

HORSES AND CATTLE SHOW A BIG DECREASE.

Should Mean Good Prices For Stock This Spring.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Value of livestock on farms and ranges in the United States has decreased more than \$2,250,000,000 during the last year, and the amount of live stock about 10,000,000, according to estimates announced today by the Dept. of Agriculture.

Cattle and sheep decreased in number more than 4%, and swine decreased more than 7%. There was a decrease in value of more than \$500,000,000 in milch cows and about the same for other cattle, while swine showed a decrease of almost \$500,000,000 and sheep almost \$250,000,000.

Horses numbered 20,183,000, a decrease of 2.9%, and were valued at \$1,664,166,000, a decrease of \$298,337,000, with an average value of \$82.45 per head.

Mules numbered 4,999,000, a decrease of 8%, and were valued at \$578,473,000, a decrease of \$162,927,000 with an average value of \$115.72 per head.

Other cattle numbered 42,870,000 a decrease of 4.2%, and were valued at \$1,346,655,000, a decrease of \$587,520,000, with an average value of \$31.41 per head.

Sheep numbered 45,067,000, a decrease of 4.3%, and were valued at \$288,732,000, a decrease of \$206,928, with an average value of \$6.42 per head.

Hogs numbered 66,649,000, a decrease of 7.1%, and were valued at \$865,633,000, a decrease of \$497,636,000, with an average value of \$12.99 per head.

Water Bonds for Mt. Airy.

The completion of a partly installed water system and considerable street work is a program of improvement that the authorities of Mt. Airy expect to take up early in the Spring. Mayor Molesworth and the councilmen are planning for a bond issue of \$22,000 for the work. The water system when completed will add much to the assets of the town and will supply a need that has long been felt by citizens of that community.

About two years ago bonds were issued to the amount of \$18,000 to improve the main street. The result is that the main thoroughfare of the town has been converted into a concrete highway more than a mile and a half in length. Not all of the money was required for the improvement and what remained was used toward installing the water system. After pipes had been laid the funds gave out and the work was temporarily suspended. The last session of the legislature authorized another bond issue of \$22,000 this time, which will be used to complete the water system and what remains will be spent on street and road improvement. The bonds in denominations of \$500 are now being printed.

Negotiations are now pending for a water supply source. The town is desirous of securing a lease or a right to use water from a spring on the Garrett Sanitarium property. Unless this source can be obtained it is probable that the authorities will resort to artesian wells. Present plans are to issue the bonds in time to start work on the water system in the spring and the funds that remain over will be applied to street and road improvement.

Why It Can't Be \$1.00 A Year.

Already, there are some who claim to think that as some things are "coming down," weekly newspapers should drop back from \$1.50 to \$1.00. We give below, a few transactions made by The Record, this week, showing why this can not be.

We placed an order for March delivery, for paper for The Record, at \$200.00 per ton. Before the war this same paper sold around \$80.00 a ton. We bought an impression blanket for cylinder press at \$12.50. Before the war, this same blanket sold at about \$4.50.

We bought a lot of heavy wrapping paper at \$9.80 a ream. Before the war this paper sold at \$5.80 a ream.

We placed an order for news ink at \$13.00 per 100 lbs. Before the war this ink sold at \$7.00 per 100 lbs. These are just a few items from one week's business that can be duplicated every week in every printing office—and they only begin a long list of reasons why \$1.50 for a weekly is still much too low.

New Ones, and Renewals.

The Record received an unusually large number of new subscribers, and renewals, this week and last. Our readers have no doubt noticed the absence of appeals to those "in arrears" to pay up such as frequently appeared several years ago. As we have no subscribers "in arrears" such notices are not now necessary, and we believe everybody likes the present way better than the old, as there is now no contention over accounts, and no statements to send out.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson has bought a home in the northwest section of Washington, for \$160,000 and will move into it March 3. Vice-President and Mrs. Marshall expect to go to Europe about the middle of May.

DAWES DEFENDS WAR FINANCE

Denounces Investigation as a Partisan Effort.

Mr. (or General) Chas. G. Dawes, a Republican, and former head of army supply something or other, is said by the papers to have "flayed" the House war investigating committee, on Thursday, when called before the committee to testify. From reports, Mr. Dawes swore a great deal, and generally damned all criticism of the conduct of the war, so far as financial operations were concerned. His unanswerable verdict was, we won the war, and not another thing matters.

The people of the country, as a whole, will likely accept the verdict, for the excellent reason that not accepting it will not make the debt a cent less, nor shorten the period of taxation. They will also accept it because stirring up the mess will only keep going an apparently profitless job. But, just the same, this country has learned a lot that it never knew before, and the evidence at hand, even though wholly worthless to cure ills that are incurable, will be of benefit incalculable should we get into another affair of the same kind.

It is American to admire bluntness—and even profanity, for the sake of emphasis, passes as having some value—but, we question whether Mr. Dawes' style of defense was altogether reassuring, when we consider it nakedly. Undoubtedly, there has been a lot of partisan rancor in the investigations, and some extreme charges and opinions have been capitalized beyond their value; but even with all this, bluster and cuss-words, even if in the main sound in their summing up, are not quite in harmony with the American ideal of the characteristics that should distinguish our managers of war finances.

Mr. Dawes was away off when he attempted to connect the wide-spread criticism of financial waste with criticism of our army itself. This feature of his evidence goes a long way toward discounting any value that was in it, simply because there is no truth whatever in any such insinuation. When he said "pin head politicians are raising hell," and "what in the hell did we go in for," and that he "didn't believe a damned word" of certain charges, he may have thought he was giving last word evidence of excusable conduct of the war; but most people, we believe, will rather be inclined to think differently.

Low Price of Corn.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—Corn is selling at the lowest level of prices since January of 1913, and the market displays an extremely weak tone. Some grades of cash corn are selling down to 50c a bushel, less than a cent a pound, while the price received by producers in the surrounding States is less than 35c a bushel net.

In July of 1917 the grades of cash corn now selling around 50c a bushel here were bringing \$2.25 a bushel, and only eight months ago the market was holding up to \$2.00 a bushel for the cash grain. At this time a year ago cash corn was selling around \$1.50 a bushel on the Kansas City market.

The readjustment of prices for the grain, the most radical of any of the commodities marketed by farmers of the Southwest, is based primarily on the harvest last fall of the largest crop in the history of the U. S., following a near record crop in the preceding year. In addition to the record production of corn, the harvest of kafir and milo, close competitive feeds of the leading coarse grain, also was the largest in the history of the country, and other feedstuffs are in greater abundance than in any recent year. The reluctance of farmers to dispose of their surplus corn at the extremely low prices now being paid tends to sustain values. However, far greater than consumer can absorb. The corn crop is so evenly distributed that, even with small marketings, there is sufficient moving from widely scattered territory to make enormous arrivals at terminals.—Phila. Ledger.

Political Parties in Ireland.

No doubt some of our readers have wondered what the differences are between the political parties in Ireland. We give the following from the United Protestant Advocate, Pittsburg, which may be correct, as to facts, or may be only an opinion.

"There is the Sinn Fein party, consisting entirely of Roman Catholics, which stands for absolute separation of the union of Ireland and Great Britain.

"There is the Nationalist party, composed largely of Roman Catholics, and a sprinkling of Protestants, who desire a greater measure of local home rule. This party was led by John Redmond who, while advocating home rule, was loyal to the union.

"There is the great Unionist party composed of Ulsterites and other Protestants who desire to remain a part of the British government under which the province has prospered, and who are determined that if home rule is to come Ulster will be excluded. Ulster asks for the right of self-determination.

"The whole question is said to be a religious one. The Sinn Feiners refuse loyalty to a government that is predominantly Protestant and Ulster refuses to come under a government that would be predominantly Roman Catholic."

THE STEERING GEAR

Whenever there is nothing better to blame a motor vehicle accident on, it is often charged up to the "steering gear," and that is confidently expected to absolve the driver from responsibility—an "unavoidable accident."

There is a "steering gear" that is responsible for many mishaps, but not the one attached to motor vehicles—it is the steering gear of one's brain, that sticks and refuses to work, it is warped and fails to steer true.

Most of the accidents that occur—both in motor travel and in personally directed affairs of the mind—are avoidable, but we are so inventive in the matter of shifting the blame from our own out-of-kilter mentality, that the law is avoided, and perhaps our own conscience not seriously involved.

The main thing, nowadays, seems to be to side-step personal responsibility. We are all, more or less, exercising our wits (or lack of them) and "personal liberty," to the extreme limit, and there is a callousness toward our victims that is fast creating a new brand of modern justifiable conduct.

Our "steering gear" may at times be excusably at fault, but in most cases it is sadly in need of repairs and control that we do not exert ourselves to make.

PRICES OF FARM MACHINERY

Why Prices do Not Come Down, as in Some other Instances.

The Record has received a circular letter from a large manufacturer of Agricultural implements on the above topic. We omit the name of the company, but give the statement in substance;

"The answer to the question as to why farm machinery has not made a reduction in price, as has been the case in some other commodities, is a very simple one. Our prices were never advanced in proportion to the advances made on other articles of general consumption. This is clearly illustrated in the price of clothes and clothing, which according to government statistics went up to a figure of 258% above 1914 levels; and while substantial reductions have been made the latest government figures issued January 1st, show the present prices of such commodities to be 122% above 1914 levels, while our farm machinery are 72 1/2% above 1914 prices. Consequently the prices of clothes and clothing must drop another fifty points from the present prices before they reach the level of farm machines.

As a further reason for the drop in the textile prices, the raw materials, both wool and cotton, have suffered a severe decline; while the present prices of materials used in the construction of farm machinery still show a much greater advance over 1914 levels than do farm machinery prices. The January 1, 1921 prices show the present prices of Coke carry an increase over 1914 of 200%, Coal 188%, Pig Iron 142%, Steel 104 1/2%, Lumber 95%, Wages 159%, Freight Rates 101%; while the prices of farm machines show an average increase of only 72 1/2%.

We are not attempting to predict the course of future prices, but wish to call attention to the fact that 80% of the cost of materials and 72% of the transportation cost are paid for labor; and that future prices, whether up or down, must be governed largely by the fluctuations in the labor rate."

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Jan. 31, 1921.—Letters of administration on the estate of Mandilla Shaeffer, deceased, were granted unto Carroll G. Warehime, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Lydia A. Maus, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Levi D. Maus and Chas. W. Maus, who received warrant to appraise.

Annie Mayers, administratrix of D. Wellington Mayers, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and money.

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1921.—Letters of administration on the estate of Milton E. Koontz, deceased, were granted unto Willie T. Koontz, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

John J. Reese, executor of Mary C. Reese, deceased, settled his first and final account.

John J. Reese, surviving executor of William Reese, deceased, reported sale of bank stock and settled his third and final account.

O. Harry Smith and Mary M. Smith, executors of Oliver C. Smith, deceased, settled their first and final account.

Charles E. Will, administrator of Frederica Will, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and money and received an order to sell personal property.

The Westminster Deposit and Trust Company, guardian of William R. Anders, settled its first and final account.

The last will and testament of Benjamin H. Schrist, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Martha E. Schrist, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

President-elect Harding caught a fish 6 feet long, near Miami, Fla., on Tuesday. It required an hour's time to land it safely.

Cardinal Gibbons is reported to be steadily, though slowly, improving in health, and takes automobile rides every fair day.

TWO MILLION TYPEWRITERS.

Bought by the War Department During the War.

The country is pretty familiar with all sorts of charges of extravagance in the conduct of the war, colossal blunders, etc., and as a rule public sentiment has been wonderfully forgiving, especially as the time for rectification has long passed; and some are disposed to think that some of the charges were cooked up by the Republicans for campaign purposes, but that time, too, has passed, and the evidence is still coming.

The following debate in the House, a short time ago, is a fair sample of the evidence still coming to light through the Congressional Record.

Mr. Mann, of Illinois.—Did the gentleman state that the War Department purchased 2,000,000 typewriters during the war?

Mr. Wood of Indiana.—That is exactly what they did.

Mr. Mann, of Illinois.—Was the man who did that a lunatic or a knave?

Mr. Wood, of Indiana.—I do not know what classification you would put him under.

Mr. Mann, of Illinois.—He must be one of the two.

Mr. Wood, of Indiana.—Yes. It is in keeping with the conduct of the man who purchased mosquito bar to put mosquito bars over everybody in France, who went over there to find out that they had no mosquitoes there and with the man who bought \$20,000,000 worth of ambulance harness only to find out that they did not use any harness at all.

Mr. Mann, of Illinois.—There might be some excuse for that. A man might be misled, but nobody could be misled into the idea that every other soldier in the army was to be employed to operate a typewriter. It must be that the typewriter manufacturers got in their work. Maybe there was a dollar-a-year man here who was interested in typewriters.

Mr. Wood, of Indiana.—There is no doubt about that, and every conceivable kind of typewriter was purchased. Last year, after we had tried our best to find out from the gentleman who ought to know with respect to these typewriters but could not do it from the man who was supposed to have knowledge of such a thing, somebody went down and in half an hour found 5,000 typewriters in a garage in this town under the supervision of the War Department.

\$1,341,186.52 for Auto Tags.

State Motor Vehicle Commissioner Baughman on Wednesday reported that his office had received \$1,341,186.52 so far this year from the sale of automobile tags for 1921.

The sale of 1921 tags began on December 6, and this amount is the total received up to February 1. The receipts so far show an increase of \$215,353.30 over the same period of 1920. The report includes the receipts from the Baltimore and the Washington offices.

The Washington office collected \$134,630.05.

These figures by no means close the income for the year. Under the present automobile law persons are allowed to license their cars on a quarterly basis, with proportionate reduction in the fee charged.

Additional Jurors Drawn to Fill Vacancies.

Ulysses H. Shipley, drawn in the place of Oliver J. Uhler, of Dist. No. 4. Emory A. Berwager, drawn in the place of George W. Sandruck, of Dist. No. 6.

Jacob Blocher, drawn in the place of John C. Folkert, of Dist. No. 6.

David F. Armacost, drawn in the place of Emory C. Leister, of Dist. No. 8.

J. Price Robertson drawn in the place of Augustus E. Blume, of Dist. No. 10.

Wages for Farm Labor.

At a meeting of farmers of Petersburg district Frederick county, following a discussion of the subject of farm wages, it was agreed that \$2.00 a day and board was fair compensation for farm labor. Several speakers from the Agricultural College delivered addresses.

RAILROADS LOSING MONEY.

Demand Reduction in Wages as Only Remedy.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Two hundred thousand railroad employees have been laid off by 64 railroads of the country since Sept. 1. Thirty-six railroads failed to earn operating expenses in January. Twenty-eight railroads did not earn their taxes and fixed charges.

These statements were made today by W. W. Atterbury, chairman of the labor board of the Railroad Executives' Association, in a public statement supporting demands of the railroads for a reduction in wages.

The presentation of the railroad employees' view of the carriers' plea for immediate abrogation of national agreements was deferred. It had been announced that B. M. Jewell, acting president of the Railway Employees' Department of the American Federation of Labor, would reply to the statement made Monday by Brigadier General W. W. Atterbury, but the employees asked for more time and were given until Monday.

Atterbury declared these lines represented 40% of the railroad mileage of the country.

The 36 roads which did not earn their operating expenses during January, Atterbury said, included the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic; Buffalo and Susquehanna; Central of Georgia; Detroit, Toledo and Ironton; Hocking Valley; Long Island; Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie; Maine Central; New York, New Haven and Hartford; Northern Pacific and Philadelphia and Reading.

Twenty-eight railroads which did not earn their taxes and charges in January included: Atlantic Coast Line, Baltimore and Ohio, Boston and Maine; Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; Lehigh Valley, Minneapolis and St. Louis, Missouri Pacific, Norfolk and Southern, Pennsylvania, Pere Marquette, Western Maryland and the Wheeling and Lake Erie.

Marriage Licenses.

Irvin Edwin Wheeler, of Parkton, Md., and Gertie Jane Ruby, of Upperco, Md.

Lorenzo Burgess Bell, of Westminster and Marie Louise Hersey, of Eldersburg.

John Sterling Bollinger, of Gettysburg, Pa., and Sarah Willella Dear-dorf, of Biglerville, Pa.

Emory Conrad Ebaugh, of Carrollton, and Anna Marie Polster, of Westminster.

Lloyd Clinton Merkel, of Hanover, and Annie Menchey, of Silver Run.

William Ardel Robertson and Mabel Fannie Haines, both of Uniontown.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Roy A. Shipley and wife to Samuel Haines et al, tract, for \$5.00.

Wade H. D. Warfield et al, to Benj. F. Brown and wife, 58 sq. per., for \$100.

Frank L. Stoner et al, trustees, to Aaron R. Anders, 23 1/2 acres for \$1398.90.

Virginia Leister et al, to Joseph Fridinger and wife, 9790 sq. ft., for \$1650.

Albert J. Bemiller and wife to John H. Bemiller and wife, 7 1/2 acres, for \$356.

M. Luther Saylor and wife to John H. Martin, 3 tracts for \$10.

Obadiah H. Smith et al, to Edward O. Weant, 2 tracts for \$5.00.

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To Replace County Jails.

Judge Wm. H. Forsythe will recommend a plan to Governor Ritchie which would abolish all county jails and replace them, instead, with four State prisons so distributed over the state as to supply all needs. Many of the county jails are in a dilapidated condition and not secure enough to withstand the inventions of modern criminals; and with prison vans and State roads, the segregation of criminals to safe prisons seems quite feasible.

Ford Loses in Recount.

The recount of the ballots for U. S. Senator, in Michigan, was finished, on Wednesday, leaving Senator Newberry (Rep.) with a plurality of 4334 over Henry Ford. The latter gained 3293 votes in the recount, the original plurality of Newberry being 7547. The total votes after the recount, are Newberry 217,085; Ford 212,751.

Demand for Reduced Wages.

A demand is general, throughout the country, for a cut of about 25 percent in wages paid to labor. It is especially claimed that railroaders and miners are keeping back business development, on account of the present high wages paid them; and that building operations are on a standstill for the same reason. Those who are getting work, at the high wages, are keeping thousands of others from getting work at lower wages.

It is reported that the government will discontinue printing envelopes for business concerns. If true, this will be good news for printers, as they have, for years, resented the government's competition, especially as the work was done at a loss to the government itself. Stamped envelopes with the return request, would of course be printed for the various offices, but not the name of firm or individual.

PERSHING FOR DISARMAMENT - BUT NOT YET.

Says We Must Keep On Until Agreement is Reached.

General Pershing appeared before the House Naval Committee, this week, and warned against pacifism and unpreparedness until the other great powers are willing to come together and enter into a disarmament policy.

"We should steer clear of drifting into a pacifist state of mind simply because we are discussing this subject," General Pershing asserted. "None of us want war, but we do not want to be caught unprepared if war comes.

"Until some agreement is had I would say that the safe policy for the United States to pursue would be to continue our Army and Navy programs and not allow ourselves to be caught unprepared as we were at the beginning of the World War. It is unsafe and unwise for one nation to disarm at such a time as this unless the others do likewise. I think I am in a position to know better than any other man, what unpreparedness meant at the beginning of the war."

The nations of the world know, the General added, that America's economic position would enable it to outstrip the world in military preparation if it so desired and that therefore they would realize the sincerity of a move for disarmament if initiated by this country and would subscribe to it gladly.

Friskish Wills.

A Philadelphia woman has left a will that is provocative of controversy. She gives nothing to members of her family, for they never treated her fairly she avers; but the executors are directed to spend \$5 a week for the maintenance of a dog named Tweed in the state to which he has been accustomed.

The will is of a familiar type, as rearing a sort of spite fence toward the dead and the living. Shakespeareans are still debating whether Shakespeare intended to slight Mrs. Shakespeare after he left her nothing but the second-best bed. For meticulous detail, Dean Swift's will rivals that of the author of "Hamlet." Swift left a friend a silver box "to keep the tobacco he usually cheweth, called pigtail."

In 1891 Alfred Bamber left Edward Payson "one sealed envelope which contains reading matter and nothing of money value." Another testator, according to Judge Gest, left \$50 to Archbishop Ryan to have herself and her husband made "life members" of a certain seminary. Executors are often confronted by strange testamentary embarrassments. Evidently the dog named Tweed who benefited by the will before us is still frisking about in the land of the living; but in a case that came before Judge Lamorelle, of this city, thirteen years ago the two cats who were to be supported could not be found, and the judge held that "judicially, at least, their respective nine lives have been snuffed out."

It is not hard to understand the sentiment of a recluse who in the companionship of animals has found solace for neglect by human relatives; but the life of perennial solitude is likely to impair, if not destroy the proper scale of values. Some people lavish tenderness on responsive dogs and cats and are indifferent to the welfare of pitifully dependent human beings.—Phila. Ledger.

Farmers to Grow Pipe Cobs.

Sikeston, Mo., Feb. 1.—Farmers of this section have contracted to grow more than 2000 acres of corn, the cobs of which are to be used in manufacturing pipes. Results obtained last year proved to be entirely satisfactory and resulted in the increased acreage. Farmers made profits of \$10 to \$12 an acre on their cobs, beside the corn.

A touring car driven by Edward Case, of Westminster, was upset at Main and Fourth streets, McSherrystown, Thursday morning, when Mr. Case locked his brake in an endeavor to avoid a collision with a wagon of the Eckenrode bakery. Besides the driver, Mrs. Theo. Eline and two Sisters from Sacred Heart Convent, Conewago, were in the car. One of the Sisters sustained a broken wrist.

Among the 67.50 miles of toll road acquired by the Penna. Highway Department during the past year is included fifteen miles between East Berlin and Hanover, Hanover and Littlestown and McSherrystown and Hanover. The cost of taking over all the roads was \$343,312.50 of which \$175,656.25 was paid by the counties. The State bore the remainder of the expense.

Geo. W. McCardell, editor of the Williamsport (Md.) Leader, announces that his paper will discontinue publication about Feb. 15, and that he will give his reasons for quitting in the last issue.

84 Percent of the business concerns that failed, in 1920, were non-advertisers. What do you think of the fact?

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

An Unfortunate Defeat.

Opposition to "amendments to the Constitution" is largely a bone-headed one, not so much backed by real desire to protect the constitution and prevent it from being amended out of shape, but to an indefensible opinion that because somebody wants to amend it, is evidence that it should not be done; therefore, "against the amendment" is a popular way of voting for those who take enough interest in the proposition to vote either way.

The amendment presented to voters last Fall, to increase the pay of our state legislators, should have passed. For the class of men whom we ought to send to Annapolis, \$5.00 per day is totally unfit pay. We neither ought to expect fully qualified men to make a personal financial sacrifice to represent the people in law-making, nor ought we be satisfied to send men to whom \$5.00 a day appeals and who "want the job."

This is essentially an office that should "seek the man," and voters should see to it that only fully qualified men are elected. At the picaune pay, how can this be done? True, the sessions of the legislature extend from January to March, in the least busy portion of the year, and this fact enables some to be candidates who would not entertain the proposition for any other three months in the year.

But, it does not seem to us to be good sense to use three off months in the year as an argument in favor of low pay. The vital question rather is, good pay for good men, irrespective of the calendar. Besides, these very three months are usually the most disagreeable three months in the year, and Annapolis is not noted for being a winter health resort. The weather, in fact, prevents some from accepting nominations who would serve at any other time of the year.

We repeat, therefore, that the defeat of better pay, for legislators was a big mistake, and an exhibition of poor financial policy; and for this year at least, the only thing that can be done is to scrutinize very closely, the available candidates for the legislature.

Public Sentiment and Railroads.

Sooner or later, we believe public sentiment will be strong enough to give to railroad companies more say in the conduct and operation of their own business; rights that were largely taken away during the war by the outgoing government administration, and partly on demand of the strong railroad labor organization. For many years the railroads of the country—some of the big systems, at least—had the "inside track" on government favors, and abused the privilege; so that when the roads were trussed up, and made to be good, there was not much public sympathy shown for them.

However, the public is beginning to see that there is no relief to it in being shunted from one arbitrary power to another; and that as between the two, it suffered less when the railroads had comparatively free hand to conduct their own affairs—wages and rates—to suit themselves. In other words, the public sees the high rates for freight and express carrying going into the "expense" accounts of the companies—largely for labor—and is willing to try the Companies again, for relief.

Government "regulation" of the railroads is pretty close to government "operation," minus governmental financial responsibility, and for that reason is apt to be sympathetic towards the "biggest crowd." Up to railroad labor unions, as against the general public, general business, and this point, the biggest crowd has been holders of railroad securities all weakened in their influence because of the great need for continuous and full

operation of the railroads with full crews and employees.

There is now a change in the situation. The war is not only over, but the urgent necessities left by the war are largely supplied. We need now to look after our own affairs; start up our many industries; look after fair costs for services rendered, and get back into the game of business and world competition, without favored classes and surrendering to force employed where force has a good chance for hold-ups.

It is quite evident that the railroad carrying business of the country must be permitted to organize itself, and operate itself; not only that it shall make money for investors, but operate at reasonable charges for service, and that government control should not be so tight as to prevent healthy competition between roads themselves.

Use the Other Fellow's Experience.

"Experience is a good teacher," but the amount of useful information we gain from our own experience generally is, and should be, considerably less than that which we derive from the experience of others. Most of the things we are taught as children have been learned by our forefathers and passed down to us, and as we go on through life we are continually learning from the experience of others and profiting by the knowledge they have gained.

Every broad-minded person realizes that it pays to profit by the other fellow's experience and that it is usually a quicker, easier and cheaper way to learn than to attempt to acquire all information through individual effort and experience.

Yet we occasionally find people who become so narrow and bigoted that they refuse to profit through knowledge gained by others. They take it as an insult to their intelligence and an attempt to tell them what they should do or "how to run their business" if anyone attempts to impart any information they have gained.

Such people often have no use for farm papers and other educational magazines for the reasons mentioned. Needless to say, the individuals who hold such a viewpoint are the ones who suffer most because of it. A really wise man is the one who can listen to suggestions from anyone, even if such suggestions do deal with his business and the manner in which it is conducted, but who is capable of weighing the value of such suggestions and applying those which are really worth while.

Few inventions are completed by one individual. The telegraph, the telephone, the automobile, the grain binder, the grain separator, etc., in their present form are the products not of one man, but of many. Very often excellent suggestions for the improvement of such devices have been made by people who had very little knowledge of the art to which they pertained, but into whose mind some suggestion flashed upon watching the device at work.

And so it is with farming. Few farms are managed perfectly, and suggestions which will improve a great many farm organizations and result in increased profits to the owner are frequently made by other farmers whose conditions are entirely different or even by men in some other line of business. The wise farmer is the one who considers these suggestions and makes use of those which fit his case, not the one who refuses to listen to any suggestions whatever.—Tractor Farming.

A Good Medicine for the Grip.

George W. Waitt, South Gardner, Me., relates his experience with the grip: "I had the worst cough, cold and grip, had taken a lot of trash of no account. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done me any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the cold and grip have left me."—Advertisement

Dedicating Homes.

The other day one of the members of our church asked if I would dedicate the new home into which she had recently moved. She wanted to invite guests and serve dinner and make an affair out of it. I told her the idea was new to me; I had dedicated many church houses, but this was my first invitation to dedicate a home.

So I asked her to let me see what the Bible had to say about it. I had not searched long until I came across Deuteronomy 20:5: "And the officers shall speak unto the people saying, what man is there that hath built a new house, and hath not dedicated it? Let him go and return to his house, lest he die in battle, and another man dedicate it." I then agreed to go and dedicate that new home.

And in the meantime I did a lot of thinking about our homes, and here are some of the things that ran through my mind:

We read these days about the great shortage in houses. No town or city has houses to supply its increasing

population. But that is nothing to compare with the shortage in homes real homes.

We take our visitors for a drive and we say, "That is the home of Colonel so-and-so."

Is that so? No! If we spoke more truly we would say, "That is his house." He sleeps there (part of the time) and usually eats breakfast there. But he lives in his office, lunches up town, dines at the club and frolics at the theater. Yes, he has two or three houses, one for the winter and one for summer, but no "Home, Sweet Home."

So it is with many of the places we pass, they are only houses, not homes.

"A house is built of bricks and stones of silts and posts and pliers. But a home is built of loving deeds that stand a thousand years. A house, though but a humble cot, within its walls may hold a home of priceless beauty, rich in love's eternal gold."

What has become of the mottoes we were wont to see as we went from home to home, "God Bless Our Home?"

That motto has been discarded because it does not fit any more. But to hang up one saying, "God Bless Our Flat," or, "Our Apartment," or, "Our Hotel," or, "Our Room," or, "Our Tenement," would not sound right.

The center of our interests is being rapidly transferred from the home to outside institutions. Formerly all the family cooking was done in the home, but now one runs by the shops and out to the house where he stays, grasps a can-opener and bread cutter and in three minutes the meal is on the table.

The spinning wheel and loom have given way to the factory and sweat shop. The old time governess has surrendered to the public school, and alas! family worship and religious instruction around the home's altar have been abandoned, and "hired" Sunday School superintendents and teachers have assumed responsibility for our religious instruction.

One of our foreign missionaries reports that in one village scores of heathen altars have tumbled down and the true God is now worshipped instead. I rejoiced when I read this statement, but wondered what the report of a heathen in this country would be on the question of our family altars? Have they not been falling down fast and idols being set up in their stead?

We need to have dedications of the new homes being built, and some old homes may need rededication.

Since relating the above story to my people I have had several invitations to dedicate new homes. It is a wonderful privilege and pleasure, and I wonder if many a pastor's heart would not glow afresh if the people who read this would set about dedicating their homes?—By Rev. M. E. Dood, D. D., in January Moody Bible Institute Monthly.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Favorite.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a favorite with the mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough. Its pleasant taste and the prompt cures which it effects has won the good opinion of mothers everywhere. As this remedy contains no opium or other narcotics it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult.—Advertisement

Evading Our Taxes.

The human conscience is a strange thing. A man will be worried over some slight misdoing; he will suffer the pangs of remorse for some act that he has done and which perhaps others have secretly noticed, but a man's conscience lays off from duty when it comes to making tax returns. Or at least such seems to be the case in many instances.

There are very few of us who do not know of men who should pay an income tax, yet who have managed to evade it ever since it was a law. We hear men say that they do not earn enough to be liable for that tax, yet we have heard men boast that they were earning \$60 or \$70 per week—a short time before the time for making the tax return. Why should we, as citizens, hesitate to report such cases? The answer is simple—we do not wish to incur the enmity of our neighbor and we fail to realize that by his failure to pay his just tax, we must pay more, because the government expenses must be met. Collecting a tax is a difficult thing. In many cases it would require a corps of men of such size that the cost would more than eat up the extra taxes collected. Yet the man who makes an honest return cannot avoid feeling that some way should be devised to force the tax evader to bear his share of the burden.—Centreville Observer.

For the Liver and Bowels.

When your liver and bowels become torpid get a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver and cause a gentle movement of the bowels. They also improve the digestion.—Advertisement

PUBLIC SALE OF Valuable Personal Property

The undersigned will offer at public sale, on the Charles Hibberd farm, near New Windsor, Carroll County, Md., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1921, at 9 o'clock, A. M., shary, the following described personal property:

31 HEAD OF CATTLE, all Holstein and Durham Milk Cows; 8 HEAD OF HORSES & MULES; 12 Shoats, Sow and Pigs, HUDSON TOURING CAR, Tractor, Binder, Manure Spreader, Silo Filler, Choppers, Cow Milking Machine, Gasoline Engines, 4 and 6-horse Wagons, Plows, 3 Spring-tooth Harrows, Spring Wagon, Milk Cans, Hay Rake, and all other machinery and equipment necessary to a complete farming outfit. Everything in first-class condition.

G. FIELDER GILBERT, Trustee of Pierce H. Zile, E. A. Lawrence, Auct. 1-7-5t E. O. Weant, Attorney.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming, near Baust Church, on

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 17, 1921, at 12 o'clock, the following described personal property:

2 HEAD OF HORSES, "Lark," black Percheron mare, weight 1300, 6 years old, can not be hitched wrong, a number one leader and driver, any woman or child can drive her, sound without a spot or blemish; "Pat," 4 years old, light bay mare, weighs about 800, has been worked any place and drove but never drove single, and will make a dandy single driver, gentle safe and all right.

2 HEAD OF COWS, one red cow, carrying 3rd calf straight and all right, a big milker, no better creamer, fresh about last of May or first of June; one red cow carrying her 2nd calf, good milker and creamer, will be fresh May 1.

8 HEAD OF HOGS, 7 shoats, from 30 to 50 lbs. 1 brood sow.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 1-horse wagon, new; No. 40 Oliver-Childs plow, steel beam, new; 1 wooden frame harrow 18-tooth, new; single shovel plow, 2-point drag, new; single shovels, double tree, single trees, jockey sticks, pair breast chains, 1 vial good as new, New Holland chopping mill, grain cradle, mowing scythe and sned, ladder 20-ft. long, 2 sets good wagon harness, 2 good bridles, 2 good collars, 1 close springer, set buggy harness complete; lead rein, coupling straps, 3 halters, good wagon whip, string of sleigh bells.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, 1 new DeLaval No. 10 cream separator, butter tub, Sterling power washer and wringer, good as new; table, 6-qt. sausage stuffer and lard press, 2 good milk buckets, 1 good kitchen sink, lined with zinc, 1 hanging parlor lamp and fixtures complete lot of other lamps, good meat hagshead, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—A credit of 10 months on all sums over \$10.00. No property to be removed until settled for.

S. A. WAYBRIGHT, 1-28-2t J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale, on Elias Keefe's farm, near Baust Church, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1921, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

FOUR HEAD OF MULES, 1 pair of black mules, 9 years old, will work anywhere hitched and both good leaders, fearless of all road objects; one pair of dark bay mules, 2 years old, well broke, except in lead; these mules are all quiet and gentle, closely matched and good size. Anyone in need of a good pair of mules, should attend this sale.

7 HEAD OF YOUNG CATTLE, consisting of 6 milk cows; 1 will have calf by her side day of sale; 1 close springer, 1 cow, calf just sold off; the balance are summer and fall cows; these cows are all heavy milkers and extra good creamers; 1 bull, fit for service;

16 HEAD OF HOGS, consisting of 2 sows, will farrow the last of March or first of April; the rest are shoats, ranging in weight from 40 to 90 pounds apiece.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, one 2 1/2-ton Western wagon and bed, 1 new Ideal Peeling binder, 7-ft cut; one McCormick corn harvester, 1 E-B manure spreader, 1 harrow and roller combined, 17-tooth harrow, 1 Ward plow, No. 106; 1-horse corn worker; all the above named implements are in first-class some new last year and as good as new. Spring, Scientific chopping mill, in good order; 1 pair hay carriers, 18 ft long; top spring wagon, in good running order; cart, hay fork, single trees, 3 sets lead jockey sticks, 1 set of heavy 1-horse wagon harness, bridles, collars, lead lines, lead rein, hitching straps, cow lead chains; also some household and broom, consisting of 1 range, No. 8, good good; 1 chunk stove. Half interest in 43 Acres of growing grain, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash will be required. On larger sums a credit of 10 months will be given on notes with approved security, bearing interest from date of sale, and no goods to be removed until settled for.

GEORGE A. BROWN, J. N. O. Smith, Auct. 1-28-4t Edward S. Harner, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale on the Goldsmith farm, near Taneytown, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1921, at 2 o'clock, the following described property:

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 1 new Moline manure spreader, broad tread wagon, new horse rake, McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut; 1 new double corn worker, 2-section spike harrow, spring-tooth harrow, cutting box, old spring wagon, buggy spread, shovel plow, about 2 tons cement, corn sheller, scoop shovel, old 2-horse wagon, wheelbarrow, lot of corn, 1 boar hog.

TERMS CASH. J. N. O. SMITH, Agent, for Owner's Bill of Sale. JOS. D. BROOKS, Atty. J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 1-28-2t

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OUR JANUARY SALE PROVED SUCH A SUCCESS THAT WE ARE GOING TO CONTINUE IT DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY. THERE ARE DOLLARS TO BE SAVED BY THE PUBLIC BY TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THESE SALES. WE INVITE YOU TO PAY US A VISIT AND BE CONVINCED THAT THE PURCHASING POWER OF YOUR DOLLARS WILL BE GREATER. WHEN WE ADVERTISE A SALE YOU WILL FIND US READY TO BACK UP OUR ASSERTIONS WITH FIRST-CLASS MERCHANDISE, AT THE PRICES STATED.

Dress Gingham
Our supply of Dress Gingham has been greatly increased to care for the FEBRUARY SALE needs. You will find at your disposal a large variety of leading patterns in the best grades, at the popular prices which made them so much in demand during our former sale.

Corsets
The price on our line of Corsets has been greatly reduced for the FEBRUARY SALE. They are the correct models, superior values with all improved features.

Underwear for Women
Our line of Women's Underwear in the Union Suits and two piece goods all weights of the leading brands has been marked down considerably for the February Sale. Don't fail to take advantage of the savings offered in this department.

Boys' Knee Pants Suits
We have made a very substantial reduction of the prices on all Suits in this department for this February Sale. Only the best shades and cuts are to be found here which means a late style suit for the boy at a big saving over the former price.

Sweater Coats
Our February Sale prices on all our line of Coat Sweaters, which are a very popular make and of the best of quality yarn are very attractive. Women's red blue or peacock Sweaters with roll collar and belt that sold for \$7.50 and over now \$5.90.

Misses red and navy wool Sweaters, with belt, that sold for \$6.00, now \$4.75. Misses navy and brown Sweaters, that sold for \$3.50; and now \$2.90. Men's navy, brown and black Sweaters of best quality wool that sold for \$6.90 and \$7.00; now \$5.65. Men's \$6.50 and \$6.00 Grey and Navy Sweaters, now at \$4.75. Boys' navy and brown Sweaters, that were \$2.50; now \$2.15.

Men's Dress Hats
During our February Sale every Hat in this department will be sold at the special prices created for this sale. This means an opportunity for you to get a good style Hat at saving.

Dress Caps
Our line of nobby Dress Caps for Men will be sold at special prices created for his sale. They are made after the best styles and in good shade and patterns.

Men's Underwear
A decided reduction has been made on our stock of Men's Storm King, ribbed and woolen underwear in one or two piece Suits so that they can be bought at a big saving during our February Sale.

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Also a lot of readymade Sheets in a good width at lower prices for this sale.

Men's Corduroy Pants
Our February Sale prices on our line are such that will make them popular sellers.
\$8.00 Shippensburg Cord Pants, \$6.35.
\$7.25 Shippensburg Cord Pants, \$5.75.
\$6.75 Shippensburg Cord Pants, \$5.35.
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Men's Dress Hose, black only, 9c Pair.
Men's Heavy Blue \$2.75 Overalls, \$1.69.
Men's Corduroy Pants, drill lined, \$7.00 value, \$4.98.
Men's Pants, special, \$1.98.
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Men's Grey Mixed Work Hose, 25c value, 15c.
Men's Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, winter weight, \$1.25 value; 58c.
Men's \$3.00 Ribbed Union Suits, \$1.98.
Men's \$2.50 Ribbed Union Suits, \$1.48.
Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Heavy Fleece Union Suits, \$1.89
Men's Dress Suspenders, 65c value; 39c.
Men's Dress Shirts, values up to \$7.50, at \$3.59.
Men's Dress Shirts, values up to \$5.00, at \$2.29.
Men's Dress Shirts, values up to \$2.50, at 98c.
Men's \$4.00 Wool Union Suits, \$2.95.
Men's Travel Jackets, special, \$7.95.
Boys' \$4.00 Wool Sweaters, \$3.00.
Men's Dress Hose, all colors, 35c value, 19c.
Men's Pure Silk Hose, all colors, 98c.
Georgette Waists, values up to \$12.50; your choice, \$4.50.
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\$1.50 Dress Aprons, 98c.
\$1.50 Gingham Petticoats, 98c.
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A Lot of Children's Wool Gloves; values up to 50c; your choice, 19c.
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10c Alladin Soap Dyes; special; 3c.
Women's \$2.75 Umbrellas, \$1.69.
DeLong Pins, 360 to paper; 15c value, 9c.
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Children's Black Hose, all sizes; special, 13c.
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Women's Black Hose; special, 15c.
Women's Lisle Hose, Black, special, 39c.
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Women's \$3.00 Silk Hose; special, \$2.29.
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50c Plaid and Check Dress Goods; special, 29c.
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\$4.00 Aluminum Water Pitchers, \$3.39.
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Men's \$4.50 Solid Leather Work Shoes, \$3.48.
Boys' \$4.00 Solid Leather Work Shoes, \$3.29.
Misses' \$4.50 Black Kid Lace Shoes, \$2.50.
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LINWOOD.

Mrs. Wm. Messler spent Friday with the Marshall family, of "Linwood Heights."

Miss Mattie Pfoutz is again in the home of John Drach, after spending some time in Union Bridge.

Mrs. John Albaugh has returned home, after spending a few days with her husband's mother, Mrs. Alice Albaugh.

Albert Gilbert and daughter, Mrs. Ira Otto, visited relatives in Baltimore, Sunday.

Roger Fritz, who was on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Chas. Spielman of "Linwood Ridge," was given a surprise, Thursday evening, by some of her friends and neighbors.

After our school being closed for three weeks, we have succeeded in getting Mr. Kuhns, of Littlestown, as principal teacher.

MT. UNION.

Miss Carrie Garner attended Bible term, in New Windsor Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Debbie Lambert has returned to her home, having spent some time with Mrs. John Dayhoff of Clear Ridge.

Charles O. Garner spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Jasper Garner, returning to his school in Philadelphia, Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Myers, daughter, Margaret, spent Sunday with Edw. Caylor and family, Rev. and Mrs. Petrea, took dinner at the same place.

Misses May and Ruth Hubbard called on the Misses Lambert, Sunday last.

Mrs. Andrew Graham and wife, spent Sunday with relatives in Taneytown.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Harry Black, formerly of Pleasant Valley, but now residing at Ocean Gate, New Jersey, while visiting his brother, Charles Black, was taken ill with appendicitis last Wednesday, and on Thursday he was taken to a Baltimore hospital by his physician, accompanied by his wife and son, Truman, and was operated on. Their many relatives and friends are glad to hear he is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Elmer Kindig and Mrs. Carroll Myers, spent Friday with their sister, Mrs. Wm. J. Myers of Union Bridge.

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UNIONTOWN.

Mrs. Brown Umberger, of Myersville, Frederick Co., spent a few days last week with her niece, Mrs. B. E. Petrea, at the parsonage.

The Children's Mission Band led by Miss Diene Sittig, meets each Saturday at Rev. Petrea's and all are very much interested in their programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Oden Snader, of Iowa, are guests of his sister, Mrs. M. A. Zollickoff and family.

Walter McAlister who came East with the body of his father, last week, will remain for a time visiting friends and relatives. The funeral of Mr. McAlister was largely attended, on Sunday, nine of his ten children were present, the youngest son, Earl of N. D., was the only one absent.

PLEASANT GROVE.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Marker and family, of Westminster, spent Sunday with Wm. E. Brown and family.

The Willing Workers Bible Class, of St. Mary's Lutheran church, held an orange social and a play, entitled "The Modern Sewing Society," Saturday night, in the hall, at Silver Run, which was much enjoyed by a large audience. It will be repeated at the hall, at Union Mills, Saturday eve, Feb. 5, to which the public is invited.

Mae Bare attended the play, Friday eve, given by the High School at Littlestown.

Despite the rainy day, Sunday, our State Road was full of autos.

Miss Lillie Maus has taken a trip through the West, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Dutterer and son, Wilmer, spent Sunday with Robt. Steach and wife, of Littlestown.

Grover Morelock and family spent Sunday with John Koontz and wife, of Littlestown. Mr. Koontz has been very sick for the past month, but is getting better.

EFFECTS OF CONSTIPATION.

Constipation causes a stoppage of the sewerage system of the body. The poisonous refuse matter that should be carried away is retained in the system and often poisons the blood and causes numerous disorders. No one can afford to neglect his bowels. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will afford relief. Avoid drastic cathartics as they take too much water out of the system and their use is likely to be followed by constipation.

KEYSVILLE.

Charles Beard, of Waynesboro, Pa., was a guest, Sunday, of Maurice Hahn and wife.

Miss Agnes Kiser and Earl Roop spent the week-end with Edward Hahn, Fairfield, Pa.

Raymond Baumgardner and bride, of near Emmitsburg, was entertained at supper, Sunday evening, at the home of his uncle, Peter Baumgardner.

Edward Harmon spent last Saturday in Hanover Pa.

Peter Wilhelm, Jesse Weybright and Edward Forney were in Baltimore Tuesday.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity attended the funeral of Oliver Newcomer, held in Taneytown, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Newcomer was a citizen of this community until last spring, when he moved to Taneytown. Deep sympathy is extended to Mrs. Newcomer and her daughter, Mrs. Keiholtz.

Wash without work. You can do it if you have a Maytag Multi Motor Washer. We guarantee it Rein-dollar Bros. & Co.

BRIDGEPORT.

Master John Baumgardner, of Four Points, spent Monday night with his sister, Mrs. Russell Ohler.

Miss Ruth Bentz, spent several days at the home of Mr. B. Welty, near Detour.

Harry W. Baker, wife and daughter, and Mrs. Jones Baker, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Baker, at Greenmount, Pa.

Guy Slagle, of Detour, visited at the home of Bernard Bentz several days this week.

Those who attended school every day at Cattail Branch School during January were: Hilda, Clara and Elwood Koontz, Marian and Brooke Bentz.

HAVE FUN WITH BRIDEGROOM

Harmless Teasing by Bridal Attendants is a Feature of the Afghan Wedding Ceremony.

The ceremony of the mirror, is perhaps, the oldest custom in connection with the Afghan wedding ceremony. A mirror is placed before the bride, and the bridegroom is asked to sit at the bride's left. A shawl is held over them, and the bride unveils and looks in the mirror. Husband and wife see each other's face for the first time. It is their first real meeting, says Ikbal All Shah, in Asia magazine. The bride is shy and does not open her eyes, and the bridesmaids and others chaff her freely.

An engraved silver bowl is then brought, with a little sherbet and a plate of white rice pudding. The bridegroom drinks a little of the sherbet and offers the bride a sip. She closes her lips tight, but force is applied and a spoonful put into her mouth; so also with the rice pudding. A shower of roses announces the termination of this rite. When the bridegroom attempts to rise, he finds he is held down to the floor; a corner of his coat has been sewed to the carpet. There is a roar of laughter. The offender is found—probably a younger sister of the bride. She refuses to undo the stitches unless a gold coin is given to her. As soon as this toll is paid, the bridegroom calls his attendants to bring his shoes, but one of them is missing. Some one declares she knows who has the shoe. It is returned on payment of two gold coins, and the bridegroom is freed from his tormentors.



DIDN'T BELIEVE IT "Agnes says she's a perfect 36." "Don't make me laugh. It must be her age she referred to, instead of her figure."

Like a Baseball Ump. "One way she's like an umpire. My wife is," said Bill Spooner. "She never will believe that I am 'safe' when I am 'out.'"

Good Idea. To have no notion is a bore To all us writing men. I'll go into a notion store And fill my fountain pen.

DIED.

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

DAVID H. A. SELL.

David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar D. Sell, of this place, died on Thursday night, from diphtheria, after about a week's illness, aged 8 years, 10 months, 11 days. Burial services will be held at Krieger's cemetery, privately, on Saturday morning. The friends and neighbors of the family deeply sympathize with them in their loss, and especially because the father is just recovering from a prolonged illness from typhoid fever. There are three other children in the family.

MR. OLIVER G. NEWCOMER.

Mr. Oliver G. Newcomer died at his home on Middle St., Taneytown, on Sunday morning, Jan. 30, from pneumonia, aged 54 years, 1 month and 12 days.

Mr. Newcomer was a retired farmer, having removed from his farm at Keysville, to Taneytown, a year ago, and had recently purchased a town home, the former Milton Academy property, on Emmitsburg St., to which he intended to remove, on April 1. He was very highly thought of, both in town and in his former home neighborhood, and his death was a severe shock to a large circle of relatives and friends.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Grier Keiholtz, of Keysville; by his mother, Mrs. Lavina Newcomer; also by three sisters, Mrs. Harry S. Koons, of Baltimore; Mrs. James A. Reid, of Hanover, and Mrs. Amos Hilbert, of Taneytown; and two brothers, John, of York, and Jacob, of York Springs, Pa.

Funeral services were held in the Reformed church, Taneytown, on Wednesday, by his pastor, Rev. Guy P. Bready.

In Loving Remembrance of MRS. LILLIE BAUMGARDNER OHLER, who died February 4th., 1920.

Rest in peace, my dear wife. One year has passed away; Thou art gone but not forgotten. For I think of you day by day.

We did our best, God only knew. To save her life we could not do. For some good reason we cannot tell. God took her home with him to dwell.

From this world of grief and trouble To the land of peace and rest. God has taken you, my dear wife. Where you will find eternal rest.

By her HUSBAND.

Today one year will have passed. The time we saw your sweet face last. We miss you awfully much, dear one. God knew best; His will is done.

We did our best, God only knew. To ease your pains, which were not few. Until at last His fond embrace Carried you home to an eternal resting place.

And as we look upon your grave, With hearts bowed down in sad dismay. And trust some day to meet again, God heal the hearts which miss you most.

By the FAMILY.



Not Afraid. "John," exclaimed the nervous woman, "there's a burglar trying to get in to the flat."

"I'll get up and give him the fight of his life."

"Aren't you afraid?"

"Not a bit. Any burglar who thinks this flat can hold all three of us must be a little bit of a fellow."

Same Thing. "The gang's a good bunch, I'll tell the world," was the way the politician expressed it.

But here's the way it appeared in the newspapers:

"The esprit de corps of my organization is simply marvelous, I'm proud to say," declared Mr. McFeighan.—Judge.

Say It With Flowers. "I'm getting home a trifle late. Got to take along some flowers to appease my wife."

"Roses?"

"Naw, too many thorns. Gimme somethin' that won't scratch if I get the bouquet across my face."—Judge.

Light. "Some of our greatest men studied by the light of a log fire."

"It isn't such a bad light," observed Mr. Growcher. "It has an advantage of not entitling anybody to send a bill and then turn the light off if you forget to pay."

The Dread Alternative. The Heroic Star—I'm tired of these breakneck stunts. Haven't you another part for me?

The Director—Nothing but a lover's part, playing opposite your wife.

The Star—Lead me back to the cliff.

'Twas Ever Thus. First Martian—It takes all kinds of people to make a world.

Second Martian—What caused you to pull that hoary platitude?

First Martian—Just talking with a simp who believes the earth is inhabited by humans.

HAVE A CARE "Do you think kissing is unsanitary?" "Well from experience I would say it is very dangerous, especially to unmarried people."

Difficult Position. Afar I dare not roam, Because of coin that must be spent. I dare not stay at home, Because I can't afford the rent!

Burning Questions. The soap box orator found many things to criticize.

"And what do we do?" he cried. "We pursue the shadow, the bubble bursts, and leaves but ashes in our empty hands!"

Naturally. "The Spanish people are obstinate about keeping up their bullfights, aren't they?"

"I must admit, when they are going to a bullfight, they are bull-headed."

To Save the Furniture. "Jack Huggins was more than half an hour trying to persuade me to name the day."

"Did you give way?"

"Yes. I was afraid the chair would if I didn't."

The Shining of Marks! Brock—I heard of a German who cleaned up a fortune in two months. Stock—I'll bet he did not get it very clean in that length of time.—Cartoons Magazine.

Fitting Ornament. "Lydia has such a nice sense of the appropriate."

"What made you notice it particularly just now?"

"Didn't you see she carried a gun metal bag with her shot silk dress?"

Cynical Comment. "Do you believe in love at first sight?"

"Well, there isn't much second sight about it, is there?"

The Real Difficulty. "How did he make his money?"

"That isn't worrying me. What I'd like to know is how did he manage to save so much of it."

Taken Out of Him. "James had a bossy disposition when he was a boy. Is he still so dictatorial?"

"No; he married very young."

Special Prices on Kitchen Needs



THE GOOD HOUSEKEEPER WHO TAKES PRIDE IN THE APPEARANCE OF HER KITCHEN WILL WELCOME THIS CHANCE TO OBTAIN GOOD ALUMINUM COOKING UTENSILS. THEY ARE NOT ONLY GOOD TO LOOK AT BUT ECONOMIC BECAUSE OF THEIR GREAT DURABILITY. WE OFFER OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF ALUMINUMWARE FOR ONE WEEK—FROM FEB. 12, AT A DISCOUNT OF 15% FROM THE REGULAR MARKET PRICES. STOCK IS NOW COMPLETE—YOU ARE CERTAIN TO GET WHAT YOU WANT IF YOU COME IN TIME.

Specially Priced

We are overstocked on hand-made galvanized 5-gallon Oil Cans and will offer for one week—from Feb. 5 to Feb. 12—these strong, well-made cans worth \$1.50 for the very special price of \$1.11. This is a fine opportunity to get first-class merchandise at a big discount. Buy now, as price positively will go back to regular after this week's sale.



NEEDED A MASTER

German Official Helpless in the Absence of Orders.

Burgermeister's Case Typical of the Lack of Initiative Resulting From the System of Militarism So Long in Vogue.

The burgermeister of B— am Rhein was a person who looked like a white rat that had been thoroughly soaked and shaved. And he had the faculty, which all Germans have, of congealing his cords and muscles at a moment's notice, and could assume the rigor of an epileptic in the presence of superiors. To watch him slide into your office, uncover his teeth, espy you, and suddenly straighten himself up in obedience to an unspoken Achtung, was an impressive experience.

The American general's aid, appointed to this particular suburb of Coblenz, often wondered why the arrest of every vital function should be considered polite. He distrusted that German salute. It was too much like playing "possum."

When the burgermeister came into the ortskommandantur, the aid told him that, in so far as he behaved himself, he would have nothing to fear from the American army; and that in so far as it didn't interfere with the satisfaction of American interests, he was to continue governing the town as usual.

The burgermeister stiffened himself and withdrew.

The aid was pleased. His first official act, he felt, had been kindly, yet firm, B— would not suffer as northern France had suffered. He was going to show these boches that the Americans weren't there to terrorize, or to Americanize, but simply to occupy territory according to the terms of the armistice.

But he could not see the scene in the burgermeister's office overhead—the holding of cheeks in hands, the striking of chests, the weary and rapid breathing of bewilderment, the groans of despair. And the next morning, when he went to the ortskommandantur, he was met by a request that he grant an audience to his German colleague. It was 10 o'clock, the exact hour of yesterday's meeting.

He granted the request, and in a moment the shaved rat slid in through a slit in the open door and ran his tongue over his pink lips. His little black eyes shone like shoe buttons, and he kept scratching the palms of his hands.

He wanted to know if the Herr Oberleutnant had any orders for him. The Herr Oberleutnant wanted to know why.

"Ach!" cried the burgermeister, "before the Americans came we had a government. Now we had none. How, then, can I run the town of B— as I used to run it? There is no one to tell me what to do. If only the Herr Oberleutnant would express his wishes!"

The aid narrowed his eyes and looked at him in disgust.

"Have the streets cleaned," he said, and turned to his work.

The face of the burgermeister was radiant. He had found a boss.

In less than thirty minutes a platoon of boches was assembled in the street before the ortskommandantur. Every other man carried a broom at right shoulder arms and the man at his side a shovel. The burgermeister stood on the steps of the building, with a pencil in one hand and a long list in the other, and checked off their names.

Then, "Hup!" said the burgermeister.

Out of the ranks jumped four men, saluted, and faced the platoon.

"Hup!" said the first of the four; and a little squad of broomers and shovelers faced to the right and marched off briskly northward.

"Hup!" said the second of the four;

and another little squad turned off, to the east.

"Hup!" said the third, and "Hup!" said the fourth, and soon all points of the compass had received their squads. And the voice of the gefreite was heard in the land. Clouds of dust hung over B— am Rhein, shovels clanged on the cobblestones, brooms scraped the roadways. The town was being cleaned.

The burgermeister stepped into the burgermeister's office and jabbed his pencil three times into his right ear. "So-o-o," he said with pride and satisfaction.

And from that day on the aid gave him orders punctually at 10 a. m.—George Boas, in Atlantic Monthly.

Ireland Again.

Two Irishmen were walking along one of the main thoroughfares in Glasgow when they noticed a large placard in the window of a shop with the words: "Butter! Butter! Butter!!!" in large type written on it.

"Pat," said Mike, "what is the meaning of them big strokes after the words?"

"Och, ye ignoramus," says Pat, "sure they are meant for shillelaha, to show it's Irish butter."—London Ideas.

Serious consideration is being given to the need of higher commercial training when London university proposes to collect \$2,500,000 to establish a course in commerce, that is to say, to create a commercial faculty, scholarships, traveling clerkships, erect buildings and get a library. The need of higher commercial training impresses the British.

Unwittingly Set Fashion.

An anecdote in connection with the glove shows how fashions are started. A young and beautiful duchess, having promised to be at an entertainment given for a charitable object, in Trouville, France, found herself late in preparing. She hurriedly took up her gloves and put them on in the carriage. As she entered the brilliantly lighted room, she found, to her dismay, that she had put on one black and one white. The mistake had arisen from the maid having laid out two pairs, not knowing which her lady would prefer—black or white.

Imagine the surprise of the duchess on perceiving that, in all subsequent entertainments of the season, the ladies wore odd gloves, corresponding with the colors of the dress.

Gorgeous Insects.

To gain some idea of the splendor of some of the world's moth and butterflies one should glance over nearly complete collections of them from the tropics as they occur in South America, Asia, Africa and the great eastern and western archipelago, with certain parts of Australia. Such collections are to be found in the United States National museum in the reserve and duplicate series. There is a superb species that comes from Africa, wherein the "tails" to the hinder pair of wings are over eight inches in length. Then we have the gorgeous Atlas moth of the East Indies that measures a foot across from tip to tip of its upper wings.

Glow-Worms.

Glow-worms haunt the open, weedy-covered water-tables beside high roads. Here, after dusk, they scatter the grass with points of golden-green and liquid light. It is a genial rather than a cold radiance—warmer than many stars. At short range its brilliance is extraordinary; but it does not penetrate and only reveals a few grass blades and inches of earth round the source of light. Yet upon those grass blades and grains of sand and soil exist many invisible creatures, who must see, or feel, the glow-worm's little lamp; and to them her passing is far more tremendous than to us would be the blaze of a great comet.—"A Shadow Passes," Eden Phillpotts.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

The Mission Band rendered two programs on Sunday; one at the Old Folks Home near Boonsboro, and the other in Hagerstown Church, on Sunday evening.

A number of complete surveys of both the Foreign and Home field were received at the College office from the Interchurch World Movement. These surveys are very complete and will be placed in the library.

Professor Howe preached in the Woodbury Church, Baltimore, on Sunday. Mr. Joseph Whitacre filled two appointments in West Virginia, on Saturday evening and Sunday morning, and preached at the State Sanatorium, on Sunday evening.

Co. H, of Westminster, was defeated by our College team in a fast and spectacular basket ball game, Saturday eve, Jan. 29, the final score stood B. R. C. 28 Co. H. 23. A return game has been arranged for, at Westminster on February 11.

The Bible Institute and Training School opened on Monday morning, with an enrollment of 35. Others are planning to enroll a little later. Most of the Sunday Schools of the State, under the direction of the Brethren Church, are represented. Sunday, February 6, will be the big day. Elder Hoff, of Bethany School, and Prof. Ober, President of Elizabethtown College, will be on the program.

UNION BRIDGE.

Miss Zella Fuss went to a Baltimore hospital last Monday.

The Women's Club met at the home of Mrs. F. J. Shriner, on Thursday. The funeral service of Mr. Scott McAlister was held in the Lutheran Church last Sunday, and was largely attended.

William Wood is seriously ill at this writing; pneumonia is feared.

A native of the Far East visited the school, on Wednesday, and exhibited articles made by his people.

Spring will soon be here—sale bills are posted in every store.

Miss Gusta Gheo is on the sick list, this week.

The students of the High School are rehearsing a play to be given soon.

We believe in Spring elections. Then the candidates would know how good our bad roads are.

We were glad to see you at Church last Sunday.

ROCKY RIDGE.

Mrs. Carrie M. Pittinger and daughter, Cora, returned to their home, on Saturday, after spending two weeks with Mrs. Emma J. Hahn, of Woodsboro.

Mrs. Ada Smith spent one day in Thurmont, on business.

Harvey M. Pittinger spent a day of last week with his father, George W. Pittinger, of Loys.

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FEBRUARY.

- 5-2 o'clock, J. N. O. Smith, Agt., on Goldsmith farm, near Taneytown. Farming Implements.
 - 8-9 o'clock, G. Felder Gilbert, Trustee, on Hibberd farm, New Windsor. Stock and Implements. E. A. Lawrence, Auct.
 - 9-1 o'clock, Chas. W. Maus, on Maus wood lot, Cord Wood and Lumber, J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 10-11 o'clock, W. U. Eckard, on the Heindel farm, Stock and Implements. Smith & Ogle, Auct.
 - 12-12 o'clock, Chas. H. Basehoar, at Basehoar's Mill, Stock and Implements and Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 17-12 o'clock, S. A. Waybright, near Baust Church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 18-12 o'clock, William L. Babylon, near Meadow Branch Church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 19-12 o'clock, John M. Ott, Taneytown. Household Furniture. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 21-10 o'clock, J. Calvin Wilson, near Otter Dale, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 22-10 o'clock, Wm. A. Shaw, near Uniontown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 23-12 o'clock, Guy Keefer, near Tyrone, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 24-12 o'clock, Dr. F. H. Seiss, Taneytown. Household Furniture. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 25-12 o'clock, George Brown, near Baust Church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 25-12 o'clock, G. C. Fox and Alma Slick, at Harney, Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 26-11 o'clock, Ervin J. Null, between Marker's Mill and Black's School, Stock and Imp. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 28-1 o'clock, Merwin Boyd, near Taneytown. Live Stock and Implements. Luther Spangler, Auct.
- MARCH.**
- 2-11 o'clock, Claudius H. Long, on Emmitsburg and Harney road, Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 3-12 o'clock, Oscar Hiner, near Harney, Live Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 3-12 o'clock, Alvia Hyser near Piney Creek Church, Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 4-11 o'clock, Russell Reaver, near Walnut Grove School, Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 4-10 o'clock, Wm. M. Ohler, near Bridgeport, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 4-Geo. E. Bowman, 1 mile west of Silver Run, Stock and Implements.
 - 5-11 o'clock, Harvey T. Ott, near Taneytown. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 7-11 o'clock, Bernie L. Bowers, near Walnut Grove school, Stock and Implements. Geo. F. Bowers, Auct.
 - 7-11 o'clock, Jesse Warner, near Baust church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 7-10 o'clock, A. D. Sauble, near Four Points, Stock and Farming Implements. Smith & Ogle, Auct.
 - 8-10 o'clock, Russell Moser, near Emmitsburg, Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 8-11 o'clock, Clarence King, near Kump, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 9-11 o'clock, James Kobil, near Littlestown, Stock and Implements.
 - 10-11 o'clock, Martin E. Conover, north of Taneytown. Stock and Implements. W. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 10-10 o'clock, J. Snader Devilliss, near Uniontown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 11-10 o'clock, John P. Eyer, near New Midway, Stock and Implements. Edward Stitzel, Auct.
 - 11-11 o'clock, Wallace Moser, near Stony Branch school, Stock and Implements. W. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 11-John A. Koons, near Uniontown, Household Goods.
 - 12-11 o'clock, Wm. H. Tressler, near Silver Run, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 12-12 o'clock, Aug. H. Myers, near Marker's Mill, Stock and Implements. Wm. E. Warner, Auct.
 - 12-9 o'clock, Wilbur Shorb, near Bridgeport, Stock and Implements, Household Goods. Smith & Ogle, Auct.
 - 14-12 o'clock, A. J. Baumgardner, near Bridgeport, Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 14-11 o'clock, Chas. E. Buffington, near Mt. Union, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 14-10 o'clock, Albert S. Wolfe, Mt. Joy twp., Pa. Stock and Implements. Geo. F. Bowers, Auct.
 - 15-12 o'clock, Wm. F. Bricker, near Taneytown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 15-10 o'clock, J. W. Albaugh, near Deaton, Stock and Implements. Edw. Stitzel, Auct.
 - 15-10 o'clock, Samuel D. Bare, near Uniontown, Stock and Implements. A. C. Crawford, Auct.
 - 16-10 o'clock, Paul W. Edwards, near Otter Dale, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 17-10 o'clock, Geo. W. Stonesifer, near Tyrone, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 18-10 o'clock, Lester Cutsail, near Otter Dale, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 19-12 o'clock, J. Wm. Lawyer, near Maryberry, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
 - 19-12 o'clock, Benjamin Hyser, near Greenville, Stock, Implements and Household Good. W. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 19-11 o'clock, sharp, C. E. Valentine, Keymar, Household Goods, Etc. E. L. Stitzel, Auct.
 - 19-10 o'clock, Jos. O. Dayhoff, 1/2 mile from Linwood, Stock and Implements. E. A. Lawrence, Auct.
 - 21-11 o'clock, William Airing, near Taneytown, Stock and Implements. W. T. Smith, Auct.
 - 21-10 o'clock, A. H. Young, Jr., on Uniontown and Westminster road, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

LOOK! LOOK! Prices Have Come Down!

See what 25c will buy. This Saturday, Feb. 5th., at 2 o'clock, sharp, the table will be uncovered; and the 25c sale will start.

- Men's and Boys' Belts 25c
- 2 pr. Gloves, Canvas 25c
- 3 Packs Hump Hair Pins, 25c
- 6 Packs Shoe Strings 25c
- 50c Purses 25c
- 3 Bottles Peroxide 25c
- 2 Bottles Ammonia 25c
- Arbuckle Coffee 25c
- 3 Bars Octagon Soap 25c
- 6 Cakes Export Soap 25c
- 3 Bars Oval Pearl Toilet Soap 25c
- 4 Cakes Grandmas White Napthie 25c
- 3/4 Boxes Tea 25c
- 3 Packs Sensation Tobacco 25c
- 3 Packs Tiger Tobacco 25c
- 3 Tins Stag Tobacco 25c
- 3 Tins Union Leader 25c
- 3 10c Cuts Town Talk 25c
- 3 Packs U. S. Marine Tobacco 25c
- 2 Plugs O. N. T. Tobacco 25c
- 2 Plugs Beechnut Tobacco 25c
- 1 Plug Apple Jack 25c
- 3 Pieces Carmel Twist Tobacco 25c
- 3 Glasses Mustard 25c
- 3 Cans Pork and Beans 25c
- 3 Packs Jello 25c
- 2 Jars Mustard Salad 25c
- 2 Cans Peas 25c
- 2 Packs Corn Flakes 25c
- 35c Glasses Chip Beef 25c
- 3 Boxes Uneda Biscuits 25c
- 6 Pencil Tablets 25c
- 6 Key Rings 25c
- 3 Electric Light Shades 25c
- 3 Rolls Toilet Paper 25c
- 3 Looking Glasses 25c
- 2 Pr. Children's Hose 25c
- 2 Pr. Men's Hose 25c
- 25c Boys' Caps 25c
- 25c Children's Hosiery 25c
- 25c Men's Stick Pins 25c
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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public sale on the Mrs. Wm. Fox farm at Harney, Md., on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1921, at 12 o'clock, M., sharp, the following personal property:

- 3 GOOD BEDSTADS,** 2 dressers, 2 wash stands, 2 springs looking glass, sideboard, rocking chair, home made chairs, 6-ft table, stand, lounge, sink, table, chest, cook stove, No. 9; good coal stove, carpet, stair carpet, lot of good linoleum, window blinds, washing machine, good churn wash board tubs, sugar grinder and stuffer, good copper kettle holds half barrel and stirrer, dishes, knives and forks, lamps, pots, pans, roaster, teal jar, glass jars sauerkraut cutter and stamper, cherry seeder, apple peeler, corn bucket, grindstone, lawn mower, 6-ft. crosscut saw, dinner bell and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS made known on day of sale. G. C. FOX, ALMA SLICK, WM. T. SMITH, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE

At the same time and near the same place the undersigned will sell

- ONE FALLING-TOP BUGGY,** Portland sleigh, set buggy harness, sleigh bells, platform scales, halter, hay bedstead, molar, rocking chairs, child's high chair, Morris chair, couch, child's enamel crib, child's collapsible go-cart, carpet, mat, stove, oilcloth, two 5-gal. oil cans, benches, not mentioned.

MRS. M. ELIZABETH SNIDER.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, will sell at public sale on the road leading from Emmitsburg to Keyville, close to the old Maxwell Mill, at Four Points, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1921 at 1 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property, to-wit:-

- 3 GOOD STOVES,** cook stove, Excelsior cook, parlor stove, small 10-plate stove, 2 secretaries, desk, 3 tables, extension table 12-ft long, lot of dishes, kitchen table, sink, corner cupboard, safe, settee, wash stand, 2 rocking chairs, 12-doz. kitchen chairs, stand, 4 wooden bedsteads, large iron kettle, small kettle, dutch oven, large walnut chest, lot of dishes, looking glass, some matting, carpet, window blinds, good wood box, 2 tubs, 5-gallon keg, 5-gallon jug, lot of crocks, jarred fruit, 1 and 2-gal. jugs, single shovel plow spike harrow, shingle, garden rake, 2 hoes, digging iron, good crosscut saw, wood saw, spring wagon, grindstone good corn sheller, 2 good benches, lot of chicken coops, sled set, crappers gears set buggy harness collar, bridles, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS made known on day of sale. BOBT. E. HOCKENSMITH.

11 o'clock, Chas. S. Marker, bet. State Road and Pleasant Valley, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

12-12 o'clock, Mrs. D. W. Mayers near Piney Creek Sta. Stock and Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

11 o'clock, Dallas Shriver, near Harney, Stock and Implements. Thomson, Auct.

10 o'clock, David H. Hahn, at Baust church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

10 o'clock, Edward Hawn, near Linwood, Stock and Implements. E. A. Lawrence, Auct.

1 o'clock, Wm. H. Knox, Taneytown. Horse, Buggy, Household Goods, T. A. Martin, Auct.

10 o'clock, Jacob A. Haines, near Uniontown, Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

11 o'clock, Charles Welk, near Baust church, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

10 o'clock, S. W. Greenholz, near Springdale school, 10 Horses, 21 Cattle, Farm Implements. F. A. Crawford, Auct.

10 o'clock, John N. Starr, near Otter Dale, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

11 o'clock, Andrew J. Myers, near Uniontown, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

12 o'clock, Edw. T. Flickinger, near Frizelburg, Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

APRIL - 9-12 o'clock, Franklin Bowersox, Taneytown. Annual Sale Buggies, Wagons, Harness, Implements, etc. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

10 o'clock, Jos. O. Dayhoff, 1/2 mile from Linwood, Stock and Implements. E. A. Lawrence, Auct.

11 o'clock, William Airing, near Taneytown, Stock and Implements. W. T. Smith, Auct.

10 o'clock, A. H. Young, Jr., on Uniontown and Westminster road, Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming will sell at public sale, on the Heindel farm, near Kump Station, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1921, at 11 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property, to-wit:-

6 HEAD HORSES AND MULES,

- Deck, dairy bay horse, 5 years old, work anywhere hitched and a good saddle horse, weight 1400 lbs.; Harry brown horse, 10 years old, weight 1200 lbs., work anywhere, fine good lady broke and good driver, fearless of all road objects; Dan, jet black horse, 6 years old, weight 1100 lbs., good style and good outside horse; Nellie, bay mare, 11 years old, weight 1300 lbs., good saddle mare and work anywhere hitched, a good brood mare; Maudie, bay mare, 40 years old, weight 1100 lbs., lead mare and work anywhere hitched; 1 pr. black mules, Jack and George, 3 years old.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE,

- Star black carrying her 7th calf, will be fresh in May; Cherry, carrying her 5th calf, will be fresh in June; Bob, carrying her 11th calf, will be fresh in July; Blueie, carry her 3rd calf, will be fresh last of March; Baby, carrying her 2nd calf, will be fresh in May; Spot, carrying her 5th calf, will be fresh in August; Blackie, carrying her 2nd calf, will be fresh in April; Nancy, carrying her 2nd calf, will be fresh in September; Holstein heifer, carrying her 1st calf, will be fresh in August; Holstein bull, weight 110 lbs., another Holstein bull, about 500 lbs.

18 HEAD OF HOGS,

12 shoats, and 1 brood sow.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,

- 4-horse wagon, 4-h. tread, capacity 4-ton; one 3 1/2-in. tread wagon, capacity 4-ton; stone bed holds, 16-bbls.; stone bed, holds 8-bbls.; International manure spreader, Deering binder, 8-ft. cut in good running order; Milwaukee mowing horse rake, spike harrow, double disc 20-disc harrow, 3-section lever harrow, lever harrow, 18-tooth; Perry harrow, weeder, shovel plow, Syracuse 17-h. harrow, 2 sets double harness, set singl harness, 5 1/2 ft. 16-h. 4-horse line, 8 collars, wagon saddle and whip, log breast and cow chains, single, double and triple trees, jockey sticks, 3-horse evener, forks, but traces, shovel, mattock, pick, 2 buggy poles, 2 sets hay carriages, lot of old iron belting 1 sled, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On sums above \$10.00 a credit of 6 months will be given on notes with approved security, with interest. No goods to be removed until settled for.

SMITH & OGLE, Auct. W. U. ECKARD, 2-4-11

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale, at his residence in Myers' Dist., Carroll Co., Md., School-houses, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1921, at 11 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property, to-wit:-

5 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES,

- consisting of pair of mules, 2300 lbs., 11 years old, both leaders and as good as any are made; blue roan mare, 1300 lbs., coming 5 years old, works anywhere hitched, single or double driver, a good all-around horse; bay mare, 10 years old, a No. 1 driver and good outside horse; dark bay horse, 22 years old, a good saddle and all-around horse.

16 HEAD DEHORND CATTLE

- consisting of 9 milch cows, 4 close springers and the balance Fall and winter cows. These cows are good butter producers. 4 Red Durham heifers, 3 stock bulls, fit for service.

50 HEAD OF HOGS,

consisting of 2 brood sows, the balance shoats from 20 lbs up to 75 lbs.

FORDSON TRACTOR AND PLOW,

- practically new and in the best of condition. This outfit should be given attention by anyone in need of a good outfit. Three wagons, one 4-ton wagon, with 1 1/2-ft. bed will hold 110 bushels corn; 3-ton thimble bed wagon, 1 1/2-ton 2 1/2-in. tread, 2-horse baker wagon and bed, in good condition; 3-ft. Osborne binder, with tongue truck, in good condition; Osborne hay tedder, Milwaukee mower, Thomas self-dump hay rake, J. I. Case double row corn planter, 10-hoe Brown grain drill, large size "Rude" manure spreader, in good condition; Nonpareil line spreader, land roller, 8-ft. 16-in.; 2 cultivators, steel beam Syracuse furrow plow 25 spring-tooth harrow in use one tooth smoothing harrow, hay fork, rope and pulleys; 9-in. steel burr chipping mill; 20-ft. hay carriages, in good condition; 2 good block sleds rubber-tire falling-top buggy spring wagon, Portland cutter, faning mill, grindstone, buggy pole, corn shovels plow, wheelbarrow, hand cart, corn cracker, 24-in. circular saw and frame, 30-gallon and three 15-gallon steel drums, Sharples cream separator, churn and bucket, also 1/2 interest in 40 acres of growing wheat, corn and potatoes by the bushel, 6 sets of front gears, set of breechbands, 6 sets of front gears, 6 bridles, 6 halters, lines, 2 pairs of check lines, set of buggy harness, set of double harness, single double and triple trees 3-horse spreader, log, butt, cow and breast chains, shovels forks.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

- Cupboard, 6 cane-seated chairs, No. 8 cook stove, chunk stove, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS made known on day of sale by IRVIN J. NULL, 2-4-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, will offer at public sale on the farm formerly known as Jos Formwalt farm, near Tyrone, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1921, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property, to-wit:-

THREE HEAD OF HORSES

- black horse, 10 years old, good saddle and farm leader; 1 sorrel horse, 10 years old, work anywhere hitched, but in lead; 1 bay horse, 7 years old, work anywhere hitched, but in lead, good driver, safe for any woman or child to drive.

9 HEAD OF CATTLE,

- 5 milch cows, all good milkers, 1 will be fresh by day of sale, 3 sets are Fall cows; 3 Durham bulls, 1 good bull.

18 HEAD OF HOGS,

3 sows will have pigs by day of sale; 15 shoats, weighing from 40 to 75 lbs., each.

TITAN 10-20 TRACTOR,

- in good order; 4-horse wagon, 2-horse wagon, good condition; 8-ft. Deering binder, good running order; Ross fodder cutter, with blower attached; good Superior disc harrow, two 22-tooth harrows, good as new; 1 No. 361 Syracuse plow, good as new; walking corn plow, good running order; good wagon bed, pair hay carriages, 3 sets of front harness, pr. check lines, collars, bridles, halters, 2-horse power Quincy engine, good running order; 1 barrel churn, with puller attachment, line shaft and hawps, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—A credit of 6 months on all sums over \$10.00. No property to be removed until settled for.

WM. A. SHAW, 2-4-3t

J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

GUY L. KEEFER, 2-4-3t

J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

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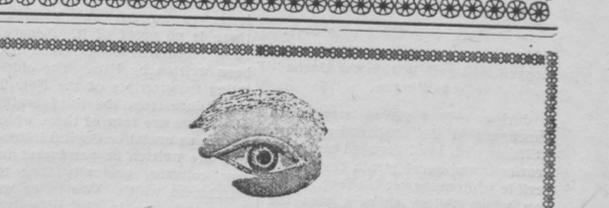
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Selina Sings

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

Selina was the possessor of a wonderful voice. She had beauty, success and a fund of good health. Her health, however, she preserved with great care, and took her walks as regularly as a well-running clock ticks.

Each afternoon, hail or snow, saw Selina in low-heeled boots and comfortable walking costume leaving her house in the lower Forties for her constitutional of an hour between five and six o'clock. And although Selina had success, health and most all the good things that life had to offer, she still had failed to find the one greatest of all gifts.

Selina had never loved richly, seriously nor yet even happily, and she had reached the age of thirty-three.

It was not that Selina was of a cold temperament—far from it. But it had seemed to her that the men who had loved her could easily do without her. They all were self-sufficient and they would never fill the vital place in their lives that she felt love ought to fill. She was curiously hampered by a perhaps exaggerated sense of desire to be an absolute part of the man who loved her. She wanted a man to be that essential element in her own life—if she were to really love.

Many of these thoughts were what passed through her mind while she took her daily walk, and divers problems were happily solved during the constitutional hour.

Selina had not realized that in one of the houses she passed her voice, reproduced into its glorious perfection, was daily listened to with eager ears by a nerve-worn, weary hero of the war.

But one evening when a soft dusk was creeping down over the city street, Selina, passing that house and for the first time conscious that it was her own voice she was hearing and had heard each evening subconsciously.



Stopped to Glance Within the Unshaded Window.

ly during a long period, stopped to glance within the unshaded window. Sitting with head forward and with weariness and nerve strain casting its terrible whiteness over his face, was a man whom Selina thought was the soul of tragedy. Before the war he must have been big and powerful and able to face a world of struggle and to conquer it. Now, he was a shadow, a man riveted down to the ghastly memories of the battlefield. Selina's sixth sense told her all this as plainly as if his nurse hovering discreetly in the room beyond had told her.

That same sense urged Selina into that room. Something told her her presence, her voice was needed to stay a mind from eternal wandering among the shadows. She did not know that a crisis was near in that tired brain—that hidden cords were ready to snap—but she told the nurse that she wanted to sing in person to the man who was listening to the reproduction.

The nurse looked into Selina's eyes, recognized her as the great contralto who had given her wonderful voice so freely to the fighting men, and welcomed her warmly.

"He went right through it all," she told Selina, indicating her patient; "he joined with the British at the beginning. We are having a losing struggle with nerves and brain."

Selina looked pityingly at the big man who had not as yet seen to whom his nurse was speaking. When he turned and looked at her his eyes lit for the first time in many months. A slow glow kindled and Selina knew that the soldier was familiar with her face as well as her voice.

"I heard my voice on the machine," she said by way of making a reason for her visit, "and I have taken the liberty of coming in to sing to you in person." She took the hand he eagerly held out to her and held it in a warm life-giving grip. "May I sing for you?"

"I'm a fool—a perfect fool, over your voice," he said slowly, and gazed with all his soul in his tired eyes at Selina as if not realizing that she actually stood before him.

His nerves were at snapping point. Selina knew that he was having a great man's fight to retain control. "You sang for us over there," he added. "I have never forgotten your voice—it is the only thing on the face of the earth that gives me a second's rest from—havoc."

Selina had a moment of inner thanksgiving that she had been permitted to pass this particular house and enter therein.

"I am going to sing, then," she said gladly, "and every day until you are tired hearing me I will come and sing any songs you want to hear." She smiled her rich, womanly smile directly into John Hayward's heart.

She sang, and the sweetness and emotional timbre of her voice with its wonderful essence of potential energy and life stirred the soul of Hayward as it had not been moved in many a long month.

The song was just a simple little thing. A bit of hope and love and cheer.

But it snapped the tension in Hayward's nerves; the over long pent up control broke and he sobbed as only a strong man can sob.

Selina looked at the nurse and motioned her to leave them alone. She understood just what this breaking of the floodgate would mean to the jagged nerves. Calm would follow and then a steady return to serene thought.

She went over and put her arm gently across his shoulders. After a moment he looked up at her.

"I'm a fool," he repeated, "but your voice sweeps the very foundations away. Don't think I carry on this way often—I haven't done it—not in years. Please forgive me."

An almost imperceptible movement gave his head greater shelter against Selina's arm. She looked into his eyes and the light in her own was very wonderful to behold. The man who could not do without her—the one who would one day look to her for his entire cup of happiness and to whom the greatness of her nature would flow out and offer its big sacrifices and worship—that man was resting against the mothering warmth of her arms.

She left him after a short time, wanting him to think and realize that he was on the path back to health of mind and body.

"I have been unable to concentrate or to even write an intelligent letter," he had confided to her. "The facts have been wearing my nerve away inch by inch. You have stayed the devastating progress. I will soon show you that I am a man and not a child," he said with earnest eyes fixed on Selina. "But you must come and sing to me for a time until I find myself quite able to forget. You will not think me weak?"

"Weak," said Selina softly. "No! A strong man is always a strong man—even in his weakness he is strong. I will be here tomorrow and every—tomorrow."

Hayward and Selina possessed many great gifts, but the greatest of all was now their own.

SAVIOR LEFT NO WRITINGS

World is Without Authentic Information of Any Manuscripts Transcribed by His Hand.

We have no authentic information of our Savior Christ's ever writing anything excepting once in the sand. One tradition asserts that he wrote a letter to an African monarch, but there is no proof of it. None of the New Testament books claim to have been written by Him. The oldest existing manuscripts of the New Testament date from the third century A. D. There are four of these which are known as uncial or Capital letter MSS. and are written on parchment in narrow columns, generally four to the parchment width. One is, or was, at Petros, one in Oxford university, one in Paris, and one in Rome. There are many later cursive (or small letter) manuscripts. But much of the New Testament and more of the Old Testament may be gathered from early Christian writings dating from the Apostolic ages. Our English Bibles, Old and New Revised Versions, are translated from the original languages. The Old Testament was most scrupulously preserved by the Jews down to the Christian era, and is translated directly from the original Hebrew and Chaldaic in our English versions. A valuable translation of the Old Testament into Greek made at Alexandria by seventy Jewish scholars, known as the Septuagint is of great value to translators.

Should Sleep Seven Hours.
Extremely energetic and strong people are apt to take a virtuous pride in limiting themselves to four or five hours of sleep and consider more than this a disgraceful evidence of laziness, says Mothers' Magazine. It is quite possible to accustom one's self to such an amount of sleep and the results may not show immediately, but in the end you will be the loser thereby. From seven to eight hours of sleep are needed by all people leading active lives, and if for any reason your regular amount of sleep is broken into it should be made up by extra sleep as soon as possible.

Precocious.
"You should always put your best foot forward."
"You should say 'better foot,' mother, and which would you call my better foot, anyhow?"

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned having sold his farm, will offer at public sale, on his farm, State Road, near Meadow Branch church, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18th., 1921, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

ONE HORSE AND TWO MULES.
one pair of bay mules, good size, both good leaders, work wherever hitched, drive single and fearless of road objects; dark bay horse, work any place, and any woman can drive him, kind and gentle, weigh 1200 lbs.

NINE HEAD OF CATTLE
consisting of 8 cows and 1 stock bull; Holstein cow, 3rd calf by her side, big milkier; brindle cow, carrying her 4th calf, will be fresh in June; blue cow, carrying her 3rd calf, will be fresh in August; roan heifer, carrying her 2nd calf, will be fresh in September; red cow, carrying her 4th calf, will be fresh in July; Jersey cow, carrying her 3rd calf, will be fresh in October; 1 roan Durham stock bull, 12 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS
2-horse Acme wagon, with new bed, 134 ton capacity; good spring wagon, 1 good top buggy, Portland cutter and chimes, hay cart, 14 ft long; Deering mower, 5-ft cut; Superior grain drill, 8-hoe, good as new; New Ideal manure spreader, in good working order; Deering self-dump hay rake, 10-ft; Gale sulky double corn plow, Superior corn planter, good as new; 60-tooth smoothing harrow, 17-tooth wood frame harrow, 17-tooth lever harrow; No. 501 wood-beam furrow plow, shovel plow, corn coverer, corn walker, grain cradle, mowing scythe and snath, Thomas seed sower, 18-in wide, nearly new; International 3 H. P. Gasoline Engine, with first-class order; 8-hp International chopper and belt, truck for gasoline engine, Mogul 1 1/2 H. P. Gasoline Engine, only used 9 months; 20-hp Gasoline Engine, DeLaval No. 12 Cream Separator, nearly new; 20 ft of 1 1/2 in galvanized pipe, new; 4 1/2-ft iron hog trough, iron individual drinking bowl, corn planter, good as new; mattock, pick, scoop shovels, cross-cut tree saw, maul and wedges, broad axe, bark studs, bale of fence wire, lot of new and old lumber, chop boxes, log, breast, butt standard and cow chains, straw knife, dung and straw hook, sheaf, pitch and dung forks, ratchet brace and new bits, every kind of saw, 2-horse double tree, new single trees, stretchers, 7 jockey sicks, good grind stone, Cyclone; about 50 dynamite caps, 3 wheelbarrows, 2 balls of twine.

20 BARRELS OF YELLOW CORN
24 bushels of seed corn; corn sheller, 25 cotton grain sacks, ropes and pulleys, hooks, 40 ft of gum hose; 3 sets of 5-in lead harness, 3 Yankee bridges, with carrying reins; 3 good hair collars, 3 nets, 3 housings, set of spring wagon harness, 1 set of good buggy harness, 1 set of 1-in lead harness, 1 set of 1 1/2-in lead harness, 2 sets carrying straps, 3 hitching straps, Buckeye Incubator, 250-egg capacity; Hoover brooder and pipe, good as new; drinking and feed bowls, two 5-gal and one 8-gal milk cans, good as new; 2 milk buckets.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
3 bedsteads and springs, 2 wash stands, 1 old-time bureau, couch, desk, wash bowl and pitcher, 1 mirror, 1 chest of drawers, 1 high-top sink, 1 large kitchen cupboard, 2 rocking chairs, 1 high chair, 1 stand, dough trough, 1 clock, 60 yds of good rag carpet, 15 yds matting, dishes, knives and forks, spoons, large 12-qt aluminum kettle, frying pans, 1 doz chairs, 1 Sterling power washing machine and wringer and pulleys for an engine, good as new; one "J600" washing machine, 1 large iron kettle, pudding stirrer, meat bench, meat barrels, 1-gal ice cream freezer, good as new; 1 doz brooms, 1 set flat irons, carpet sweeper, large fruit dryer, woodbox, Columbia shot gun, Hamilton rifle, 1 wash tub, waffle and cake iron, lawn mower, benches, tin cupboard, feather bed, 200 lbs. of clover seed by the 25 lbs. lot, and many other articles.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On larger sums a credit of 8 months will be given, on approved note, bearing interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

WILLIAM I. BABYLON, 2-28-21
J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
Cord Wood and Lumber

The undersigned will sell at public sale on
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 9th., 1921, at 1 o'clock, sharp, about
50 CORDS OF WOOD
mostly oak, about 25 cords slabs, and 25 cords top wood. Also a lot of sawed lumber, on the Chas. Maus wood lot, adjoining L. D. Maus and Bern Hively farms.

TERMS CASH.
CHAS. W. MAUS, 1-28-21
J. N. O. SMITH Auct.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit housekeeping, will offer at public sale at his residence, in Taneytown, on
SATURDAY, FEB. 19, 1921
at 12 o'clock, the following personal property:

2 BEDSTEADS,
2 wash stands, 2 dressing bureaus, 1 buffet, 2 couches, 1 desk, 2 wash bowls and pitchers, 1 Morris chair, 1 library table, 1 extension table, one 6-ft cherry table, 1 milk cupboard, 1 kitchen sink, 6 kitchen chairs, 1 cooking stove, 1 chunk stove, 2 rocking chairs, 2 stands, 1 poplar flour chest, 1 dough trough, 1 sewing machine, 2 clocks, 1 hall rack, with mirror; 1 hall lamp, 3 mirrors, 20 yds rag carpet, matting by the yard, dishes, knives and forks, spoons, cooking utensils, lamps, tubs, glass jars, stone crocks, all sizes; Bacon, by pound;

FARMING IMPLEMENTS
1 corn worker, 1 corn coverer, single shovel plow, single trees, middle rings, 1 post digger, 1 wheelbarrow, 2 meat vessels, 1 meat bench, 2 shovels, 2 forks, saw and buck, chicken coops, 1 lap robe, and many other articles not mentioned.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will offer at public sale, on his farm, near Otter Dale Mill, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21st., 1921, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described property:

8 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES
consisting of one pair of bay mules, Jack and Dick, coming 7 years old, well matched and good size, one a leader and the other a good off-side worker; one pair of bay mules, Billy and Joe, coming 5 years old, one a leader and the other a good off-side worker; Harry, a bay horse, coming 12 years old, works wherever hitched; Lucy, a bay mare, good leader and family mare; Silk-Stockings, a spotted mare, coming 7 years old, good family mare and off-side worker; Alice, a bay pacer, coming 5 years old, extra good driver with lots of style, good size and works in heavy harness.

FIFTEEN HEAD OF CATTLE
8 milk cows, some fresh and some close springers by day of sale; some are fall cows; 4 heifers will be fresh in the summer; 3 bulls, two a stock bull, good size and one a fat bull. Ten Shoats.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS
Three farm wagons, one a new 4-horse Columbia wagon, one 2-horse Lansing wagon, one 4-horse home-made wagon, in good order; 1 good Champion binder, 1 Champion mower, 1 Osborne hay rake, nearly new, suitable for 1 or 2 horses; 1 single disc harrow, 1 steel roller, 1 Corn King manure spreader, 1 Thomas disc drill, has only sown 49 acres; 1 good Rickford & Hoffman hoe drill, 2 riding corn plows, in good shape; 5 single corn plows, 3 double and 1 single shovel plows, 2 Mountville plows, one No. 40 Oliver plow, one 3-section lever harrow, nearly new; 1 17-tooth lever harrow, 1 old-time cultivator, 1 spike harrow, 1 fodder thrasher, 1 winnowing mill, in good shape, a good grain or grass seed cleaner, 1 cutting box for hand or power, one 2-horse sled, one old sleigh for milk hauling, one 4 H. Gasoline Engine, 1 Fairbanks chopper, 2 chop boxes, 1 platform scale, 600-lb capacity, 1 circular saw, 22-in saw, suitable for ripping boards, this outfit is still in first-class condition; 1 good wagon bed, will hold 12 bbls of corn; one 2-horse bed, will hold 5 bbls of corn; 10 ladders, one 17 and the other 18-ft long, in good shape; 1 buggy, in good shape; 1 J. I. Case corn planter, nearly new, with fertilizer attachment and about 100 rods of chain; 1 pair of 1-horse wagon shafts, a couple other pairs of shafts; harness of every description, breechings, lead harness, buggy harness, collars, bridles, carrying straps, check lines, 4 and 6-horse wagon lines, lead reins and coupling straps; log, cow, breast and butt chains; double tree, four 2-horse double trees, jockey sticks, middle rings, one good set of cast skells, for 2 or 3-horse wagon; lot of good wagon bed irons, one 3-horse stretcher, two 2-horse stretchers, 1 hay fork and rope and 4 pulleys, manure forks, 2 and 3-pronged pitch forks, scoop shovels, rakes, bag trucks, lot of cotton and some fertilizer sacks, 1 block and tackle, with 80 ft of rope; one hand elder press, 1 dinner bell, 1 side saddle, 1 hog crate and 1 road cart.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
One cook stove, No. 8, "Ladies' Pride"; 1 small bed-room coal stove, 2 corner cupboards, one a glass front and the other a solid front; 1 kitchen cupboard and sink combined, 1 bedstead, half dozen dining-room chairs, half dozen kitchen chairs, 1 leaf table, 1 spring lounge, 1 old-time bureau, 1 folding clothes horse, 1 cream separator, Sharples No. 2, 1 ice cream freezer, chip beef slicer, 1 large copper kettle and iron kettle and stand, churn and stand, several meat barrels, lot of potatoes, 1 wheelbarrow, and other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On larger sums a credit of 9 months will be given, on approved note, with interest.
J. CALVIN WILSON, 2-4-21
J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, having removed to Littlestown, Pa., will offer at public sale, at Basehoar's Mill, along Pipe Creek, in Carroll Co., Md., on
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1921, at 12 o'clock, the following described property:

TWO GOOD HORSES,
7 years old, both good workers, one a dark bay, an excellent leader and work wherever hitched, the other a light bay, good worker and driver, both are fearless of all road objects. One cow, will be fresh by day of sale; 3 sows, one will farrow in March, and two in April; 5 shoats.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS
Low-down iron-wheel wagon, for two horses; one-horse wagon and bed, good as new; stick wagon, 1 buggy, one 2 or 3-horse Ward plow, good as new; one 3-horse spring harrow, 1 shovel plow, 1 corn worker, wood saw and truck, cutting box, 1-horse sled, with bed; land roller, three hogs, 12, 18 and 22-ft.; 3 step ladders, hog crate, mixing trough, 2 horse trucks, lot of shafting and couplers, lot of pulleys, all sizes; about 80 ft of belt-line with caps attached, 1 saw, mandrel with 24-inch pulley and lot of conveyors, all sizes; straw knife, 4 heavy log chains, 7 sacks of cement, 3 dung forks, lot of old iron, one 2-horse spreader, 2-horse double tree, 2 single trees, 2 breast chains, 2 prs butt traces.

LOT OF POPLAR LUMBER
cross-cut, 2 picks, 3 crowbars, shovels, mat-cut saw, maul and wedges, stable hook, 2 axes, electric separator to clean grain about 100-bu capacity, one double scalper, both good as new; lot of cast boxes, lot of cog wheels, lot of belt-line, block and fall, lot of other rope, lot of augers, from 1 to 2 inches;

HARNESS
2 sets Yankee harness, 2 sets buggy harness, one set never used; bridle and collar, 3 sets flynets, 1 pair check lines, good as new; set 1-horse wagon harness, good sieves for corn meal and grain; hoisting jack, with 2-in screw, wagon jack;

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
3 beds, extension table, chest, desk, large set of 1 dozen kitchen chairs, rocking chair, sink, 2 cooks stoves, about 60 lbs. of potatoes, double heater, 2 chunk stoves, lot stove pipe, 2 iron kettles, sausage grinders and struffer, 2 kettle hooks, 2 butter churns and stands, 2 shot guns, one Colt's revolver, and a lot of articles not named.

TERMS—Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. On larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given, on note with interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

CHAS. H. BASEHOAR, 2-8-21
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Given under my hands this 28th day of January, 1921.
ANNIE MAYERS, Executor.

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 6

THE MARRIAGE FEAST. (May Be
Used With Missionary Applications.)

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 22:1-14.
GOLDEN TEXT—Go out into the high-
ways and hedges, and compel them to
come in.—Luke 14:23.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Isa. 55:1-11;
Matt. 11:28-30; Luke 14:15-24; Rev. 22:17.
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Story of a Wed-
ding Party.
JUNIOR TOPIC—An Invitation to a
Wedding.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC
—Accepting and Extending the Great In-
vitation.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC
—The Great Invitation.

In the previous parable the respon-
sibilities of the subjects of the king-
dom were before us for consideration
in the light of the obligation to ren-
der to the householder the fruits of
his vineyard. In this one the ethic
is changed, and the privileges and
blessings of the kingdom are placed
on exhibition. This parable lifts the
conception of the kingdom and places
it on a high plane. It is much more
than paying rent to a king; it is feast-
ing at the King's table on fat things
which He has prepared with great ex-
pense to Himself.

I. The King's Feast Despised (vv.
1-7).

The previous parable exhibits the
attitude of the Jewish people toward
the king up to the crucifixion of
Christ. This one carries us beyond
the cross, even through the present
age of the Gentiles. The marriage
feast which the king made for his son
and to which he invited guests repre-
sents the gracious offer of God to give
joy and blessing to certain of His
creatures. This feast has been made
in honor of His Son and is an exceed-
ing rich one. His oxen and fatlings
are ready. His repeated invitations
show God's earnestness in seeking
to bless men. God does more than
simply invite men once. He presses
His invitation again and again most
earnestly. How many times from our
childhood has He not pressed His in-
vitation upon us! The attitude of
those invited, toward the invitation and
toward the king is passing strange
and exceeding sinful. To treat the
king's invitation with such contempt
after he had made such costly prepa-
ration deserves the severest punish-
ment. They not only neglected it but
made light of it and hurried on to
their worldly business, showing that
they regarded it as of more impor-
tance than the salvation of their poor
lost souls. Some went forth and even
did violence to the messengers of the
king, killing them.

While this is a picture of the atti-
tude of the Jews toward Christ's cruci-
fixion to the destruction of Jerusalem,
it has its counterpart in the day in
which we live. Some today are indif-
ferent to God's invitation; some are
making light of God's way of salvation,
and others are hostile to the mes-
sengers of Christ. Their attitude and
behavior incited the anger of the king
and he executed vengeance upon them,
burning up their city. This was histor-
ically fulfilled in the destruction of
Jerusalem by the Romans in 70 A.
D., and is typical of what He will do
to those that neglect or reject His in-
vitation at the close of this dispensa-
tion.

II. The King's Invitation Accepted
(vv. 8-10).

When those who were first invited
refused, the king sent his servants
to others; for his table must be pro-
vided the guests. He has prepared this
feast at an infinite cost, and most
urgently invites to the acceptance
of it. Though He urgently in-
vites, He will not compel any one to
accept. Those that were shut out were
shut out because they refused to ac-
cept, not because the king was unwill-
ing. When this was done he sent
his servants among the Gentiles,
which is shown in His going into the
highways and hedges.

III. The King Inspecting the Guests
(vv. 11-14).

As he made this inspection the king
found one among the guests who had
not on a wedding garment—had not
conformed to the regulations of the
feast. The custom in the East was
for the king to furnish the guests with
a suitable garment. There could thus
be no excuse for not having one on.
Therefore, this act of the man showed
that he only accepted the invitation
for selfish ends, not desiring to con-
form to the regulations of the king.
The wedding garment which the King
provided in this case is the righteous-
ness of Christ, which alone will en-
title one to the place at the King's
marriage feast. This righteousness is
obtained by faith in the atoning blood
of Jesus Christ.

Tuning Them.

Men think God is destroying them
because he is tuning them. The violin-
ist screws up the key till the tense
cord sounds the concert pitch; but it is
not to break it, but to use it tune-
fully, that he stretches the string upon
the musical rack.—Beecher.

Difficulties.

Difficulties are God's errands; and
when we are sent upon them we
should esteem it a proof of God's con-
fidence—as a compliment from God.—
Beecher.

— THE —
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A Surrendered and Victorious Life
Colossians 2:1-7

In addressing the members of a
young people's Bible class, the speak-
er, a veteran missionary of Christ,
said: "The mission Board with which
I am connected never asks missionary
candidates to go to the foreign field
until they have learned to live the
life of victory in Christ." On hear-
ing this, one of the members of that
class, a Christian woman, said to her-
self, "Then I shall never go out un-
der that Board." Two years later
this same young woman, who had
been studying her Bible diligently,
was led to see more clearly the full
"truth as it is in Jesus." The promise
of John 8:32 was realized in her
experience and she was liberated from
the limitations under which she had
formerly lived. These limitations did
not cease to exist, but the power of
overcoming had been discovered and
appropriated. She surrendered to the
truth as revealed in the Word of
Christ. Just as faith had received
Him some years before as Saviour
from the guilt and condemnation of
sin, so now in this experience, faith
received Him as Saviour from the
dominion of sin. A year later she
went to Africa under the mission
Board with which she thought she
could never be identified.

The burden under which many
Christians labor is not that of guilt,
but that of helplessness. The cry of
their hearts is not, "Who shall for-
give me?" but, like the man in Rom-
ans 7:24, "Who shall deliver me?"
They have experienced the peace of
sins forgiven, but not the joy of a life
delivered.

The forgiven soul longs for deliver-
ance, and unless this deliverance is
discovered, the uneducated Christ-
ian will turn to anything that has
the semblance of spirituality. Because
of this many become ensnared in fanat-
icism or folly, and various false cults
flourish by the addition of these new
adherents. They have not learned
what our Scripture lesson plainly
teaches, that "in Christ are hid all the
"treasures of wisdom and knowledge,"
hence they are beguiled with enticing
words into false systems or religious
thoughts.

What is the remedy? It is found
in the closing verses of our lesson
text, "As ye received Christ Jesus the
Lord, so walk ye in Him." He was
received by faith. This same prin-
ciple of faith by which the Christ-
life commenced is the principle by
which it must be continued. When
this lesson is learned, we become
"rooted and built up in Him, estab-
lished in the faith, and abounding
therein with thanksgiving."

A surrendered and victorious life is
absolutely dependent upon faith.
"This is the victory that overcometh
the world, even our faith" (1 John
5:4). "The life which I now live in
the flesh (and surely the apostle lived
a surrendered and victorious life) I
live by the faith of the Son of God"
(Gal. 2:20). "Now faith cometh by
hearing, and hearing by the Word of
God" (Rom. 10:17).

Faith receives what God declares
to be true in His Word concerning his
redeemed children, surrenders to it,
and walks in the light and the joy of
it. His Word is more or less power-
ful in us as we are more or less sur-
rendered to it.

The one controlling purpose of God
in His Word is to reveal His Son as a
Saviour, as supreme, and as sufficient.
To this end the Holy Spirit has been
given to dwell within us. As Christ
is thus revealed in the Word, and by
the Spirit, faith lays hold upon and
appropriates Him. Thus are we
saved by faith and enter into a sur-
rendered and victorious life.

GRAIN RATION FOR PIGEONS

Good Mixture May Be Made by Using
Corn, Wheat, Peas and Vetch—
Peanuts Are Good.

Many varieties of grains are used
in feeding pigeons. A good mixture
may be made of equal parts by weight
of small white corn, hard, dry wheat,
peas and vetch, with a small quantity
(about five per cent each) of hemp
and millet seeds added during the molt-
ing period.

Other grains which may be substi-
tuted for or added to these are pea-
nuts, dried garden peas, cowpeas,
clipped oats or hulled oats, buckwheat,
Egyptian corn, and milo maize, while
a small quantity of stale bread, rice,
rape, millet, canary or sunflower seed
may be fed for variety.

Peas are expensive, but seem to be
essential to the best results, espe-
cially during the breeding season.
Peanuts, cowpeas and dried garden
peas give quite good results and some-
times are used in place of field peas
when the latter are high in price. Soy
beans do not seem to be so well liked
by pigeons.

Tender green feed, such as freshly
cut clover, alfalfa and chard, lettuce,
plantain leaves and chickweed may
be fed, but is not essential.

OPPORTUNITY FOR FEW HENS

Whether They Prove Profitable or Not
in Back Yard Depends on Care
Given by Owner.

The smallest back yard affords an
opportunity to keep a few hens.
Whether the occupant of the premises
can keep those few hens to advantage
depends upon whether he or she can
and will give them the necessary care.

**The KITCHEN
CABINET**

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Depend upon it, you would gain un-
speakably if you could learn with me
to see some of the poetry and pathos,
the tragedy and the comedy lying in
the experience of a human soul that
looks out through dull gray eyes and
that speaks in quite an ordinary tone.
—George Eliot.

WHAT TO EAT.



In the daily
problem confront-
ing the house-
keeper the follow-
ing may help in
planning the
meals:

Chicken Pud-
ding.—Butter a

baking dish or a casserole, put in two
cupfuls of left-over chicken and pour
over the following: Two eggs beaten
and added to two cupfuls of milk, one
can of corn, one teaspoonful of salt
and a few dashes of pepper. Put into
a pan of hot water and bake until firm
to the center.

Pineapple Pie.—Take one can of
pineapple, drain off the juice, add one-
half cupful of sugar and bring to the
boiling point. Beat three eggs well
and add to the pineapple juice; cook
in a double boiler until smooth and
thick, stirring constantly. Have a rich
pastry shell baked and just before
serving time spread the custard on the
shell; lay on this the sliced pineapple,
which has been diced and cover with
whipped cream. If no cream is at
hand add a dozen marshmallows and
set in the oven to melt and brown.

Tapioca With Pineapple.—Soak one
cupful of pearl tapioca overnight in
plenty of water, drain and add one-
half cupful of cold water, the juice
from a can of pineapple and the juice
of a lemon. Cook in a double boiler
until clear, add one and one-half cupfuls
of sugar then the pineapple
chopped fine; lastly fold in the stiffly
beaten whites of three eggs. Chill and
serve with cream or a custard using
the yolks of the eggs.

Caraway Rye Bread.—Take one-
fourth of a cupful of chopped suet,
melt in one cupful of boiling water,
add one cupful of scalded milk, three
tablespoonfuls of molasses, one-half
cupful of wheat meal, two teaspoonfuls
of salt, one fourth of a yeast cake
softened in one-fourth of a cupful of
warm water, two teaspoonfuls of car-
away seeds and three cupfuls each of
rye and wheat flour. The mixture is
set to rise and when double its bulk
the seeds and nuts may be stirred in,
if desired. Bake in two loaves or one
loaf and a tin of muffins.

Nellie Maxwell

BEFORE DAY OF GUNPOWDER

Soldiers Were Capable of Doing Con-
siderable Execution With the
Bow and Arrow.

The first "gun" used in warfare was
undoubtedly the crossbow—arbalist—
of the type having a reflex composite
bow made of wood, sinew, horn or
whalebone, and wound up with a
ratchet or "crannequin," which slipped
on over the stock and was held in
place by a loop controlled by a trans-
verse peg in the stock just behind the
lock.

This weapon reached its highest
development in Germany under Maxi-
millian, when it had a steel bow of
immense power. There is one in the
Boston museum with a bow of over
two and one-half inches wide and nearly
three-fourths of an inch thick. In
central Europe, France and Spain the
bow was not used much save by the
people who came under Mohammedan
influence. The cross-bow being a much
easier weapon to use, it was forbidden
in England to anyone not having a
certain income. In order that the yeo-
men and common people should be
forced to use the long bow, which in
military purposes was vastly superior
on account of the rapidity of its fire,
although outranged by the crossbow.
It had one great advantage of light-
ness. A military crossbow with wind-
lass weighs about 20 pounds.

REVOLUTION IN OLD EGYPT

Records Tell of Uprising Which Evi-
dently Ended Unhappily for the
Rebellious Citizens.

A recently deciphered papyrus
shows a pretty revolutionary spirit
among the Egyptians in the year 2000
B. C., or nearly 4,000 years before
the French thought of an upheaval.
The period is between the old and the
middle kingdom, and an Egyptian
sage plaintively invites the king to
save his people in telling him of the
conditions of the country. He tells
him that "that is past which yester-
day could be seen. The land turns
like a potter's wheel. The noble cry
out and the poor are full of joy. Each
town says, 'Let us drive the strong
from without our midst!' Those who
wore clothes are now in rags. Noble
women trawl through the land, and
housewives say, 'Had we only some-
thing to eat!' . . . The poor pos-
sess lordly things, and those who
could buy themselves no sandals now
have treasure. . . . The people
have dethroned the king and per-
secuted his officials." That the revolu-
tion was a success seems hardly to
have been the case, for the papyrus
goes on to say that laughter has gone;
misery is in the land; big and small
say, "if only I were dead."

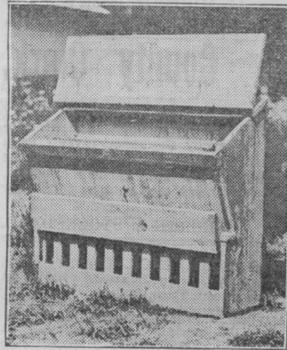
POULTRY

FEEDS FOR BACKYARD FLOCK

Dry Mash Is Recommended in Addi-
tion to Assortment of Grains
and Table Scraps.

In addition to the grain and the
table scraps given a backyard flock
it is well to feed a dry mash. This
dry mash is composed of various
ground grains and is placed in a mash
hopper or box from which the hens can
help themselves. The advantage of
feeding such a mash is that the hens
always have access to feed, and this
tends to make up for any fault, in-
experienced, or insufficient feeding.
The hens do not like the dry mash
so well that they are likely to over-
eat, but it will supply a source of
feed in case they are not getting
enough grain feed. The dry mash also
provides a suitable medium for
feeding beef scrap, a certain amount
of which may or may not be necessary,
depending upon the amount of meat
scraps available in the table waste.
If the hens show a tendency to become
overfat it may be desirable to close
the mash hopper during a part of the
day and allow them access to it only
during a certain period, preferably the
afternoon.

A good dry mash, recommended by
poultry specialists of the United
States Department of Agriculture, is
composed of equal parts by weight of
corn meal, wheat bran, wheat mid-
dlings, and beef scrap. Another mash
is composed of three parts by weight
of corn meal and one part beef scrap.
Still a third mash, which has given
excellent results, is composed of one
pound of wheat bran, one pound of
wheat middlings, 6.5 pounds of beef
scrap, and 16.5 pounds of corn meal.
The beef scrap used in the dry mash
is usually the most expensive ingre-
dient, but it is an essential part of
the mash and very efficient for egg
production. It should not be elimi-
nated or reduced unless the quantity
of meat in the table scraps is con-
siderable or unless some other prod-
uct can be substituted for it. Fish
scrap, when available, may replace the
beef scrap, or cottonseed meal can be
used to replace one-half the beef scrap
in the mash. No attempt should be
made to replace more than half the
beef scrap with cottonseed meal, as



Hopper From Which Hens Can Help
Themselves.

the results in egg production and in
the quality of the eggs will be unsat-
isfactory.

Green-cut bone can often be pur-
chased from the butcher. This mate-
rial when procured fresh makes an ex-
cellent substitute for beef scrap. It
should be purchased in small quan-
tities, as it cannot be kept fresh for
any length of time and when spoiled
may cause severe bowel trouble. It
is best fed in a trough not oftener than
every other day, allowing about one-
half ounce per bird. Should severe
or continued looseness of the bowels
follow the feeding of green-cut bone
it should be discontinued or the quan-
tity reduced.

VICE OF FEATHER PLUCKING

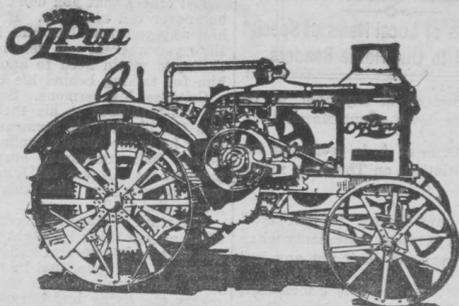
Some Authorities Attribute Habit to
Lack of Scratching Facilities
While Confined.

Among the annoying vices that fowls
in confinement will contract is that
of feather plucking. The reason for
it is not clearly established; some at-
tribute it to the birds being kept in
close quarters devoid of scratching fa-
cilities, while others are of the opinion
that it is a lack of meat in the ration
or a want of green stuff. But what-
ever it is it is a nasty vice. Changing
conditions will sometimes bring relief;
others advocate a change of ration,
giving stuffs of a cooling nature to
which has been added a pinch of salt.
If only one or two hens are guilty
in a flock they had better be killed
before others take up the habit. Par-
ing down the beak so that it will not
close tight to nip or pull out the feath-
ers will be found effective. The busy
hen with room to turn around in and
green, wholesome food scarcely ever
contracts this vice.

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Satisfactory.

Usually hens make better breeders
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lity than older birds. However, cock
birds that have proved good breeders
should be used.



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is low.

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way. You don't want to do it.

Make no mistake about it when you
feel yourself slipping into lazy hab-
its, getting indifferent to the things
you naturally like—no energy no vig-
or, always tired—it is time to look
out. It may not mean that you are
sick or that you will be. But there
are diseases that would have an easy
time of it with you system when your
blood has no fighting qualities.

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In This Paper

TANEYTOWN LOCAL COLUMN

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

Light current is supposed to be due in Taneytown, about March 1.

The P. O. S. of A. is preparing for a class initiation, on Thursday night, Feb. 24.

"Salt," says Micky, "is the stuff that makes potatoes taste nasty when you boil them and don't put any in."

Mr. and Mrs. Norville Shoemaker, entertained, this week, Mrs. Shoemaker's sister, Mrs. Smelser, and son, of New Windsor.

Mrs. Raymond Davidson and sons, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Davidson's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Demmitt.

Did the groundhog see his shadow, on Wednesday? Take your choice—the weather will be just the same, whether he did, or didn't.

Maurice C. Dutera is having his dwelling wired for electric lights, to be among the first receiving the service.

The Lutheran Mite Society held a largely attended social at Miss Esther Hilterbrick's, on Thursday night. Refreshments were served to about sixty.

Attention is called to the large advertisement of the lecture, "Women in the Politics of America," this week. Buy your tickets now, as so doing will help the committee to provide more seats, if necessary. The house is sure to be full.

Our pages are full of advertising this week; many public sales, and other new announcements. For a month or two, our advertising pages will be of wide interest and it will pay readers to go over them carefully. Price changes, and public sales, are real news items.

So far as we know, no effort has yet been made to provide hitching places in town. This is important. Perhaps some of the property owners on the side streets would permit the erection of posts, by the town, if consulted in the matter.

The Record ran out of extra copies of last week's issue, and as this is apt to occur any week, readers are requested to subscribe regularly. We always print as closely as we can figure to the exact number required, as it does not pay to have copies left over.

The death of Master David Sell, Thursday night, from diphtheria, was quite a shock, as he was reported to be getting better. There is another case, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Boyd, but it is believed that the disease will be confined to these two families.

Mrs. N. E. Cutsail, of Taneytown, was agreeably surprised on Jan. 31, by a handkerchief shower given her by her friends and relatives, consisting of a variety of very pretty handkerchiefs, "sixty-four in all" in commemoration of her birthday. In addition to these, she was the recipient of a pair of towels and a handbag. The project was directed by her daughter, Mrs. Harry Ecker.

(For the Record.) Having declined the call extended by the York Springs Lutheran charge, last Fall, Rev. H. O. Harner has been unanimously elected pastor of the Rossville Lutheran charge, York county, Pa. He has accepted the call, and is now located on his new field of labor, moving there with his family, Jan. 26. Friends and acquaintances in Taneytown and vicinity are invited to visit them at their new home. Previous to their departure, Rev. Harner and family were given a great surprise donation party, and also was presented with a purse of money by neighbors and friends of the village of Pleasureville, York Co., his former home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKinney, of near Hoods Mill, gave a dinner party on Sunday in honor of Mrs. McKinney's brother, Rev. J. M. Myers, of Stanley, Wis., whom they had not seen for 24 years. The dining room was tastefully decorated with ferns, and a delicious dinner was served at 1 P. M. Those present were: Rev. J. M. Myers, Rev. M. E. McClint, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKinney, Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Hess, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shoemaker, and family, Mrs. Herbert Wampler, Miss Margaret McKinney, Mr. Andrew McKinney, Mr. John Bushey, Robert McKinney, Luther Wampler, James and Frank Bushey.

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How to Kill a Minister.

Tell others that you don't like him, but never tell him why. If you told him why you don't like him, he might show you wherein you were mistaken: then you would need to apologize to him for talking behind his back.

Criticize his sermons. Say, "He's too old-fashioned in his theology, or he's too liberal; his sermons are too long; he is too closely confined to his notes; he's tiresome, stupid, and monotonous. Never tell him his sermon helped you; that might make him puffed up."

Complain because he doesn't call as often as you think he ought to. Forget that he has several hundred other people to call upon, that he must prepare two sermons each week, must marry the living and bury the dead, and be all things to all men on all occasions, that he may win some.

Criticize his family, especially his wife. Say, "She takes up too much of his time, she tries to run the church, she is not in sympathy with his work, she has too many hats, she dresses too well, or not well enough."

Go to some other church because you don't like your own minister, and because the other minister is more sensational, more dramatic, more heterodox, more social, and more anything else that suits your fancy.

Always look for your minister's weakest points, never look for his strongest qualities. To look for his strongest qualities might mean to be convinced that with all his failings he has consecrated himself to the high calling of God for your salvation, that he has sacrificed a larger income for a mere living wage and that he has cast in his life with the people of God to the end that man may come to a saving knowledge of the truth.

There is nothing else needed.—Congregationalist.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Sunday services, Church of the Brethren, New Windsor, in College Chapel: Mission Study Class, 8:45 A. M.; Sunday School and Bible Study, 9:45; church services, 10:45; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45 P. M.; followed by song service at 7:20; preaching at 8.

Uniontown Lutheran — Immanuel (Baust): 10, Sunday school; 11, morning worship, with sermon by pastor. Bring a liberal offering for The Pacific Seminary. 7, C. E. St. Paul—9:30, Sunday school; 6, C. E.; 7, Vespers, sermon by pastor. Don't forget your offering for The Pacific Seminary.

Church of God, Uniontown.—Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening 7:30; Sunday school, 9; preaching, 10:15 and 7. Wakefield: Prayer meeting each Thursday evening, 7:30. Sunday school, 1 P. M.; preaching, 2:30. A cordial invitation to attend these services.

Union Bridge Lutheran Charge.—10 A. M., Rocky Ridge. Theme: "Finding God." 2 P. M., Keysville, preaching. Theme: "Walking With Jesus."

In Trinity Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening the pulpit will be filled by Rev. Prof. C. F. Sanders, of Gettysburg College. In the absence of the pastor, the catechetical class which meets on Saturday afternoon will be omitted.

Reformed church, Taneytown: Sunday school at 9:15 A. M.; service at 10:15; C. E. at 6:30 P. M.; service at 7:30; Heidelberg Class, Saturday afternoon, at 1:45; Catechetical Class at 2:15; Willings Workers, Friday evening, Feb. 4, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Brendle.

U. B. Church Town—Bible School at 9:15 A. M.; Preaching, at 10:15 A. M. Harney—Bible School, at 1:30 P. M.; Preaching at 2:30 P. M. Subject "Christian Education." The Union Prayer Meeting will be in this Church on Wednesday evening.

Presbyterian—Town, Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.; C. E. at 6:30 P. M.; preaching at 7:30 P. M., by Rev. D. J. March.

Piney Creek—No service; pastor out of town.

A RELIEF.

"You don't know how much you have cheered me," said the fashionable physician.

"Why, doctor, how can I, a sick man, cheer you?"

"Because you are really sick and need my professional skill to cure you. Most of my patients are rich people with imaginary ailments. I'm glad to get a chance now and then to practice something besides deception."

Two Views of Art.

Intending Purchaser (to artist, who is selling his house)—Did you put those figures on the walls?

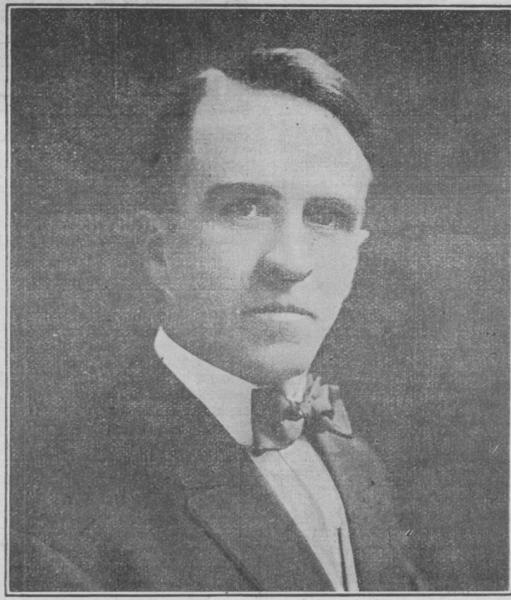
Artist (modestly, though regarding them as a strong asset)—Oh, yes—I— Intending Purchaser—Well, they don't really matter. A coat of white-wash would soon put that right.—London Punch.

A Doubtful Complainant.

He was an Englishman, and he was pouring out his soul to an American girl. "You are divine," he told her. "As graceful as a swan, as—!" But she interrupted him: "Say, sonny, I want to know right now. Was that swan swimmin' or walkin'?"—Tit-Bits.

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Wheat	1.55@1.65
Corn, new	65@.65
Rye	1.50@1.50
Oats	50@50



TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY:

Although the Primary Election is about seven months in the future, yet, in view of the appearance of similar announcements, I deem it but fair to myself and to my party to announce that I am a candidate for the Republican Nomination for the office of

REGISTER OF WILLS

for Carroll County.

It has been my intention for some time past to be a candidate for this nomination and to submit my cause to the Republican Voters at the Primary Election to be held in September, 1921, and at the proper time I shall present my claims for consideration, more fully to the public.

If nominated and elected, I promise a careful attention to, and faithful discharge of, the duties of the office.

I shall appreciate the support of all Republicans at the Primary Election.

Respectfully Yours,

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