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BIDS ARE ASKED FOR NEW ROAD.

One Mile from Taneytown on the
Littletown Road.

The Record, this week, contains an advertisement for bids for one mile of concrete construction on Taneytown and Littletown road, that seems sure to be built this summer, a beginning that seems likely to extend on to Keymar, before many years.

The Westminster Sentinel, last week, had a news item concerning the improvement of this main road. The statement, however, that "every foot of the road is either concrete or macadam" does not apply to the Taneytown-Keymar road, as no stretch of the imagination could possibly list that as "macadam," as it is now a badly worn out cheap pike. The Sentinel says:

"The road through Taneytown begins at Philadelphia, Pa., and continues on to Winchester, Va., and on South. Every foot of this road is either concrete or macadam save and except from Taneytown to the Mason and Dixon line, and the one mile of concrete which the State Roads Commission will build from Taneytown toward Littletown will be the beginning of an improvement of great importance to not only the citizens of Taneytown and vicinity, but to the public generally.

When the whole improvement is completed one may travel from Philadelphia to Lancaster, Coatesville, York, Hanover and Littlestown, in Pennsylvania; Taneytown, Keymar, Ladiesburg, Woodsboro, Harmony Grove and Frederick in Maryland; Harper's Ferry in West Virginia, and on down through Virginia to the historical town of Winchester, traversing one of the important and historical roads, used by Washington in his journeys from Virginia to Philadelphia, when the Continental Congress met there, and to York, when it met in that town. It was over this road the Hessian soldiers were led captives to Fort Frederick.

It is for roads like this the U. S. Government appropriates money to improve, and the State Roads Commission is to be congratulated for its efforts to improve this road so dear to the Reformed and Lutheran citizens whose ancestors built it when they arrived in America under the guidance of William Penn."

The Value of "Locals," and of "Items" from Correspondents.

The greatest value of "locals" and of "items" from correspondents, is not to home readers, but to the away from homes. Such bits of news are pretty sure to reach the local readers, sooner or later, but not those away from home. When we read—as we often do—that the weekly paper is the same as "a letter from home," that is the exact truth, and that truth should be borne in mind by those who contribute the smaller news items.

We are apt to conclude, at times, there is no use in having published news generally known at home news event, but should remember that the "use" still exists for those subscribers to the paper who live many miles away, and that their only opportunity of hearing such events is either through private correspondence, or through the "home" weekly.

Some "items" are practically valueless to everybody, when they consist of ordinary neighborhood visits, or the customary little social parties; but, cases of illness, deaths, accidents, property sales or purchases, fires, extended visits, important improvements incoming or outgoing change of residence, marriages, public functions, and the like, are always "news," especially for the friends or relations of the persons concerned, and to those who want to keep track of the happenings "back home."

S. S. Teachers Training School.

Officers, teachers, pupils and all who are interested in Sunday School work, are urged to keep in mind the Training School for Sunday School workers to be held in Taneytown, during the week beginning Monday, April 19. The sessions of the school will begin each evening of the week at 7:30 o'clock and continue for two hours. Those completing a course of ten recitation hours will be given a standard units' credit in Religious Education.

Prospective pupils are requested to give their names to their pastors, or Sunday School Superintendents, as soon as possible. Enrollments cards are ready for distribution at any time.

Besides the registration fee of One Dollar for each pupil, and in some of the courses, a nominal charge for a text book, there is no further charge. Courses will be given in "Principles of Teaching," "Study of the Child," "Primary Methods," and "Life of Christ."

Business Outlook Continues Good.

Notwithstanding the continuation of high prices, the country seems to be assured, this year, of great building activity. It is also confidently stated, that this year is to beat all past years for automobile business. Contrary to the predictions of many, that a period of business depression is due to set in, the most reliable reports are that general business and industry are looking decidedly prosperous for 1926.

The flag of Denmark is said to be the oldest unaltered national flag. Its cross dates back to 1219.

OUR WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS.

Farm Bureau Paper gives Advice to Farmers.

"Every county has its weekly paper. Here in Maryland many of the counties have two or more. A few have three or more.

And editors of these papers are vitally concerned with agriculture and with rural people. Agriculture is as important to them as it is to the farmers themselves. These editors have their problems just as the farmers have theirs. Circulation and advertising, their two chief sources of income, do not come by magic. Circulation comes slowly and advertising frequently comes under pressure.

Farm people have not given enough thought to co-operation with the weekly papers. Unquestionably each farmer should be a regular subscriber to his weekly paper. If he subscribes for it he will read it because the weekly paper carries news and information about and concerning the people of his county. Fortunately many of them carry a great deal of agricultural news from Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis and from elsewhere and that is exactly what farmers want.

If every farmer in each county of Maryland would keep his subscription paid in advance he would be making an investment which would be very valuable for him and for his family; and his editor would be happy and could get out a better paper than is possible with a limited circulation.

Then, too, farmers ought to do more advertising. Frequently they have some little something for sale which is slow in being sold, whereas it would be sold promptly if a little advertising was done in the local paper. For a fraction of a dollar it can be turned into cash. An animal, for example, that is costing good money every day to keep, can be turned into cash right away by the simple use of some printer's ink.

The Maryland Farm Bureau Federation is deeply interested in the weekly papers of Maryland. Nine out of every ten of them are likewise interested in the Farm Bureau and want it to succeed. Therefore, if you are not on the weekly subscription list of your weekly paper, we suggest that you get on it right away and stay on it."

Carroll County has seven good weekly papers, all of them entitled to more local support than they receive. They are all clean, fit to read, and fit to take into Christian homes. They are dependable, interested in their communities, and always ready to boost the best interests of their communities. And yet, most of them at least, could not exist without their job printing revenue. As the above article says, "Farm people have not given enough thought to co-operation with the weekly papers."

Some Good Old-timers.

Some of our readers may have read the following old puzzling problems, in a recent issue of the American Magazine. They are "old as the hills," but always new to somebody, and we would be willing to bet that some who knew them now. Here they are:

1—Brothers and sisters have I none; but that man's father is my father's son. What was the relation?

2—If a hen and a half, lays an egg and a half, in a day and a half, how long will it take a hen to lay a dozen eggs?

3—These three are just as old, but with a modern dress:

4—An automobile party drives to a picnic at the rate of 20 miles an hour. They return home at the rate of 30 miles an hour. What is the average speed?

5—A man sold two second-hand machines at \$600. each. On one he made 20 percent, and on the other he lost 20 percent. How did he come out on the two sales?

6—I am twice as old as you were when I was as old as you are. And when you are as old as I am, together we will be sixty-three. Give the ages.

Our Farmer Finances.

The Record has closed its Spring sale season, covering about 100 items of service, all of which have been paid for promptly, except three, and these are hardly more than due, and will be paid. So, our record is 100% clear.

From inquiry in many cases, we have the information that very little time credit has been extended at these sales—very few note obligations have been entered into, as payments have almost invariably been cash.

These are indications that the farmers in this section are not in poor financial circumstances, even though returns from farming have not been as satisfactory as a few years ago. And this is a fine showing for our part Carroll county, indicating an excellent outlook for the future.

Marriage Licenses.

J. Alvin Ford and Mildred M. Van Horn, Baltimore.

Carl Henry Kintz and Mary LaRue Hoff, New Windsor.

James M. Hoffman and Ruth J. Houck, Keymar.

Jesse Hall and Margaret Miller, of Watersville, Md.

Vernon A. Garrett and Ruth V. Bish, Westminster.

NO CUT LIKELY IN THE PRICE OF COAL.

Operators Say Strike Losses Make
Lower Price Impossible.

According to news statements, there will be no reduction by operators this year on coal orders, usually in effect April 1. The reason given by the operators, is the heavy loss caused by the strike. If there is a reduction, it will be by the dealers, and not by the operators. Reductions of from 25c to \$1.00 a ton have been announced in New York, by dealers, based on the "short" ton.

In Pennsylvania, and other places where the 2240 pound ton is in force, there is not likely to be any reduction, except in places where an "off the car" price is given. The only chance likely to reduce coal prices is an overproduction of anthracite, due to increased early orders for bituminous—and that, is a matter up to the consumers themselves.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, March 29, 1926—Wm. L. Shoemaker, et. al., executors of Amanda M. Shoemaker, deceased, returned inventory personal property and received order to sell same.

Louis J. Burger, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a., of Mary R. Brown, deceased, settled his first account.

Augustus E. Shipley, administrator of Eugene C. Wright, deceased, returned inventory personal property.

Emma E. Shriner, executrix of Geo. B. Shriner, deceased, returned inventory of personal property.

Martha E. Layton, administratrix of John H. Burdette, deceased, returned inventory money and reported sale personal property.

James M. Abbott, executor of Matilda R. Flater, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts due.

Russell C. C. Stoffle, administrator w. a., of Charles Stoffle, deceased, settled his first and final account.

The last will and testament of Rebecca Vansant, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Susie Vansant, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Charles F. Beck, surviving executor of Samuel Beck, deceased, settled his second and final account.

Louis P. Schultz, administrator of Louis H. Schultz, deceased, received order to sell personal property.

William J. and George F. Stansbury, administrators of J. Albert Stansbury, deceased, received order to transfer mortgages.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Nannie E. Bennett, deceased, were granted unto Richard R. Bennett and Richard R. Bennett, Jr., who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Robert L. Pickett, administrator of James M. Pickett, deceased, reported sale of personal property and settled his first and final account.

Robert L. Pickett, administrator of James M. Pickett, deceased, received order to deposit funds.

J. Marion and Margaret L. Harris, executors of John Harris, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, current money and debts due and received order to sell real estate.

Tuesday, March 30, 1926—Gordon H. Fogle, administrator of William E. Shank, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Letters of administration on the estate of Eliza A. Bemiller, deceased, were granted unto Carroll C. Bemiller who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Emma J. Burgoon, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto J. Irving Burgoon and M. Leola Bankert, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Philopina Rosenberger, executrix of Mary Mengel, deceased, settled her first and final account.

E. Joseph and George P. B. Englar, administrators of Margaret E. Englar, deceased, settled their first and final account.

Letters of administration on the estate of James J. Franklin, deceased, were granted unto Cora B. Franklin and Grace M. Bair, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Catharine E. Franklin, deceased, were granted unto Cora B. Franklin and Grace M. Bair, who received order to notify creditors.

John H. and Kate Z. Deckebaugh, administrators of Mary L. Deckebaugh, deceased, settled their first and final account.

R. Russell Roop, William E. Miller and Westminster Deposit and Trust Company, executors of George R. Roop, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the Court issued an order n. si.

The last will and testament of Columbus Nugent, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Harriet C. Nugent, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

It cost the Federal and state governments one and a half million dollars to wipe out the 1924 and 1925 outbreaks of the foot and mouth disease among Texas livestock. The indirect loss is estimated to have been fourteen million dollars.

BEWARE OF STRAY DOGS.

General Warning Against Sick Animals and Hydrophobia.

Beware of stray dogs. See that they are impounded in some safe place where they will have proper care. Don't fondle sick animals. If dogs or horses or other animals on your place are sick, get the nearest veterinarian to administer treatment, or to advise you as to what should be done with them. This is the advice of Dr. C. W. G. Rohrer, Chief of the Pasteur Division of the State Department of Health. It was given with the idea of securing the co-operation of the people of the state in checking the spread of rabies—or hydrophobia as it is also called—among animals, and of protecting human beings from one of the most fatal and most frightful diseases.

In the last five years there has been an alarming increase in the number of persons bitten by mad dogs or by other rabid animals. The number given the Pasteur treatment in 1925 was 183—more than twice as many as in any previous year. In addition to those bitten by mad animals, the number of persons hurt by dogs or other animals that were vicious but not mad has also steadily increased from year to year. Such persons have been kept under the care of the Pasteur Division until the condition of the animals has been determined by laboratory procedure or after examination by veterinarians.

"Dogs and children seem naturally to associate with each other," said Dr. Rohrer, "but children as well as grown ups should be taught to give a stray dog a wide berth. Very often the owners of sick animals have endangered their own lives in attempting to relieve the suffering of their pets. All persons who handle sick animals should be especially careful not to come in contact with the saliva or any of the secretions of such animals. And anybody who has been in contact with a sick animal should have any scratches or abrasions of the skin as carefully cauterized as though they had been bitten."

"Dogs are not the only animals that become mad. Persons have applied for treatment during the last year that have been bitten by dogs, cats, pigs, cows, horses, and even by squirrels. About a year ago a cow on one of the farms in the state was bitten by a mad dog. In three weeks the animal developed suspicious symptoms, which were the forerunner of rabies. Four members of the farmer's family, not realizing the seriousness of the symptoms, attempted to make the animal more comfortable, were injured in some way, and had to take the Pasteur treatment. Of the eight persons who were given the Pasteur treatment during the month of January, of the present year, only two were actually bitten by mad animals; the rest had come in contact with the secretions from sick animals, that afterward become rabid. Four had been in contact with dogs, and two with a sick horse."

"Of the 608 persons who applied for the Pasteur treatment in 1925, 587 were bitten by dogs; 11 by cats; one by a rat; one by a monkey; the rest had to have protective treatment because they had been in contact with rabies."

"All bites are dangerous, but those on the face are the most serious, and no time should be lost in having emergency treatment. Care should be taken not to kill dogs unnecessarily. Those acting suspiciously should be placed under the care of the nearest veterinarian, or of the State Agricultural Department. Over 400 dogs were examined by that Department last year, and the lives of many valuable animals that were sick, but were not rabid, were saved. If an animal runs amuck and is endangering the lives of human beings and has to be killed, the head should be packed in ice and sent at once to the Bureau of Bacteriology of the State Department of Health, for examination. Certain changes which take place in the brain, prove conclusively whether or not the animal was mad."

The Pasteur treatment consists of twenty-one inoculations, one each day. Before the methods now in use were developed, it was necessary for persons to travel to Baltimore to be treated. Now the material used is available to all physicians; and a person bitten or otherwise exposed to rabies can be treated at home, by his or her family physician.

Annual Spelling Contest.

The twenty-seventh annual spelling contest for the championship of the State of Maryland will be held at Waverly M. E. Church, 33rd St., near York Road, Baltimore, on April 16, at 8 P. M., under the auspices of the Waverly Spelling Club. Six prizes are to be competed for, the championship trophy being a beautiful silver loving cup offered by the Baltimore Evening Sun.

In this annual orthographic event, which has grown to be one of the institutions of Baltimore, the Waverly Spelling Club challenges the spellers of the entire state, and so far has been able to defeat all comers. But last year's contest showed that the Waverly Spellers are not invincible, and the coming struggle promises to be a desperate one with the State standing an excellent chance to win.

All desiring to enter the contest should communicate without delay with S. T. Walker, 400 Lake Avenue, Govans, Baltimore, who is president of the Waverly Spelling Club, and who has charge of the arrangements for the bee.

The potato forms one-fourth of all the food of Americans and Europeans.

SPRAY SERVICE IS NOW AVAILABLE.

Fruit Growers Forming Community
Spray Rings by Co-operation.

On Tuesday the office of the County Agent in Westminster received a liberal supply of the 1926 peach and apple spray calendars for distribution in the county. These calendars show the latest recommendations of the State Department for the kind, quantity and time of application of the different sprays and are available to all residents of the county making application, either by mail or calling at the office. Not only are these calendars available to fruit growers in the county, but there is also a spray service available to those requesting the same.

The State College this year has several trained specialists in the field to study the development of the various diseases and insects through the state. These men are reporting their findings to the responsible officials at College Park, and when the time arrives for the different sprays to be applied these men in turn wire or telephone the respective county agents. They in turn, by phone or mail, forward this information to the farmers who have requested this service. The County Agent's office in Westminster is now preparing these advance cards for the fruit growers in the county. Those desiring this service should apply at once for it.

For the past several weeks a group of farmers, near Finksburg, have been endeavoring to form a Spray Ring in that community. Several meetings have been held in an effort to interest enough farmers who have farm orchards to invest in a power sprayer, and hire a competent operator to take the machine to respective farms and spray the farm orchards in an endeavor to secure more saleable fruit. This community offers excellent prospects for this project, because the orchards are fairly near to one center.

County Agent, E. K. Walrath, reports that a Spray Ring has actually been formed, a power sprayer secured and the dormant spray for peach already applied. At first it was contemplated to form a ring of eight members, but three men whose farms are adjacent have purchased a machine between them, feeling that by limiting the routing, the result would be a more effective control of the diseases and insects that now make their fruit unsalable. This experiment in the spraying of home orchards, co-operatively, will be watched with great interest, not only in this section but in other sections of the county where practically little returns are being realized from the home orchard, because of the problems confronting the individual farmer in purchasing satisfactory power equipment for his individual orchard.

Easter Radio from Washington.

The Easter service and musical program of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, and the festival evensong of the Bethlehem Chapel, Washington Cathedral, will be broadcast by WCAP, April 4.

The morning service from the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church will be preached by the Rev. Joseph R. Sizoo, D. D., pastor, and the Easter musical program will be under the direction of William R. Hamill, organist. The program follows: "Urelyde to Kunhild" (Kistler), two violins, violoncello and organ; "In the End of the Sabbath" (Speaks); "Andante" from "Concerto A Min" (Goltermann) two violins, violoncello and organ; "There Stood Three Marys" (Matthews); and "Marche Militaire" (Schubert).

The festival evensong to be broadcast at 4:00 P. M., will include an Easter service by the Rt. Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, and a special festival musical program under the direction of Edgar Priest, organist. The musical numbers include Processional Hymn, 172 (Lyr Davidica), Psalms 113 and 114 (Sir John Goss, Tonus Peregrinus), Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in E. flat (John E. West), Hymn before Sermon, 176 (Henry J. Gauntlett), Offertory Anthem (Sir John Stainer).

The Black and White Vesper Ensemble, a regular Sunday feature from the studio of WCAP will also be on the air during the dinner hour from 6:20 to 7:20 P. M. The hymns and music included in this program are by request of the radio audience. "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn) "A Day in May" (Friml), "The Rustle of Spring" (Mendelssohn), "Naila" (Delibes), "La Paloma" (Yrdier), "Loves Old Sweet Song", baritone solo, "Heart Bowed Down" (Bohemian Girl), "Whispering Hope," duet—Mrs. Randall, soprano and Mr. Randall, baritone; hymns: "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," "Jesus Christ is Risen Today," and "Now the day is O'er."

Referendum on Volstead Law.

Senator Edge, of New Jersey, a pronounced "wet" proposed, this week, a national referendum on the Volstead law, to which Senator Borah, of Idaho, a pronounced "dry," tacked on three amendments, which Senator Edge seemed willing to accept. This is as far as the matter has gone. Some "wets" are suspicious of the Borah amendments, and some "drys" are suspicious of the whole proposition.

A BLIZZARD COMES EAST.

A Mid-Western Storm Brings a Flare-back of Winter.

One of the worst blizzards of the winter swept over the middle west, on Wednesday and Thursday night, and the effect of it was very decidedly in evidence in the East, on Thursday. In northern Carroll there was a flurry of snow, following a cold stormy night, and the day was decidedly wintry and uncomfortable.

The blizzard was especially severe in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, in some sections snow being continuous for 72 hours. Railroad traffic was very generally interfered with, and the property loss was immense.

The blizzard was also general over southern Canada and was especially destructive in Ontario, with Toronto as a centre, where damage totaling over \$1,000,000 from sleet and gale, is reported.

Better Homes in America.

"To my way of thinking, the lack of money is a distinct asset toward the successful furnishing of a small house or apartment," writes Mrs. Charles Bradley Sanders, who is author of "How to Furnish the Small Home." From the wealth of information which this little booklet contains, setting forth as it does the basic principles of good taste in house furnishing, one might expect the cost to be prohibitive, but for the benefit of the home-maker of limited income who cannot afford the services of a professional decorator, Better Homes in America is distributing this publication at cost, twenty-five cents. Mrs. Sanders is one of the foremost interior decorators of the country, and in commenting on her booklet holds to that bit of the ranchman's philosophy which runs, "Life don't consist in holding a good hand, but in playing a poor hand well."

Better Homes in America is an educational movement for home improvement and is now conducting its fifth National campaign. Committees are organized in more than twenty-three hundred communities, and programs are in full swing which will culminate in Better Homes Week, April 25, to May 1. National Headquarters of the organization are in Washington, D. C. Secretary of Commerce, Herbert Hoover, heads the movement as its president, and Dr. James Ford, of Harvard University, is Executive Director.

How much can the average citizen afford to pay for a home? is the subject for discussion in another pamphlet issued by the above organization. "How to Own Your Home" is the title of this booklet, which was written by Dr. John M. Gries and James S. Taylor, of the Division of Building and House of U. S. Department of Commerce. It is a handbook for prospective home owners and is intended to encourage and assist those who wish to buy or build a home.

It is simply and clearly written, and the advice contained in it on such subjects as how much to pay for a home, savings, budgets, loans, mortgages and amortization, general property considerations, house plans, and quality of construction, will be found useful to any one who plans to own his home. This booklet is distributed by the above organization at 15 cents a copy. Address Better Homes in America, 1653 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington.

Held Up by Coal Looters.

Cumberland, March 30.—Stopping a Western Maryland Railway train by turning an anglecock between two cars three men proceeded to shovel coal from the train. When members of the crew investigated the sudden stopping of the train, they were stoned and driven back by the looters, who also hurled chunks of coal at the railroads.

One of the trio was arrested. Several wheelbarrows and sacks were found along the track, evidently placed there by the men to be used in carrying the coal away.

Baseball Getting Ripe.

The baseball season of 1926 is getting ready to break out, by limbering-up on various Southern practice grounds, and soon we will be reading scores, "listening in," and picking winners among the big ones; but it will be the "home" amateurs, and minor leaguers that will come in for the major portion of the public's first interest, in the county towns.

Growth of prohibition sentiment in Cumberland has caused that city to change the name of Wine Street, to Glenwood. "Wine" was not considered an appropriate name for a street, at present.

No President was born, lived at the time of election, or is buried west of the Mississippi. Only one President—Harding—died west of the Mississippi.

A man who went over Niagara Falls in a barrel, in 1911 without mishap, slipped on an orange peel in Auckland, New Zealand, and broke a leg.

A murderer's chance of being hanged, if tried in London, is 93%. In America his risk is only 5% and his chances of escaping detection are also good.

Farmers cut an inch off the tail of a fattening calf every 10 days in the 17th century as they thought the resultant bleeding would make the veal whiter.

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All advertisements for 2nd, 3rd, 6th, and 7th pages must be in our Office by Tuesday morning each week; otherwise, insertion cannot be guaranteed until the following week.

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1926.

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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.

How Liberal We Feel, when we do Not Pay.

Those who do not pay much in the way of taxes, are always liberal minded when it comes to public expenditures. Naturally, they want things that do not cost them much, no matter how much the cost may be to others. This is largely true in the matter of Foreign debt payments to this country. There is a tendency toward big liberality—even as far as cancelling these debts—on the part of those who can talk and argue better than they can pay.

We hear of "Shylock" bargaining, and the ringing of changes on how we should just high-mindedly forgive the debt to suffering France, and some others, because the United States is big, and very rich; or, if not that, to cut our claims to very easy proportions so that foreign governments need not feel the pinch of the debts to us, but regard us something like a benevolent friend, or big brother.

All of this is very nice, but it will not redeem U. S. Bonds, amounting up into the Billions of dollars, and there is hardly any likelihood that the holders of the same will as benevolently forgive Uncle Sam. That is the only "rub" in the whole matter. Perhaps some of these over-generous folks may hold some of the bonds? What would they think of practicing some of their liberality by turning in the bonds, without payment, for cancellation?

A Simple Tariff Lesson.

In the Public Forum, operated by Radio Station WRC, of Washington, in which a Republican and a Democrat usually is heard each evening, we happened to listen in, recently, when a Democratic Congressman was criticizing the terms of the Italian debt settlement, urging that Italy should pay its debt as fully as any other country, and that our tariff laws should be amended so as to give Italy the opportunity to do more business with us—make more money, and be able to pay us more of her debt.

Since then, and as published by us last week, it has developed that 84,038,720 pounds of Italian tomatoes (canned) or 1,64,817 cases of No. 3 cans were shipped to this country, last year. The duty is 15%, yet the imported article threatens the tomato canning industry in this country, and canners are urging a higher tariff.

Most this country lower tariff rates in order that foreign governments can pay their debts, and at the same time ruin American industries, or had we better cancel part of the debt, and maintain our industries?

There is also given in this fact, a specimen of how our tariff laws sometimes work. Italian tomatoes pay the 15% duty, yet American canners—as well as growers of tomatoes—have a hard time competing. The growers want more for their farm products—and the canners suggest an increase in the tariff from 15% to 40%. The consumers—some of them—would no doubt like to see tomatoes come in free of duty, and incidentally help Italy to pay us our debt—at the expense, not only of farmers, but of those engaged in canning.

Here is a simple "tariff question" that everybody can understand. It shows how the duty on tomatoes is helpful to farmers, and what would happen if there was no protection. This tariff, in principle, is the same throughout the tariff schedules, and some of which protect farmers, and some others the manufacturers and employees, and indirectly again, the farmers who produce food supplies for the employees.

According to the Congressman's argument, Italy would make more money, if given lower tariff rates; which, if carried to its conclusion, means also that American producers and laborers would consequently make less money.

The Removal of Trains.

Protests against the removal of trains seem to us to be merely selfish and poorly founded, in the average case, for no one has a right to expect a Railroad Company to continue running trains that do not pay, merely because a few want to use the service. Nobody transacts business that way, if he is a good business man. No merchant keeps an expensive item of merchandise in stock, for which the demand is very limited. No farmer keeps more horses than it pays him to keep. In fact, the question of whether something "pays," is what everybody is looking after.

The truth, is, the use of autos and trucks has so reduced the profitability of trains, that nobody can expect the former extent of train service. Neither is it possible for the roads to jack up their rates to fit the reduced business; even if they did, that too would raise a storm of protest.

There are quite a good many people, too, who do not properly support churches, yet at times they sorely need the ministrations of the church, and would be badly off, indeed, if somebody else did not keep the churches financed and operating.

Many newspapers are not decently supported, locally, yet there are times when a stingy community wants to make use of an expensive establishment of this sort, as though, in some way, they had a right to expect and demand it. We are getting into the selfish habit of "wanting" things when we "want" them, and at no other times—merely making a convenience of them—and sometimes our victims simply quit, and let some folks keep on wanting.

No railroad is in business for the pleasure of removing trains from service. There is no pleasure in it. Neither is there pleasure in running trains at a loss. So, the protests are simply absurd.

Repudiated Confessions.

Repudiated "confession" of murder and crime are becoming noticeably prevalent. Most of these confessions are made immediately after the culprits, are caught; presumably after the enormity of the crime came to them with full force, as a reaction from the spirit that prompted the crime, and when a guilty conscience forced admission of the truth.

Later, the desire for life and liberty asserted itself; the chance to escape the death penalty perhaps being pictured by an attorney; then the first break-down becomes replaced by a desperate fighting chance for life; and the plea of being scared, or bullied by police authorities, into making a confession, comes to the front.

We have no grounds for thinking that these repudiations are mostly desperate lying, aside from the deductions herein stated. The bulwark of all criminals, is, that they must be considered innocent, until proven guilty. A confession, therefore, made before consulting a lawyer, and before weighing the difficulties of being proven guilty by positive evidence, is an act that might easily be repudiated—the act of confession, rather than the confession—and that, we believe, is the real truth back of most of these repudiations.

A criminal may easily make up his mind that he was a fool to confess; that it was a display of weakness; and a conclusion to compel actual proof of a crime—something that seems to be becoming more difficult—is merely a proper demand, and one that the most hardened criminal is entitled to receive.

About the most improbable thing that one can imagine, is, that anybody will confess to having committed a heinous crime, that he did not commit. Even the "third degree" that suspected criminals are said to be put through by the police, can hardly so confuse genuinely innocent person to the point confessing a guilt that is wholly untrue.

Law Enforcement and the Bandit.

It might be well for the Atlantic seaboard, now watching the round-up of a gang of thieves credited with stealing \$1,000,000 in a year, to consider the results of a drive against banditry made in the Middle West. Its effects have been striking.

Two years ago syndicates of thieves gunmen and safe-blowers had terrorized the country bankers of Illinois, Iowa, Indiana and parts of Missouri. In 1920 Iowa had fifty-six bank robberies, the loss totaling about \$250,000. When a bandit was captured he got a light sentence and a quick pardon. Bank insurance rates became almost prohibitive.

The bankers of the State took drastic action. They placed 2289 pistols, 1200 rifles, 240 riot guns and 712,000 rounds of ammunition in the hands of 3876 Vigilantes in 781 towns. The results were amazing. In 1924 there were only six bank robberies, the total loss was \$2500, and eighty out of eighty-nine robbers were either killed or sent to prison, where they have

stayed. The Iowa bank insurance rate dropped \$1 per \$1000.

Kansas City bankers adopted this "Iowa Idea." They armed Vigilante groups around their banks with 250 army rifles, sawed-off shotguns and .45 caliber pistols. The Kansas City motto was, "No work for the jury." Since April, 1925, the bank bandit has done a poor business in that territory.

Illinois early in 1925 had come to be one of the most fertile fields for crime in the world. The Legislature for years had refused a State-wide demand for a State constabulary. Country sheriffs could not check the bandits operating out of Chicago in high-speed motorcars. Bank insurance rates had advanced to \$4 per \$1000. In a single month five Chicago policemen were killed guarding payrolls and fighting bandits.

In May, 1925, the State was organized on the Iowa plan. About 5000 men were armed in 1000 towns and villages. Chicago's 172 banks, divided in eleven groups, set up their own motorcar and foot patrols. More than 100,000 rounds of cartridges were distributed in the State and machine guns were set up in several banks. In Chicago a reward of \$2500 was offered for a dead bandit and only \$1000 for a live one.

Indiana went through the same experience. In June, 1925, Vigilante groups were formed throughout the State. Permanent posses were organized in every county. Around a picked body of 650 men from the National Guard some 5000 men were gathered. These were permitted to go armed at all times.

These organized efforts in Chicago, in down-State Illinois and in Indiana succeeded just as they did in Iowa and Kansas City. The town-guard system has worked in the rural counties. Banditry declined at once. Robberies on the highway decreased.

Motor patrols and the reward for dead, rather than live, bandits checked bank robberies in Chicago. Within a year the loot of Illinois' bandits has fallen off 20 percent as compared with the previous twelve months. Country bankers breathe more freely. In the first three months of 1926 less than half as many attacks have been made on rural banks as were made in the first three months of last year.

The record of the Middle West experiment speaks for itself. When their courts, Legislatures and law offices failed to protect them, citizens proved they could protect themselves, check crime and reduce losses.—Phila. Ledger.

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Whiten Washington.

The movement to restore a respect for Sunday to the capital of the nation is worthy of encouragement. We read every history save our own with the mind of the historian-prophet; we know what Babylon typified and pagan Rome and frivolous Paris; we have always passed from the morals of the Capital to the menace of their threat to the State. Reading the city of Washington thus, it is possible to get something like Carlylean reactions. In the capital of the nation there is every evil thing—gambling and legislative dishonesty being the least of evils.

The inside story of Washington would somewhat resemble Babylon turned inside out. It is not the sober place one would expect in view of the responsibilities with which it is charged. It is a place of frivolity, low trickery and vice. On Sunday its movie audiences outnumber its church attendance two to one. If there is any city in need of the rectifying influences of a meditative and religious Sunday it is the city of Washington.

It is not, however, laws that will accomplish this, nor sheer denunciation. But it would do much good if a faithful mirror could be held up to the capital that it might see itself, not in the glamour which it carries to itself from the thousand places of origin, far-sundered, of its temporary residents, but as it is.—Dearborn Independent.

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POULTRY FACTS

HATCH GOOSE EGGS WITH INCUBATORS

Goose eggs can be hatched with incubators even to better advantage than with hens for various reasons. Where hens or geese are used, they are apt to break the eggs, and again let them chill. The first eggs from your geese will arrive while the cold weather still continues, and must be picked up early in the morning before they become chilled; geese invariably lay in the very early hours of the morning, or late at night, says a writer in the Rural New Yorker.

Keep eggs in a moderately warm location—around 50 degrees in cold weather. When you have sufficient number to put into the incubator it should be started. Goose eggs, like hens' eggs, hatch best when fresh, not more than ten days old. Place your incubator in a moist, but not too damp cellar, as goose eggs will require much more moisture to hatch than is the case with hens' eggs. Run the machine at as near 103 degrees as is possible from start to finish. Turn eggs twice daily after the beginning of the third day. Always turn goose eggs by hand; handle them with much care. Stop turning on the twenty-fifth day. Goose eggs should be cooled half an hour each day in a temperature not below 60 degrees; if the cellar seems below this temperature, remove the eggs to proper point.

After the third week, sprinkle warm water over the eggs once daily. When goslings begin to pip, if you notice shells are dry and hard, there isn't enough moisture, and unless this is supplied, they will stick in the shells. Keep the eggs quite moist while hatching, by adding a pie plate of wet sand to the bottom of machine.

Leave goslings in incubator until all are thoroughly dry, usually 36 hours. Remove them to a box in the kitchen by the stove, unless a brooder has already been provided for. Goslings are easy to raise, and grow very rapidly. Water them in a vessel which cannot be overturned, nor into which they can get their feet. Keep them dry at all times. Feed sprouted oats, gravel, fine cracked corn, or any of the dry mixed chick feeds, but do not neglect always to keep water before them. Change this often; don't let it get dirty.

Mature geese may be picked, or "plucked" once every six weeks after the laying has ceased. Remove only the breast feathers—do not take the down. A little experience will tell you when they are "ripe." Do not take feathers that have blood in the quills.

Poultry Undernourished

Under Farm Conditions

Poultry, of all farm stock, is most likely to be undernourished under practical farm conditions. Due to the nature of their digestive tract, their rations must be composed largely of seeds and seed by-products, feeds ill-balanced with respect to minerals, proteins and vitamins. As compared with other animals, the requirements of poultry for some of the vitamins are relatively so intense that their rations should be supplemented by feeds known to be rich in these factors. Vitamins are manufactured by plants only. Green plant tissues are with few exceptions the best sources of vitamins known, being rich in all these factors.

Young chicks are especially susceptible to a lack of vitamin in the ration and will develop the disease known as "leg weakness," including impaired appetite, an anemic condition of the comb and wattles, drooping wings, ruffled feathers and unsteady gait. Prevention of leg weakness is assured by giving the chicks ready access to green feed such as green cabbage or lettuce leaves, fresh alfalfa or clover or sprouted oats. If green feed is not available, 3 to 5 per cent of cod liver oil in the mash may be used. In the maintenance of health and normal development in the flock the importance of vitamins is undoubtedly much greater than is realized. Rations deficient in vitamins will give rise to digestive disturbances and other forms of vague ill health which can be prevented by supplying the necessary vitamins and adjusting the balance of the food.

Poultry Notes

The hen that cackles the loudest is not always the greatest layer.

A hen will eat from one to two pounds of oyster shells per year.

More eggs follow a ration that contains the minerals required by a hen than can follow simple grains.

It is generally considered proper, in fact, the best form, to refer to purebred poultry as being standard bred.

Because of plenty of room in the poultry house and less competition in getting feed, it seems to be more profitable to have too few hens than too many.

Washing soiled or dirty eggs does not make them more salable. In fact, washing an egg lessens its keeping qualities by opening the pores so that evaporation is more rapid.

PUBLIC SALE

New Buggies, Implements, Harness, etc.

The Big Annual Sale of Buggies and Implements of Franklin Bowersox, at his place of business, at the rear of the Opera House, Baltimore St., Taneytown, Md., on

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3-19-3t

State of Maryland STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
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will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M., on the 6th day of April, 1926, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the State Roads Commission this 18th day of March, 1926.

JOHN N. MACKALL, Chairman.

L. H. Steuart, Secretary. 3-26-2t

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a Candidate for Sheriff of Carroll County at the coming Republican Primaries and ask for the votes of my friends.

HENRY D. GENTZLER,
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3-19-4t

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SATURDAY, APRIL 10th., 1926,

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**HARRY A. ALLISON,
MINNIE M. ALLISON,**
Executors.

J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.
LUTHER B. HAFFER, Attorney. 3-12-4t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscribers, have obtained from the Orphan's Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of

AMANDA M. SHOEMAKER,

late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 2nd day of October, 1926; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 5th day of March, 1926.

**WILLIAM L. SHOEMAKER,
VERTIE HAHN,
ALICE V. REIFSNIDER,
FLORA M. HELTEBRIDLE,**
Executors. 3-5-5t

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All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted. We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesday, or by Fast Mail, west, on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

UNIONTOWN.

Those changing homes in the neighborhood, this spring, are Wilbur Devibiss, moved to the home lately purchased in town; George Stultz, taking the Maurice Dutera farm; Raymond Dayhoff, moving to Elizabethtown; John Waltz left the W. A. Shaw farm taking the Diehl place, near Wakefield; John Stone, of Baltimore, moves to the home lately purchased of Miss Mattie Pfoutz; Bernie Lawrence, taking the Howard Caylor place, in Beckettown; Charles Simpson leaves the B. L. Cookson farm, and moves to the late Dr. Kemp home; Jackson and Phillips take the Cookson place; Jefferson Talbott moves near Hampstead, Luther Hahn taking the Rupp farm; Messrs Gibson and Myers, move to the Marshal Myers farm.

We are glad to welcome Charles Simpson and family to our village, and all sympathize with them in their loss of wife and mother.

Mrs. L. F. Eckard was on the sick list, last week, but is now on duty again.

Mrs. U. M. Bowersox, Reverdy Beard and children are under the Doctor's care, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Slonaker and friend, of Baltimore, spent Sunday evening with George Slonaker and family.

Mrs. Howard Brumbaugh, of East Orange, N. J., has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Eckenrode, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Devibiss spent Saturday with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Weaver, who spent the winter with their children, in Washington, Philadelphia and Baltimore, returned home Monday, having enjoyed the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stone and son, Harry Stone and Mrs. Rhoda Waltz, of Baltimore, spent Sunday in town.

Eddy Starr, of Miami, Fla., and his sister, Mrs. Edward Little, and daughter, and mother, Mrs. Nettie Starr, of Westminster, visited relatives in town, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilbert and family, entertained, Thursday, at dinner, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lowe, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Burall, and Mrs. James Robertson.

HARNEY.

The funeral of Mr. William Boyd, who died on Sunday last, was held at the U. B. Church, this place, on Wednesday morning, by Rev. Brown. The church was well filled, although the weather and roads were very bad. Mr. Boyd had been sick only a short time, and his death was a shock to the community. He leaves a wife and ten children, and a host of relatives, to mourn his loss. He was in his 49th year. Interment was made in the U. B. cemetery.

We are informed that Miss Lillian—who was operated on at Frederick Hospital—is getting along nicely and it is expected that she may be brought home on Sunday.

Mrs. M. J. Thompson's sale, on last Saturday, was well attended, and things sold fairly well. Mrs. Thompson left for Littlestown, on Monday, and expects to make her home with her children.

Robert A. Harner who bought the Thompson property, moved in on Monday. Mr. Harner has been in delicate health for some time and is at present suffering from a light stroke of paralysis which has completely incapacitated him for work, and he was compelled to quit farming.

Thos. Koontz moved from his farm, near this place, to Littlestown, on Tuesday, and Walter Morelock moved from the Hiltzbrick farm, near Otter Dale, to the Koontz farm.

P. G. Hiltzbrick moved from his farm, in Mt. Joy Township, to his home in this place, on Tuesday. Chas. W. Staub moved from this place to the Joseph Harner farm, near Walnut Grove, on Thursday.

Joseph Thompson, of Reading, visited our town last Saturday, and attended his mother's sale. Joe has many friends among the young men of this place, who were all glad to see him looking hale and hearty.

KEYMAR.

Mrs. Frank L. Davis and son, Russell, of Westminster, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur H. Otto.

Mrs. H. S. Lansinger, of Bruceville, who has been on the sick list, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Whitmore and son, spent last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Whitmore's parents, near Galts.

Mrs. Thomas Stoner, who was taken suddenly ill, last week, is better at this writing.

Annie E. Hawk accompanied by Mrs. Upton Dayhoff, of near Bruceville, spent last Sunday in Littlestown, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Hawk, Sr. The former attended Communion services at St. John's Lutheran Church, which was largely attended. There was 32 confirmed and five read in by letter by Rev. J. I. Hummer, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Hawk, Jr., and daughter, of Silver Run, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hawk, daughter and son, of Clear Dale; Mr. and Mrs. Miles Weikert, were also entertained at the Hawk home.

NEW WINDSOR.

Frank Carbaugh and wife, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last here, with Mr. Carbaugh's mother.

John H. Rupp left, on Wednesday, for Mt. Joy, Pa., to build an ice plant for Charles Baumgardner.

Mrs. Webb Bitner family went to Washington, D. C., to spend the Easter holidays. Mr. Bitner will join them Sunday.

Harry Pickens spent Sunday last with his mother, in Baltimore.

Mrs. Marie Thompson and son, Jack, are visiting Mrs. Lulu Smelser, for the Easter holidays.

Dr. Gillum, District Superintendent of the M. E. Church, preached here, on Sunday evening last.

Murray Baile and wife moved to the apartment, at William Zepp's, on Thursday.

Robert Miller and family moved to the John Cross house, on Bath St.

The music department of Blue Ridge College gave a recital on Monday evening last, for the benefit of a scholarship in music.

The Parent-Teachers' Association, held a public meeting, in the M. E. Church, on Tuesday evening, in the interest of a high school building.

Mrs. Kate Stouffer and Thomas Slingluff spent Sunday last in Baltimore, at R. Lee Slingluff's.

Daniel Englar and wife moved to their new home, on Thursday.

Blue Ridge College closed on Wednesday, for the Easter holidays.

J. R. Galt and wife entertained the following on Sunday last: Harry Snyder and family, of Baltimore; Geo. A. Shoemaker and wife, Curtis Bowers and family, Mr. Feeser and wife, all of Taneytown.

Mrs. Sarah Bennett, who has spent the winter in Baltimore, has returned to her home here.

DETOUR.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Erb and family spent Thursday in Baltimore, and were accompanied home by Mrs. Nellie Stockdale, of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shorb and daughter, spent Sunday in Baltimore.

Sunday morning, Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Diller motored to Washington, to call on Dr.'s brother and sister-in-law, Major U. M. Diller.

A number of folks of this place are having their houses wired for electric lights.

Sunday, April 4, at 10:30, Holy Communion services will be held at Haugh's Church.

Mrs. T. L. Grossnickle spent the week-end with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marts.

Mrs. John Coshun spent Tuesday with Mrs. Loren Austin, of near this place.

Mrs. George Hoover and daughter, of Frederick, spent Wednesday at Mrs. J. P. Weybright's.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClellan, of Keymar, moved into the home vacated by Mr. Loren Austin.

Mrs. Chas. DeBerry, of near here, visited her brother, Howard Frock, of Union Bridge.

Wilbur F. Miller made a remarkable seven days record on two Holstein cows, the total being 1301.8 pounds of milk, and 53.30 pounds of butter. The test was supervised by W. R. Wallace, qualified state tester, of University of Maryland.

NORTH EAST CARROLL.

Communion Services will be held on Sunday at St. David's Church, at 9:30, by Rev. A. M. Hollinger. The Easter program will be rendered in the evening, at 7:30.

Rev. A. M. Hollinger, of our church, exchanged pupils with Rev. Rhymmer, of the Manchester Church, on Tuesday evening. Rev. Rhymmer delivered a very inspiring sermon from the parable of the fig tree.

Geo. Bowman, a student at Millersville Normal School, is spending the Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman.

John Thiret and wife moved, on Tuesday, to the property vacated by Earl Kopp and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry LeGore had as their guests, on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Monath, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Monath, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman, Mrs. Annie King, Misses Anna Monath and Treva Geiman, Norman Monath, David Fuhrman and Frank Fuhrman.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Sunday School, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock, followed by church services at 2 o'clock, by Rev. J. W. Reinecke.

There will be early church services on Easter Sunday morning, April 4, at 6 o'clock.

Church services on Friday morning, by Rev. A. G. Wolf. In the afternoon, by Rev. J. W. Reinecke.

The Parent-Teachers' meeting, on Monday evening, was very interesting. The talks by Dr. and Mrs. Forlines were enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Myers moved from Pleasant Valley, to Robert Wantz's tenant house.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cingan, moved from Littlestown, to Pleasant Valley, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Feeser and Mrs. Edw. Myers, who were on the sick list, are recovering.

KEYSVILLE.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold an Easter service, this Sunday evening, consisting of recitations, exercises, solos, duets, quartettes, etc. The public is invited.

Dale Pittinger, of Union Bridge, has been a visitor at the home of his uncle, Robert Valentine.

William Durborrow and wife, of near Gettysburg, were callers, Sunday evening, at W. E. Ritter's.

Calvin Hahn, who has been on the sick list, is improving. Harry Fleagle, wife and son, Clyde, of Westminster, spent Sunday with relatives, here.

MARRIED

HOFFMAN—HOUCK.

On Saturday night, March 27, 1926, James H. Hoffman, of Keymar, and Ruth J. Houck, also of Keymar, were united in marriage at the Lutheran Parsonage by Rev. W. V. Garrett.

RITTASE—SMITH.

Laverne John Rittase, of near Taneytown, and Carrie L. Smith, of Taneytown, were united in marriage at the Lutheran Parsonage, by Rev. W. V. Garrett, on Tuesday, March 30, 1926.

EICHMAN—LINDSAY.

Paul Eichman and Hilda Lenore Lindsay, of Union Bridge, Md., were united in marriage on Saturday, March 27, at the Lutheran Parsonage, in Union Bridge, by Rev. P. H. Williams.

ECKARD—STUDY.

Mr. Walter L. Eckard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eckard, of Taneytown, and Miss Margaret E. Study, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Study, of near Harney, were quietly married on Tuesday evening, March 30, 1926, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. F. S. Lindaman, in Littlestown, Pa.

They were unattended. They are well-known young people both here and in the vicinity of Gettysburg, at which place the bride's parents had been living until recently. The groom is regularly employed at the Model Bakery, Taneytown.

DIED.

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

CHARLES LeROY TROXELL.

Charles LeRoy Troxell, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Troxell, died at the home of his grand-father, John A. Stonesifer, near Keysville, on Thursday afternoon, aged 7 months and 15 days. Cause of death pneumonia. Funeral this Saturday morning at the home, at 10 o'clock. Service and burial at Rocky Ridge Church, in charge of Rev. Heimer. He is survived by his parents.

MR. WM. H. HALTER.

Mr. Wm H. Halter, well known to many in this section, died at Tyrone, on Tuesday morning, from cancer, aged 47 years, 6 months, 16 days. He is survived by his wife and three children, Margaret, Wilbur and Luther, all at home; also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Halter, of Silver Run, and by nine brothers and sisters, Elmer, Harvey, Milton, Charles and Andrew Halter; Mrs. Ira Rodkey and Mrs. Minnie Keefe, Tyrone; Mrs. Cleveland Horich, Melrose, and Mrs. Oliver Dutterer, Silver Run.

Funeral services were held this Friday morning, at the Mayberry Church of God, interment in the adjoining cemetery.

MR. WILLIAM J. BOYD.

Mr. William J. Boyd, living in Pennsylvania near Harney, died last Sunday morning, from pneumonia, aged 48 years, 4 months, 7 days. He is survived by his wife who before marriage was a daughter of Benjamin Bowers, of Taneytown district; and by ten children, two of whom are married, Mrs. Maurice Wherley, of Two Taverns, and Mrs. Earl Sentz, of Gettysburg, and the others are at home.

He is also survived by two brothers, Henry and James, and two sisters, Mrs. William Snyder and Mrs. Elmer Dubs, all living in Pennsylvania. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, at the home, and at Harney U. B. Church, in charge of Rev. George Brown.

MRS. OLIVER E. LAMBERT.

Mrs. Lola M., wife of Mr. Oliver Lambert, of near Walnut Grove school, died at Frederick Hospital, last Friday afternoon, after only a few hours illness, from hemorrhages. She was taken ill, suddenly, at her home, in the morning, and was rushed to the Hospital, but all efforts failed to save her life. An infant son born at the Hospital, died Saturday morning, and was interred with her.

She was a daughter of the late Thomas J. Haines, of New Windsor, Judge of the Orphan's Court, who died in January. She is survived by her mother, her husband, and four small children, Thomas, Robert, Anna Virginia and Margaret; and by one sister and two brothers, Mrs. E. Roth Buefington and Clarence Haines, of New Windsor; and Grover Haines, Westminster.

Her death was not only a heavy shock to her family, but to the entire neighborhood in which she was held in the highest esteem. She had apparently been in the best of health until Friday morning.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, at the home, and in the Lutheran Church, Taneytown, by her pastor, Rev. W. V. Garrett. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery.

In Memory of
MRS. MOSES P. BAUMGARDNER,
who died one year ago, March 29, 1925.

One year ago we stood around the open grave;
We miss thee from our home dear mother,
We miss thee from thy place,
A shadow o'er our life is cast;
We miss the sunshine of thy face,
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care,
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

BY HER DAUGHTER.

CARD OF THANKS.

I hereby express, in a public way, my sincerest thanks for the many kindnesses of friends and neighbors, following the death of my wife, and for the use of automobiles.

OLIVER E. LAMBERT.

Alexander Carr



Born in Romny, Russia, in 1881, Alexander Carr, the well-known "movie" star, emigrated with his family at an early age to Canada, and received his education at Winnipeg. More than twenty-five years of his life have been spent upon the stage, and for the past three years he has been very successful in motion pictures.

"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name: its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day, lucky jewel

ALEXANDRA

ALEXANDRA is a famous name; it is a feminine version of the title of the illustrious conqueror, Alexander the Great. It was popular in all the countries through which the peerless Alexander swept, and for years after his triumphant passage all male children were called after his name. Alexandros was a favorite name in Greece. The Maccabean Jews used it and a martyred pope made it a revered name in Italy.

The feminine was brought to Scotland by Margaret Aetheling, who learned it at the Hungarian court where she was born and reared. Alexa, Alexandra, and Alexandrina are several of its forms. Alexia is often found as a woman's name in old records and accounts of the Middle Ages.

Alexandra is widely popular in Germany and Russia, as well as in the other Continental nations. It has seldom had much vogue in England except as a feminine given to perpetuate the masculine Alexander, where there have not been sons to carry on the title. But curiously enough, it is a favorite in this country.

The splendid ruby is Alexandra's talismanic gem. It is fitting that this emblem of courage and accomplishment and bodily vigor should be her stone. Thursday is her lucky day and 6 her lucky number.

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AN ABBREVIATED STORY

FOLLOWED

THE nineteenth time Matilda Tildimatt looked around and saw him still there, she no longer doubted.

"That man is following me! The beast!" she thought, and her heart seemed to leap up into her eleven-inch-around throat.

Her faded, vodka-colored eyes flashed indignantly, especially the one with the squint, and her size eleven feet quickened their pace.

"They're all alike!" she muttered. "A girl can't venture out on the streets unprotected without being annoyed by one of the brutes!"

And she looked around for the twenty-fourth time. He was still behind her.

"The wretch!" she thought. "I was never so mortified in my life."

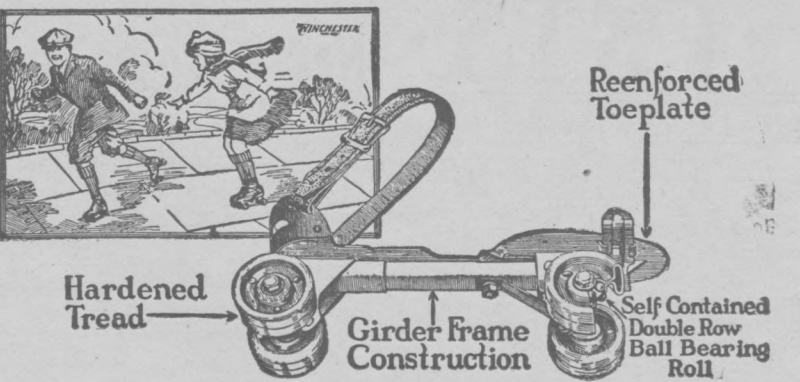
Just then the beast broke wretch, summoning up all his courage—passed her and spoke to the dainty young creature in Pershing pink who was walking ahead.

Which made Matilda Tildimatt so mad that she snatched off her spectacles and shattered them into a thousand pieces on the unresponsive sidewalk.

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Pessimistic View of Life Not Warranted

"Not to be born is best, and next to die as soon as possible." This was the pessimistic view of life expressed by Sophocles. Most philosophers and intellectuals of ancient times agreed with him. Life was looked upon as an enigmatic affliction rather than a divine dispensation.

"These diagnoses were based upon a mere consideration of symptoms. They were made in almost complete ignorance of the underlying physical causes of human misery," is the assertion made by Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk in Forbes Magazine.

"Many years of experience in sifting and sorting human types, in searching for the causes of physical failure, have convinced me of the falsity of this pessimistic philosophy. No one would wish to live in a world absolutely devoid of struggle, pain, grief or suffering.

"The world is as we view it. If we view it through billous colored spectacles it is a billous world. I have seen a man with big brain and dominant personality, fundamentally capable of a joyous, self-confident existence, wholly transformed into a pessimistic and walling misanthrope by so crude a thing as flat foot. Others have been similarly affected by poisoned or infected physical states, while sometimes the reverse is true and the body suffers because they are unhappy; others are unhappy because 'hey slump.'"

Veracity

Foreman—flow'd you come to leave your last place?

Applicant—I was discharged.

Foreman—Discharged, huh? What for?

Applicant—Doing well.

Foreman—Where was you?

Applicant—In a hospital.—American Legion Weekly.

TOO FUNNY

"Hullo! What are you laughing at? Is it me?" demanded the bad but angry golfer.

"N-no, sir," stammered the caddy. "Then who are you laughing at?"

"Your opponent, sir."

"Oh, I see," said the golfer, somewhat mollified. "But what's so funny about him?"

"Well, sir," replied the caddy, incautiously, "he plays exactly like you do."—Tit-Bits.

Wanted Protection

"Say, boss," cried a dark-skinned customer, rushing much perturbed into a store, "a no 'count boy has threatened mah life. Ah craves protection."

"How about a bullet-proof vest?" queried the man behind the counter.

"Wuthless, plumb wuthless. Ain' yo' got no razzor-proof collars?"—American Legion Weekly.

There Are Others

A high school boy drives to school every morning in a much dilapidated machine.

"What kind of a car you got there boy?"

"R. F. D.," was the answer.

"R. F. D.—what the heck?"

"Yip. Rescued from the dump."—Portland Express.

Let Neighbors Alone

"Do you suppose there ever was a human being who didn't talk about his neighbors?" asked the cynical man.

"Yes," said his companion.

"Name him."

"Robinson Crusoe"

Believed in Gags

Ignatz—I'm a comedian.
Foreman—Do you believe in gags?
Ignatz—Sure thing.
Hysteria—Why don

SPECIAL NOTICES

SMALL ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted under this heading at One Cent a word, each week, counting name and address of advertiser—two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Minimum charge, 15 cents.

REAL ESTATE for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

APPLY AT RECORD OFFICE ads not accepted—but will receive sealed replies. No personal information given.

THIS COLUMN is specially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc.

ALL NOTICES in this column must be uniform in style.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid every day for delivery of Poultry, Butter and Eggs. Specialty, 50c for delivery of Calves all day Tuesday or Wednesday morning.—Angell & Carbaugh Successors to G. W. Motter & Son.

WANTED.—Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Lard, Squabs and Calves at highest prices. 50c a head for delivering Calves. Highest prices paid for Hides and Furs of all kinds.—Frances E. Shaum's Produce. Phone 3-J 3-28-1f

FOR SALE.—A Young Horse, good worker.—A. G. Keilholtz, Emmitsburg, Phone 102F2.

WILL PAY \$25.00 for 6 plates with Peacocks or Pheasants painted on them. Must be real old; also Cups and Saucers, also any other antiques. Address—Harry Freiheiter, 102 East King St., York, Pa. 4-2-2t

FOR SALE.—Horse 8 years old; 20th. Century Manure Spreader, in running order; and 4 Fat Hogs, about 160-lbs. each.—Wilbur Naylor, Route 3, Taneytown.

FOR SALE.—Fresh Cow, first calf by her side. Just out of 10-day test—first-class order.—R. T. Pittinger.

2 COWS AND 2 HORSES, for sale by Diehl Brothers, near Sell's Mill.

POTATOES and Onion Sets for sale.—R. L. Wantz, Keymar, Route 1.

ATTENTION.—K. of P. members, Second Degree, Tuesday, April 6, given by visiting Degree team. All members are urged to attend. Show your spirit as a Knight.

WE ARE CHANGING to Registered Guernseys, and have 3 high-grade Jersey Cows for sale. Raised right here in Greenville, T. B. tested. One is giving about 35, one 20, and the other 19-lbs milk per day. Test 5.04% If you want to improve your herd, see these before you buy.—G. Wellner, R. F. D. 3, Taneytown. 4-2-2t

FOR SALE.—Deering Binder, 7-ft. cut, tongue truck 4-horse hitch everything complete. Also Corn Fodder.—John D. Devilbiss, near Taneytown.

SOW AND 8 PIGS for sale by Wm. M. Houck, near Taneytown.

FOR SALE.—2 Fresh Cows, by Stewart King.

WHITE WYANDOTTES will please you. Selected Hatching Eggs from purebred stock, \$1.00 per 15; \$6.00 per 100, Mammoth White Pekin Duck Eggs, 5c each. Guinea Eggs, 4c each. Special; a 25% discount allowed on all egg orders to my milk patrons in Bruceville and Keymar.—J. Raymond Zent, Keymar, Md. 4-2-1f

LIGHTNING RODS.—Why pay big profits on Lightning Rods, when you can get as good as money can buy at 25 percent less? Drop me a card for further information.—E. M. Dutterer, Taneytown. 4-2-4t

FOR SALE.—Sow and 10 Pigs; also 4 Shoats.—Harry Flickinger.

FOR SALE.—35-ft. Chestnut Pole with Radio Antenna attached.—Robt. S. McKinney. 4-2-2t

POULTRY CLINIC at our store on Monday evening, April 5, at 7:30. Two Poultry Experts from Barker's Research Laboratories will conduct this Clinic. You will not be asked to buy anything. Come and bring your poultry problems, and a sick chicken for examination, if you have one.—Reindollar Bros. & Co.

THREE YOUNG SOWS for sale, by William Vaughn, near Taneytown.

FOR SALE.—Pair Large Young Mules, 4 and 5 years of age. Call to see.—Wm. C. Miller, Detour. 3-26-3t

WILL CLOSE OUT all Electric Washing Machines now in stock at special low prices. See me before you buy. This offer will be good for 60 days.—L. K. Birely, Middleburg. 3-26-4t

WILL HAVE FROM now on at my Stables a number of good lead and general purpose Horses. For sale at the right price.—Raymond Wilson, Keymar, Md. 3-26-4t

FOR SALE.—Several hundred bushel of Apples, York Imperial and Staymen.—C. M. Conover, Aspers, Pa. 3-26-2t

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—Don't forget the grand opening of Tom's Creek Hall, near Emmitsburg, on Easter Monday night. Good music and dancing. All welcome. If rainy, following Wednesday night. 3-26-2t

CEMENT BLOCKS.—I am prepared to furnish Cement Blocks, on short notice—numerous designs. Will also make them for you from your own material.—Luther A. Eckard, Taneytown, Md. Phone 36F5. 3-19-3t

STORM INSURANCE on Dwellings (not on farms) at old rates. Farm buildings are higher. Be prepared for Spring and Summer Storms by taking a Policy in the Home, of New York.—P. B. Englar, Agent. 3-19-4t

EGGS FOR HATCHING.—Silver Laced Wyndottes, 65c per setting or two for \$1.25.—L. S. Lambert, Taneytown, Md. 3-5-1f

PIANO ROLLS 25c, new, with words. Pianos for sale, Harwood, \$78.00; Chickering, \$98.00; Steiff, \$150.00; Player and 100 rolls, \$298; Electric Coin Piano, \$198; Victrola and 25 Records, \$18.00; Sheet Music, 5c.—Cramer Piano House, Frederick, Md. 2-5-10t

OWN FOLKS' LEGEND IS OLD FAVORITE

Really Survival of Longing for Clan Identity.

Here is the favorite American legend of ancestry:

"There were three brothers of my family who came to this country; one settled in (say) Massachusetts, one in New York, and one in Virginia." It is fairly safe to say that seven out of ten persons are firm believers of this legend, particularly those who are not able to tell who their great-grandfathers were.

Now suppose we consider the likelihood or unlikelihood of this legend.

First, we note that the brothers are always three in number. They are never two, a much more likely happening. Nor ever four or five; always just three. Now, is it likely that the pioneer ancestors of seven out of ten persons were just three brothers?

Secondly, we note that these three settled in three then widely separated colonies—separated widely not only in point of travel, but in social customs, characteristics and means of making a living, to say nothing of religious beliefs.

The unlikelihood of such a step in seven cases out of ten is clear when three brothers come over now—if they ever do. They stick together and make for a spot where there are others like them in calling, in speech, in customs.

In these days America is all one people, one country, and easy to get about in. But in those days there were no Americans (except the Indians); there were scattered settlements of varying nationalities, hundreds of miles apart. And settlers then feared to go far, not only because they were new to the land, but it was new to everybody else.

So much for the likelihood or unlikelihood of the legend. Now for recorded facts.

Henry R. Stiles, one of the most eminent of American genealogists, puts it thus: "It is perfectly wonderful what a vitality this 'three brothers' story has among people. Yet it is now an almost proven fact that among the thousands of early immigrants of the Colonial period such cases could be easily numbered on the fingers of one pair of hands."

How did such tradition originate? Doubtless in the nature of the human mind. The mind of man must have an explanation for new facts. Perhaps 100 years ago some one in Massachusetts learned that there were people of his name in Virginia, and possibly in New York. "Same name! Must be some of our folks!"

It is that "must be," so strong in its longing for tribal or clan identity, that by the next generation became a family tradition of fact. For a tribal or clan feeling has been one of man's strongest characteristics for thousands of years.

And the three is but the ages-old magic number with which man endows the unknown and the mysterious, from the three Wise Men of the East, and the three of Gotham, to the three and the 33 degrees in freemasonry.—Boston Globe.

Put Life Work First

The hours will come, and come to every man, when task work quivers and palpitates with life; but perhaps they only come because we have been faithful, with a certain grimness, through the days of gloom. Let a man hold to his life work through mood and melancholy. Let him hold to it through headache and through heartache. For he that observeth the wind will never sow; and he that regardeth the clouds will never reap.—G. H. Morrison.

Causes Eye Strain

"They are called easy on the eyes, and yet 'tis odd," said Crane. "That looking at the girls like that is what does cause eye strain."

At the Reception

Maud—Why, look at that girl, she's hardly got anything on. Robert—Well, it says on the tickets that "dress is optional."

A Trade Trick

"Are you familiar with Browning?" "Yes, I've been a baker for 12 years."—Pitt Panther.

BESURE AND COME to the Firemen's Hall, April 3, 1926, where the ladies of the Lutheran Missionary Society, will serve Chicken Soup, Sandwiches and Coffee, from 12 to 10 o'clock. Also, Home-made Cake and Candy for sale. 3-12-3t

1000 OLD PIGEONS wanted.—F. E. Shaum. 1-8-1f

SPRING SUITS, \$23.00. Call to see my Line of Samples, at Central Hotel, Taneytown, on Saturday, April 3rd. These Suits are not made up until order is received at factory.—Representative of "Golden Rule Nash," Jos. A. Gilbert, 30 Carroll St., Westminster, Md. 2-12-1f

PIANOS WANTED.—Cash paid. Box 167, Frederick, Md. 2-5-10t

FOR SALE.—Fine Homes, improved by Brick and Frame Houses and all improvements, in and out of town.—D. W. Garner, Real Estate Broker. 10-5-1f

FAT HOGS WANTED, who has them?—Harold Mehning. 4-3-1f

FOR SALE.—My vacant Lot, on Middle St., Taneytown.—T. G. Shoemaker.

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HERSHEY BUDS, 38c lb.	LARGE CANS BEST PEACHES, 23c Can.	CALIFORNIA PRUNES, 10c per lb.
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, Per Pack, 8c.	LOOSE BEST ROASTED COFFEE, BEAN or GROUND 29c lb.	EARLY JUNE PEAS, 10c
JELLIES ANY FLAVOR, 3 Glasses 25c	3 ROLLS WALDORFF TOILET PAPER, 19c.	NO. 2 CAN MIXED VEGETABLES 10c Per Can.
BEST CANNED CORN, 12c Per Can.	2-lb. PACK SWEET PRUNES 25c	LARGE CAN ROYAL ANN CHERRIES, 25c
ONION SETS 15c Per lb.	— AT — RIFFLE'S	4-lbs. BEST COCOA, 25c

State of Maryland STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway, as follows: Carroll County. Contract Cl-56. One section of State Highway between Mt. Airy and Taylorsville for a distance of 1.0 mile. (Concrete).

will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M., on the 13th. day of April, 1926, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

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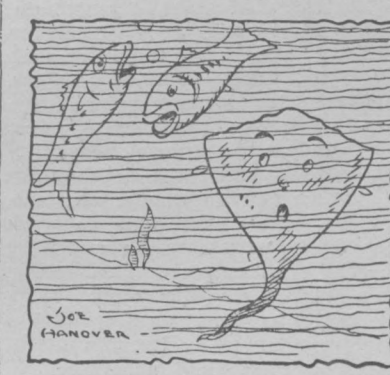
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By F. A. WALKER

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However competent we may be in our various callings, we are prone to make mistakes and become indifferent to the little things which form the foundation of the structure upon which rest our reputation.

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"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day, lucky jewel

PORTIA

SHAKESPEARE called one of his most charming and lovable heroines by a name which has a singularly unpleasant significance: Portia is translated from the Latin to mean "of the pigs." It comes from porcus, the Roman word for swine and the Porcii where breeders of pigs, according to the agricultural designations of the old Latin. But the Romans did not scorn that particular beast and thought nothing of bestowing its name on several other clans.

Cato's daughter was called Porcia, or as the Italians spelled it, Porzia. Her fame brought the name into great popularity in her native land. Shakespeare took it for his play:

"Cato's daughter, Brutus' Portia—" In "The Merchant of Venice," he uses the version which he coined to name the lovely heroine who defeats the crafty Shylock and saves her lover's life. Like Juliet, Portia is beloved as an ideal of womanly beauty and her name has ceased to be regarded as a fanciful creation and now ranks with the feminine appellatives commonly bestowed.

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Mother's Cook Book

To be bigger than circumstances, that's the acid test of character.—Honore Willste.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

SAVE the shell of an Edam cheese and use it to bake macaroni and cheese in. If carefully wrapped so that the surface does not discolor it makes a very attractive receptacle. Wrap with heavy paper to keep the heat from discoloring the pretty shell.

Sponge Cake Custard.

Spread slices of sponge cake with raspberry or currant jam. Arrange them in a buttered and paper-lined pudding dish sprinkled with finely crushed peanut brittle. Beat three eggs, add one-half teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of sugar and a pint of milk. Pour over the cake and bake until firm. Serve hot or cold.

Cheese Cakes.

Scald two and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, strain through a cheese cloth and add one cupful of sugar to the drained curd. Beat four eggs slightly, add the juice and rind of a lemon and one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt. Line small patty tins with pastry, fill with the mixture and sprinkle with chopped almonds and nutmeg. Bake until the mixture is firm in the center.

Apple Foam.

Core and bake finely flavored apples. Remove the apples from the skins and put through a ricer, shall thoroughly. To the white of one egg beaten stiff allow one-half cupful of apple pulp and two and one-half tablespoonfuls of fine sugar; add to the pulp and mix until well-blended. Chill mixture and serve in sherbet glasses with a rose of whipped cream piped on top of each, with a candied cherry cut in quarters, tulip-fashion, on top.

Nellie Maxwell
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Among the NOTABLES

ELISHA GRAY

PEOPLE at the information bureaus or large railway stations stop and look curiously at the little instrument over the desk—a pen writing, (apparently, of its own volition) of the expected arrival of trains. This instrument, seemingly writing out "spirit messages" from an unseen hand, is the "telautograph," the invention of Elisha Gray.

Gray was born August 2, 1835, in Barnesville, Ohio. He liked to experiment with electricity though obliged to work at various trades. He put himself through college, all the while experimenting with this fascinating new science of electricity. Lacking regular apparatus, he used anything handy, and made a preliminary to his telephone by connecting up wires and batteries with his bathtub, and producing, by rubbing his hand inside the tub, a sound that could be heard clearly all over his house. This eventually led to his filing an application for a patent for a telephone, which was received, by the way, two hours after Alexander Graham Bell filed his at the patent office. The general system was to speak against a metal diaphragm and to reproduce words and other sounds by causing identical vibrations against a diaphragm at the other end of a wire.

Then he perfected the telautograph, which reproduced actual handwriting at the other end of a wire, the receiving pencil being controlled electrically.

Gray also perfected a system of sending telegraph messages by typewriter, doing away with the dot and dash codes.

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The surgery of a century ago was a painful and almost brutal procedure, the Scientific American says. With the coming of antiseptics and later of asepsis, following the work of Lister and Pasteur, the mortality which resulted from surgery was greatly reduced through the elimination of bacterial infection following operation.

With the development of anesthesia, beginning with the work of Morton and Long on ether, and following with chloroform, nitrous oxide-oxygen gas, stovain and intraspinal anesthesia, the use of narcotics preliminary to operation to reduce the patient's sensibility and, more recently, the development of another gas anesthetic, ethylene, physicians have been able to work more slowly, more carefully and more accurately, extending surgical procedures to organs heretofore unapproachable by the surgeon's knife, thereby saving many lives in conditions previously called inoperable.

Moreover, continued study of nerve routes and nerve paths, with the development of anesthetic substances which may be applied directly to nerves, permits effectively blocking the

sense of pain which may proceed along the nerves to the brain. So-called local anesthesia with such drugs as procain and butyn enables surgeons to operate on patients who are fully conscious and therefore are better able to resist the shock which may accompany extensive operative measures.

Cholera Follows Drought

Recent droughts in the interior of China have brought epidemics of cholera, according to information received here. A hundred deaths a day for almost a week are reported from Changsha, Hunan province, and the outbreak shows no sign of diminishing. From Zohcheo district of Hunan 1,500 deaths have been reported, with fatalities recorded in Slangtan and Changchehsien. The Chinese Red Cross in those areas is doing what it can to relieve the situation, but the task is almost insurmountable. With the epidemic exists a state of dire famine and thousands are suffering. Crowds of refugees are flocking to the towns, carrying their bundles and belongings. As fast as they reach the refugees the officials pack them on the cars—open trucks—and send them to Shanghai and other ports.

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(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of the Evening School, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for April 4

JESUS APPEARS TO HIS DISCIPLES

LESSON TEXT—John 20:24-29; 21:1-23.

GOLDEN TEXT—Because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed: blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed.—John 20:29.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Thomas Happy to See Jesus Alive Again.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Appears to His Disciples.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Appears to His Disciples.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Loving and Serving the Risen Lord.

I. Jesus Manifests Himself to the Disciples—Thomas Present (20:24-29).

Thomas was absent at the first appearance of Jesus—just why we may never know. His absence deprived him of a vision of the Lord. The other disciples went to Thomas with the glad news of the Lord's resurrection but he would not believe. His stubborn disbelief was such that he doggedly declared that unless he saw the prints of the nails and put his finger in the print of the nails and thrust his hand into His side, he would not believe. Note:

1. The Lord's kindness to those who have difficulties (vv. 26, 27).

Thomas deserved rebuke, but the Lord kindly supplied the evidence which he demanded.

2. The Lord revealed Himself to Thomas (vv. 27, 28).

When He thus revealed Himself, Thomas was transformed from a doubter into a confessor. He cried out, "My Lord and my God."

3. The superior blessing of belief without sight (v. 29).

Jesus patiently furnished Thomas with tangible evidence of His resurrection, but assured him that belief on Him without the tangible evidence was to be in a frame of mind to receive the blessings of the Lord.

II. Jesus Manifests Himself to Seven Disciples at the Sea of Tiberius (21:1-14).

1. The occasion (vv. 1-3).

At Peter's suggestion the disciples go fishing. They do not go back to their old calling without hope in Christ. They should not be accused of forsaking their Lord—they were poor men, therefore obliged to work. Furthermore, honest toil should not be considered incompatible with witnessing for Christ. Sensible men and women will be busy at so-called secular occupations until called from them by the Lord. Indeed, when the Lord wants men to work for Him, He goes to those who are busy. The disciples toiled all night and got nothing.

2. The risen Lord the supplier of the disciples' needs (vv. 4-14).

At daybreak the Lord appeared on the shore and inquired as to their success. The Lord appears at the point of their extremity. When the disciples confessed their failure, He directed them and success followed.

III. The Charge of the Risen Lord to Peter (21:15-17).

Christ put to Peter the three repeated question, "Lovest thou me?" before He gave to him a commission. This shows that supreme love to Christ is the one essential qualification for serving Him. "Lovest thou me more than these?" means, no doubt, "Do you love me more than you do these disciples and all things besides?" Three classes in the church need special care and food adapted to their several estates.

1. Feed My lambs (v. 15). This first charge relates to those who are beginning the Christian life, the babes in Christ. The word "feed" means more than instruction. It means in addition to instruction, surroundings, influences, examples, etc.

2. Tend My sheep. (v. 16).

This charge shows a different class. It means to shepherd the sheep. The duty here enjoined is to deal with the mature class. He must feed them, give them the proper instruction, guide them, lead them and correct them.

3. Feed My sheep (v. 17).

This third charge means the caring of aged Christians. The word "feed" is much the same as in the first case. It means that for the aged Christians the instructions ought to be such as will be suited to their needs.

IV. Follow Me (vv. 18-23).

Christ here gives a prophecy concerning Peter's death. It was to be by crucifixion (v. 18.) Peter once shrank from the cross, but now the Lord holds it up before him. It is not the Lord's death on the cross, but Peter's own. Whatever may be before, even the cruel cross, the disciples are directed to follow Him.

Worldly Joy

Worldly joy is like the songs the peasants sing, full of melodies and sweet airs. Christian joy has its sweet airs, too; but they are augmented to harmonies, so that he who has it goes to heaven, not to the voice of a single flute, but to that of a whole band of instruments, discoursing wondrous music.—H. W. Beecher.

Our Lives

Our lives are like a garden, they grow either weeds or flowers.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

From
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Chicago, Ill.

April 4

Thoughts Suggested by Easter
1 Corinthians 15:55-58; Colossians 3:1-4

Easter suggests the thought of victory over death and the grave. Since Christ has conquered we can in the power of faith say to death and the grave, "O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory. Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." This of itself is sufficient to make the Easter season one of spiritual joy and rejoicing. Like Israel after passing through the Red Sea, we too can say, "I will sing unto the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously." Just as David went out to battle with Goliath, so David's greater Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, went out to battle with sin and death and hell. He conquered, and now He shares with His redeemed people the fruits of the victory which He achieved.

Another Easter truth is that of spiritual union with Christ. The words of Colossians 3:1, "risen with Christ," suggest this. According to Ephesians 2:5-7 we are quickened, or made alive, with Christ; we are raised up with Him, and seated with Him in heavenly places. Such a passage speaks with unmistakable clearness of our oneness with Him in a spiritual union which is both vital and vitalizing. By one spirit all Christian believers are baptized into the one spiritual body, of which our risen Lord is the Head. As another has said, "The moment we by faith are united to Christ we become His, and His destiny is ours. We are raised with Him and live here and now for Him."

This suggests a third thought. If His destiny is ours, then we too must be glorified, and this is the promise of God, "When he shall be manifested, then shall we be manifested with him in glory." So, in the words of the apostle, "We look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ."

Now read the closing words of 1 Corinthians 15:58—Therefore, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.

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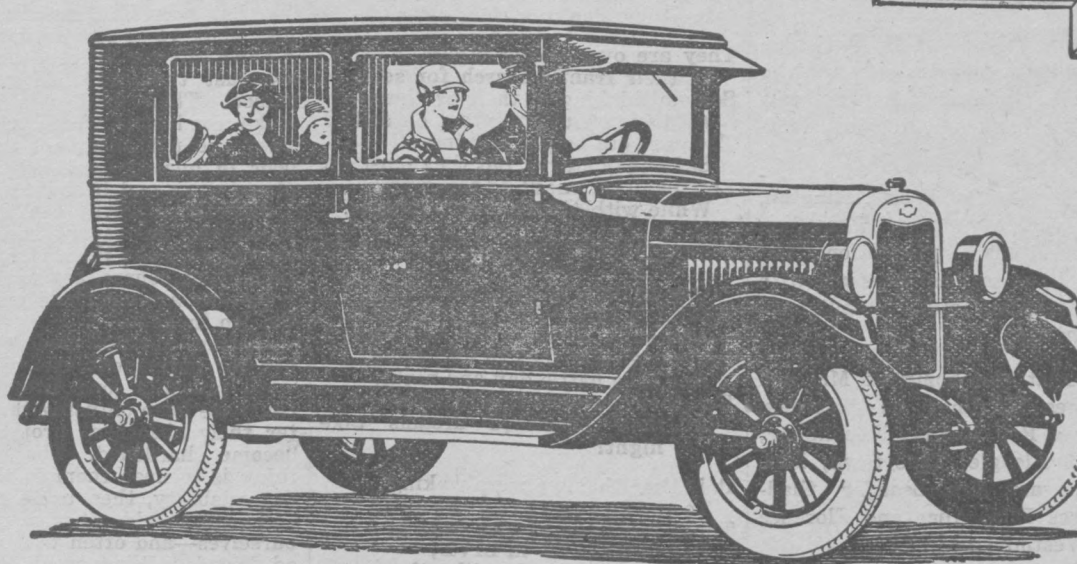
Ruins of Historic Buildings Uncovered in Sweden.

A powerful Viking fortress, the headquarters of a northern chieftain of at least thirteen hundred years ago, was uncovered and identified near the city of Norrköping, Sweden, recently by two Swedish archeologists, Dr. Arthur Norden and Col. N. D. Edlund. Since the name of the place, Ringstad, is identical with one mentioned in the Icelandic Edda, or collection of historic legends, as the estate of the heroic Helge Hundingsbane, this may have been the seat of one of the mightiest of Vikings. The location at the head of the Bravalla bay is of obvious strategic importance, and remains of primitive fortifications, or palisades, have been traced in several directions.

What was first unearthed was the stone foundations of an ancient dwelling with several adjuncts, characteristic of the Viking age. As the structures themselves had been built of wood hardly anything but charcoal remained of them, but on the site of what had formerly been the blacksmith shop, where horses were shod and swords forged, there was found in a good state of preservation a bronze clasp that had evidently been brought to the shop for repairs and had then been lost. An adhering bit of rust indicated that attempts had been made to mend the broken pin with iron. This clasp was easily identified as belonging to the Seventh century A. D., but a spear point found on the site of the women's building dated from the Third or Fourth century, while other objects classified themselves as late as the Fourteenth, so that the place had apparently been occupied as a human dwelling for a thousand years. In the course of time it had either been burned to the ground and had then been forgotten, or the occupants had moved to a stone fortress, Ringstadholm, about three miles farther south.

The stone foundations extend about 150 yards in one direction and 60 in the other. Besides the "women's house" and the blacksmith shop, there are traces of a banquet hall, with benches attached to the long side walls, as described in the sagas, and down by the river banks signs of a slaughter house where barbeques were prepared at Yuletide and when the warriors returned from their raids. Of the wooden spiles used in fortifications, the best-preserved remnants were uncovered by the drainage of the river.

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"Squirrel-barking," "driving the nail" and "shooting for beef" were among the most popular shooting pastimes among the early frontiersmen living on the border line of civilization in old "Kaintuck" and Ohio, Arthur Woodward, writing in Adventure Magazine, tells us.

In squirrel-barking the marksman selected the bit of bark underneath the animal, as it rested on trunk or branch of a tree, and endeavored to hit the bark at such an angle that it would kill the squirrel by the shivering of the bark and concussion, rather than a direct hit.

Driving the nail was the usual means of testing the marksmanship of a man on the border. To do this an ordinary nail was hammered into a tree for about two-thirds its length. The distance was generally set at forty paces or 120 feet. Powder for the charge was poured into the hole, as much as would cover a ball being considered

about the right amount for any distance under one hundred yards. The barrel of the weapon was well cleaned and the ball, placed in a greased linen patch, sent home with vigorous strokes of a stout hickory "wiping stick." Provident borderers generally carried two wiping sticks in case of emergency.

A fair shot was one that struck alongside the nail, a good shot one that bent it, but the man who hit the nail plumb center was considered an excellent marksman. Not infrequently two or three nails would be needed before half a dozen men each had one shot apiece. The winners, after the indifferent shooters had been eliminated, then tried out for high place.

In the early thirties, shooting for beef was a popular pastime. These particular shooting bees were held in late summer when the cattle were fat and the marksmen would get the most for their money.

The usual procedure was for some man who owned cattle and wished to dispose of a beef at a fair price to advertise that on such-and-such a day a beef would be shot for.

When the appointed day came around all of the marksmen in the neighborhood gathered at the designated spot and a subscription paper was passed around stating that "Mr. So and So offers a beef worth twenty

dollars to be shot for, at twenty-five cents a shot." Then each person present who desired to compete would put down the amount of shots he desired. Each man had his own target marked with a cross in the center as a bull's eye.

The winning shot won the hide and tallow which was considered the first choice. The next highest got his choice of the two hind quarters. The third took the remaining hind quarter. The fourth took first choice of the front quarters, the fifth the remaining quarter. The sixth man, not having any beef to choose from, was allowed all of the lead in the tree against which the targets had been placed. Occasionally some good shot would win nearly the entire beef.

In speaking of these beef-shooting matches it might be of interest to state that there was a story current on the Ohio in the early days regarding the famous—or infamous—boatman, Mike Fink, who, because of his remarkable ability with a squirrel rifle was generally barred from such affairs, being credited the best shot or "bang-all" in the country.

However, Mike didn't let the matter rest with his exclusion. His price for keeping out of beef shooting was the "fifth quarter," as the hide and tallow was called, in other words the first

prize, which in turn he generally disposed of to the nearest tavern keeper for a gallon of fiery "Monongahela" whisky, his favorite.

"Old" and "Young" Nick

The use of the name "Old Nick" applied to Satan originated in the comparison drawn between the machinations of his satanic majesty and those of Niccolò Machiavelli, one of the greatest Florentine statesmen, born 1469. He was crafty and dissembling, a firm believer in "the end justifies the means." Samuel Butler in his "Hudibras" in writing of Machiavelli, says "Nick Machiavelli had ne'er a trick though he gave his name to our old Nick."

Old Christmas "Dance"

One beautiful feature of the "Mesa de Gallo" in the great cathedral of Seville is a strange mystical dance on "interweaving the steps" by the choir boys, who thus dance before the high altar. This reverent dance, which is given but twice a year, is marked by the chanting of the choir boys, who carry tall lighted candles as they cross and recross up and down the wide choir steps. One of the occasions is the celebration of midnight mass on Christmas eve.

TANEYTOWN LOCALS

Items of news from town, or vicinity are always wanted for this column. Especially accidents, sales of real estate, fires, important happenings, visits to or from the community, social events, and all matters of general interest to those at home, and away from home.

Robert Hoagland, of New York, is a visitor at D. W. Garner's.

Mrs. Carrie Stonesifer, of near town, is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Edgar Sauerwein returned home from Frederick City Hospital, on Sunday.

The old saying, "No good weather until after Easter," is sure to hold good this year.

A large number of teachers and pupils are visiting their homes here, during the Easter vacation.

Mrs. J. D. Forney and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Philadelphia, visited relatives in town, this week.

The Easter services in the Lutheran Church, on Wednesday and Thursday nights, were well attended.

Rev. L. B. Hafer was in town, on Thursday, transacting a lot of legal business for different parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morelock, of Baltimore, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morelock.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stover moved into their Baltimore Street home, the John H. Cluts dwelling, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bendigo Newcomer, who is at the home of her son, George, received a light stroke of paralysis, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hape, of Frederick, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Garner, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Adolphus Hahn, of Tyrone, Pa., returned home on Tuesday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Martha Fringer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Daley and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zinn, of Gettysburg, spent Friday evening at the home of Maurice Duttera.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shreeve, left on Saturday to spend some time with their son, Philip Shreeve and family, at Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hess entertained at dinner on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Ott and Misses Virginia and Betty Ott.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harner moved into their new home, part of Wm. Hockensmith's dwelling, on Middle St., last Saturday.

Miss Anna Galt, Mrs. Norval P. Shoemaker and Mrs. Chas. Stambaugh attended a Missionary meeting in Baltimore, on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Null, of Hanover and Mr. Paul Angell, of near town, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert J. Null, near town.

Jimmie Baumgardner broke his arm, on Monday, while playing ball. The same arm that was broken once before, and at the same place.

Mrs. James Rodgers, of near town fell on Thursday evening while doing the chores about the barn, breaking several ribs and bruising herself badly.

Mrs. John Eyler, of Ladiesburg, and Mrs. John Albaugh, of New Midway, were callers at the home of their sister, Mrs. Mary E. Stover, this week.

F. J. Shorb and daughter, Miss Valie, of Detour, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Koons, of town, spent Sunday afternoon, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyler, in Baltimore.

Miss Pauline Brining came home on Tuesday, and will stay until Sunday. Miss Edna Calvert, also a Hopkins nurse, expects to visit the Brining family the last of this week.

Charles Cashman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roser, near Medford. Mrs. Cashman and daughters who spent the week-end at the same place returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Shoemaker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis G. Bowers and son, John, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Feesser, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Galt, at New Windsor.

This Saturday is Bowersox sale day. Our office will be open for the transaction of business a little later than usual; or at least, until after the sale is over, as many use it as their day on which to "pay up."

Last week, toward the close of the press work on The Record, the printing was partly damaged by a piece of metal that fell on the forms and was not noticed until about 100 papers were printed, some of which had to be sent to subscribers. Fortunately, no more serious damage was done.

The street lights on George Street have been noticeably less brilliant, for about two months. Who knows the cause?

A special production "The Shepherd King" will be run at the New Theatre, April 12 and 13th, for benefit of Reformed C. E. Society.

The many friends of E. C. Sauerhammer will be glad to know that he seems to be improving under treatment, at the Lankenau Hospital, Philadelphia.

G. M. Morrison, of West Arlington, paid our office a visit, on Thursday, and renewed his subscription. Mr. Morrison likes to keep in touch with the Taneytown and Emmitsburg neighborhoods.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Yingling, on Tuesday, were: Mrs. Roy Keefer, Frizellburg; Mrs. Lum Fleagle, Taneytown; Mrs. Frank Stewart, Mrs. Leander Gladhill, Misses Ella, Alice and Florence Forest, Westminster.

Being desirous of thanking Mrs. Samuel Ott for her gift of a beautiful potted Hyacinth, I take this method of showing my heartfelt gratitude in being remembered with such kindness. It shows the Christ-like spirit.

"Kind words and deeds can never die, God above knows how deep they lie, With a hand that is kind And a heart that is true, To make others glad There is much we may do."

MRS. ARTHUR ANGELL.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—Preparatory Service, Good Friday evening, at 7:30; Holy Communion, and Confirmation, Easter Sunday morning, at 10:15; Sunday School, at 9:15; C. E., at 6:30; S. S. Easter Service, at 7:30; Easter Social, Easter Monday evening. Keyville—No Service; Holy Communion, April 11, at 2:00.

Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown—Good Friday, at 2:00 Confirmation and Preparatory Service; 3:00 Annual Congregational Election; Easter Sunday Morning, Holy Communion; Easter Night, Sunday School Easter Service. No Mid-week Service next week. Usher's League and Take Society, on Thursday night.

Manchester Reformed Church—Union Easter Service in U. B. Church, Manchester, at 6:00. Sermon by the Reformed pastor on "The Risen Life." Trinity, Manchester—S. S., at 9:30; Holy Communion, at 10:30; C. E., at 6:30; "Flavia or the Martyrs" a descriptive song story of the Persecution of the Early Christians will be presented by the Choir, at 7:30. A silver offering is requested. On Easter Monday night the C. E. Society will give a reception for those who joined Trinity Church during the present pastorate. All the members of the congregation are invited. Lazarus, Lineboro—Worship, at 8:30; S. S., at 9:30.

Manchester U. B. Charge, Miller's—Sunday School, 9:30; Worship and Holy Communion, 10:30; C. E., 7:30. Mt. Zion—Sunday School, at 1:30; Worship and Holy Communion, 2:30; C. E., at 7:30. Bixler's—Preaching, at 7:30; Class Meeting, at 7:00; Holy Communion morning of April 11th. Manchester—Early Union Easter Service, at 6:00. Rev. John Hollenbach of the Reformed Church will deliver the sermon.

Uniontown Lutheran Charge, St. Paul's—Early Services under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor, at 6:30; Special Music by Junior Choir and Sermonette by Pastor; S. S., at 9:30. Mt. Union—S. S., 1:15; Worship and Sermon, 2:30; C. E., 7:30. St. Luke's (Winter's)—Worship and Sermon, 10:30. All day sewing, Thursday, April 8th, at Mrs. Jacob Haines, New Windsor; Ladies' Aid, Saturday, April 10, at 2:00, at Mrs. Jessie Fuss. Emmanuel (Baust)—Woman's Missionary Society and Light Brigade, on Thursday, April 8, at 7:30, at Miss Grace Marquet's, Tyrone.

Uniontown Circuit, Church of God—Sunday School, 9:30; Preaching Service, 10:30. Theme: "Seven upward steps in Simon Peter's Restoration." Sunday School, at Frizellburg Sunday afternoon. The pastor will be present to teach the lesson. Preaching Service at Frizellburg, on Sunday evening, at 7:30. Everybody is invited to attend these services. Come.

Keyville Lutheran Church—Special Services, April 7th to 11th. Preaching Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday, April 11th: S. S., at 9:30; Preaching and Holy Communion, 10:30; C. E. Society, 7:00.

Taneytown U. B. Church—Sunday School, 9:30; Morning Worship and Holy Communion, 10:30; Jr. C. E., at 2:30; Sr. C. E., at 6:30; Special Easter program; Monday evening, April 5, at 7:30. Harney—Sunday School, 1:30; Worship and Holy Communion, 2:30.

Presbyterian, Town—S. School, at 10:00; Morning Worship and Communion, at 11:00; Meeting of Session, at 10:45, at Robt. S. McKinney's residence; Christian Endeavor, at 6:45. Piney Creek Presbyterian—Meeting of Session, 9:15; Communion Service, 9:30; Sabbath School, 10:30; Offering for unexpected church expenses.

Emmanuel Baust Reformed church—Sunday, April 4, Sunday School, at 9:30; Holy Communion, 10:30; Easter Service, 7:30; Woman's Missionary Society and Girl's Guild will meet at the parsonage, on Tuesday evening, at 7:30. The Consistory will meet at the parsonage on Tuesday evening, at 7:30.

"Get Together"—and Get!
By James Edward Hungerford.

All the world's intent on getting Happiness, success, and fame, And a lot of folks are fretting "Cause they do not get the same; All their efforts are like bubbles, And explode—and they blame fate, But the reason for their troubles Is—they don't co-operate"

They are overlooking others, In their frantic search for self; Seldom thinking of their brothers— All their thoughts intent on self; They are out to get a living— Some may starve, but they must eat Let the "rich ones" do the giving— While with others they "compete."

But, somehow, they fail to make "it"

One by one, their plans explode; Wealth is here—they try to take it, And shift off their pauper's load; In their efforts they're unceasing, And they battle day and night, But their burdens are increasing— All their cherished dreams take flight!

It is time that we were waking To the fact that we must give; Those intent on always taking, Only see the "I" in LIVE; If we'll wisely work with others, We will win, as sure as fate; Are you ready? Fall in brothers! Here's the word—"CO-OPERATE."

A Birthday Surprise.

(For the Record).

A very enjoyable surprise was tendered Mrs. J. T. Lemmon on last Friday evening. On returning to her home after having attended the Parent-Teachers' meeting in the Opera House, she was met by a number of her friends and relatives, who congratulated her on her birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served, and all present had a very delightful time.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lemmon, Misses Zaida, Blanche, Irene, Verna and Naomi Lemmon, Fred and Lee Lemmon, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shriver and children, Mrs. C. W. Lemmon, Miss Edna Lemmon, Mrs. Earl Bowers, Mr. Curtis Bowers, Rev. and Mrs. George Brown and son, Ross.

A Little Mixed.

A college professor, noted for strict discipline, entered the class-room one day and noticed a girl with her feet in the aisle and chewing gum. "Mary," exclaimed the indignant professor, "take that gum out of your mouth, and put your feet in."

A Question of Hearing.

The burly farmer strode anxiously into the postoffice. "Have you got any letter for Mike Howe?" he asked. The new postmaster looked him up and down. "For who?" he snapped. "Mike Howe!" replied the farmer. The postmaster turned aside. "You don't understand?" roared the applicant. "Can't you understand plain English? I asked if you've got any letter for Mike Howe!" "Well, I haven't," snorted the postmaster. "Neither have I a letter for anybody else's cow. Get out!"—Answers.

"Go to Father," she Said.

Mother: "Now go kiss nurse good night and let her put you to bed. Little Helen: "Don't want to. She slaps folks that try to kiss her now. Mother: "Why, what a story, Helen!" Helen: "Well, you ask papa if she don't."

Thankful for Sleep

Alumnus—Professor, I have made some money and I want to do something for my old college. I don't remember, what studies I excelled in, if any. Professor—In my classes you slept most of the time. Alumnus—Uh! Well, I'll endow a dormitory.—Kansas City Journal.

Things Were Brighter

Jones met his old friend Smith, who had been out of a job for months, and the following conversation took place: "Well," said Jones, "how's things? Any brighter?" "Brighter!" repeated Smith. "Why, things are so bad at home that the mice are giving themselves up to the cat."

Expensive Lessons

"I'm getting up a little poker game, major," invited the friend. "Would you like to join us?" "Sir, I do not play poker." "I'm sorry. I was under the impression that you did." "I was once under that impression myself, sir."

STORE FIXTURES MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE

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LAST PAGE EDITORIAL.

What Kind of a "Blotter" are You?

"Blotting" paper is sometimes properly named, and sometimes not. We do not want a "blotter"—as a matter of fact—but a piece of absorbent paper that prevents "blots." We use a blotter to take up the surplus ink, but poor blotters are apt to do just what we do not want them to do.

Some of our helpers and friends, are just that way. They are misnamed. Their quality is poor. They make conditions worse, than better. They are not absorbent enough—too poor in quality—and mess up our plans, work and best interests.

Sometimes we do the same thing, ourselves. Instead of making things better, we make them worse, unintentionally of course, but none the less truly—we are not made just right for the job in hand.

Blotters are not made to write on, nor for permanent use. Their very work prevents long life; but, sometimes we keep on using them long after their absorbent properties have become hardened. The important thing is to keep them to the point of dependability, then use a fresh one.

So, we should act with reference to ourselves—and often with our so-called friends. When we keep on messing things up—or letting somebody do it for us—we are both unwise and uneconomical—we need to change the quality of our blotters.

Did you ever have a poor blotter "buckle" for you—a thin specimen that you rubbed too hard? Well, if you had, you know the result. When using poor material, don't work it too hard—better replace it with a better grade, and take no chances. Yourself, other people, or just "blotters"—it's all the same, for results.

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