gulped Ray. "All about the splendid help you gave her. Poor soul! It was her erring husband she sought for, and found. And they are reconciled, and she and the three children are supremely happy. And you unselfishly gave your time to bring this all about! And she sent me that splendid present to show her appreciation of your kindly ef-

"Husband-three children!" gasped Ray, and felt, indeed, that he was not irresistible.

"Yes, she was ashamed to tell you her real troubles. Oh, you dear, good man, how I love you!"

"Told your wife?" inquired Parker

"Well, yes," responded Ray. "Only it is bound to be significant, and, she-well, she sort of forestalled me,"

GREAT, BUT NOT SO CREDITED

Many of the Most Illustrious Men Have Not Been Given This Honor Title.

Many of the most illustrious men whom all the world knows as "great" have not obtained the honor of having the adjective affixed to their names, says James Bryce in the Youth's Companion. The easiest way of showing this is to set down a list of 20 of the most famous men of action. I give the list following, not as better than others that might be framed, but merely as sufficient for the purposes of illustration:

Pericles, Hannibal, Julius Caesar, Emperor Augustus, Emperor Trajan, Pope Gregory VII, William the Conqueror, Sultan Saladin, Emperor Frederick II, Dr. Martin Luther, Ignatius Loyola, Emperor Charles V, Cardinal Richelieu, Oliver Cromwell, George Washington, Napoleon Bonaparte, Abraham Lincoln, Joseph Mazzini,

Several of the above, notably Julius Caesar and Napoleon Bonaparte, stand at least as high as any in the list of shoulder, softly crying. 'Oh, I am in despair!' she sobbed. 'I shall never known them they would have struck us find him!'"

whom we do not feel that if we had known them they would have struck us as rising far above common humanity as rising far above common humanity "H-m! I don't like this," muttered either in width of mind or intensity of feeling or in energy of will, or in all

Mark Twain on Hawaiian Islands.

No alien land in all the world has any deep, strong charm for me but that one; no other land could so longingly and beseechingly haunt me sleeping and waking, through half a lifetime, as that one has done. Other things leave me, but it abides; other things change, but it remains the same. For me its balmy airs are always blowing, its summer seas flashing in the sun: the pulsing of its surf beat is in my ear; I can see its garlanded crags, its leaping cascades, its plumy palms drowsing by the shore; its remote summits floating like islands above the cloudrack; I can feel the spirit of its woodland solitudes; I can hear the plash of its brooks; in my nostrils still lives the breath of flowers that perished 20 years ago.

MEDIEVAL SLEEVE

American Women Quick to Adopt Idea Brought Out by Paris Designers.

FLYING PANELS ARE POPULAR

They Are Placed on Skirt or Bodice and in Some Extreme Gowns They Swing From the Shoulders.

New York .- It is not possible to divide the new gowns into strongly differing sections. No designer has taken a period and copied her gowns from it with certainty and exactitude. All of the French and American workers have jumbled their history in a way that would give the seeker after truth á brainstorm.

It is well for the public at large that the designers do not stick too closely to period clothes. When the decorators insist that one cannot have a curtain, a vase or a cushion in a room that is drawn from a certain period, we get beautiful pieces of interior decorative work which should be in a museum, but which have little relationship to an intimate home

It is wise for every woman to learn, and it would be well if one could only teach the artists and decorators the same thing, that exhibition work is one thing, but the kind of work that one must live with is another. We can go to museums or department shops and see period rooms and period dress, but human nature resents the thought of having such limited waking and sleeping hours. Therefore, we greet with pleasure the fact that vastly different periods of history have been dipped into for the new clothes; but anachronism is rife.

Callot and the Empire.

The Callot gowns were the last to get to this country, and they presented no new note, except the introduction of the First Empire silhouette. Even when Callot took the most symbolic feature of this period, which is the high waistline that slightly girdles the figure just under the bust, she added medieval sleeves to it that the Empress Josephine never wore.

The most dominant First Empire frock that Callot has sent over is of brilliant red that is neither geranium, Japanese nor wine. She calls it "incendie." It has the richness of a ruby in the light and resembles that jewel to the inexperienced eye more than the flames from a conflagration. This gown is not marred by trimming. As the French say, it goes without a garnish. The neck is not low in the way that Callot is apt to arrange it, and the sleeves not only cover the arms and wrists, but the back of them hangs to the knees when the arms are dropped.



This top coat is made of plum-colored satin with a woolen back, brocaded in plum and mauve floss. Collar and cuffs are of black sealskin with edge of Russian fitch. The draw string allows the coat to be either loose or tight at waistline.

therefore, when she puts a modified angel sleeve in the same gown with an extreme Josephine waistline, she is producing something that will be widely copied and worn by women of the most ultrafashionable convictions.

Medieval Sleeve Featured. this fact is increasingly militions of Ameriwhich have ob

viously taken the medieval sleeve as the chief feature

An entire chapter of dress could be written concerning this sleeve. If has played a most historic part in the evolution of fashion throughout the centuries.

America was quite well aware that some type of long, flowing sleeve would reappear this autumn. It was



This is a blouse for the busy woman. It is made of white butcher's linen with long shoulder seams. Cuffs, high stock and cravat are made of blue and white cross-barred silk.

foreshadowed by the voluminous tulle sleeves that reached to the wrist and hung downward in points. Every cable from Paris insisted upon the preference shown by the French women for gowns that did not expose the arms, even though they were half low at the neck. Fantastic gowns in this country, designed for the footlights, brought a good deal of attention to themselves by the immensity of their sleeves, but these were usually fashioned on some antique Chinese idea, for their square outline was held in place by Chinese tassels and jade bracelets.

Then came the first Callot gown with the genuine medieval sleeve. The men who were in Paris early in the summer and who saw the possibilities in the renewal of such a sleeve, got it over here before the actual Callot gowns were unwrapped

and displayed to the American public. It is not easy to define these sleeves by simply calling them medieval. To our American minds, they are reminiscent of the Abbey drawings. They might have been worn by the daughters of King Lear. And above all, their beauty catches the eve because of the cathedral colors in which they

Chinese Panels

There is another important feature in the new fashions that no woman can fail to overlook. These are what They are supposedly adopted from Chinese dress. They are placed on the skirt or on the bodice, and there are extreme gowns in which they

swing from the shoulders. Jenny uses them in a gown that is fashioned after those worn by Chinese women. It has an oddly shaped, trousered skirt of chiffon that is exceedingly modest and graceful. Over this fabric hang straight, flying panels in irridescent taffeta that is weighted with gold and crystal fringe. The waist is loosely girdled about by a Chinese sash, and the long, floating sleeves of chiffon and crystals are caught in at the wrists and are transparent.

Jenny, however, is not the only one who uses panels in whatever way they can be accommodated to the human figure. Doeuillet puts them on onepiece frocks and gathers them together at the waist under a girdle of some ornate, glowing fabric.

Mme. Paquin makes an evening gown that is just two panels over a tight, sheathlike skirt, and the two are held in at the waistline by a brilliantly colored sash that somewhat imitates the American bustle silhouette by resolving itself into a bow and ends at

Premet, who has turned out such unusually good gowns this year, assembles her flying panels under a sash of Chinese or Japanese embroid ery and arranges it in a big looped bow at the side which looks something like a bustle that has slipped an uncomfortable and disagreeable way that they had of doing in that 1880 period when women wore them in an uglier form than they are introduced

Need Not Match Skirt.

It is not necessary to go to any trouble to have the panels match the tight skirt beneath in either color or material. Lanvin insists that the greater the difference between the two, the better the style. She will use hydrangea blue and black together or golden tan and deep purple.

Even when these flying panels are not converted into an entire gown, there is a leading fashion which sees to it that most of our frocks look as though they were split up the sides, to show the tightest skirt that we could walk in.

Cheruit and many of her colleagues. have not forsaken the apron gown, The little accessory which resembles Probably the medieval sleeve will an apron, but is intended for ornaceive more attention from Ameria ment and not service, appears on a than the First Empire sufficient number of new frocks to proclaim itself still in fashion.

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TALKING MACHINE UF 1772

Had Wooden Mouth With Lips of Soft Leather, and Was Invention of Erasmus Darwin.

That someone was puzzling over the idea of making a phonograph as early as 1772 is proved by an extract from a hitherto unpublished letter by Dr. Erasmus Darwin (grandfather of Charles Darwin) to Benjamin Franklin, quoted by Dr. L. Hussakof in Science. "I have heard," wrote Dr. Darwin "of somebody that attempted to make a speaking machine. Pray, was there any truth in any such reports?"

And Dr. L. L. Woodruff of Yale university quotes the following interesting paragraph from a note in the "Temple of Nature," published by Erasmus Darwin in 1802:

"I have treated with greater confidence on the formation of articulate sounds, as I many years ago gave considerable attention to this subject for the purpose of improving shorthand; at that time I contrived a wooden mouth with lips of soft leather, and with a valve over the back part of it for nostrils, both of which could be quickly opened or closed by the pressure of the fingers, the vocality was given by a silk ribbon about an inch long and a quarter of an inch wide stretched between two bits of smooth wood a little hollowed; so that when a gentle current of air from bellows! was blown on the edge of the ribbon it gave an agreeable tone, as it vibrated between the wooden sides. much like a human voice. This head pronounced the p, b, m and the vowel a with so great nicety as to deceive show ballyhoo artist. all who heard it unseen, when it proand had a most plaintive tone when the lips were gradually closed."

A Film Trick.

"That youngster of mine is getting to be entirely too sophisticated." "How is that?"

"He attended a movie with me the other day. At the climax of a 'thriller' the hero was thrown over a cliff by the villain and rolled with sickening realism to the bottom of a ravine."

"And your boy was not impressed?" "No. He said, 'Shucks! That's just a dummy."

A BIRD-LIKE FEELING.



"I feel like a bird." "How's that?"

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"Come on good pea-pul! t'ome on, and behold the wild, strange and curious cree-chewers from all parts of the world!" stentoriously invited the side-

"Pardon us," we ventured, "but to nounced mamma, papa, map and pam; gratify our very natural curiosity, pray tell us why you invite only good people to come on. Do you not think that bad people too might wish to view the wonders you mention?"

"Good people are the only come-ons." he frankly replied. "Bad people have already seen everything worth seeing."

Kitchen Economy. "Did you tell the new cook she must

economize?"

"I've gently intimated it," replied Mr. Crosslots. "If I say too much about it, she may leave. Then I'll have to pay another cook's transportation and maybe she won't economize either. I tell you this kitchen economy is a more delicate proposition than a great many people think."

Books for Control of Food.

Under a system of food control prop posed in England to secure the same results as issuing tickets permitting the holder to purchase bread, meat, butter and other supplies, every householder, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, would be compelled to keep an official "housekeeper's book." All pur chases of food would be entered in this book by the shopkeeper, and after a fixed date no food would be sold unless an official passbook was presented.

The book would sell for 2 cents and upward, according to size. It would show the number of adults in each household, also the number and ages of children.

Separate columns would be provided for entering different kinds of food, so that the quantities bought could be seen at a glance. No new book would "De lady's bulldog made me quail." be issued until the old one was returned for official inspection.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson 11.-Fourth Quarter, for December 16, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES

Text of the Lesson, Neh. 13:15-22, Memory Verses, 17, 18-Golden Text, Ex. 20:8-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The prayer of Nehemiah in chapter 9 and that of Daniel in Dan. 9 are two of the most remarkable prayers in the Bible, apart from John 17-full of adoration, confession, humiliation and true penitence. The words of Neh. 9:9 are notable, "Thou art just in all that is brought upon us, for thou hast done right, but we have done wickedly?" Neh. 9:36-37, is clear and conclusive proof that the return from Babylon was not a fulfillment of Isa. 14:1-3. Mark well the contrast and note that Babylon must yet be rebuilt to fulfill prophecy. Neh. 10, 12, tells of separations from the ungodly and the appointment of priests and Levites and others to their service and provision for the same. Chapter 13 begins with a reference to Balaam and his sin and how he could not curse those whom God had blessed. Then we meet again one Tobiah, a bad one, who had sought to make Nehemiah afraid, the nobles of Judah standing for him against Nehemiah. After acting as governor for 12 years Nehemiah returned to Babylon, but very soon came back to Jerusalem and found Tobiah occupy a chamber in the courts of the house of God. He quickly cast out him and his stuff and cleansed the chambers (Neh. 6:17-19; 13:4-9).

He also chased from him a son-in-law of Sanballat the Horonite (13:28). Finding that the tithes had not been provided for the Levites, he contended with the rulers because they had thus forsaken the house of God, and he caused that matter to be rectified (13: 10-14). Finding that Jews had intermarried with the heathen and that their children spoke partly in the language of the Jews and partly in another tongue, he cleansed them from all strangers, reminding them of God's hatred of such alliances and that even Solomon brought trouble upon himself and upon Israel by these sins. He was beloved of his God, king over all Israel, among many nations no king like him, yet even him did women of other lands cause to sin (13:23-31).

We might think that after the long captivity of Judah and the mercy of the Lord to them in restoring them, they, of all the tribes, would be careful not to sin against such a God of love and mercy, but they seem to have been the leaders in all manner of sin, and now, after the temple had been rebuilt and dedicated, the city rebuilt and the worship of God restored, we find in our lesson portion (vv. 15-22) that they deliberately and persistently broke the Sabbath day. Nehemiah, with his usual firmness testified againt them and against those of other o sought to do business on the Sabbath and was able to rectify this matter also. We cannot help wondering what a few Ezras and Nehemiahs and Daniels might accomplish in these days of abounding and increasing iniquity. Worldliness on the part of God's professing people, neglect of his house and worship and deliberate breaking of the Sabbath are some of the prominent sins, and, because sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil (Eccl. 8:11).

The fourth commandment has the word "remember" in it because the that not only are petroleum products resting on one day in seven takes us generally commanding greater attenback to Gen. 2:1-3, and, while in Scripture the Sabbath always means the that a particularly healthy atmosphere seventh day, our Lord rose from the dead on the first day of the week and honored that day by several appearnces to his disciples and just a week later by appearing to them again, and distribution of petroleum products. it was honored by the early church as There is, in short, no mistaking the their day of gathering and worship (Acts 20:7; I Cor. 16:2). Rev. 1:10 may possibly refer to that day also. It certainly seems fitting that those who are risen with Christ should honor that day instead of the day on which His body lay in the grave. If any find fault with us for keeping the first day instead of the seventh we simply say as kindly as possible, You are forbidden to judge us in reference to the Sabbath, and you must excuse us for preferring the substance to the shadow (Col. 2:16-17).

As to how we should keep the one day in seven which God asks for himself, I know of no better instruction than Isa. 58:13-14, which is as applicable to the first day as to the seventh. That which is merely our own ways, our pleasure of our words must give place to his word, his pleasure and his ways. The day must be set apart for him that he may come specially near to us and reveal himself to us. When he was here in his humiliation he taught that it was lawful to care for the needs of our bodies on that day and to show kindness to creatures and to do well on Sabbath days (Matt. 12:1-13). There is certainly special blessing upon all who honor one day in seven as peculiarly His own. He also asks for at least onetenth of our income and will make good his promise in that connection according to Mal. 3:10. As to alliances with the world, our instructions in II Cor. 6:14-18; Rom. 12:1-2, are unmistakably plain. How few talk only the language of heaven, without the common talk of this evil age!

— THE — CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

- From --The Christian Workers Magazine, Chicago, Ill.

> "Here Am I, Send Me." December 9th. Isaiah 6:1-8.

This is the day of the volunteer. Everywhere men are offering their and services to their country. The capacity to suffer and endure for a cause is now having its greatest demonstration. Thousands of men demonstration. Thousands of men have said and are saying, "Here am I, send me," In answer to the call of need they have responded with a devotion that has stirred the world. Why

this devotion?

They realized the need. Through the reading of barbaric acts, of atrocious deeds, of the sinking of ships, of the murder of helpless women and children, of the breaking of treaties nd a host of other horrible and cruel things by an unscrupulous foe, the vision of a great need was pressed in upon their souls. That vision of need constituted a call. In response to that call they concentrated themselves to service and were commissioned to

Now turn to the Scripture lesson in which is portrayed the vision of Isaiah. In that vision the glory and Isaiah. In that vision the glory and the grace of God dawned upon the prophet. The glory broke him down and the grace lifted him up. The glory drove him to the place of confession, and the grace brought him to the place of cleansing. Clarified vision causes us to see the world of men and officer differently. "In thy light and affairs differently. "In thy light shall we see light." The vision of divine holiness brought also the vision of human defilement and human need. In the light of this vision sin looked black. Not a thing to be excused, but rather to be removed. On its removal the heart of God is set. For this He calls men and women to be co-workers together with Him. "I heard the voice of the Lord saying, whom shall I send and who will go for us." The man to whom the need is real and vivid replies, "Here am I, send me." He is a volunteer constrained by his own blessings and by others' needs. To the service of their need he conse-crates himself and receives the divine

commission, "Go and Tell."
"The warfare of the ages," and the present need of a world in darkness, constitutes an imperative call for volunteers to go and fight the battles of the great King. For the enlisted there is provided an equipment complete in every particular. See 2 Timothy 3-16, 17, and Ephesians 6:13-18, and also an enduement of power which makes the Christian warrior invincible. See

DIL TO BE KING IN FUTURE

Necessity for Petroleum Products Shown in War as Well as in Industrial and Domestic Life.

The European war is without a doubt doing more to direct general attention to the claims of oil and its multitudiness products than any amount of advertising in normal times could the Petroleum Review.

The great clash of arms on the continent has from its commencement shown that the necessity for the products of petroleum in up-to-date warfare is no less than in either the industrial circles or in domestic life. We are today as much dependent upon the refined products of crude oil as we are upon wheat and other necessities of life, and as time goes on, and the uses which are constantly being found for petroleum multiply, our dependency upon oil becomes the greater.

It is no surprise, therefore, to find tion than they ever before did, but permeates those enterprises which have laid themselves out-and successfully so-to engage in the production, the refining, the transport or the fact that in the future oil will be king.

Encourage Stammering Child. Never laugh at a child who stammers. Rather, seriously try to help him while he is a child, for the habit grows. Make him stop and rest a moment, then have him repeat what he was saying, very slowly, even resting between ords. This alone often corrects the trouble. When you see that your child is embarrassed, do not hurt him, but wait, smiling encouragement, and when he is more at his ease, say, softly, "now I am ready to listen," just as if you, and not he, were the cause of the delay.-Buffalo News

Alaska Women Pretty.

A visitor remarked about the good looks of Alaskan women, and the fact that they dress with taste. Of course, our Northern women are pretty. "Why shouldn't they be?" queries the Anchorage Times. They enjoy absolutely pure air, drink water as fresh as that from a mountain spring, get plenty of exercise, and take an acti e part in community affairs. They are cosmopolitan the same as the men are, and well-read and well-informed. As everyone knows, there is nothing so beautiful as good health. It is a joy even to see an Alaskan girl swinging along with a free, firm tread instead of the mincing step of her sister in the states, who gives the impression she is stepping on eggs. The Alaskan girl looks you squarely in the eye, gives you a frank hand-clasp and is sure of herself at all times.

DON'T MARK YOUR BOND

Defacement May Prevent Its Negotiation

Liberty Loan Committee Presents Some Interesting Facts Concorning Last Issue.

Don't deface your Liberty Bond, Any marks or writing on these bonds may make it impossible to sell them or borrow money on them, therefore don't write your name or put any identification marks on the bonds you own. This rule is well known to bank ers, but not generally understood by the public. Any bond on which such marking or writing has been placed is not a "good delivery." In other words when offered for sale or use as collateral for a loan it would not be

Keep this fact well in mind; interest on Liberty Bonds, both the first issue bearing interest at the rate of 31/2 per cent. and on the second issue bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., is payable every six months. On December 15th next the first interest coupon on the 31/2 per cent. bonds will be paid. Those who have paid in full for these bonds and have them in their possession should clip this particular coupon and present it on or after December 15th to any bank or post office where it will be cashed. Coupons on bonds being paid for on the installment plan will be cashed and in adjusting interest credited to the owner by the banks where the purchase was made. The first coupon on the 4 per cent. bonds is payable on May 15th next.

Any report that interest will be withheld until after the war is absolutely false and is circulated by enemies of the United States. The United States has never failed to pay interest on its obligations the moment it became due.

It might be well to owners of Liberty Bonds who are uncertain on any point to call on any reputable banker for enlightenment. The information will be cheerfully furnished without cost, and this will enable too Government to checkmate those who would ctroulate false rumors designed to disturb persons who have invested in Liberty Bonds.

The bank that is selling you a Liberty Bond on weekly or monthly installments advances its own money to buy these bonds from the Government. It is lending you the difference between the installments you have paid and the cost of the bond. It pays the Government one hundred cents on each dollar expressed in the face value of the bond. It receives no discount, no commission, and no profit no matter whether it has bought a \$50 bond or millions of them. Interest on the bonds and interest on the unpaid installments practically offset each other, so neither the bank or the installment purchaser make a profit. It is an even break. If anything the banks loses as the money yet to come back to it from the unpaid installments could now be loaned for other purposes at a higher rate of interest. The banks charged for services neither the Government nor the purchaser of Liberty Bonds. A leading savings bank of Baltimore has practically doubled its clerical force to take care of this work. It is this voluntary service that made it possible for the Government to sell the second Liberty Bonds to ten million people.

Any story that bankers and brokers profited to the extent of a single penny through the sale of Liberty Bonds is absolutely untrue. Far from profiting, bankers and brokers not only gave their time gratis, but devoted all of their machinery, which includes their bond salesmen, office force, etc., without any compensation whatsoever. As a matter of fact they used their own funds in promoting the sale of the bonds, and sacrificed all other business to aid their country in marketing its bonds.

There is no mystery about the temporary decline in the price of Liberty Bonds. Many patriotic persons anxious that the subscriptions be a tremendous success, bought more than they could conveniently pay for, and tater sold a portion of the bonds at a time when the general market was depressed. In order to market them they were forced to shade the price. They accepted their loss with good grace, satisfied that they had done 'their bit" in aiding the Government to make the Loan the tremendous success it was.

Owners of Liberty Bonds have no concern with temporary fluctuations in market prices. The value is always in the bonds and that is what counts. There is a difference between price and value. Price when referring to a Liberty Bond means what the bond will bring in the market at a particular time. Value means what the bond is actually worth. In the case of Liberty Bonds they are worth every penny stamped on the Bond-

One hundred cents on the dollar. Do not overlook the fact that if the Government at some future time during the period of the war issues an obligation bearing a higher rate of interest the present bonds are convertible into the issue bearing the higher rate, with this proviso the 4's must be first converted into successive issue following. The 31/2's are convertible at the option of the holder into 4's or any subsequent issue.

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NOBLEMAN, PROBABLY.



"I see that the heiress has put her money into the lumber business.' "That so?"

"Yes. She has married a wooden

The Toiler.

There is now no chance for shirking
The struggle ne'er relaxes.
When a fellow isn't working He is figuring on his taxes.

She Knew Him. "May I go to the show with you?"

"Aw, can't you take a joke?" "All right, come along."

In the Family. "Jack is a bird." "It's heredity; his grandfather was once tarred and feathered."

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Wanted Protection. He (wildly)-May I not, then, fall prostrate to the ground and weep at thy feet?

She (practically)—Yes, if you'll wait till I put on my goloshes.—Pearson's Weekly.

Incurable III. "So you say you no longer sleep of

nights? Why don't you consult a doc-"It would do no good. It's not insomnia that keeps me awake; it's the

A Depressing Thought. "Every time Jagsby takes a few drinks he sheds tears.'

"Does liquor affect him that way?" "It does now. He weeps to think that he's reducing the visible supply."

HATS FEEL FABRIC SHORTAGE Many of the Sport Variety Made of

Chenille and Wool Materials That Simulate Felt. As the season advances the diffi-

culty in procuring felt and velour shapes becomes more apparent, due to the demands of the army, and many sports hats are being made of wool fabrics that simulate felt, and also of chenille.

Sometimes the chenille is sewed together in close rows, and again a knitted or crocheted effect is developed. Fortunately Dame Fashion approves the small and medium-sized hat rather than the big, spreading picture affair. This ruling accords well with the fabric shortage, which is felt fully as much in the millinery field as in the larger one covering coats, suits, etc. Fashion in children's hats vary but slightly from last year, and even at the risk of annoying the young miss, who undoubtedly will feel that she is clearly entitled to a new hat, last season's model may be carefully retrimmed without anyone outside the family being the wiser! Poke and mushroom shapes are the preferred ones

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TANEYTOWN LOCAL COLUMN

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

tives in Baltimore, this week.

Sue, of York, are visiting Mrs. M. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bohn and family removed from Taneytown to York,

George W. Shriner and wife were accorded one of the old-fashioned noisy serenades, on Monday night.

Baker and E. O. Garner are among the sick of Taneytown and vicinity. Norman Reindollar has taken a

Mrs. G. Wesley Miller, Chas. A.

position in S. C. Ott's store, and Miss Alice Harman in D. J. Hesson's store, Walter Hape was kicked in the head by a mule, last Sunday evening, and

severely hurt, but fortunately escaped That the sugar market will get relief very soon, is the general belief, as the new crop sugar is coming from

Mrs. Mary E. Crapster, returned home, last Friday, from an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. John Smeltzer, at Intermont, W. Va.

Cuba and Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Slonaker, and other friends, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Slonaker's brother, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Slonaker, on Sunday.

The Hanover Creamery Co. has added several new machines to its local plant, as well as an auto truck, in order to handle its growing business properly and rapidly.

The Mrs. Weaver property, on George St., was sold at public sale, last Saturday, to Theodore Feeser, at \$2497.50. All recent sales or real estate, in Taneytown, have been at a substantial figure, as compared with sales five or six years ago.'

(For the Record.)

Norman G. Fair, of near Uniontown, took the train from Taneytown, on Nov. 27th., for Mansfield, Ohio, where he will spend a few days with friends, and from thence to Detroit. Mich., where he expects to spend the

Alvie Miller and wife, of York, Pa., and Miss Virgie Miller, of Littlestown, and Miss Virgie Miller, of Littlestown, Pa., spent from Saturady until Monday with their mother, Mrs. Jacob

Later—Martin D. Hess, \$5.00; J. J. near Middleburg, spent Sunday afternoon at the same place.

Attention! Firemen! The regular meeting of the Fire Co. will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 10, at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. Nomination of officers for the ensuing year. By Order of the President. N. B. Hagn, Secre-

Misses Elizabeth Crapster and Miss - Royer are now Taneytown High School teachers in place of Mr. H. C. Leister, who was transferred to Manchester, and Miss Virginia Merritt, who gave up teaching and returned to her home in Baltimore. Miss Crapster had been teaching at Frizellburg, and Miss Royer at Mayberry.

A number of people, on Sunday evening, saw in the southern sky what may have been two airplanes a long distance off. They are described as traveling horizontally, showing flashes of light. We have seen no account of airplane trips in the daily papers, but they could easily be made without public knowledge, by the war department.

One of the first meetings in the county in the Red Cross Christmas campaign, will be held in the Lutheran church in Harney, next Monday evening. This is a campaign for a large number of new members, but there will be no solicitation of persons for membership, nor any effort to collect money at this meeting. It will be for the purpose of information. Rev. L. B. Hafer, chairman of the district, will preside, and the speakers will be Rev. S. C. Hoover, of Silver Run, and State's Attorney W. L. Seabrook, of West-

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cutsail held a family dinner, last Sunday, at which the following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cutsail, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ecker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mervin King, Mr. and Mrs. Birnie Shriner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cutsail, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cutsail, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cutsail, Prof. and Mrs. Carroll Leister, Mr. Thomas Stine, of Jefferson, Mr. John Cutsail, Misses Marie Rinehart, Courtney Shriner, Gladys and Velma Cutsail, Evelyn and Ethel King, Masters Melvin King and Benjamin Cutsail.

Y. M. C. A. Contributions from Taneytown.

The total amount contributed for the Y. M. C. A. fund from the Taneytown district up to Tuesday morning, was \$243.85, and was made up as follows: Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Hafer, \$20.00; Harney Lutheran Church, Mrs. James Buffington visited relatives in Baltimore, this week.

Mrs. Williams and daughter, Miss

\$18.00; Presbyterian C. E., Taneytown, \$4.94; Thanksgiving offering, Presbyterian church, Taneytown, \$7.21; Mrs. H. M. Clabaugh, \$10.00; Monocacy Lodge, No. 203, A. F. & A. M., \$10.00; Jesse G. Angell, \$2.50.
Ten contributions of \$5.00 each—

Harney Lutheran Sunday School, Miss M. Louisa Reindollar, L. W. Mehring, D. J. Hesson, Geo. H. Birnie, H. D. Hess, C. H. Valentine, Calvin T. Fringer, Mrs. F. H. Seiss, Benton

Two contributions of \$3.00 each-Mrs. Elizabeth Birnie, Albert J. Ohler. Twelve contributions of \$2.00 each -N. A. Reindollar, Harvey E. Shorb, P. B. Englar, O. T. Shoemaker, H. I. Reindollar, Wm. E. Burke, Judson Hill, Joseph H. Harner, Mrs. Martha Fringer, Harvey E. Ohler, Paul W. Edwards, Walter A. Bower.

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Sixty-seven contributions of \$1.00
each—Wm. M. Reindollar, Robert S.
McKinney, Harry Lambert, J. N. O.
Smith, J. H. Slick, Wilbur L. Shorb,
J. R. O. Slick, Mrs. S. May Reid,
Charles Wantz, Mrs. Samuel Harner,
D. W. Mayers, J. A. Kump, S. W.
Benner, E. S. Harner, R. H. Alexander, Dr. G. W. Demmitt, J. H. Hilterbrick, Wallace Reindollar, Luther terbrick, Wallace Reindollar, Luther D. Mehring, Thornton Shoemaker, J. M. Staley, B. S. Ohler, Noah Baum-gardner, J. A. P. Garner, Roy Garner, John E. E. Hess, Elmer Hess, Arthur Angell, Luther H. Eyler, Luther A. Anders, O. C. Smith, Warren Brower, Vernon Brower, W. G. Fogle, M. C. Duttera, Dr. F. H. Seiss, John T. Dutterer, C. E. Ridinger, Chas. H. Basehoar, C. F. Cashman, J. W. Ault-Hess, C. E. Conover, David Brown, John H. Devilbiss, James A. Angell, Amanda D. Staley, Andrew Bittle, John S. Bower, John D. Hesson, Chas. John S. Bower, John D. Hesson, Chas. D. Hahn. G. Albert Rapp, John T. Lemmon, Mrs. P. G. Hilterbrick, Dr. F. T. Elliot, A. L. Morelock, G. Walter Wilt, Martin E. C. Valentine, H.J. Wolff, R. S. Hill, Mrs. R. S. Hill, B. O. Slonaker, Rev. D. J. March, Harry C. Freet, Joseph W. Brown, one without

Carroll C. Hess, \$1.50; John H. Cluts and Birnie Babylon, 60c each.
Thirty-five contributions of 50 cents each—John Stouffer, Miss Olive Gar-ner, Noah Selby, Albert Rowe, Ellis G, Ohler, Raymond J. Ohler, Guy M. Eckard, John E. Buffington, D. Earl Crabbs, John J. Hockensmith, J. T. Shriner, D. M. Humbert, C. B. Naill, Newton Troxell, LeRoy A. Smith, Walter S. Smith, Scott M. Smith. Edward D. Bankard, Roy Baker, J. A. Yingling, Mrs. J. L. Zimmerman, J. Thomas Wantz, Mrs, Sarah Null, E. Harner, W. H. Renner, Chas. A. Lambert, Ella M. Harner, Irvin L. Biliwer, Miss Flower Piric How. Ridinger, Miss Eleanor Birnie, Herb-

ert W. Winter, five without name. Eleven contributions of 25c each-Ira Snider, J. A. Thomson, John Zimmerman, O. E. Lambert, Mrs. Laura V. Fair, Mary M. Longridge, E. E. Fair, Lloyd Lambert, E. P. Zepp, Wm. M. Anders, B. S. Miller.

Strausburg. Mr. Howard Frock, of near Middleburg, spent Sunday aftertributions.

CHURCH NOTICES.

United Brethren Church.—Taneytown: Bible School, 9 A. M.; Preaching, 10 A. M.

Harney: Bible School, 9 A. M.; Preaching, 7 P. M., followed by evangelistic services, to be continued in-

The First Quarterly Conference will be held in the Taneytown Church, on Saturday, at 2 P. M., by Rev. A. B. Statton, D. D., Supt. of Penna Con-ference. D. J. March, Pastor.

Uniontown Charge, Church of God. -Services for Sunday, Dec. 9, 1917. Uniontown: Sunday School, 9 A. L.; service, 10:15 A. M., subject:

"Christian Progress. Frizellburg: Services at 7:30 P.M. Will begin revival services at this time, to continue every evening at 7:30, until further notice. Everyone is invited to attend them.
F. N. PARSON, Pastor

Union Bridge Lutheran Charge.-

Union Bridge, 10 A. M., Rev. Mr. Derr, of Hampstead, will preach. A Missionary pageant will be given in the evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Re-dedication services at Mt. Tabor Lutheran and Reformed Church, Rocky Ridge, 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Rev. W. O. Ibach will preach in the morning and Rev. Heimer in the evening. A cordial welcome to all.

Presbyterian.—Everybody welcome. Town—Morning Service at 10:30 and Bible School at 9:30. Theme: "Horebettes." 6:30 P. M., C. E. L. W. R. Service.

Piney Creek—1:30 P. M., Bible School; 2:30 P. M., Worship. Sermon on "When Ahab Saw Elijah." Offering for Freedman next Sabbath morn-

Reformed Church, Taneytown—Service at 10:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 9:15; C. E. at 6:30. Prayer service, Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Willing Workers, Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Ida Landis. Heidelburg Class, Saturday afternoon, at 1:30; Catechetical Class at

Keysville—Service at 2 P. M.; Sunday School at 1.

In Trinity Lutheran Church, next Sunday morning, the pastor will have for his sermon topic "Walking About Zion." The evening topic will be "The True Measure of a Man."

Floral Antiseptic Tooth Powder for cleaning and beautifying the teeth. Makes the teeth white and purifies the breath...10c bottle.-Get at Mc-

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Furs of all kinds. Poultry wanted; also Guineas, Squabs, Eggs and Calves. Highest prices paid, 50% for delivering Calves. Open every evening until 8 o'clock.—Farmers' Produce Co., H. C. Brendle,

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid for Eggs, Calves and Poultry. 50% for delivering Calves Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.—G. W. MOTTER. 6-10-12

JUST RECEIVED a letter from Santa Claus, saying he would be in my Store every Saturday from 1 to 10 p. m., and the day before Christmas. -L. M. SHERMAN.

FOR SALE. - Extra fine Bay Mare Colt, coming 3 years old, broke to drive single.

—JACOB A. HESS, Taneytown, Md.,

FOR SALE.—FIRME BROWN St., price by Amos Duttera, Baltimore St., FOR SALE. - Prime Short Corn at half SHOE REPAIRING. - Half Soleing

Shoes for Men, \$1.35; Ladies \$1.00, and Children 75c. Special price on new Shoes, Dress Shoes and all other kinds.—Luigi CATALOGNO, formerly JOHN T. FOGLE'

SIX PIGS, 6 weeks old, for sale by LAURA HYLE, near Uniontown

children in to see Santa; let them bring their letters to him.—L. M. Sherman. GOOD OAK BARRELS for sale, just

the thing for meat vessels.—Apply at vice, etc., B & B BAKERY. 12-7-2t his home.

LOT OF CORN for sale.—Apply to Uniontown. 12-7-2t MRS. LEWIS MYERS, Uniontown.

FOR SALE OR RENT.-My House and Lot in Uniontown, 1 acre of ground. -Apply to Mrs. Julia Trite, Copperville, Md. 12-7-4

TWO HORSES FOR SALE .- One 2year-old, the other a family horse, by S. A. WAYBRIGHT, near Tyrone.

FOR RENT.-118-acre-Farm, 81 acres under cultivation, large Bank Barn, land and buildings in good condition. 15 miles from Baltimore, 2½ miles from railroad, state road, and electric line.—Apply to William Roes, Woodlawn, Md. 12-7-2t

The 4 per cent LIBERTY BONDS are here. Come to THE BIRNIE TRUST CO. and get your Bond and pay for it.

THE LYCEUM ARTS Entertainers. who come on Dec. 20, will present, in addition to their musical numbers, a play entitled "Children of a larger growth." Don't miss this number.! 11-30-3t

FOR SALE.-Choice of a coming 3year-old Work Colt, or a coming 4-year-old Driving Horse.—Jasper Garner, near

THE LYCEUM ARTS Entertainers come on Dec. 20, the first of the three big musical numbers of the Entertain-ment Course. Four young ladies with vocal and instrumental quartets, duets

and solos. OLD SACKS of all kinds wanted. Also old iron 50c per 100 delivered. Rags, Rubber, Copper, and all kinds of Junk wanted at best prices.—Chas. Sommer, Taneytown. Phone 6-m. 11-3-ti

ROOMS FOR RENT, this Fall if possible, by MISS CLARA WILHIDE. Prohibition and Suffrage.

Washington, Dec. 5.—An informal understanding for a vote in the House on nation-wide woman suffrage and nation-wide prohibition constitutional amendment bills on December 19 and

desire that Congress concentrate its coats of the same material, but much efforts during this session upon war shorter in length. The new ones legislation, but in the House paticu- strike the men above the knees, while larly there is an insistent demand for the old ones, issued in the United action upon some general domestic States, usually hit them at the ankles. measures, including the prohibition Because of the perpetual mud it was and suffrage amendments, before the found that the long coats soon be-Christmas holiday recess.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned Administratrix of Lewis Myers, deceased, will sell at public sale, on her premises in Union-

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1917, at 1 o'clock, the following described

ONE PAIR OF BAY MULES. one 14 years old, and one 15 years old, will work anywhere hitched; one HIGHEST PRICES paid for Hides and Curs of all kinds. Poultry wanted; also Funcies, Squabs, Eggs and Calves. Highst prices paid, 50% for delivering Calves. Open every evening until 8 o'clock.—Farmers' Produce Co., H. C. Brendle, Prop. pole, single and double trees, farm sled, stretcher and jockey sticks, lot of iron rods, lot of chains, grindstone, 2/log chains, lot of tools, shavinghorse, shovel and forks, sand sieve, 4 sets front gears, 6 housings, pair of check lines, wagon lines, 2 collars, 3 wagon bridles, flynets, double set of harness, riding bridle, saddle, halters, one wood stove, hogshead, and a lot of old iffon.

Terms of Sale:-All sums of \$5.00 Route 3.

HOUSE AND LOT for rent or sale, near Keysville, by Geo. C. Naylor, Taneytown, Md.

5 PIGS 5 weeks old, for sale by Chas.

E. Keefer, near Bridgeport.

EOR SALE — Prime Short Corn at helf.

That story on the outer page of the Record, entitled "After All It's The Life."

You will find every city convenience there. Heat, Bath, Electric service, etc., will be a necessary part of

FOR RENT.—Half of my Dwelliug on Cemetery St.+D. M. Mehring. 11-30-2t home, no matter how fine was impracticable.

But now, thanks to Delco-Light, A few years ago, electricity in this

KEYSVILLE Sunday School will hold their Christmas service on the evening of Dec. 24, at 7.30.

But now, thanks to Delco-Light, Good Electric Light, immensely rich and the moderately poor can enjoy

electricity anywhere. FOR SALE.—Corn Sheller, Wheelbarrows, Wood Saw and all kinds of Washing Machines, and repairs for the same.—Write or phone L. K.—Birely, Middleburg, Md.

Earmers are a hard-working class. Their sons and daughters have an equal right with the banker's and merchant's children, and the time has come at last when the farmer can afcome at last when the farmer can afford to make it so.

> EDGAR M. FROUNFELTER, Dealer for Delco-Light and Water, Phone 49-w.

Notice of Special Meeting.

In pursuance of an order of the Board of Directors of Taneytown Grange No. 184, of Taneytown, Carroll County, Maryland, a body corporate, notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stock holders of said body corporate will be held at its office on Middle street in Taneytown, Carroll county, Maryland, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Wednesday, December 19, 1917, for the following purposes, towit

First, for the purpose of electing seven persons for Directors of said body corporate.

First, for the purpose of electing seven persons for Directors of said body corporate.

Second, for the purpose of voting on the proposition to consummate the sale to and authorize the execution and delivery of a good and sufficient deed of conveyance from the said body corporate to John A. Null of said town, for the pareel of land situate on said street in said town and described (in the deed from Solomon Myers and others to the said John A. Null, dated April 12, 1907, and recorded among the land records of said county in Liber E. O. C., No. 129, folio 35, &c.

Third, to vote on the proposition to consummate the sale to and execute and deliver to Henry J. Hilterbrick, of said county and state, a good and sufficient deed of conveyance of a parcel of land situate on the southwest side of said Middle street and between the land of the said body corporate and the land of Preston B. Englar and extending back to the Pennsly-vania Railroad, and being part of the land described in the deed from the said Preston B. Englar and wife to said body corporate, dated May 16, 1905, and recorded among the land records of said county in Liber D. P. S., No. 101, folio 447, &c.

Fourth, to vote on the proposition to sell the real estate belonging to said body corporate, situate on the southeast side of Middle street in Taneytown aforesiad, being the land mentioned in the said deed from Burrier L. Cookson and others to said body corporate, contact in the said body corporate, situate on the southeast side of Middle street in Taneytown aforesiad, being the land mentioned in the said deed from Burrier L. Cookson and others to said body corporate, contact the land records of said county, in Liber O. D. G., No. 128, folio 27, &c., and to convey the same to the purchaser thereof.

FRANK A. WAYBRIGHT,

JOHN H. SHIRK, Sec.

President.

The uniform of the American soldiers in France is undergoing a fur-20, respectively, was reached today between House leaders.

The first in the first necessary by conditions. A large num-Most of the members of both houses are in accord with the President's overcoats to receive in exchange came caked and heavy. They flopped The House Judiciary Committee about the legs of the soldiers. Many meets next Tuesday to vote on both resolutions, and is expected to report the new coats have shortened the old

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