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EMPLOYMENT FOR BETURNING SOLDIERS

How Shall the Men and Jobs be Brought Together?

So important is considered the problem of finding work for our returning soldiers, that a Government Employ-ment Bureau has been established, with stations in all army camps and elsewhere, fortified with "Bulletin," and an army of place-finders, all strongly convinced, no doubt, that the 3,000,000 men in the camps and in France, need their help to get something to do.

In many cases positions have been held open for soldiers, by plain agreement, while in very many other cases the jobs are still waiting that gave up the men because of force, and have urgently wanted them ever since; besides, there are thousands who do not specially need work, as they are financially able to live without it, or can at least take thier own time to care

A big part of the real problem will relate to the present employment of thousands of women in places formerly held by men. Another will be, the unwillingness of men who have "been in France," and under camp life, to go back to their former humble stations. Aside from these two problems, and the reaction in indus-try mentioned, we do not believe that finding work, even for 3,000,000 young men from the army, will be nearly as

big a job as it looks. Back to the country, and to country towns, must be the big solution. Many of the young men must make places, and make them away from the large cities; and country towns and farming sections should do their best to invite the home-comers to do

this, and to find work for them.
"The price" is going to be the big
trouble. With lowered cost for labor and materials, country neighborhoods would do a great deal of work in the way of needed improvements, buildings, etc., but with the prevailing prices this will not be done to anything like as great an extent as it otherwise would.

The Record would like to have part in making this readjustment easy, as the U. S. Bureau requests it to do. We therefore suggest that each com-munity in which The Record circulates, get together and make a list of the labor it needs; of the openings that exist for trades and professions, business opportunities, etc. Send them to The Record and we will see what we can do to bring the men and the opportunities together. Or, get in touch, direct, with the U. S. Employment Service, Washington, D. C.
There is a story in the February
Cosmopolitan that should be read by all returning soldiers, entitled "The Comeback." Briefly, the point of the story is that the best part of the tendency of even wounded soldiers to depend on "Uncle Sam" for "a job," or to "do something" for him, should not prevail, but that the soldier himself should use his brain, help himself, and be independent of governmental coddling. If this senti-ment was generally held by the re-turning soldier, the problem of his "getting something to do" would be greatly simplified.

Why Farmers Should Advertise.

Why should not the farmer adveras well as the merchant

Wide-awake, aggressive agriculturists are rapidly coming to a realiza-tion of the fact that there is no reason at all why they should not advertise, and very many sound, logical, practical reasons why they should

There is hardly a farmer who cannot do advertising to advantage. One of the greatest of farm problems is that of selling what is grown. It is, of course, not difficult to sell farm products, but it is not always easy to get the highest market price. A man may grow a big crop, but unless he can dispose of it at a profit, he would be better off to have grown no crop

Almost every farmer has at least a few baskets of turnips, a few bushels of potatoes, a few pounds of sausage, or extra meat for sale. A small advertisement placed in the county paper would immediately inform several thousand prospective purchasers that Mr. Wide-Awake Farmer had surplus production for sale. The result would be that he could command a better price.

There is no doubt about the fact that demand creates the price. And by advertising, the farmer has the one big opportunity to create demand. A man may sell 10 bushels of potatoes for \$10, and not spend a cent for advertising. Or he may spend 50 cents for advertising and reach some individual who is willing to pay \$15 for those same potatoes. In the first instance there would be no expense. the second instance there would be expense—and \$4.50 extra profit. This illustration is, perhaps, overdrawn, But those who have tried advertising -whether they are farmers or merchants—have invariably been brought to a realization of the fact that it pays-and pays big dividends.-An-

The church bells in Carroll County rang for the War Work drive, but when Prohibition was ratified by the 36th State, they remained silent; and yet, that is just what the church has

napolis Advertiser.

NOT YET TOO LATE

Contributions for Eastern Sufferers Still Received.

So far as we can tell from reports thus far received, Taneytown district has contributed something less than \$300 in response to the appeal for funds to be used in the near East. The reports are not complete, and it is probable that many more intend to contribute, but are just putting it off, forgetting the maxim, "He gives twice who gives quickly."

The contributions that have come

in show a satisfactory degree of liberality on the part of those who have contributed, but at least three-fourths of all that has been given has come from about 125 persons. This indicates that less than 200 persons have contributed. As there are probably more than 600 homes in the district it is clear that not more than one-third of those who ought to give have yet opened their purses.

The calls from headquarters are

urgent in the extreme, and we ought to respond promptly. It is not too late to help in this worthy cause. Surely our community will not be satisfied with only one-third of the homes represented when thousands are homeless and starving.

Farmers' Institutes in Carroll County

There are to be held in different rections of Carroll County Farmers' Institutes the first week of February. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings, which are arranged by the Maryland State College, through the County Agent. Here is an opportunity for the farmer to learn of new methods of producing his crops and managing his farm. The following topics will be discussed: Increasing the corn yield, successful growing of alfalfa, poultry, the farmers organization, farm management, the advantages of pure-bred stock,

the dairy cow, and meats. In connection with the Farmers' Institutes, a woman's meeting will be held each afternoon. Miss Ola Day, of the State College, will be the principal speaker. A talk will be given on the different cuts of meat, the prices, methods of cooking, etc. A meat canning demonstration and soap making demonstration will also be given. These meetings will be held separate from the men's, but at night the meetings will be combined and topics of interest to both men and women will be discuessed. Below is the schedule for the Institutes:

Union Mills, Feb. 3, at I. O. M. hall; women's meeting, 1:30, I. O. M. hall. Sykesville, Feb. 4, at Lyceum; women's meeting, 1:30, M. E. church.

Middleburg, Feb. 5, at town hall; women's meeting, 1:30, town hall; women's meeting, 1:30, town hall; women's meeting, 1:30.

Taneytown, Feb. 7, at Agricultural hall; women's meeting, 1:30.

Westmington, Feb. 8, at Armory.

Westminster, Feb. 8, at Armory; women's meeting, 1:30, M. E. church.
The principal speakers will be Mr.
Wolcott, Mr. Oldenburg, Mr. Mc-Laughlin, Mr. Rickey, Miss Ola Day, and Mr. Bomberger. Evening meetings at 7:30.

Meeting of the Woman's Club, Westminster.

Mrs. Wm. D. McDaniel was hostess at the meeting of the Woman's Club, of Westminster, on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 21, the President, Mrs. H. L. Elderdice, presiding. The subject was "England," and a program of interest was given by the response of the members to the roll-call: Provinces and their response in time of war, and by the papers: England's policy in regard to Small Nations, by Mrs. Carroll Albaugh, and England's Gradual Change to practically a democracy, by Mrs. D. S. Babylon.

The Club hopes to have address one their meetings in the near future, Dr. John H. Lasane, Professor of History, of the Johns Hopkins University, and member of the International Com-

A Belated Acknowledgement.

A splendid piece of work in the interest of the Red Cross, which was not reported to The Record heretofore. was done some time ago by the Lutheran Sunday school of Harney. By means of a supper and by other efforts, and with the co-operation of the community, the sum of \$107 was raised with the intention of adding it to last year's war fund. As this had closed when the money was sent it, it was used in the Christmas Roll Call. and thus reached the same destina-The gift reflects credit upon the faithful workers at Harney.

Let Us Have Sale Copy.

We request those who will have early sales to let us have the "copy' for their Sale Bills as soon as possible; not that they should be posted yet, but in order to give us time to get ahead with our work in this line, and not have a rush later on, and perhaps disappoint some. Most people, no doubt, can as easily make out their list of articles for sale, at this time, as well as later. We have the for a sale on March 18, and sure others, for earlier dates, might come in now.

We see from the papers that many men are storing away "wet goods," preparing for the drouth. This is a case in which short-sightedness was expensive. Two years ago a barrel would not have cost much more than ten gallons will now—but perhaps the goods in the barrel would not have meeting of the new board, held in of woodlands for greater profit, and been preaching for, the last hundred goods in the barrel would not have staved "stored away.

About Public Sale Advertising. A QUESTION ANSWERED.

We have inquiries almost every day, something like this—"Are you going to print many sale bills and cards this year?" The season's question has changed from a few years ago; then it was more like this:—"Will you advertise many sales in full in The Record?" The latter question is rarely asked now, as very few sales are held in our territory that are not so advertised. It is taken for granted as being the only business-like thing to do, because it

has demonstrated that "it pays."

For an answer to the present question we will say, the outlook is for most people—especially those who will have good-sized sales—to use all three methods—The Record, bills and cards. We give it as our opinion that their relative value, is in the order named. In some cases—especially for sales of live stock—the use of cards may be preferable to the bills, as they can be mailed easily to persons especially interested.

The sale bill, however, occupies a place not to be filled by any other plan of advertising; and while fewer people read them than read the advertisement, it is this "few" that makes the bill almost a necessity. One reader is likely to make a "bidder" who will more than pay the cost of the bill.

This trio of plans, as a total cost, is trifling as compared with the aggregate amount of a sale. We know of no like amount of mixed merchandise in any other line that can be sold at so small an advertising cost—perhaps not over one-half of one per cent. of the amount of the sale. big mistake who pinches down the extent of his invitation to bidders. Advertising is simply telling of an event that is going to happen, and inviting people

The Record wlll send sale advertising to other papers, when so desired, and have the bills for same sent to this office for payment, thereby saving the advertiser any trouble in the matter—except the paying. We receive no commission whatever for the service, but do it merely for accommodation.

WHAT WILL SMITH DO?

The U. S. Department of Labor Says Get Busy With Building.

The U.S. Department of Labor, in a "rush" circular to the press, advo-cates "Building" as a vital necessity as part of the reconstruction plans of the Government. All kinds of construction work is urged—public works, homes, repairs, etc. The Record thinks the following editorial, from last Sunday's Baltimore Sun, fits in very well here.

"John Smith wants to build a house. He has been intending to do it for several years, but, of course, post-poned operations while the war was He promised himself that he would start the work as soon as the war was ended. Now that the war is over he is still holding off. The reason is the abnormally high prices of materials and labor. Smith tells himself that it would be foolish for him to pay \$10,000 for a house now when in six months' time he will probably be able to build it for \$8,000. His logic is perfectly scound. No one can blame Smith.

"But, in the meantime, the architect who would draw the plans for Smith's house, the builder who would take the contract, the masons and carpenters and plumbers and bricklayers and hodcarriers who would do the work for the builder, the concerns which would furnish the bricks and the lumber and the plaster and the heating and plumbing appartus and the wall paper, the real estate man who would arrange for the purchase of the ground, the lawyer who would search the title and various other individuals, are without the work which would be theirs if Smith were in posithe word which would start opera-

"And, in the meantime, an army of several millions of men is being de-mobilized and the individual units composing that army are returning to their home towns, many of them to find no jobs waiting for them. Frank Morrison, Secretary of the American Federation of Labor, tells the Immigration Committee of the House of Representatives that with the demobilization of the army 'we are going to have bread lines in every industrial center.' These returned soldiers will not find jobs until the great aggregation of Smiths throughout the country who are waiting for lower prices-the men who are going to build houses, and the business concerns who are going to try new ventures, and the department stores which are going to lay in new stocks, and the manufacturers who are going to make new goods-give the word to start operations.

"We cannot blame the Smiths, possibly, for holding off until prices have gone down; we certainly cannot blame the soldiers who have fought so marvelously for their country for being aggrieved at finding that their country has now no work to offer them. Who, then, if anyone, is to blame? And what is the remedy?"

War-Risk Checks to be Sent Jan. 31.

Washington, Jan. 23.—In response to numerous inquiries received by the American Red Cross and the Bureau of War Risk insurance relative to alotment checks for relatives of soldiers sailors and marines for November and December, the Red Cross today sent the following telegrams to all divison directors:

"Secretary of the Treasury announces all war risk checks for November and December will be sent out by Jan. 31. Hence desirable to withhold inquiries as to those checks until Feb. 1

Officials believe that most of the inquiries received about allotments for the two months will be answered by the receipt of the checks by January

York will continue to be the home of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the United Lutheran Church in America, as it has for nearly 30 years been the home of the similar board of the former genthat city, Jan. 15th.

IN PLACE OF SALOONS

A Social Canteen Proposition Started in Philadelphia.

Church women in Philadelphia are advancing the plan of turning present saloons into canteens. That the churches should rent at least some of the present saloon stands, and fit them up as canteens operated by staffs of women workers, the object being to provide centers in which men can congregate, but where, instead of intoxicants, coffee, light lunch and suppers at moderate prices would be

They would not, of course, be restricted to men, but could be used as social centers for both men and women. An elaboration of the idea includes moving pictures, a night nur-sery for the temporary care of children while their parents enjoy them-

selves in the canteen.

This seems like a fairly practical ground plan for meeting the objection that the saloon as "a man's club" will disappear; but it is one, of course, that would call for very careful management and supervision. The Philadelphia proposition goes no further than that such canteens should be practically, auxiliaries of churches, or at least be under such influences.

Letter from Rev. H. O. Harner.

A letter to The Record from Rev. H. O. Harner, a former Taneytowner, pastor of the Springet, York Co., charge, says he is getting along fine in his work, his five congregations being progressive and up-to-date, with attendance and finances growing nicely, and that at present they are in the midst of an old-time revival. He says, further:

"In a letter received recently from my brother, Rev. Elmer W. Harner, was the good news that he had accepted the pastoate of St. Paul's Lutheran church, the largest and most influential church in Colorado, at a salary of \$1500.

A Denver paper states, his departure from Canon City, was greatly regretted, as aside from his active duties as pastor he had played a prominent role in Y. M. C. A. work and in general community helpfulness.

Am getting along well here, but a pastorate in Maryland would be more desirable, and to that end, will bend all my energy toward landing in a good field among the hills of "Maryland my Maryland." Wishing the "Record" its employees, Editor, readers and all citizens of your grand old country great success. I am Respectfully Yours

REV. H. O. HARNER.

The Farm Woodland.

This is the time of year when the nost neglected part of the farm comes in for some consideration. A woodlot is a necessary adjunct of every well ordered farm. It is looked to as the source of fire-wood, fencing, building material, and has often helped out the owner with ready cash from the sale of timber. While it is true that the woodland is the only part of the farm that will not deteriorate if left alone, it is also true that no other part of the farm will bring better returns for a small amount of intelligent care than this same woodland.

Growing trees for timber is not much unlike growing other crops. Planting, weedings, thinnings and certain cultural operations are often employed to advantage in timber growing. As in handling other crops, there is the right thing to do at the right time to get the best results. When timber reaches maturity, it should be cut, but young, thrifty trees of desirable kind should saved for further growth. In the matter of cutting fire-wood—a winter operation on practically every -there is first the opportunity to help the woodland by making an improvement cutting to rid the woods of trees of little or no prospective value-tree weeds-and thereby release a more valuable growth.

On the other hand, with no definite plan of what to cut, the wood-chopper often takes the straight, thrifty trees of the best species, leaving the kind that are only fit for firewood to stand. The State Board of Forestry, 532 N. Howard St. Balitmore Md., extends its service to all.

THE WAGE FIGHT ON

Manufacturers Laying off Hands and Making Reductions.

All over the country, manufacturers are posting notices of wage reductions, in many cases accompanied by the information that unless lower wages are possible, the plants will be closed. Others are discharging large numbers of men, and still others are closing their plants without reference to wages. A few cases of strikes are reported for higher wages. Evidently, the fight is on to

bring down the wage scale. The Emerson-Brantingham foundry, at Waynesboro, Pa., is closed, and 125 men were discharged from the shops of the Company, on Monday. There is said to be a general effort by manufacturers in Waynesboro, to break the union scale of wages.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Jan. 20, 1919.—Out of respect for the late Charles E. Fink, court adjourned during the hour of the funeral.

Josephine M. Reese and Caroline F. Reese, administratrices w. a. of Josephine F. Fairfax, deceased, settled their first and final account.

Byron S. Dorsey, administrator of Emory M. Wagner, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property and money and received an order to sell personal property.

W. Scott Leister, executor of Em-

aline I. Leister, deceased, returned an inventory of debts and money and an additional inventory of personal prop-

Letters of administration on the estate of John N. Selby, deceased, were granted unto C. Wm. Selby, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Theodore Bankert, deceased, was ad-

mitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Ulman A. Bankert, who received an order to notify creditors, and returned an inventory of debts.

Nannie M. Himler, administratrix of John L. Flohr, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

John Boerner and George Boerner.

John Boerner and George Boerner, executors of Mary Boerner, deceased, reported sale of personal property and settled their first and final account W. Frank Thomas, acting executor

of Rebecca F. Thomas, deceased, re-ceived an order to sell real estate. Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob L. Frederick, deceased, were granted unto James A. Frederick, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify credi-

Letters of administration on the estate of John D. Mummert, deceased, were granted unto Simpson C. Mummert and John E. Mummert, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

Emma J. Zepp, guardian of Margaret R. Zepp and Wm. L. Zepp, settled her final account.

Henry Stumpf, surviving executo of Conrad Stumpf, deceased, settled his first and final account.

John R. Lovell, administrator of Ellsworth E. Lovell, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts and money, and received an order to sell personal property. Letters of administration on the

estate of John T. Stem, deceased, were granted unto Aubrey J. Stem, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

John G. Hoffman, executor of John

Stewart, deceased, returned an inventory of money and settled his first W. Scott and Denton H. Leister,

executors of Zephaniah Leister, de-

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were granted unto Clarence E. Smith, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify credi-Tuesday, Jan. 21, 1919.—The sale of the real estate of Robert A. Nelson, deceased, was finally ratified and

The sale of the real estate of Mary E. Sentz, deceased, was finally ratified and confirmed.

Letters of administration on the estate of Wm. D. Hess, deceased, were granted unto John E. Davidson, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Richard C. Doyle, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Bernard C. Doyle, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.
Clarence E. Smith, administrator

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Clarence E. and Charles W. Mielke, executors of Louis A. Mielke, deceased, settled their first and final ac-

Arthur W. Thompson and Gen. Felix Agnus, of the special subcommittee of the Governor's bridge commission went to Washington on Thursday to hold preliminary conferences with members of the War Department in preparation for the conference to be held next Monday morning with Secof the proposed bridge across the Chesapeake Bay will be discussed.

WHERE THE WARYLAND TROOPS ARE STATIONED

Locations of the Divisions of the Expeditionary Forces.

Washington, Jan. 23.-Locations of the divisions of the American Expeditionary Forces on January 2, with the names of the present division commanders, was made public today by the War Department. The new list shows that Major Generals Chas. D. Rhodes, Peter E. Traub, Leroy S. Lyon and Chas. E. Martin have been relieved of their commands. The 87th is now under Brigadier General Wm. F. Martin, the 90th under Brigadier General John B. O'Neill and the 92nd under Brigadier General James B. Erwin. The 34th and 8th are temporarily without regularly detailed gen-

eral officers. No changes are indicated in the composition of the Army of Occupation, which still numbers tentatively 13 divisions, the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Seventh, 28th, 32nd, 33rd, 42nd, 79th, 89th and 90th.

Today's announcement of locations shows that many divisions have moved since Nov. 28, when they last were located. The divisions, their locations and commands, include the following: 29th, Bousbonne Les Bains, Major General Chas. G. Morton.

42d, Ahrweiler, Maj. General Clement A. F. Flagler. 79th, Souilly, Major General Joseph

80th, Ancy-Le-Franc, Maj. General Samuel D. Sturgis.

The Germans had 'em Ready.

A British officer, just returned from the newly liberated portions of France and Belgium, tells a curious tale re-garding the flags with which the people celebrated their redemption. There were flags everywhere, thousands of them—Union Jacks, Stars and Stripes Japanese, Belgian, French and Ital-The officer, struck by the variety and number of the emblems, remarked to a native that the people seemed to have been well prepared for the victorious return of the Allies and their own soldiers, and asked where the flags had been hidden. "Hidden?" replied the Frenchman,

"they were not hidden. We bought them from the Germans!" Here, indeed was a curious manifestation of German psychology, or perhaps trad-ing instinct. Did the Germans anticipate their own retreat, and come prepared to equip the French and Belgians with the means of celebration? It would appear that they did so, and were willing to utilize the occasion for earning an honest penny, the only honest money they had earned for many a day!

A Big Sale of Furs.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 22.—The fur auction today started off with 80,000 civets, which sold for \$55,000 within a few minutes. Today's sales totaled \$550,000, with a \$2,300,000 total for

Twenty thousand house cats sold from nine to ninety cents apiece and totaled a trifle under \$10,000. Fiftyfive hundred ring tails went quickly for \$5700. Three hundred and eighty hair seals found quick sales for more than \$2000, and 400 mountain lions brought \$1500. Then 1700 leopards and leopard cats went out for \$8000. Fourteen hundred bears totaled more than \$20,000. One hundred and thirty polar bears sold for around \$3000. Except for civets there was not much interest in a forenoon sale, but the exchange was well filled for 118,000 ermine, Russian ermine selling well above American and choice lots, going at good avearge prices. The entire ermine offerings was well taken, totaling around

May Return Wilson's Visit.

It now appears that, as one of the results of President Wilson's trip to Europe, America will have the privilege of entertaining the heads of the Governments of England, France and possibly Italy. In this connection President Poincare of France has just announced the fact that he will probably make a trip to America next June or July. There is also a reason to believe that King George of England will visit this country in the near future; and while there has as yet been no definite announcement regarding the matter, there seems to be but little doubt that King Victor Immanuel of Italy will also return the President's trip to Italy by making a trip to the United

Hun Helmets as Prizes.

Eighty thousand German helmets captured by General Pershing's troops some new, taken from storehouses behind the enemy lines, and some battered relics of the battlefield-have been ordered by Frank R. Wilson, director of Liberty Loan publicity, for distribution in the Fifth Loan campaign. The helmets will be allotted to Federal Reserve district headquarters on the basis of their respective subscription quotas and will be used as prizes for campaign achievements under rules to be formulated by the district managers.

Henry Menges fell into a circular saw at a mill near New Oxford, Pa., retary of War Baker, when the details on Wednesday, and quickly bled to of the proposed bridge across the death from having his right arm cut

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 24th., 1919.

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 ex-



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

We like to have the commendation of others, but sometimes it costs too much-more than we can afford to

It is better to be called a "Dutchman" than a "German." The Holland Dutch used to be considered the "low Dutch"-but not now.

Hold on to your Liberty Bonds. In a few years they will be selling at a premium. Selling them now simply plays into the hands of wise people who will profit by the acts of the un-

The Republican candidates for the Presidential nomination, who seem to be most in the public eye, all have short names-Wood, Taft, Knox, and Root, the first named possibly being the best betting proposition.

It begins to look as though it would require two or three Germanys to pay all of the war claims of the Allied Nations, without counting what Germany owes her own people, or the bill she justly owes the United States. Perhaps the fight will be to get as much as can be had, and not all.

Queer, isn't it? That Pershing should be "spoken of" as a Republican candidate for the President, and Hoover as a Democratic candidate. while the politics of these men is such an unknown quality. Perhaps this can be taken as a big compliment to their fitness, or is it just a skirmishing around?

There is just a possibility—a hint that the various war relief agencies may be quietly "knocking" each other, their methods, etc. They have all accomplished splendid results, in their own ways, even though all have possibly made mistakes and bad bargains; and it would be a great pity, now, for a display of ordinary faultfinding to be secretly promoted.

Swatting corporations and deciding against capital, have been popular employments for some years past, until the public impression has almost been created that these business units are largely criminal in their tendencies, and usually oppressive of somebody-either of labor, or the consumer, or both. What this country evidently needs, is a dose of capital taking a holiday. It would be a calamity, but it might give a lot of people some needed good sense.

Soon Time to Stop.

Sometimes, in spite of our better and truer natures, we pity ourselves. We forget the holiness and beauty of "service" and complain that we are a very much abused and imposed on people. As a sample condition of this sort, we can easily make ourselves see that in this matter of feeding the starving in Europe, we are making our own country scarce of food and putting up prices on ourselves. There is no doubt that we are doing just this; in a large measure, purchasing and sending off our food, is keeping the whole world as a profitable market for our food producers and deal-

Of course, this must eventually stop, but when ? There must a time come when self-pity must change to something more praiseworthy-selfprotection, and the charity that "begins at home." We can, even now, with full propriety exercise the hope that the still warring elements in the more laudable pursuits of feeding and caring for themselves, instead of being a burden on the charitably disposed in the United States.

We must not become harsh, nor too easily suspicious, along this line. It were greatly better for us to be imposed on than to be too stingy, or to act as unjust or selfish stewards; but surely we must soon be reacing the time, when, in justice to true charity and benevolence, we should look more closely into the channels and ends of the American flood of generosity that some may think has no end.

We are taking some big chances, now, considering the immensity of the job of feeding our own poor, finding profitable employment for our returning soldiers in the face of falling wages and labor troubes, and the big one of all-paying the war bill. We soon must, whether it "looks big" or not, take some account of ourselves.

This fact was pretty plainly stated in the debate in the House over the President's request for \$100,000,000 for the relief of suffering in Europe. While the bill passed by a vote of 242 to 73, there were 115 "not voting," and some who voted "aye" plainly left it be known that there was no enthusiasm back of the vote, while the debate itself showed the suppressed public temper to be to call a halt on such expenditures.

A Plea that Must be Considered.

The "Textile Workers of America" have recently issued a demand for 'an eight-hour day, or a general strike." The "Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association" has as vigorously rejected the demand, and insists on fewer governmental restrictions, a higher tariff for protection, and lower taxation. Mr. Grundy, President of the Association, says the manufacturers of Pennsylvania, alone, will have One Billion Dollars of the tax increase now pending before Congress, and that if it is to be paid, the manufacturers must be left make the money to pay it with.

This particular case is vastly important to this country because it represents dozens of other like cases that are bound to present themselves in connection with the lowering of wages and production costs, which means reduced selling prices of merchandise; and it not only interests the manufacturers, but the big army of consumers of merchandise in this country. Mr. Grundy said in part:

"With nearly the whole industrial world at war, our imports during the last year amounted in value to \$3,-000,000,000, double the value before the war, and hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of goods now coming to our markets were produced at a labor cost averaging twenty cents a day. Our imports during November last were \$30,000,000 more than for the same month of 1917. Can we hold our home markets in time of peace under such conditions ?

"Moreover, Great Britatin Fra and Italy will soon owe us some \$10,-000,000,000. They cannot pay us in gold; they must pay us in goods or credit must be indefinitely extended.

"But we are told that we can now capture the markets of the world. We have been told that before, but we never have and never will sell more than about 5% of our production abroad in time of peace. Can we go into the markets of Great Britain, the markets of France, of China or Japan, or any other part of the world with our cost of production double and treble and quadruple and twenty times their cost of production? With out cotton, with some of our grain and some of our metals, yes, but not with our manufactures.

"We do not want the markets of the world except for our surplus; we want our own home market, the best

on earth and at our very doors. "And, in order to retain this market, ours by every right of God and man, we must protect it by a tariff which measures the difference in cost of production here and abroad, and, if our labor wants to retain its present wage scale, or a scale anywhere near approaching it, then the workers of the United States must join their empoyers in demanding the privilege and right to work on a basis of equality that cannot be had under existing

free trade import duties.
"Our first concern today is not prices, not wages, not profits, but whether or not we are to have a market for our products; whether or not we must face a competition that will close ou factories, as they were closed in 1816 and 1833 and 1850 and 1895, and whether or not we are to have any added burdens imposed upon us. Nor are we selfish in this concern. Mills running at full time mean prosperous farmers, mean loaded freight trains, mean a consumption of our raw material, our coal and iron and lumber our cotton and wool and hides. It means full employment for all, and prosperity for every interde-

pendent class and section. "For some years the manufacturers of the country have been the targets of our lawmakers both national and State. We have been burdened with the restrictions and obligations of law after law. Paternalism has run riot. In spite of the exactions, however, and because of inflated prices, unusual conditions and the abnormal demands of the war, with more demands that have been made upon

"Now peace has come, but only a few of the war burdens are lifted. sumed in in the United States every fering with a settled cold upon the Taxation, almost to the limit of convear. Canada supplies approximately chest and it has always brought about fiscation, faces us not only during the Europe will soon stop fighting among coming year, but for years to come.

themselves and turn their energies to Our cost of production is abnormally Every possible favor has been granted our workmen. Every possible burden has been laid upon the manufacturer.

"Now we beg or demand the right and privilege of meeting the situation and the onerous conditions as best we can. It would seem as if the limit of endurance had been reached and we must cry out for a cessation of legis-lation and a relief from further hand-With a lack of barriers to check the inflow of foregn fabrications, with an enormous debt and necessity for heavy and continuous taxation, with an abnormally high cost of production, with a thousand and more exactions as to what we must and must not do, we should have some assurance that for a time at least we are to be given an opportunity to pursue our work in peace and be able to plan in safety for investment, for production and for sales.'

Why Such a Pension?

The estate of Col. Roosevelt is estimated to be worth \$500,000. Notwithstanding this, there is a bill before Congress to give to Mrs. Roosevelt an annual pension of \$5,000.00. Why? The strong probability is that Mrs. Rosevelt does not want this pension, and had no part in proposing the legislation. Should it go through, if Mrs. Roosevelt has anything like the spirit of her late husband, she will decline to accept it.

This country has been over-doing the pension business, from Congress on down through state legislation. There are lots of deserving cases, no doubt, but as a general proposition the "pension" represents governmental charity, and too frequently makes beneficiaries who are in no legitimate sense in need of any help of that sort.

Ill-paid men, as were the soldiers of our Civil War who were compelled to enter the ranks, had, in most instances, a real claim on the government, and especially when disabled, and in actual need; but, most pensioners of other classes who voluntarily accepted government employmentactually sought it-and the pay attached thereto, and could have relinquished their jobs at any time for something better, have not, in our judgment, any just right to pensions.

Just why anybody should consider Mrs. Roosevelt entitled to a pension, we cannot conceive: and we believe that just this sort of misdirected sentiment is responsible for a great deal of the feeling that exists, in some quarters, against government and

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Some Problems.

There are many important problems to be faced within the next year or two, among which may be men-

The working out of the effect of National prohibition.

The extension of woman suffrage, and the entrance of women into avenues of labor heretofore occupied by

The return of our troops from Europe, and fitting them into industrial occupations.

The burden of war taxation, and

the payment of our war debt. The question of wages, especially as it relates to American manufactures-which inevitably means a reopening of the tariff and protection argument.

Government ownership, or government operation, of railroads and other big business affairs.

Unionism, as a force for influencing political sentiment. The return to a pure delegated

democracy, from the "war-measure"

autocracy. The result of the Peace Conference, and the League of Nations prop-

Some of these will enter into the platforms on which the next Presidential campaign will be fought, while others will divide the minds of men in business and other relations, and give all classes abundant opportunity for mental exerecise.

Prior to the war, Canadian pulp and paper products had to meet the competition of the Scandinavian and European countries, both in the United States and in the overseas markets. In news-print paper alone, which constitutes more than one-half of the Dominoin's total pulp and paper exor less Government support, we have ports, Canada now enjoys a monopoly survived and been able to meet the of the American market outside of the domestic production. Of the 2,-000,000 tons of news-print paper conyear, Canada supples approximately chest and it has always brought about 550,000 tons.

"QUO VADIS."

A popular novel of a generation back, had for its subject "Quo Vadis" -which means "Whither goest thou."

This question is pertinent, and can be asked of every relationship of life -individual, national, and interna-

In international affairs we shall content ourselves, having had our say, with letting the peace conference decide; in individual affairs the matter is up to the individual himself; on national affairs we shall try briefly to make a few observations.

We are facing the future with small concern, when we should, perhaps, be greatly concerned. Popular government-democracy-is having its day, and in many instances is running pell-mell into dangers seen and un-

Political parties retain old names, but seem to have changed places. Democracy under Jefferson and Jackson demanded strong individual and state rights, and as little of national government as was necessary consistent with stability; Republicanism (Federal) under Washington and down through the later Republican party, believed in a strong central government without in any way interfering with any of the rights that belonged strictly to the states.

It seems almost uncanny that the modern politicians have changed places. Perhaps it is the trend of the times and the current of world events that is sweeping on us; the fact is evident that the trend of government in the United States is as autocratic as Germany ever dared to be, and the inclination is to accept all the features of that autocracy except the military regime.

Grave dangers lie ahead of us now in the trend toward Government ownership, and even Civil Service has passed the stage of reform and is rapidly becoming an intoxication. Under the Civil Service ruling a man selected for office holds for life, except that there is the arbitrary authority invested in some one to remove, at will and without trial "for the good of the service."

When the sovereign of a country, who holds that sovereignty by virtue of the franchise of the people, can by a single "dictum" place under Civil Service, with life tenure sixty thousand fourth-class postmasters, and then later under "war's grim necessity" seizes railroads with two million employees, and practically places them under Civil Service with an immediate boost of wages beyond any previous high record, and makes the public pay the bill by added charges for travel and haulage, and agrees to make up any difference out of the general burden of taxation from the government's treasury, the party able to do it has a lasting grip on more than the "balance of power" in our country, and has by two single acts made us about as near an autocracy as it is possible to get in a free coun-

There was a time when the writer believed in and mildly advocated government ownership. Government control is proving a blessing in many instances, but government ownership can never be a success until, and unless, it is made universal. and the government takes up bodily the idea of Edward Bellamy, and that cannot happen so long as the devil remains unchained and the milennum has not

In government control, there is a check at the ballot box on the government—the controlling body, while in government ownership, those who control, hold the whip with no one

to control them. But, the people will wake up—the old ship of state is not going to flounder—the entire crew, the masses of the people, are going to wake up and throw off many of those theories that have been growing up in our midst. They are not new. Sparta tried them and with the exception of a few deeds of a few warriors, the people are remembered in name only.

The war has put us all "up in the air" but we will all come back to earth, in time, and be the better for our sky rocket.—Wm. James Heaps, in Sons of America. a few deeds of a few warriors, the

Probably the best-known war emergency service is the United States Employment Service, which has 900 offices and over 4,400 employes. Two million and a half workers were directed to war industries in -0 months.

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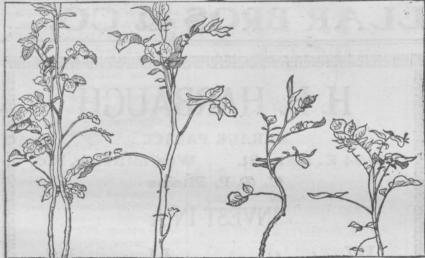
This field in Aroostock county, Maine, averaged 551 bushels to the acre. It received 2,000 pounds of fertilizer per acre. The money spent in fertilizer proved to be a gilt-edge investment.

They May Be Due to Disease, or to Poor Seed Stock, but Are a Source of Loss in Either Case.

stock ready for potato planting, look plant at the left shows what a heavy out for the tubers showing "spindly and thick sprout develops into; that sprouts." Such tubers will never make at the right, the poor plant grown from the strong and healthy growth which a tuber showing the "spindly sprout."

SPINDLY SPROUTS OF POTATO | you did last year-certainly not, if you delay ordering. Spindly sprouts simply show that the plant lacks vitality. No amount of good treatment will make it yield a good crop.

The accompanying illustration is from one of the excellent bulletins of Next spring, when getting your seed the Maryland experiment station. The



you must have for a wartime potato | Seed costs money, more money than crop (or, for that matter, an after-the- ever. Fertilizer will next spring be war crop either). And what is just short in quantity, labor will be hard to as important, you can't make up for get. Seed stock should be of highest the loss by adding more fertilizer. For quality in order to assure profitable one thing you probably can't get the returns on the investments in land, fertilizer in any larger quantity than labor and fertilizer.

TAKE CARE OF THE SEED | GIVING THE POTATO CROP A **POTATOES**

Don't let seed potatoes sprout in by just this much the ability of the toes are planted. seed pieces to produce quick, sturdy growth in the early spring.

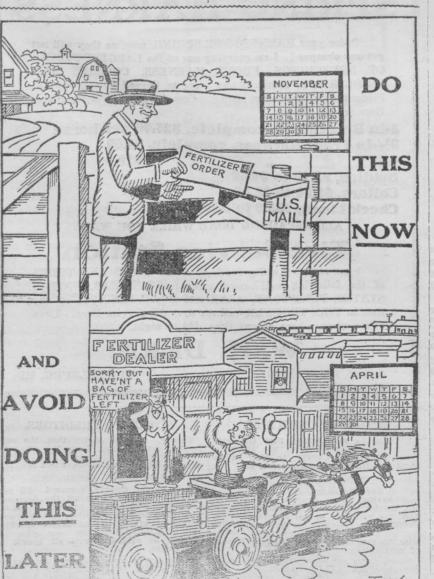
increases yields.

growing.

OUICK START

One of the most discouraging things storage. Every inch of sprout means for the potato grower is the long deso much strength gone and diminishes lay which comes right after the pota-

'off the bat." In their root stalks they For the very early potatoes, have saved up plant food for just this wherever small areas are to be planted, spread the seed potatoes out in the not a good forager, and too often a dewarm sunlight or in a light unheated lay in getting a quick start means a room in a dwelling house, some three partial or total crop failure. The most weeks before planting time. This important plant food in the early makes the sprouts grow thick, tough spring is ammonia—the stem and leaf and sturdy, makes the crop earlier and producer. At the time of year when potatoes are planted, the soil is still When the potato tops are from six | cold. It has just been leached by the to eight inches high put on a second winter's rains and is low in available dose of fertilizer, applied alongside the plant food. Even when manure is ap-The roots are then getting weil plied to a cover sod and turned under, started and available plant food put use of ammonia in fertilizer-from 2 where they can get it keeps them to 3 per cent-is a most profitable practice.



AFTERNOON DRESS OF VELVET



This charming afternoon gown of navy blue velvet comes from Lady Duff Gordon. It is fastened high at the neck with an interesting array of steel buttons on the waist and the

NO EXTREME FEATURES USED

New Fall and Winter Clothes Are Marked by a General Air of Simplicity.

In viewing the new clothes for fall and winter one is struck by the absence of extreme features, and also by the general air of simplicity displayed. Colors are quiet, browns, blues and black predominating, with here and there a demure costume carried out in gray or taupe. Even embroidery has been subdued, and although in a few cases bright-colored wool or silk is used, the general tendency is toward gray and beige, or a soft coppery red that is new and most attractive.

As inevitable as the season itself is the serge street frock, and its variations are many; so, while at first glance there is a slightly monotonous effect in the costuming of the women who now throng the smart restaurants and shops, a closer inspection reveals an individuality in the arrangement of certain new details of trimming, or in the cut of the neck or fashion of sleeve. To keep to the fad of using as little wool as possible there are many clever combinations of fabrics and one is inclined to feel that this rule, instead of hindering, has been an aid to the creative abilities of designers.

Some weeds are ready to start right NEWEST FASHIONS ARE CHIC

Late Styles Are Regarded as More Practical Than They Have Been in Recent Years.

Taking it all in all, the new fashions are more attractive and at the same habit is easily acquired and grows time more practical than they have apace. Some persons immediately been in years. Here are a few salient start to bite their lips as soon as they characteristics:

flat and straight. One Paris frock grotesque, though the offender is tohas a belt made of a strip of inch-wide braid with the ends crossed and falling is attracting. in short tabs. The most graceful sash is of satin, with fringed ends.

called rust color. All the browns will costumes and taupe and gray make a on into the blood. smart combination. Every other din-

ner gown is black. A yard and twelve inches will be enough width for the fall skirt-if one wishes to be extremely smart. More conservative taste may increase the width as far as a yard and three-quarters-no more than that is permitted

by fashion. Sleeves must be tight as one can stand them, with small armholes and the wrist provided with buttons and loops or other fastening devices, so that one may get into the sleeve without a struggle.

MILLINERY HINTS

Although one occasionally sees a bright red or horizon blue hat, this fall it is the fur tones, brown and gray, that lead in millinery. This means a range of some extent, for the brown furs are rather numerous and there are several shades in the gray grouping. Sometimes a feather fancy in contrasting shade is used for trimming, but more often the one color scheme is maintained.

Fringed silk ribbon is the trimming novelty and on some of the models from Paris it resembles an ostrich feather band.

The minimum of trimming is the rule and often a narrow band of grosgrain ribbon is the sole decoration on a turban or sailor shape of velvet, velour or hatter's plush.

Handkerchief Fad. A dainty handkerchief has one corof white net on which is one's mens

FROCKS OF PELTRY

Gowns for Street and Evening Entirely of Fur

Soft Kind of Material, Superimposed on Silk or Satin-Kinship to Ancient Costumes.

In Paris they delight in medieval gowns of peltry. In such costumery there is not only the determination to be unique, but to be warm. We, at the apex of scientific civilization and hygiene, observes a fashion writer, have been cast down into the depths of medieval discomfort and disease through the failure of mechanical organization during the war. We thought the world forever free from plagues, but we have been visited by one which spread over a world and gathered in its victims as did the dread plagues of a century ago. We who had ceased to think that hunger and cold-both elemental disasters-could ravage our health, have been face to face with both, over three continents. No longer did only the poor and dirty, those easy victims of all disasters, pay the final penalty; but those who had for over a century considered themselves immune through the adoption of all that science and health demanded.

Was it not natural, then, that, under the accumulation of the catastrophes. women should turn to the kind of apparel that kept their far-away ancestors comfortable? At least the French women must think along this line, for they have provided themselves with evening gowns and street gowns made entirely of peltry. It is a soft kind of fur which is used, and it is superimposed on silk or satin; but it produces a strong kinship to the costumes of the

When the gown of fur is not worn there is a new kind of huge fur hat which is supposed to furnish the warm touch. It has a cart-wheel brim and is usually devoid of trimming. Only the oval, slim face can permit it. It is not the hat for the average woman,

but it is new, and therefore desirable. There are also wraps that give more weight than warmth—a high quality in a covering-and which are fashioined somewhat like the dolmans of Victorian days. They have obliterated the ugliness of that period and developed a smart appearance. They contribute to the need for economy in apparel, for they allow the usage of a one-piece frock, and even the fall or spring tailored suit. In sealskin, beaver, moleskin, they are at their best. A collar of another peltry can be added if it is considered desirable. There are women who are not happy in a garment that is left unadorned.

BITING NAILS, CHEWING LIPS

Disfiguring Habits Easily Acquired, Young Girls and Older Women Being Among Offenders.

One of the most unwholesome and disfiguring habits is the biting of the nails and chewing the lips. All ages, too, are represented, since wee children, young girls and older women are among the frequent offenders.

Chewing the lips, extracting bits of skin from the lips, or biting them is a habit which tends to disfigure the mouth by making it larger and pulling it out of shape. Thus the expression of the face changes for the worse. This are engrossed in a book or with work Belts are either soft and draped or in hand. Facial distortions are often tally unconscious of the attention he

While this practice of drawing the lips about does not improve the face, The new color is henna, sometimes it is not in the same class with biting the nails, which admits thousands of be fashionable and certain shades of germs directly into the mouth, hence green. Gray is much liked for street to the stomach and intestines, and so

FASHIONS IN BRIEF

The newest veils are of tulle, chiffon or chantilly lace. Stitching of silk or wool makes a very attractive trimming.

A beautiful cape is of cerise wool jersey, lined with gray silk.

There is a tendency to place wings at the back of a hat. Boots will measure eight inches from

the breast of the heel. Millinery colorings are dull and onetone effects are favored.

HAT OF BLACK PANNE VELVET



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The Record Office is connected with the C. & P. Telephone from 7 A. M., to 5 P. M. Use Telephone for important items on Friday morning. Owing to mail changes, we do not now receive letters from along the W. M. R. R., on Friday, in time for use. All correspondence should be malled to us not later than by Thursday morning train, which will mean Wednesday on the Routes.

BRIDGEPORT.

Master John Baumgardner, Four Points, spent Tuesday night with his sister, Mrs. Russell B. Ohler. Geo. Kemper, wife and family, visited at the home of Walter Shoemak-

er, on Saturday evening. Chas. Staub's public sale was well attended, and good prices were real-Mrs. Lincoln Witherow called on

Mrs. D. A. Stull, on Saturday.

Mrs. Denton Wachter, of Rocky
Ridge, spent a few days, this week,
with her mother, Mrs. Anne Ohler,
and brother, Emory Ohler and fam-

Mrs. Geo. Miller and daughters, and Mrs. Chester Ohler and son, Clyde, of Emmitsburg, visited at the home of Edgar Miller and wife, on Wed-

nesday.

Jacob Stambaugh has purchased the Chas. Staub property and will

move there in the Spring.

Those who spent Wednesday with Cameron Ohler and wife were: Russell B. Ohler and wife and sons; H. W. Baker and wife, Emory Ohler and wife, Chester and Lloyd Ohler.

Mrs. Harvey Fleagle called on Mrs. Wm. Bollinger, on Tuesday af-

Harry Baker and wife were visi-tors of Jacob Stambaugh and wife on Thursday.

Those who visited Harry Olniger and wife, on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Mort and daughter, Iva, and grand-children, Raymond, Helen, Murray and Reno Eyler, and Messrs. George and John Mort, of

A spelling bee will be held at Toms Creek school house, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 29th. If weather not

favorable, the first fair evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Mort, of
near Four Points, entertained at a
dinner, on Tuesday, Jan. 21, in honor of Mr. Mort's brothers, Geo. and John of Maynard, Ia. Those present were Wm. B. Mort and wife, George and John Mort, James Mort and wife, Albert Valentine and wife, Harry Olinger and wife, Bernard Bentz and wife, Roy Mort, wife and daughter, Maude; Ephramin Grimes and daughter, Ethel Virgie Ohler, Iva Mort, Elsie Welty, Emory Hahn, of Gettysburg; Ray-mond, Murray, Reno and Helen Eyler.

UNION BRIDGE.

The U. B. Farmers' Club met last Saturday at the home of Mr. Beecham, of Avondale. There was a large attendance and the program was interesting and instructive. Lt. Buf-fington of the aviation department, described the training necessary to become an efficient fighter in the air. Mrs. Stanley Minnick has been ill

with pneumonia. Preparations are being made for the welcome to "our boys," when they all get home. Nothing will be too good for them.

Red Cross has been hard at work each evening, making clothing for French and Belgian orphans.

Charles Read is at the Frederick hospital, undergoing treatment. We are pleased to note that he is recovering his strength.

Rev. Field has been a visitor to Philadelphia, this week.

Now that the war is over, let us pe-

tition the Government to loan us a squadron of air ships to get from place to place. If the mud was somewhat thinner, submarines might

Citizens, we have been promised good roads so long that patience has become a virtue. Let "good roads" be our slogan for next November. The district that pays the big taxes cannot help throwing mud, when that is all "the powers" have been giving

LINWOOD.

Lieut. John F. Buffington, who was stationed at Mather Feild, Sacra-mento, Cal., has completed his term of enlistment, and has returned to this place, where he has been visiting relatives, the past week.
Pvt. E. Ray Englar spent Sunday

with his mother and sisters at this place, returning to Camp Meade in the evening, where he expects to remain until he procures his discharge the last of this week. Miss Helen Etzler, of Sykesville,

spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Etzler.

D. Fred. Englar and family, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Mrs. Clara Englar. O. H. Crumbacker, of Maidensville, spent several days, last week,

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Weller, of this place, died Sunday, and was buried Tuesday

morning.

Wm. Rinehart, of near here, is very sick with the Flu.

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dianapolis, Indiana, Says: We were bothered quite a little by rats in our basement, destroying our stationery, but after distributing your RAT-SNAP very thoro gily, we are pleased to report that we are no longer bothered with them. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Reindollar Bros. & Co., Taneytown,

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

Our Annual Bible Institute will begin Sunday, Jan. 26th., and close the following Sunday, Feb. 2. The principal speakers will be D. J. Lich-ty a returned missionary from India, J. M. Henry and William Kinsey, Many of your friends will be here to enjoy this Bible Institute. Be sure to arrange to meet them.

The fourth number of our Lyceum Course, a lecture by Col. E. H. Laugher will be given in the College Auditorium on Friday evening, Jan. 31, at 8 o'clock. Do not miss this excellent opportunity to hear Col. Laugher.

We are sorry indeed to announce the death of Mrs. Dr. James Fraser who died at her home in New Windsor early Sunday morning, Jan. 19. She will be buried at Kennet Square, Chester County, Pa. on Wednesday,

Baltimore City College was trimmed in basket ball by B. R. C., to the tune of 23 to 17, on Saturday evening, Jan. 18, in the Blue Ridge gymnasium.

The music department gave a recital in the Chapel, on Monday evening, Jan. 20 A number of excellent piano solos were rendered.

There will be a Recital given by

the Faculty of the Music and Public Speaking department, on Saturday evening, Feb. 8, at 8:15.

UNIONTOWN.

Miss Flora Frizzel, of Emmitsburg, is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Clementine Mering. Charles Crumbacker was able to

take up his work this week.

Mrs. Sarah Bloom continues ill.

Samuel Repp has been confined to

bed the past week. George Slonaker and wife were in the city over Sunday. On Tuesday their cousin, Mrs. Rhoda, wife of William Stout, was buried, having

died suddenly. She was the daughter of Joseph Slonaker, formerly of this place. Her only sister, Mrs. Della Parks, died during the first out break of the Flu in the city.

John E. Heck is building a barn at

his home place. Miss Louise Eckard was unfortu-

nate last week in cutting the end of her thumb off, in trying to split a piece of kindling with a hatchet. C. Edgar Myers put in electric lights and a pipeless furnace for Geo.

Slonaker quite recently.

Leslie Gilbert received his discharge last week at Camp Meade and has returned to his home at Raymond Dayhoff's. He is the first one in the neighborhood to return.

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DETOUR.

P. D. Koons, Jr., wife and daughters, Winifred and Jeanette, spent Sunday in Thurmont.

Mrs. Bertha Valentine and daughter, Mrs. George Schaffer, of Rocky Ridge, visited in town, on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller and Miss Helen, of Thurmont, spent Sunday evening with E. D. Essick and fam-

Miss Vallie Shorb spent the weekend in Baltimore. Charles Albaugh spent several days this week with friends and relatives,

near Union Bridge. Mrs. Lizzie Myerly, of New Windsor, spent several days this week with Mrs. James Warren. Mrs. M. A. Koons, of Taneytown,

spent several days with Mrs. F. J.

FRIZELLBURG.

The Flu is slowly getting worse in this locality, and new cases are being daily reported.

Our people are patiently waiting for a freeze-up, as no ice has been Rev. Paul D. Yoder will preach in

the chapel, here, this Sunday night, at 7:15. The public is invited.

Earl Schaffer, who was in the service at Camp Meade, since Aug. 29, has been given an honorable

charge and returned home last Fri-Reports are still coming. The latest is that a canning factory is to be erected here.

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MONTANA.

Edward Copenhaver, of near Bethel Church, is spending this week at the home of his son, C. Wm. Copenhaver, who is down with the Flu. Mr. and Mrs. Mervin J. Harner, spent Sunday at the home of Mr.

Birnie Reinaman and family, of near Walnut Grove.
Clinton Gill, who is working at Asbestos, near Baltimore, spent Sunday with his wife and mother-in-law, Frederick.

Mrs. Etlinda Snyder.

William Menges, our miller, who has been spending the last four is improving.

J. Walter Englar, who was hurt last week by his automobile upsetting, is improving.

months with his parents, at New Oxford, spent Sunday at this place. He is getting along very nicely now, and he expects to open his mill in the near

Mrs. Wilson Study is reported on

the sick lst.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Study and son, John, spent Sunday with Mr. Milton | effectual. -Advertisement | Flckinger and family.

DIED.

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

MRS. WM. DeBERRY.

Mrs. Blanche Cora DeBerry, wife of Wm. DeBerry, died at her home, near Emmitsburg, on Saturday morning, at 6:30, after an illness of two and one-half years, aged 38 years, 2 months, 19 days. She was a daughter of Benjamin and the late Anna (Whitmore) Stull. She leaves her husband, two daughters and one son, Hilda, Theo and Claude, all at home; father and step-mother, of Emmitsburg; two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Geo. C. Naylor, of near Taneytown; Mrs. Jacob Adams, of Detour, and Byron Stull, of near Taneytown. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, at 12:30, at the Keysville Lutheran church, by her pastor, Rev. Ibach, assisted by Rev. Reinewald, of Emmitsburg; interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

MRS. JAMES FRASER.

Mrs. Ella, wife of Rev. Dr. James Fraser, died at her home in New Windsor, early on Sunday morning, last, after an illness of a few months of anginis pectoris. Although her friends and family knew she was an ill woman, the end came very suddenly. She leaves a husband and two sons: William, of Schenectady, N. Y., and Wallace, of Ellicott City. Also, two grand-children. Funeral services at her late home, on Wednesday evening. Interment in the family burying ground at Kenneth Square, Pa., on

Thursday.

Mrs. Fraser was a woman of wide experience in her church work, having been in the Home Mission field with her husband, for a number of years, and her part in the College work, and as the pastor's wife, she was faithful and earnest in all her duties wherever placed, made for her a large circle of friends.

ATTORNEY CHAS. E. FINK.

Charles E. Fink, one of the best known lawyers of the Carroll County bar, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, on Friday morning of last week. About a year and a half ago he had a slight stroke of paralysis from which he never fully recovered, but the immediate cause of death was a complication of troubles which affected his heart.

He was 65 years of age. He was a native of Franklin County, Pa., and originally thought of entering the Priesthood of the Catholic Church, but later decided on the legal profession. He had been active in financial and other matters, in addition to the practice of law.

His wife, who died several years Als wife, who died several years ago, was a daughter of the late John B. Boyle. He leaves the following children; J. Brooke Fink, North Yakima, Wash.; Mrs. Henry Brennick, Baltimore; Lieut. Chas. E. Fink, J. Bernard Fink, Lawrence B. Fink, and Miss Agnes F. Fink, at home.

MR. DAVID W. SNADER.

Mr. David W. Snader, of Medford, Carroll county, Md., died at his home on Monday, Jan. 20, aged 40 years. He left surviving him his widow, who before her marriage was Miss Effie A. Crawford; his mother, Mrs. Alice Snader, wife of the late John Snader, of Marston, a brother, John D. Snader,of Sam's Creek, Frederick Co, and the following sisters: Mrs. Edward Baker, of Unionville; Mrs. Harry Summers, of Warfieldsburg, and Mrs. Carvel Nicodemus, of Unionville.

Mr. Snader was a successful farmer and took an active interest in the work of the Medford Grange, of which for three years prior to his death, he was Assistant Steward. In politics he was a Democrat. His death resulted from pneumonia, following an attack of in-fluenza. He had a host of friends throughout Carroll county, by whom his death in the prime of life, will be

greatly felt. The deceased was a nephew of Mr. Scott O. Clemson, of Union Bridge, and a first cousin of Senator R. Smith Snader, of New Windsor, and of Chas. O. Clemson, attorney, of Westminster.

WILLIAM DAVID HESS, who departed this life one month ago to-day, December 24th., 1918.

Dear is the grave where dear William lays Sweet is the memory which never shall fade: fade; Flowers may wither, leaves fade and die Others may forget him, but never shall I

The boy I loved so dear is gone; It was hard to give him up. But God knowed best; he is at rest; We shall meet him by and by.

Farewell, Farewell, oh Willie dear, Life is sad without you here. O. may we meet in heaven above. Where all is joy and peace and love.

Few were the days that you spent with us here. And the friends that you left were many and dear;
But we know that your spirit is safe with God. While your loved body lies under the sod. By a friend, ESTELLA FOGLE.

NEW WINDSOR.

John Shuey, who has been stationed at Ft. McHenry, to recuperate from his wounds, has been discharged and is now with his parents here.

Joseph F. Englar, who belonged to the LaFayette Division, has been discharged and has taken up his work Mrs. Walter Getty is visiting at

Chas. Wilson, of Baltimore, spending the week here mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson.

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SHILDT-HAWK.

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KEENEY-FOGLE.

Mr. Charles C. Keeeney, of Woodsboro, and Mrs. Mary E. Fogle, of Taneytown, were married on Wednesday evening, at the Lutheran Parsonage, by Rev. L. B. Hafer. Mrs. Keeney was the widow of the late Mr. John T. Fogle, and was a very efficient care-taker of the Lutheran church for several years. Mr. Keeney is a farmer, living near Woodsboro.

WAREHIME-HAHN.

On last Sunday evening, at 6 P. M., two popular young people of the Baust Church community, Paul R. Warehime and Miss Edna V. Hahn, were privately married at the Baust

Reformed parsonage. Mr. Warehime has made his home with his cousin, Mr. Noah H. Babylon for some years, and the bride is the youngest daughter of the enterprising farmer, Mr. David H. Hahn. The many friends of the couple wish them many happy and prosperous years of married life.

CLEAR DALE.

Miss Minnie Byers is a student at Shippensburg normal school. Clarence Hesson, of Westminster, spent several days this week with his brother, Oliver Hesson and fam-

Mrs. Calvin Myers and daughter, Pauline, spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Heiser, of near Littles-

Mrs. Luther Hess, of Bethel, spent Thursday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Byers.

Oliver Hesson spent Saturday last in Westminster, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hesson. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Kump spent Sunday with William Myers and fam-

KEYMAR.

Mrs. Leonard Foreman and Mrs. Knott are spending a few days with Charles Knott and family, at York. John Forrest has gone to Akron,

O., to get work. Mrs. Bell is able to be out again. Mrs. Edward Haugh and daughter, spent Wednesday in Westminster.
Mrs. Whitmore is able to be around

Miss Elsie Whitmore, of Union Bridge, spent two weeks with her

The Storm.

"Wife, oh, wife!" he thundered. He heard the gentle rainlike patter of her feet as she approached. A cloud of anger overspread his features and lightning flashed from his eyes.

"I should like to know why your complexion is so muddy this morning," he demanded. When she saw his rage break forth in torrents she burst into a flood of tears. Stricken with remorse at her grief he seized her in his arms and showered her with kisses. With true feminine forgiveness she allowed a bright, warm sunny smile to play on her face and happiness shone like a rainbow through her tears.

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If a scarcity of metals were to result in a scarcity of gramophone needles an excellent substitute can be found in the spines on the back of a hedgehog. This discovery is due to an officer of the Argyll and Sutherlands. The spines allow one to hear even the words of the singer and every note of the song in the softest of renderings. Given under my hands this 17th day of January, 1919.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

DORAN E. ALBAUGH, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased. are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 7th day of Angust, 1919, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

JOHN W. ALBAUGH,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

EDWARD E. SHOEMAKER,

Administrator, 1-3-4t

VIRGIE M. SENTZ.

CITY'S HIGH TITLE

Cuban Capital Given Long Name. by Royal Decree.

Has Been Considerately Shortened to Habana, but That Was Not Its Appellation in 1634-Place Had Remarkable Growth.

The full name of the capital of Cuba is San Cristobal de la Habana. In 1634 a royal decree conferred upon the city the sounding title, "Llave del Nuevo Mundo y Antemural de las Indias Occidentales" which signifies "Key of the New World and Bulwark of the West Indies." In emphasis, the coat of arms of the municipality bears a symbolic key and representations of the fortresses of Morro, Punto and Fuerza.

Habana is one of the several towns founded by the governor, Diego Velasquez. He placed it upon the south coast, where the town of Batabano now stands. It was shortly removed to its present position and rapidly it grew to be the chief center of the island and one of the most important places in the new world. La Fuerza, the oldest fortification in the city, was erected near the close of the sixteenth century. Shortly afterward, Philip the Second of Spain ordered the construction of the Punta and Morro forts, for the protection of the harbor, and at about the same time the official residence of the governor of the island was transferred from Santiago de Cuba to Habana.

In 1650, the population of Habana was hardly more than three thousand, but in the following two or three decades it doubled, owing to a large immigration of Spaniards from Jamaica. During this period, the city rose to be the commercial center of the Spanish-American possessions, and the principal rendezvous of the royal fleets that carried on the trade monopoly between Spain and America. The walls inclosing the city were commenced in 1671 and finished 30 years later.

A map of the city at the beginning of the nineteenth century strikingly illustrates its rapid growth. Then the residences were almost all intramural, or within the walls. Large estancias and huertas occupied ground which is now intersected by paved streets and covered with substantial buildings.

The first impression made upon the visitor is of the massive character of the architecture. This characteristic is more pronounced than in any other Latin-American city. The building material generally used is a conglomerate of marine material, which hardens on exposure to the air. It is hewn into great blocks, and so used in construction. Walls are usually covered with stucco or plaster, and colored in a variety of tints. Roofs are either flat, or built of the old Spanish tiles. The effect, which is enhanced by the presence almost everywhere of trees and

shrubs, is pleasing in the extreme. The most interesting portion of Habana is that which formerly lay within the walls. The houses here have for the most part been converted into business purposes, but a few persons still cling to their old homes .-Forbes Lindsay, in "Cuba and Her People of Today.

General Townshend's Triumphs.

Like a palm tree in the arid stretches through which he fought stands out the selection of Gen. Charles V. F. Townshend to bear to the agents of the allies the Turkish offer of surrender, observed the New York Herald recently. Two years and a half ago, almost to a day, General Townshend and 6,000 men, the remnant of his army of 50,000, ran up the white flag in Kut-el-Amara after a stege of 143 days and surrendered to the Turks, while 40,000 other British soldiers 16 miles away battled ineffectually to break through the Turkish ring to the beleaguered force.

Now General Townshend has obtained his satisfaction. That he, a prisoner of war, should have been selected to carry this fateful message, fateful to all Christendom, as well as to what remains of the Turkish empire, is a unique tribute to a gallant soldier from the government he and those under his command served so faithfully.

New Soldier.

Gen. Leonard Wood said at a dinner in Washington:

"A new soldier is apt to be nervous, apt to make mistakes, but this is no sign of cowardice. It soon wears off. "A new soldier was having his first experience of night duty. The pass-

word was 'discount.' "As the soldier paced back and forth in the darkness, a black figure suddenly bounced up before him.

"'Halt! Who goes there?' he challenged.

'A friend,' was the reply. "'Advance friend,' said the new soldier. Advance and give the discount."

Spot to Be Avoided.

It happened in Paris. He was black, a Yank soldier, and from New Orleans. He was heading toward the Seine, when an on-coming comrade, same color, halted him. Said the comrade: "I'd be advisin' you, Lestah, not to go too neah that river; they's

likely to be lookin' foh a molasses detail." A Good Catch.

"You ask for my daughter? What are your prospects, young man? Do you own the house you live in?" "No, I rent it, but I have five tons

of coal in the cellar." "Take her." - Louisville Courier-

PUBLIC SALE Valuable Home

in Detour, Carroll County, Md.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in the last will and testament of Samuel Weybright, late of Carroll county, in the State of Maryland, deceased, and pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court for Carroll County, passed on the 31st day of December, 1918, the undersigned, Executor of Samuel Weybright, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, on

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WILLIAM D. HESS, late of Carroll County, deceased. All per-sons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 14th day of August, 1919; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of Given under my hands this 24th day of January, 1919. JOHN E. DAVIDSON, Administrator,

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-. JANUARY .-

25—1 o'clock. J. P. Weybright, Executor. House and Lot of Samuel Weybright, deceased, in Detour. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

18.—1 o'clock. Jacob H. Kump, Stump-town. Personal Property, etc. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

18—12 o'clock. Charles P. Staub, near Maxell's Mill. Household Furniture. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

- FEBRUARY -22—11 o'clock. John R. Hull, near Arter's Mill. Stock, Implements, Household goods. Wm. Warner, Auct.

25—12 o'clock. Alvia Hyser, near St. James' church. Cows, Hogs and Horses. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

MARCH.

1-10 o'clock. Harvey Covell, near Mt. Un-ion. Live Stock, Implements, House-hold Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

-lo'clock. John C. Shuey, between May-berry and Pleasant Valley. Horse, Cow, Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct

—10 o'clock. Walter Keefer, near Tyrone. Live Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct. 5-12 o'clock. John T. Fleming, on Buckey farm near New Windsor. Live Stock. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

5—10 o'clock. Harry M. Feeser, near Otter Dale School. Stock, Implements and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

6-10 o'clock. Albert J. Ohler, Emmits-burg road, near Bridgeport. Live Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct. 6—12 o'clock. Harry Devilbiss, on Ritter farm near Mt. Union. Live Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

7—10 o'clock. Chas. Hoffman, on D. W. Shoemaker farm, on Monocacy. Live Stock, Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct

8-12 o'clock. John Heltibridle, near Un-iontown. Live Stock and Implements J. N. O. Smth, Auct. 8—12 o'clock. R. G. Shoemaker, near Har-ney. Live Stock, Implements and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

10—11 o'clock, Vernon Myers, between Black's School and Hahn's Mill. Live Stock, Implements. J. N. O. Smith,

10—9 o'clock. Roland P. Baile, on David Englar, Jr., farm, Medford. Live Stock and Farm Implements. F. A. Craw-ford, Auct.

11—10 o'clock. Chas. Garber, near Keymar. Live Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

12—10 o'clock. Mahlon Brown, Valentine farm, Bullfrog road. Live Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct. 12—12 o'clock. Calvin Starner, near Friz-ellburg. Live Stock and Farming Im-plements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

13—10 o'clock, Wm. G. Myers, Shildt farm on Union Bridge road. Live Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

13—10 o'clock. Wm. G. Feeser, near Wal-nut Grove School. Live Stock and Im-plements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

14—12 o'clock. Daniel J. Null, on Geo. K. Duttera farm. Live Stock and Farm Implements, and Household Furniture. J. N. O. Smith. Auct.

14-11 o'clock. John Koontz, on R. G. Shoemaker farm, on Bullfrog road. Live Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

15—10 o'clock. Frank Nusbaum, on Shar-ett's farm, near Bruceville. Live Stock Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

15—12 o'clock. Jacob M. Stambaugh, near Bridgeport. Live Stock and Farm Im-plements. W. T. Smith, Auct. 17-10 o'clock. Ervin Myers, on Formwalt

-1 o'clock. Mrs. David R. Fogle, on State Road, near Taneytown. Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct 18-10 o'clock. Harry M. Myers, near May-

berry. Live Stock and Farm Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct. 18—10 o'clock. Wm. E. Sanders, north of Taneytown. Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct. 19—10 o'clock. Vernon Gladhill, near Friz-ellburg. Live Stock and Farm Imple-ments. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

20—10 o'clock. Harry Babylon, near Silver Run. Live Stock and Farm Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

21—10 o'clock. O. T. Shoemaker, near Tan-eytown. Live Stock and Farm Imple-ments. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

22—1 o'clock. Mrs. Mary E. Crapster, Taneytown. Household Goods, etc. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

22-10 o'clock. Richard Ball, on Mrs. Blanchard's farm, on State Road. Live Stock, Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct 24—12 o'clock. LeRoy Reifsnider, near Middleburg, Live Stock and Imple-ments. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

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27—12 o'clock. Fred. Little, near Tyrone. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith Auct. 27—1 o'clock, James B. Galt, Taneytown. Household and Personal Property. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

28—12 o'clock, Mrs. Theodore Myers, near Frizellburg, Live Stock, and Implements, J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

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"Pete," he said, "someone robbed my orchard last night." Pete gulped nervously. "Is that so,

sir?" he said. 'Yes, Pete, that's so," replied the minister; "but the thief left his mark

behind him and I shall easily find "Yes, sir," said Pete, huskily. "Yes. Do you see this, Pete?" and the minister held up the huge en

largement of the finger-print. Pete made a gesture of despair. "I see there ain't no use denying it parson," he said. "I done it. But I sure would like to know where you got that impression of my corduroy

GIVING HER A POINTER.



Miss Heavyweight-Yes, I'd like to be a good basketball player. Are there any books you could recommend that would help me?

Mr. Knowing-Well, before taking it up you might get some points on "First Aid to the Injured."

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The only footwork asked of us
Is that we foot the bills.

Point in His Favor. "You ought to be ashamed of your self to roam aimlessly about and never do any work," said Mrs. Naggers, to the ragged specimen of humanity who stood at her door.

"That's true, mum," replied the wanderer. "And yet you must give me credit for one thing." "And what is that?"

"Although I have been traveling over the world for more than twenty years, I have never yet acquired the souvenir habit."

Mystery.

Bacon—I see Alaska has its first dining-car made out of an old coach in the Cordova shops and managed by a man and his wife. Egbert-Very interesting. But I

think it would be more important to know what some of the dishes served on the dining-car are made of

Nobody Loves Him. Patience-And she married that man?

Patrice-Yes, she has. "But did she love him?"

"Oh, I think not. I don't see how anybody could love him. I guess she married him out of sympathy. He was a baseball umpire, you know."

NO CHURCH CEREMONY.



Lovelorn-You wish me to elope with your daughter! Why, sir? Harduppe-Becaue, no wedding

An Old Annoyance. The curtain rises, pleased we are
To see the play begin,
But cannot hear the famous star

For people trooping in. Of Course. "Josiah," said Mrs. Gottalotte, "it says in the paper here that Shake-

spere's dead." "Does it? That must of been why they had all the flags at half-mast the other day."

Absent-Minded.

Waiter-Do you mind if I put your bag out of the way, sir? The people coming in are falling over it. Diner-You leave it where it is. If nobody falls over it, I shall forget

it's there.-Fliegende Blaetter. Not Expected.

Patience-Did Will surprise you when he called last night? Patrice-Indeed, he did! He brought me a box of candy.

You Never Can Tell

By IMES MacDONALD

(Copyright, 1918, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.) The roving eye of youth is ever eager for adventure. Romance lurks just around the next corner and the man or girl of dreams is ever a potential possibility, for in the eyes of youth no dream, no matter how improbable it may seem, is entirely impossible. "You never can tell" is the slogan of youth -"you never can tell."

"You never can tell," thought Summer Lane as she tripped lightly along toward her job at the library. "Something might happen today—you never can tell." And she hummed a snatch of song as she started on her regular routine. But her lunch hour came and nothing had happened. At five o'clock she started home and nothing had happened. She entered her little apartment and found Alice Martin, a pretty schoolteacher with whom she lived, already there—and still nothing had happened—and then the telephone rang and indifferently Summer leaned toward it from where she sat on the couch.

"Is this Miss Lane, Miss Summer Lane?" asked a man's strange but very nice voice.

"Yes," said Summer, "this is Summer Lane," and her eyes opened very wide.

"I am Lawrence Gardner, from Chicago, an old friend of Elsie Turner's home. who was a school friend of yours, I believe. She told me to be sure to look you up while I was in town and so I am doing it."

Summer swallowed three distinct but very rapid separate times before she could reply. "And now that you've 'phoned-are you coming up to see me?" she invited.

"I'd love to," he said genially, "but what about the theater or somewhere tonight. Is there any particular show you'd like to see? They're all new to me, you know."

"I've been wanting to go to 'The Eyes of Youth," said Summer breathlessly. "'The Eyes of Youth' it is then," he

laughed, "and if I call about 7:30 will that be all right?" "Splendid-and I'll be ready," sang

Summer joyously, "and I'm just so glad you called, Mr. Gardner, you don't know how glad. It was terribly nice of Elsie to send you."

It happened to be Alice's night for doing the dishes, and when she came Into their bedroom after her task was done she gasped in astonishment.

"My goodness, Summer! You're all dressed up like a queen. I never saw you look so ravishing and-so-so reckless, you bright-eyed thing! Who Is this Gardner person, anyway?"

But Summer only laughed gayly and twirled about on her toes. Just then the bell rang and she danced toward the electric button to let the ringer in and then skipped to the door to admit

For a long moment adventure clasped the hand of romance, and each looked deep into the eyes of the other. Romance so shyly and radiantly lovely-and adventure so well groomed and stalwart, with smiling, quizzical eyes and genial, friendly man-

And a few moments later they descended the stairs and were whirled away in a taxi, and when they had returned after the show he left her at the door regretfully. "It has been a perfectly wonderful

evening," said Summer, "and it was very dear of Elsie to tell you about me.'

"Shall I see you again tomorrow?" he asked eagerly. "You-you never can tell," she an-

swered demurely and vanished within. A short time later she related to Alice the events of the evening. "And he is so attentive and thoughtful and jolly in a quiet sort of way! I just had a be-au-tiful time," she chattered. Alice eyed Summer suspiciously. "Summer Lane, are you going to fall love with that Gardner person?" she demanded sternly.

With brilliant eyes and flushing rheeks Summer reached up to turn out the light, then turned and groped to her bed, and as she pulled the covers up to her chin she chuckled a little in the darkness there. "You never can tell, Alice, old dear-you never can

tell." A week passed—two weeks—and each day Lawrence Gardner either made it a point to see Summer Lane or to telephone her-usually he saw her. Three weeks passed—and a month -and still he lingered in New York! Until one morning at his hotel he received a night letter from his father that made him grin just a bit, but as usual that afternoon he happened to meet Summer at the library and strolled home with her.

"Let's have a nice little home party with Alice tonight," suggested Summer. And so they did. He helped set the table and ran out at the last minute to get ice cream for the dessert. And after the dishes were done he and Summer sat side by side on the couch while Gardner smoked his pipe

in contented silence. "Summer," he said, after a long interval, "I've got a confession to make." He reached over and drew the telephone book toward him, opening it at the "Lanes." She sat on one foot and leaned close to him watching curiously as his finger slid down the column of

names. Finally he pointed out the name of a firm-"Lane, Summers & Griggs, Importers." "You see," he explained, "the day I called you up I had occasion to call up these people. The name just above theirs is "-and he pointed out her own-" 'Lane, Miss Summer, librarian.' Now," he went on, "that name of yours interested me so that I got curious to hear your voice, and when I had heard your voice I was determined to see you. Of course I didn't know any such person as Elsie Turner in Chicago, but I soon realized that by some strange coincidence you did-because you're always ringing her into the conversation and making it uncomfortable for me. I just-didn't want to go on any longer under false colors, so to speak, so I had to tell

Summer pulled the telephone book out of his hand and hugged it up to her breast, at the same time rolling him an accusing look out of the corner of her dancing eye. Then she hunched up her shoulders and laughed merrily.

"Silly," she giggled. "Don't you suppose I knew you didn't know me from Adam, nor any Elsie Turner person, either? Why, I never even heard of her myself!"

"What?" Lawrence Gardner's pipe fell out of his mouth and he sat up eagerly. "You were pretending, too?" But Summer would not look at him and only nodded with downcast eyes. So Gardner drew from his pocket the telegram he had received from his father that morning and she read it with flushing cheeks.

"What in Sam Hill's keeping you so long in New York? You ought to have finished there ten days ago. I'm buried to my eyes in work here, so for heaven's sake marry the girl-and come

DAD." "Yours. The telegram fluttered to the floor and Summer started to rise, but Gardner reached up and dragged her down

beside him. "Dad's a wise old boy," he said, with his cheek against hers; "will you marry me, Summer?"

And Summer snuggled a bit, as she murmured, "You never can tell, Larry, dear. Something like that's liable to happen most any day, now."

ALL HAD IDEAS ABOUT FIRE

Members of Family Differed Considerably Concerning Its Proper Arrangement, Says Harriet Beecher Stowe.

The fact is, that there is no little nook of domestic life which gives snug harbor to so much self-will and selfrighteousness as the family hearth; and this is particularly the case with wood fires, because, from the miscellaneous nature of the material, and the sprightly activity of the combination, there is a constant occasion for tending and alteration and so a vast

field for individual opinion. First came an enormous back log, rolled in with the strength of two men, on the top of which was piled another smaller log; and then a forestick, of a size which would entitle it to be called a log in our times, went to make the front foundation of the fire. The rearing of the ample pile thereupon was a matter of no small architectural skill, and all the ruling members of our family circle had their own opinions about its erection, and these they maintained with the zeal and pertinacity which become earnest people. My grandfather, with his grave smile, insisted that he was the only reasonable fire-builder in the establishment; but when he had arranged his sticks in the most methodical order, my grandmother would be sure to rush out with a thump here and a twitch there, and divers incoherent exclamations tending to imply that men never knew how to build a fire. Frequently her intense zeal for immediate effect would end in a general rout and roll of the sticks in all directions, with puffs of smoke down the chimney, requiring the setting open of the outside door; and then Aunt Lois would come in, and, with a face severe with determination, tear down the whole structure and rebuild from the foundation with exactest precision, but with an air that cast volumes of contempt on all that had gone before. -Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Music in Prisons.

In a paper read before a convention of music teachers, the musical director of a well-known prison said that the band and orchestra maintained in the institution with which he was connected was as important a part of the prison life as any of the industries which contributed to make the prison self-supporting.

The mayor of an important middle-Western city said not long ago: "Music operates to destroy anarchistic tendencies; to foster, preserve and operate constructive citizenship. It is unnecessary to defend the usefulness of music as a practical agent in life. It has been demonstrated as such. We need the spirit of music now, if ever, in a world of strife, confusion and violence. As an influence in the direction of affection and kindliness it has a place."

Fortune Tellers.

It is asserted that there is not one case on record of a man who profited by the wizardry of a fortune teller who afterward rewarded the card reader or crystal gazer, or whatever it was. by so much as even a small cash tip.

This fact shows that either patrons of fortune tellers are an exceedingly ungrateful lot, or that there isn't one of them who ever had the slightest reason for being grateful. In other words, can a fortune teller really tell fortunes?

FARM ACCOUNTS ARE OF BIG IMPORTANCE

Determine Which Branch of Farming Is Most Profitable.

Of Great Assistance in Rearranging Farm on More Profitable Basis-Records Will Prove to Be of Great Benefit.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There is no doubt that the keeping of farm accounts will prove of great value in determining which branches of farming are the most profitable. If they are kept accurately for a long period they may be of great assistance in rearranging the farm on a more profitable basis. In making use of the results of a year's cost accounts for purpose of perfecting the organization of the farm for the greatest profit any changes should be made with cau-

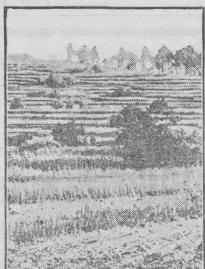
Hasty conclusions should not be drawn. Sometimes a positive decrease in a year's profits may ensue if an enterprise be dropped because, taken alone, it has failed to pay. Cows, for instance, may not be showing a net profit, but if all the cows are sold there may be no other profitable way of using up roughage which would thereby be wasted, resulting in a loss tural needs. The confidence of the on the crop producing it. Labor devoted night and morning to milking and feeding cows, and charged to them, would be entirely wasted if the cows were sold and nothing else supplied to utilize it. Thus an added labor burden would have to be borne.by the other enterprises. It is much better that these things be utilized than that they should be a dead loss, even though the cow account alone just breaks even, or worse. Any changes indicated, if made, should be brought about gradually and the effects noted in their relation to all other farm activities.

There is nothing like a set of records as a means of analyzing a farm business. To use such records, however, the fundamental principles must be understood and complied with; their limitations as well as their usefulness must be grasped. When this Increase in Community Organizations. is done the accounts will become a strong staff and support.

PREVENT EROSION OF LANDS

Effective Way to Prevent Trouble Is to Build Terraces-Lay Out With Farm Level.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Throughout many parts of the United States the hilly and rolling lands are subject to erosions from the heavy winter rains. An effective way to prevent this erosion is to build terraces, preferably not less than 15 feet wide,



Land Terraced to Prevent Erosion.

that have been carefully laid out with a good farm level. It is much easier to save lands from washing away by means of terracing than it is to attempt to build up washed and gullied

LAUD COUNTY FARM BUREAU

These Organizations Insure Interest in Co-operation of Farmers in Producing Food.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-

ment of Agriculture.) "The county farm bureau is one of the best agencies thus far devised for insuring interest and co-operation of farmers in the great work of food production so necessary to the success of

This statement was made in telegrams of appreciation sent by Clarence Ousley, acting secretary of agriculture. to farmers in two Montana counties who had organized for war farming. From Chinook, Mont., came the following telegram to the secretary of ag

"Having completed the organization of the Blaine county farm bureau, 550 Blaine county farmers pledge to you as the farmers' representative on the president's cabinet, their united support as an organization to do their ut-

most to help win the war." The following telegram came from Glasgow, Mont,:

"Farm bureau organization of Valley county completed with 325 members: enthusiastic to co-operate with department of agriculture in support ing food administration to the utmost Drought conditions prevail, but farm ers' spirit unshaken. With better methods of farming, learned through the farm bureau, agricultural condi tions will improve,"

WORK OF COUNTY WINTER STORES AGENT IN SOUTH

Satisfactory System Has Been Of Much Importance to Consider Firmly Established in Several States.

Recent Report Shows Status of Development of Organization, and Discusses Some of Problems Which Have Been Met.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

That the county-agent plan of carrying agricultural information to the farmer is firmly established as a satisfactory system in 15 southern states is shown in a review by officials of the United States department of agriculture of progress made during the last calendar year. A report of this work recently made public shows the status of this rapidly developing agricultural organization in the South during 1916, and also discusses some of the problems which are being met in the effort to increase this service in accordance with the country's emergency agriculstates in the county-agent plan is shown by the fact that most of the legislatures in the South are making liberal appropriations to aid in its support.

Number of Extension Workers. There were employed in the 15 southern states during the year 860 regular county agents, 28 assistant county agents, 31 boys' club agents and 66 colored men agents for work among colored people. Each state also has a director of extension and a state agent

or assistant director in charge of the work of the county agents. Women engaged in the home-demonstration work numbered 576. Of these 13 are state agents in charge of the work in their respecive states, 41 are assistants and district agents, and 513 county women agents and 7 colored homedemonstration agents.

Progress in organizing the county agents' work in the South this year was gradifying, officials of the department of agriculture say. The last annual report shows the formation of 1,654 community organizations of farmers, with a membership of 44,548. The report for the present year shows an increase to 2,508 organizations with a membership of 78,660. This report



One of Branches of County Agent Work in South Is Interesting Boys in Better Farm Methods.

does not include co-operative organizations not formed by county agents, even though they gave active support and assistance to the county representative and served in the capacity of a local community organization. Such associations include local granges, farmers' unions and church and civic organizations of varied character. It is estimated that 200,000 farmers are enrolled in all these community organizations which are assisting county

Since this report was made there has been a great increase in this work. At the present time the total number of agents is approximately 2,200, consisting in part of 980 county agents, 815 county home demonstration agents and 85 negro agents (men) and 70

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PROFITABLE FARM SIDE LINE

One That Can Be Worked at Odd Times When Other Work Is Slack Will Boost Income.

A profitable side line that can be worked at odd times when other work is slack will go far toward boosting the income of the average farm. Where there is a ledge of salable stone a quarry may be made to fill in the gaps in the labor schedule, or an outcropping of limestone may be made profitable to the advantage of the whole neighborhood by the installation of a stone crusher.

FOR HONEY BEE

Both Quality and Quantity of Food Supply.

PROGRESS HAS BEEN RAPID SUGAR SIRUP MUCH FAVORED

Most Common Cause of Poor Colonies in Spring Is Poverty, Directly Due to Negligence on the Part of the Beekeeper.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) The stores given to the bees from the end of one season to the beginning of the next are of the first importance. It is necessary to consider both the quality and the quantity of these

Quality of Stores. As has been stated, it is fortunate that in both of the zones where cellar wintering is or might be practiced the natural stores usually are good. Honeys such as those from white and alsike clovers, sweet clover, alfalfa, wild raspberry, buckwheat, and wil-



It is Easy to Handle Bees When You Know How.

lowherb are fine stores for winter, while honeys from basswood, heartsease (smartweed), asters, goldenrod, and most of the other fall flowers are less desirable. It is especially important during the period when the bees are in the cellar that the stores shall be of the very finest quality, and it is therefore the practice of many good beekeepers to feed each colony five pounds or more of sirup made of granulated sugar late in the fall, after all brood-rearing has ceased. This insures that the bees will have for their use, during the period of confinement in the cellar, stores which will not bring about the condition known as dysentery. In general it may be stated that honeys from mixed sources and dark honeys, except buckwheat, are to be avoided. Honeydew honeys are highly injurious and in all cases where such stores are present granulated sugar sirup should be fed.

Quantity of Stores. From the end of one honey season to the beginning of the next a good colony of bees will need fully 45 pounds of honey. When the bees are wintered in the cellar, it is usual not to have all of this honey in the one hive body in which they are wintered. It is a good practice to have at least 20 pounds within this hive, although 15 pounds will be safe. It is absolutely imperative, however, that the remainder of the 45 pounds shall be available to be given to the bees soon after they are taken from the cellar. The most common cause of poor colonies in the spring is poverty, directly due to neglect on the part of the beekeeper. A good beekeeper sees to it that at no time when brood is being reared do his bees have less than 15 pounds of stores in the hive, and the full amount of 45 pounds often will all be used, and is always needed if the colonies are to come to full strength on time for the gathering of the full crop. This amount is always augmented by honey from spring flowers, for 45 pounds of honey is not enough to bring a colony to full strength in time for the main honey-

PRODUCE AN IMPORTANT FOOD

Boys' Clubs Are Being Instructed in Hog Raising-Become Soldiers of Commissary.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

By means of the boys' pig clubs thousands of boys under nineteen years are being instructed in hog raising and by this means are helping to produce a very important food. A good general account of this work may be found in "Pig Clubs and the Swine Industry" (Yearbook 1917, Separate 753). Your county agent, club leader, or director of extension work at the State Agricultural college will tell you of the work in your own state and how to join a club. The department wants 200,000 boys to raise pigs-40,-000 are already doing it. If you live in the country, the small town, or the suburbs of a city, you can do it, too.

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LESSON FOR JANUARY 26

ISRAEL CROSSING THE RED SEA.

LESSON TEXT-Exodus 14:13-15:21.
GOLDEN TEXT-Thus the Lord saved the Israelites that day out of the hands of the Egyptians. Exodus 14:30.
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL-Deuteronomy 4:32-40; Psalms 78:1-14; 106:7-12; Hebrews 11:29

The tenth stroke from the strong hand of the Almighty made Pharaoh willing to let Israel go. The tenth turn of the screw of omnipotence brought him to time. The Israelites go out on their way to the promised land with a high hand. Through the land of the Philistines the journey would have books been comparatively short; but God commanded them to turn from that way fully, of digesting what is read, and lest going through the land of the of thinking things through. Southey Philistines they see war and desire to turn back to Egypt. The Lord had respect for their needs, "He knoweth our frame, he remembreth that we are dust." (Psalms 103:14). He suits our trials to our ability to meet them.

The Lord went before them in a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night. He not only thus indicated unto them the right path, but walked with them in it. God does not deliver and then leave us alone, but becomes our companion. At the Lord's direction they turned from their first course and were made to face a seeming difficulty. The Red sea was before them, and mountains on either side. The stricken Egyptians had recovered from their sorrow and now saw the Israelites in a situation from which they could not extricate themselves. They interpreted this to mean that Moses was unable to lead them out of their difficulty; therefore, they went in pursuit, hoping yet to prevent them from going out of the country.

I. The Miraculous Escape of the Israelites (14:13-22).

but had no reason to fear, for the Lord had led them there. It is safe to be where the Lord leads, though every avenue is closed against us. are rules and principles to enrich us. There seems to be a two-fold object in all in our study habits. And if these There seems to be a two-fold object in leading them into this peculiar place: to strengthen the faith of the people and to lay a snare for the overthrow of the Egyptians. The people, as usual, displayed their unbelief and even censured Moses for leading them out of Egypt. Moses replied to their murmurs by saying, "Fear ye not, stand still and see the salvation of the Lord." Standing still in such a trial is faith taking hold on God's promises. This is hard for the natural man to do. Before the salvation of the Lord can ever be seen or experienced we must come thus to him, While reposing our confidence in the Lord, there comes a time when we must make our faith active. God said, "Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." Having had his definite promise, to have prayed longer would have been unbelief. The thing to be done then was to step out upon his eternal promise. The lifting up of the rod simply served as something tangible upon which their faith could act. They were to go forward a step at a time, without raising any question as to the outcome; for from the same source from which came the command, came the power to obey. The presence of the Lord was adapted to their needs as they went forward. As they went forward the very thing which seemed their destruction became a wall of protection on either

II. The Overthrow of the Egyptians

Having seen the Israelites go across dry-shod, Pharaoh and his hosts madly pursued them. They insanely thought that they in their unbelief could follow in the wake of God's children. The very things which are a wall and defense to the faithful be come a snare and a means of destruction to the enemies of God's people. The Lord looked forth from the cloud and wrought confusion among the Egyptians. There is a day coming when a look from the Almighty will cause a much greater consternation among the wicked (Revelation 6:16, 17; 20:11-13). He not only looked upon them but took off their chariot wheels, which caused them to realize that God was fighting against them. He then directed Moses to stretch forth his rod and bring destruction upon the Egyptians. So complete was the overthrow that it is said that not one escaped.

III. The Song of Triumph (15:1-21). Standing on the other shore of the Red sea, they could fittingly sing the song of triumph, because of the miraculous deliverance and the overwhelming defeat.

Instruments of Strength.

He is able to bear the crosses of others because he bears his own. He can be of use to men because he can do without men. He is ethically effective because he is spiritually free. He is able to save because he is strong to suffer. His sympathy and his solitude are both alike the instruments of his strength.-Francis G. Peabody.

Our Helper.

He that wrestles with us strengthens our nerves and sharpens our skill. Our antagonist is our helper.—Burke.

— THE —— CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

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

January 26 Books That Have Helped Me.

Proverbs 2:1-9. With such a topic as this, the nature of the young people's meeting must of necessity take the form of personal testimony. Let the leader plan beforehand for several brief talks or testimonies that shall arouse greater interest in the matter of careful reading. We would suggest some such division as this:

1. The necessity of reading good books. Newspapers, periodicals, and magazines —are so numerous, so accessible, and so cheap that it becomes a matter of difficulty and determination to make room for even one or two good books each year. Magazines and periodicals are not without value, but they can never take the place of

2. The need of reading thoughtwas once describing to a Quaker woman how fully his time was occupied. He went on to tell how he studied Portugese grammar while he was shaving, how he read Spanish an hour before breakfast, how he put in the time before noon in reading and writing, in short, how every moment of the day was filled. Her reply was, "Friend, when dost thou think?" In order to adjust ourselves and our societies to the times immediately ahead, we shall have to do some hard thinking.

3. The perpetual peril of crowding out "The Book of Books." "Wholly apart from its religious, or from its ethical value," says Charles Dudley Warner, "The Bible is the one book of which no intelligent person who wishes to come into contact with the world of thought and to share the ideas of the great minds of the Christian era can afford to be ignorant." Then when its spiritual and moral values are remembered, there is a basis for a powerful and persuasive plea for the reading af the Book, which indeed helps.

4. Call attention to the Sscripture They were in a straitened condition lesson and its fine suggestions for reading and study. Inclining the ear, applying the heart, reaching out after knowledge, searching as for silver, seeking as for hid treasure—here directions of wisdom are heeded, the promise is sure of fulfilment, "Then shalt thou understand the fear of the Lrd and find the knowledge of God."

MANY ROADS TO LONGEVITY

People Who Have Reached Advanced Age by No Means Unanimous as to the Best Path.

Records show that more women live to be centenarians than men. When the census of the United States was taken in 1900 it was found that 6,298 persons between the ages of ninetyfive and ninety-nine were living, and of this number 3,536 were women.

Miss Eliza Work, who reached the age of one hundred and five, gave as the reason for her long life that she never drank tea or coffee; Mrs. Margaret Neve, who lived to be one hundred and ten, gave as her reason that she never lacked resources and was always busy, and Mrs. Sylvia Dunham, aged one hundred and one, lived to enjoy the enthusiasm of 22 presidential campaigns. Born in July, 1800, at the age of five she rode in a stage coach, at forty in a canal boat, at ninety-nine in an electric car, and at one hundred

in an automobile. Abraham lived to be one hundred and seventy-five years old and Sarah lived to be one hundred and twentyseven years old, and Isaac, their son, lived to be one hundred and eight, but whether a year was reckoned then as we do now is not known.

William Gladstone lived to be eightynine, and at the time of his death his intellect was one of the finest that the world has ever known, and he was called "the Grand Old Man." This is just one of the many cases proving a man is just as useful, if not more so, when he is old than when he is

Australian Pest Didn't Last Long When Its Pel's Became of Value in the Market.

Before the advent of the rabbit and the fox in Australia the rock-wallaby made its home among the cliffs bordering the Snowy river, where it passes through southern Monaro (N. S. W.), literally in thousands. The little red-brown quadruped was then becoming a grass pest, and as his skin was then worth only 4 cents the pelt hunter didn't bother much about him. But an interested mutton merchant some years ago put a premium on the skins, and the writer and a mate started out one winter morning, with about two inches of frost on the ground and every tree powdered with hoar-frost, for the wallaby ground. The artillery consisted of two guns, one a single muzzle-loader. (The breech-loader was then a rarity on Monaro.) By noon the hunters had downed over sixty wallables. The beasts were so numerous in some quarters that two wallabies occasionally fell to a single shot. Soon after that the pelt trader scented profit, and the work of demolition began. Now these cliffs are silent and deserted, save for Reynard and the cternal rabbit, which crops the wallaby pastures close and from this rough country will never be exterminated.

ADVANCE NOT GENERAL ONE

Religious Publication Points Out Strong and Deplorable Contrasts Existing in Alaska.

The native Alaskan of today is becoming in some sections, an intelligent and progressive factor in the life of the territory. Recently a daughter of the Hydah tribe made application for United States citizenship, and after examination was pronounced qualified to exercise intelligently the duțies of an elector-the first native woman of Alaska to receive citizenship. Her father is a staunch elder of the Hydaburg Presbyterian church. All through southeastern Alaska, natives are taking up homesteads, organizing villages upon sound civic principles, reading the daily papers, putting telephones and electric lights into their homes-in a word, are proving the value of Christian citizenship.

But there is another side to the picture and the contrast between the kans is distressing. Scores of villages in the Bristol bay region live where no Protestant missionary has ever. been, and the one Greek priest who had ministered to the needs of 1,700 people is now dead. The revolution in Russia has cut off the support of Russian missions in Alaska, leaving the spiritual destitution and physical wretchedness of large numbers of these people wholly unrelieved .- The Home Mission Monthly.

HONOR IS GIVEN TO ITALY

Pisa and Venice Proved to Have Sent Explorers to River Niger Four Hundred Years Ago.

The director of the French school in Rome, Monsignor Duchesne, has sent the president of the Royal Italian Geographical society a letter which accompanies a brief note, most interesting to us, regarding the discovery of the narrative of a journey in central Sudan at the time when the republics of Pisa and Venice had stipulated with the sultan of Maghreb for special treaties in which he conceded to the Italians the right to pass through central Africa on the Niger.

The letter savs: "I write to inform you of an interesting discovery made by Charles de la Ronciere, curator of prints in the national library of Paris and author of important books on the French navy. The discovery restores to Italy the honor of having visited and described the African regions of Tuat and the Niger four centuries before the explorations of Rohlf and Challie, the first a German and the last a

The account given of Tuat in 1447 is signed by an Italian by the name of Antonio Malfante and is directed to the Genoese Giovanni Mariono. He was the first Christian to penetrate to that oasis.-Italian American News

What Germans Must Do.

Under the title "Conquest and Kultur," the committee on public information issued a compilation of quotations from German writers and speakers, including the kaiser himself, to show the Teutonic worship of the war god and greed for world conquest." The pamphlet, compiled by Profs. Wallace Notestein and Elmer E. Stoll of the University of Minnesota, assisted by faculties of their own and other universities, has a foreword by Guy Stanton Ford, saying:

"No peace can ever make of Germany a fit partner for a league of honor until the German people have driven out the spirit which inspired these utterances in their name."

Work of Bureau of Standards,

One of the many new undertakings of the bureau of standards is an investigation of magnetic compasses, in behalf of the naval observatory, the joint army and navy board of specifications, and the shipping board. The bureau proposes to develop a standard method of testing compasses and to prepare specifications for the purchase of compasses by the government. A special form of magnetometer has been devised for the determination of magnetic moment and a rotation test for pivot friction is being developed. The bureau expects to test several thousand compasses in the course of the present year.

Did His Part, Anyway.

The day of the peace celebration at Chicago the school children, acting of their own volition, formed a parade and carried out a program, which included singing patriotic songs, after which they took up a collection for the united war work fund. Buddy had kept pace with the older children in everything, singing when they sang, whether the songs were familiar to him or not. When he told about it that evening his mother asked: "What was it you sang?" "Oh, I don't know what we sang," answered Buddy, still enthusiastic over his part in the celebration, "but I sang just the same."

Helped Burn Emperor's Effigy.

During the celebration of victory at Genoa, Italy, a characteristic episode occurred in front of the Garibaldi monument. A group of English sailors surrounded by an immense crowd held a mock trial about the effigy of Emperor Charles of Austria. They condemned him to death and hanged the effigy on a pole, afterward applying the torch. The pole and the effigy were consumed. The Americans and the English took part in all the Italian celebrations with great enthusiasm.



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IMPROVING ON OLD MOTIONS

One's Accustomed Ways of Doing Things Need Not Be Accepted as Necessarily the Best.

The idea that a wooden leg or a false hand can be clapped onto a wounded man and the case dismissed with a blessing is a thing of the distant past. A wooden hand is good for very little except to look respectable in the street. The thing for which the doctors are striving is to give back to the injured man not a hand but the work of a hand.

And this opens possibilities. The work of a hand may be done in an extraordinary number of ways. Sometimes it is managed by a steel rod with tools clamped to it; sometimes by a strong iron claw. Some of the most eager thinkers are asking:

"If we are to differ from Nature at all why not differ altogether? Why not replace one arm by two steel rods, or even three, so long as they can be useful?'

Men learn that the old motions by which they have been accustomed to get things done are not necessarily the only ones. A farmer with one arm can use a shovel; he simply has an implement with a longer handle, which goes through a strap at his waist. Then the one arm does nothing but press down on the handle and the shovelful of earth is lifted just as well as by the old method.

If the man wants more power he can use his knee. Large objects can be moved by one arm and the hip. A necktie can be tied by one hand and the chin. The hand can be washed by the foot.

He'd Forgotten.

The school dramatic society was giving its first performance of the season and the play they had chosen for the momentous occasion was "Julius Caesar."

All went smoothly till Caesar's dead body was brought in, and Marc Antony had to deliver his famous speech.

He put his heart into the part and the audience felt acutely for the poor citizens, who were all presumably horror-stricken and overcome with grief, when Antony gently but firmly grasped, as he thought, the face-cloth and slowly, very slowly, began to draw it back.

Just then an excited whisper came from the other end of the corpse: "This end, you idiot!"

But Antony was too much wrapped in grief to hear. He presevered and then suddenly disclosed to the intently gazing audience Caesar's boots!

Rhine's Wanderings.

A remarkable thing about the Rhine is its length for so small a river. Unlike the Nile, which contains less water at Cairo than at Berber, 1,500 miles upstream, the Rhine has numerous affluents, but never attains the dignity of a real river, as Americans understand such definitions, until it enters Holland.

The "German Rhine" owes its orig-In to the Swiss mountains, wanders with apparent aimlessness-first west and then north and northwest, after leaving Lake Constance-until it enters Holland, where it becomes as sluggish as any Dutchman who ever dwelt in New Amsterdam.



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

Chas. A. Elliot, of Shrewsbury, Pa., visited his son, Joseph B. Elliot, this week.

Mrs. Edna Burke and son, of Newport, Del., visited her home folks here, over Sunday.

Ellis G. Ohler was kicked in the head by a horse, one day last week, giving him a bad scalp wound, but fortunately not worse.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buffington, John E. Buffington and Mrs. Roy Garner, visited Jacob Buffington's at Hotel Columbus, McSherrystown, Pa., on Tuesday.

Robert S. McKinney was re-elected President of the Masonic Past Masters association of Carroll County, at a meeting in Westminster, last Friday night.

Rev. S. R. Downie visited Harrisburg, several days this week, to see his mother, and also to attend the inauguration of his former class-mate, Lieut. Gov. Beidelman.

The weather, this week, has been very favorable to making bad roads, ahead of their seasonable time. A few Spring birds are also reported to have appeared.

Judson Hill is building an addition to his house, on Middle St., practically converting it into a double dwelling. The first tenant will be Mrs. Mary E. Crapster.

Chas. A. Shoemaker has been discharged from army service in the U. S. Guards, at New Orleans; J. Carroll Koons is also at home, but not discharged, and is awaiting orders.

This end of the Keymar "pike" is reported to be little better, if any, than our ordinary dirt roads. The top surfacing it had was evidently | not the kind to stand heavy travel.

In our advertising columns, Mr. Wm. L. Seabrook announces his candidacy for renomination for the office of State's Attorney, and asks the support of the voters at the next Republican Primary election.

Earl Lincoln Foreman, the first of our over-seas boys to arrive home, came last Friday evening. He was wounded in the arm with shrapnel, but will soon be all right. He was in a lot of scrimmages and knows what the war really was.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sentman Sheets quietly celebrated their golden wedding, on Tuesday. They are both well and active, notwithstanding their sandeels, a marine species often pres-long trip, and we trust may live to ent in great shoals along the English celebrate many more wedding anniversaries.

A card party for the benefit of St. Joseph's Catholic church will be held at the Parish Hall, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Messrs E. P. Myers and Theodore Classon will be at the door, and Messrs. R. V. Arnold, J. A. Hemler, and Chas. Arnold will be in charge of the floor. A committee under the direction of Mrs. Geo. Arnold will dispense refreshments. Tickets at 35c may be obtained from Messrs. E. P. Myers and Theo. Classon, and Mrs. G. A. Arnold and Miss railroad station completely out of Clara Bowersox.

Middletown, Frederick County, has a new town clock with four dials, installed on the tower of the Lutheran church, the striking of the hour being on the church bell. Taneytown had a town clock 30 years ago, placed on the Lutheran church by an ingenious local watchmaker, named Kappes. If we recall rightly, the clock was one that had served at the same place before, and which Kappes repaired. It gave good service for quite a while, but the ringing of the bell, and the plan of striking on the bell, finally placed it out of com-

While the number of casualities in the American Army as a result of the war is much larger than was generally supposed when the armis-tice was signed it is gratifying to note the fact that, according to Dr. J. E. Hendrickson of Newport News, Va., who recently conferred with the Surgeon General of the Army relative to the disposition and care of blinded soldiers, the American Expeditionary Forces had less than 50 men blinded as a result of the war. Of this number it appears that all have returned to the United States except 8 men who are still in France.

Too Severe.

"You told me when you were a suitor for my hand that my will would ever be law to you," said Mrs. Grip-

"So I did, my dear, so I did," replied Mr. Grippins, mildly. "But at that particular time little did I dream that your will would ever take the form of er-martial law."-Birmingham Age-

CANINE HEROES HAD TO DIE

Dire Necessity Forced the Monks of St. Bernard to Put Their Dogs to Death.

All but six of the famous St. Bernard dogs kept by the monks of that ancient monastery in the Alps have been killed. Shortage of meat caused by the war led to this massacre.

The St. Bernard pass is of historical renown. It connects the valleys of the Rhone and the Dora Baltea. It was traversed by Roman legions thousands of years ago. In medieval times the pass served the armies of conquerors and the bands of mercenaries. Na-

The great monastery was built in was maintained for the relief of travelers who were surprised by snowstorms while crossing the pass. The St. Bernard dogs were used to find the frozen victims of the storms in the snowdrifts. They were specially trained for this work of relief and carried the first aid to the injured in a little basket attached to their collars. These dogs rescued thousands of human beings, many of whom were of historical prominence. And for the first time in the history of this famous monastery the dogs had to be slaughtered for want of food. At other times a report of this sort would create profound interest in Paris, but at present the human race is thinking of its own necessities and cares less about dog heroes living more than 8,100 feet above the surface of

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Corncobs-a great waste product in the world's greatest corn-producing nation-have been made to yield adhesive gum and other useful substances in quantities sufficient to convince chemists of the United States department of agriculture that the nucleus of a profitable and important industry lies in this direction.

In addition to adhesive gum, experiments have produced cellulose and glucose, both of which have many commercial uses. The glucose so produced crystallizes well, and it is believed can be used in the same ways as crystalline glucose from starch. Manufacture of alcohol by the fermentation of corncob glucose appears practicable if sulphuric acid is obtainable cheaply.

To utilize corncobs commercially, the chemists believe, a large and costly plant would be necessary, and the bureau of chemistry does not advise any enterprise of the sort in war time.

Explaining Shower of Fishes.

A recent shower of fishes at Hendon, a suburb of Sunderland, England, occurred about 3 p. m., during a heavy thundershower, and lasted about ten minutes. A. Meek of Dove Marine laboratory, states in Nature that the fall was confined to an area of about a third of an acre. The fishes were all about three inches long and all beaches. The place of fall is a quarter of a mile from the seashore. It is found probable that the fishes, numbering several hundred, were drawn by a waterspout from the bay to the southeast and transported by the easterly breeze at least half a mile. As the fishes were all dead the evidence that inland waters may have been stocked with marine forms from the air is not conclusive.

Useless Precaution.

A German captain of engineers relates how he once sent a green corporal and three men back to the Russian lines with instructions to put a commission so that it could by no means be of use to the enemy.

The corporal rejoined the command in a surprisingly short time considering the nature of the task. The captain asked if he had carried out his

"Ja wohl, Herr Hauptmann," said the corporal, "the Russians will never be able to use that station again. You see," pointing to a large sack on his back, "I have carried away all the tickets."-London Opinion.

A Cafe Placard in Egypt.

A soldier who has spent many months on service in Egypt says that one of the strangest things he remembers was a placard in a cafe chantant in an Egyptian town. It read:

"Every of the consummation of the coldness, 1 piastre besides. Every of the claim to be address directly in the direction. During of the repetitions the price of consummations to be the same that in every the other's coffee,"

The translation is: "All iced drinks, 1 piastre extra. All complaints to be made at the office. Notwithstanding the performance the

prices will be the same as those of other cafes."-Liverpool Post.

Italy, U. S. A.
Did you ever hear of Italy? No, not Italy in Europe, but Italy in the state of Texas? Scout Edward Hammer writes us from there, and from what he says it must be some town. It has only 2,000 inhabitants, yet within its limits there is a cotton compress, an ice and water plant, a cotton-seed and off mill, four gins and a grist mill. We wonder if there is any chance for loafers in Italy? The town is situated on the banks of Houston's creek, so named because General Sam Houston canvoed there in his memorable retreat before Santa Anna.-Boys' Life.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Service at 10:15 morning, in the Piney Creek Presbyterian Church with sermon on "The Unspoken Thoughts of Jesus." Town service 7:30, night. Topic, "The Persistent Query." Bible School and C. E. meet

Union Bridge Lutheran charge.— Keysville, 10 A. M., preaching. Rocky Ridge, 2:30 P. M., preaching.

U. B. Church.—Taneytown: Bible school at 9:30, and preaching at 10:30 A. M. Harney: Bible school at 1:30 and preaching at 2:30 P. M. Theme, "The Church Remembered."

In Trinity Lutheran church next poleon crossed the Alps at this point Sunday the Lord's Supper will be administered. The entire morning service will be devoted to this as usual, the middle of the sixteenth century. It and in the evening the communion was maintained for the relief of tray will follow a brief sermon. The preparatory service will be held on Sat-urday, at 2 o'clock. This will be a convenient time for bringing in back

> Baust church.—The Sunday school will be held at 1:30 o'clock. Preaching service at 2:30, with sermon by Rev. L. B. Hafer, of Taneytown.

> Reformed church. — Taneytown: Service at 10:15 A. M. Sunday school at 9:15. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Missionary service, at 7:30. At the Missionary service, Mrs. Paul D. Yoder will make an address. Heidelburg Class, Saturday afternoon at 1:30. Catechetical Class at 2:15.

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Stanley Clisby Arthur, ornithologist of the conservation commission of Louisiana, is authority for the statement that the state "Burbanked" the wild duck, the cross of which "set," and they produced a duck that will remain in the state the year round.

Louisiana is visited by the greenhead mallard, which leaves in the spring for the North. Also by another species known as the summer mallard, or Florida duck, which spends its summer in Louisiana and winters in Mexico and Central America. It leaves Louisiana on the approach of cold veather.

The experiment of crossing the greenhead mallard, the winter visitor, with the summer mallard, or Florida duck, the summmer visitor, was conducted by M. L. Alexander, conservation commissioner, and Edward A. Mc-Ilhenny at Avery island, a state pre-

Species of the two ducks were trapped, mated and the eggs proved fertile. The experiment proved a suc-The "Burbanked" ducks have been termed the "Louisiana mal-The "Louisiana mallard" has produced its own young, and Mr. Are

thur says the cross has "set." Hundreds of these "Louisiana mallards" were released on Marsh island, a wild life sanctuary, so that they might perpetuate themselves.

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