

BURGLARIES ARE NOW CLEARED UP.

Bream and Forney in Gettysburg Jail, Confess Guilt.

At the Adams County Jail, in Gettysburg, on Monday evening, November 29, Paul L. Bream and Harry G. Forney confessed to the authorities that they were the guilty parties in the eight burglaries committed in the north-western part of Carroll county. Bream and Forney are now being held by the Adams County authorities for several burglaries in and near Gettysburg. Bream's home is at Gettysburg while Forney, who is but 18 years of age, lives between Taneytown and Middleburg in Carroll Co.

The young men confessed to entering and robbing the following places in Carroll County: October 22, Rein-dollar Brothers Store in Taneytown; the night of October 26, Middleburg Warehouse and Station along the Western Maryland Railroad; Taneytown Grain and Feed Company's Warehouse; Dr. R. F. Well's Store; Rein-dollar Brother's Store, Taneytown; Emory L. Warner's Store, De-tour; Frank J. Sneeringer's Store, Bruceville, and the Railroad Station at Keymar.

The confession of the two young men was made in the presence of Sheriff George C. Fowble and State's Attorney, Theodore F. Brown, of Carroll County; Lieut. Harry B. Morrison Pennsylvania Railroad; Officers John Zang and John Long, Western Maryland Railroad Detectives; Corp. A. B. Snyder, Pennsylvania State Police; Charles Wilson, Adams County De-ctective, and Sheriff Sheeler, of Adams County. The officials have been at work on this case for several weeks. Some of the goods stolen have been recovered but the large part of it has not yet been located.

Due to the large number of charges against these men in Pennsylvania, it may be a long while before they will answer for their lawlessness in this county. Rein-dollar Bros. identified several watches, pocket-knives, and cash register keys, as their property, found in Gettysburg.

A Visit to the New York Edison Co.

(For the Record). I saw there the largest building of its kind in the world, which is supposed to be completed by the last of 1930 at a cost of \$50,000,000. This building will have one room alone 1,100 feet long, the interior of which will be finished in tile floors, sides and ceilings, in white and blue marble. A great 60,000 kilowatt turbine generator, the first one installed. There will follow the installation of 9 more giant machines.

These generators are probably the most talked of machines in the world, having been greeted by literally hundreds of columns of comment in the newspapers of this country and in far distant lands as the most powerful machines on earth. The new station will have a capacity of more than 1,000,000 horse power.

To give you some idea of a large building, the dining room will seat 1000 guests or employees. Last Tuesday, Nov. 23, all was in readiness at a cost of several hundred thousands of dollars in decorations and floor coverings to receive and entertain.

Queen Marie, who arrived shortly after 3:00 P. M., was taken to the new power plant of the New York Edison Company, at 14th. Street and the East River, where she pressed a button under the instruction of John M. Hoagland, which started a 100,000 horse-power turbine generator which feeds into the general New York Supply, so that every light the Queen saw until she left would bear her touch. She was presented a bouquet by the Superintendent at a cost of \$100—and as she registered her name "Marie" she left the bouquet and her gloves lay on the desk. She was also presented with all the electric equipment which the Edison Company makes, such as carpet sweepers, electric irons, sewing machines and electric range, etc., crated and shipped to her address. Her time there was just 40 minutes.

I know that there are other big corporations; this just happens to be one that I know. I asked the question: who are some of the men connected with this corporation? and the answer was by the foreman, that they had about concluded that the U. S. Treasury and the Edison Light and Power Co., were one.

Now, referring to the above figures, and reading in the columns of our great papers, and hearing from the pulpits of our churches, the cry and need for money and clothing for poor little children of foreign lands, I think that America should shift to second gear, and reduce speed, "safety first!" Think it over!

D. W. GARNER.

Auto Accident near Union Bridge.

In an automobile accident near Union Bridge, on Monday evening, David R. Rinehart and Thomas R. Hesson were injured when a car driven by Glenn Wareham collided with the coupe in which they were riding. The accident occurred on the Middleburg road near the residence of C. D. Spurrier. Mr. Hesson escaped with cuts and bruises but Mr. Rinehart was unconscious. At present Mr. Hesson is improving, but Mr. Rinehart is still confined to his home.

The American coin called the 'nickel' is seventy-five percent copper.

GOLDEN RULE SUNDAY.

A Suggested Plan for Helping Near East Relief.

To the Citizens of Taneytown: December 5th. is International Golden Rule Sunday. It is sponsored by President Coolidge and by leaders of all faiths and callings. A representative National Committee urges our participation in its observance and I am glad to endorse their request.

Golden Rule Sunday is most appropriately placed midway between Thanksgiving and Christmas. Its purpose is two-fold: to awaken us to a greater appreciation of our own blessings, and emphasize our responsibility to the less fortunate in all parts of the world.

The central idea of the day's observance is the substitution of a simple and meager "orphanage" meal in place of our usual bountiful Sunday dinner. In doing this the plight of the destitute in the world's poorest lands is made more real to us and to our children.

To the orphaned children, who are the beneficiaries of Golden Rule Sunday, the recent earthquakes in Armenia have brought additional suffering. It is evident that unless we help these children they will perish. I therefore hope that International Golden Rule Sunday will be observed in every home in our town.

ALBERT J. OHLER, Burgess. (The practical suggestion connected with the above, is, that a contribution, at least equal to the value of the regular dinner over the "meagre" dinner be contributed to Near East Relief Work.—Ed.)

Floyd Bennett of North Pole Flight to Visit Westminster.

Floyd Bennett, pilot of the Byrd North Pole flight, is coming to Westminster, on Friday evening, December 10, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of Western Maryland College. While here Mr. Bennett is scheduled to lecture at Alumni Hall.

Floyd Bennett, who, with Richard Byrd, made the flight over the North Pole last May, has just completed a cross-country flight in the giant Fokker airplane in which he flew to the Pole, visiting 45 cities in as many days, from New York to San Francisco and return. He has demonstrated the fact that great aviators, like people of accomplishment in other lines of endeavor, can be consistently great. Carrying ten men with him, landing on 45 fields he had never before seen with the giant three engined plane, the only trouble on the entire six weeks trip was one broken valve spring. A like performance by automobile would be heralded far and wide by the manufacturer of the car achieving such a record.

The North Pole flight, undoubtedly, has done more than any other single achievement in aviation to increase the public interest in aeronautics. It will not be many moons until one can go anywhere in the country by air-planes flying on regularly established schedules. It is Floyd Bennett, who is coming to Westminster under the auspices of Western Maryland College on Friday evening, December 10, who piloted the plane on its successful North Pole flight. Driving straight into the unknown vastness of the Arctic, after days and nights of work without a wink of sleep, the moment of reward came when Commander Byrd with his instruments found that the plane was over the pole. Floyd Bennett is bringing the thrilling account of this memorable journey, the most unusual ever made by man, to Westminster under the auspices of Western Maryland College.

Admission at the door Adults 50c. Pupils of Public and Parochial Schools 35 cents.

Meeting of Home-makers' Clubs.

The Semi-annual meeting of the Federation of Home-makers' Clubs was held at Westminster, on Tuesday. The following program was rendered:

County Agent's Office, 10:00 A. M. Call to order by President. Minutes of Previous Meeting. Roll call by Clubs. What the Rural Women's Short Course has meant to me—Four Year Short Course Women.

Report of Treasurer. Report of Committees. Health Work. Miss Manahan. Country Projects. Miss V. M. Keller. Lunch Served by Medford Grange Ladies, at County Office.

Fireman's Building, 1:30 P. M.

Community Singing. Piano Solo. Miss Anna Galt, Taneytown. Reading. Mrs. Spoerlein, New Windsor. "Manners in the Home."

Mrs. Rebecca Hobbs, Mt. Airy. Piano Solo. Mrs. Lawyer, Myers. Vocal Solo. Mrs. Lester Patterson, Middleburg. "The Home as a Social Center."

Mrs. Edgar Myers, Westminster. Reading. Mrs. F. T. Elliott, Taneytown. "How the Club was Formed" Union Bridge. Recreation. Middleburg. Sykesville.

Marriage Licenses.

Warren Frank Waterman and Carrie H. Glass Union Bridge.

Fetter B. Newbell and Carrie E. Green, Upperco, Md.

Clarence F. Ricketts and Myrtle M. Myers, Westminster.

John H. Arbaugh and Mary C. Everhart, Westminster.

Paul S. Shriner and Helen P. Stone-sifer, Uniontown.

Lester M. Wentz and Beulah Loyer, Hanover, Pa.

Mervin Samuel LeGore and Edith M. Reaver, Littlestown.

Carroll A. Claggett and Mabel M. Subock, Randallstown, Md.

Robert Clayton Armacost and Marie Palmer, Baltimore Co., Md.

A Christmas Suggestion.

For all who desire to send The Carroll Record for one year to some relative or friend, for a Christmas Present, we have a neat and attractive Christmas Card that we will send to the person receiving the gift subscription, containing the announcement of the gift and the name of the giver, and will mail the Card so that it will reach the person by Friday the 24th.

Sending The Record as a Christmas gift, to some one will represent a double gift—one to the receiver, and one to The Record—and we are sure both will duly appreciate the act.

This suggestion is more than the advice ordinarily given at this time of the year. The Record feels that it is entitled to a larger subscription patronage; and a little co-operation on the part of our friends can help the situation. A number of Records are read by subscribers, and then mailed to somebody else. Others pass their copy on to others in a community, and in such cases often at an inconvenience to themselves. Many readers have children in the west, or out of the community. It is cases such as these that might be remedied to our advantage, and to that of all concerned. Think it over!

SUICIDE AT WALKERSVILLE.

Miss Carrie May Cramer Shoots Herself to Death.

Miss Carrie May Cramer, of Walkersville, committed suicide, on Sunday by shooting herself with a shotgun, the act having been committed in the attic at her home. She had been talking to relatives, and without giving any evidence of her intention went to the attic and fired the shot.

Her body was found by her sister a few minutes after the act. Apparently a stick was used to press the trigger of the gun, which was a double-barreled shot gun.

Some years ago Miss Cramer's brother committed suicide. She was a daughter of the late John Cramer and is survived by several brothers and sisters. Justice Sherman P. Bowers, acting coroner, decided an inquest unnecessary.

Sheriff Ingomar W. Albaugh and Justice of the Peace Sherman P. Bowers were notified. Justice Bowers, acting as coroner, after viewing the body and hearing the circumstances of the act decided an inquest unnecessary.

Good Posture—Sit Straight!

"Sit straight; stand straight; walk straight." These orders from the daily dozen are thoroughly familiar to boy and girl scouts and to everybody else who knows the rules of the Health Game. They are particularly worth following, because good posture according to all authorities has a direct bearing on health. For that reason, all children who have been examined at the health conferences held throughout the State under the auspices of the Bureau of Child Hygiene of the State Department of Health and who have had bad posture have been referred to their own doctors for advice or for corrective exercises.

Speaking of the close connection between posture and health, Dr. J. H. M. Knox, Jr., Chief of the Bureau said: "Everyone recognizes the person, man, woman or child with a stooped posture when standing or sitting, but apparently most people assume that this posture is an inherited condition, for which parents or ancestors, and not they themselves, are responsible.

"On the contrary, it is now known that poor posture is generally the result of bad habits, and like other habits is acquired gradually through inattention or indifference. Moreover, it has been definitely shown that good posture, that is an upright position when standing or sitting, with shoulders thrown back and chest prominent, with the abdomen flat, furthers health; while contracted chest and relaxed abdomen are often factors in inducing ill health.

"The causes of these facts are not far to seek. A narrow chest contracted in any direction, diminishes the space required for the normal extension of the lungs, and free action of the heart, and consequently these organs are often less able to withstand diseases and strain when thus unduly hampered. Again, the prominent relaxed abdomen, which is so often present in children with stooped shoulders and weak abdominal muscles, permits the sagging of the stomach and intestines, with a consequent stretching of the nerves and blood vessels supplying them, and so it interferes with digestion. These form what doctors call a vicious circle. The sagging abdomen tends to bring on indigestion, and this in turn produces further relaxation.

These abnormal conditions are not necessary; they are more apt to occur in some children than in others, but they can nearly always be prevented or corrected in their early stages, by giving attention to upright posture when standing and sitting, and by taking simple setting up exercises night and morning, under a physician's direction.

"In the examination of thousands of young children in Maryland, too large a proportion were found to have defective postures. Because this may have a far reaching influence on their subsequent health, the matter is brought to the attention of their parents, so that while it is possible this important physical handicap may be corrected or cured."

A toy balloon, with a note attached, was sent up by a boy at Manchester, Michigan. It was recovered a few days later at Glendale, California.

BOY SHOT TO DEATH.

J. Lee Fritz, near New Windsor Kills Chas. Edward Reese.

J. Lee Fritz is in the county jail charged with shooting to death Chas. Edward Reese, 13 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reese, of near New Windsor. The boy died in an ambulance on the way to Frederick Hospital about five hours after the shooting.

According to the evidence, Fritz, with his brother Harry Fritz, and brother-in-law, Charles Flinchman, of Baltimore, were returning from a hunting trip, when the party met young Reese and William Colson, a young man of twenty-one, and remarks were passed of a teasing character about the small amount of game Fritz had shot. This is said to have angered Fritz who aimed his gun and fired directly at Reese and Colson.

Colson testified that he jumped back and called to the Reese boy to jump, but his warning came too late. Fritz, it is said, now claims the shooting to have been accidental.

Fritz is 42 years old, is married and lived in the tenant house on the B. F. Shriver Co. farm, the main building on which is occupied by the Reese family, all being in the employ of the Shriver Company.

There are reports that Fritz had been drinking hard-core, and also that he is not mentally well balanced.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Nov. 29, 1926.—The last will and testament of Mary E. Englar, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Samuel E. Englar and Daniel E. Englar, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Rebecca Myers, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Ida May Englar, who received order to notify creditors under Chapter 146.

Letters of administration on the estate of Ellis R. Harrison, deceased, were granted unto Ernest B. Harrison.

Letters of administration on the estate of Frank E. Morelock, deceased were granted unto Delia A. Morelock, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Laura A. Fuss, executrix of J. Hoffman Fuss, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Mary A. Baumgardner, executrix of Noah S. Baumgardner, deceased, settled her first and final account and received order to transfer stocks.

Tuesday, Nov. 30th, 1926.—Letters of administration on the estate of Susanna Hayden, deceased, were granted unto Ambrose P. Hayden, who received warrants to appraise personal property and real estate and order to notify creditors.

Savilla J. Kreutzer, executrix of Cornelius S. Sauble, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the Court issued an order nisi.

Samuel E. Englar and Daniel E. Englar, executors of Mary E. Englar, deceased, returned inventory personal property.

Ambrose Hayden, administrator of Susanna Hayden, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts due and current money, also inventory real estate.

Republican Senator in Maine.

Notwithstanding trouble within the party, and various charges and counter charges in which Gov. Brewster opposed the Republican candidate, Arthur R. Gould, the latter was elected, on Monday to the U. S. Senate by a substantial majority—about 45,000.

One of the charges was that Gould spent more than \$1500. for the primary contest—the legal limit in the state—and that his campaign was "almost as bad as Pennsylvania." He apparently proved that he had spent only \$1350., and had not authorized any other expenditures.

The election of Gould may enable the Republicans to maintain control of the Senate.

Barbers at a recent convention estimated that blondes have 150,000 hairs on their head and redheads only 30,000 on the average.

SESQUI A BIG FAILURE.

Will not be Continued Over Another Year.

The Philadelphia Sesqui, which has been a disastrous financial failure, was definitely killed on Monday, when an almost unanimous vote of the directors was taken against its continuance another year.

From statements made, Philadelphia spent about \$18,000,000 on the Exposition and the State and Federal Governments about \$5,000,000. Other states and foreign governments are estimated to have spent perhaps \$50,000,000 more.

The Sesqui failed to draw sufficient attendance, less than 4,600,000 having been recorded, although there are more than 17,000,000 persons living within 150 miles. How the debt of something like \$5,000,000 will be financed, is not yet clear. There are also reports of a big scandal that may develop before the affairs are finally closed.

The Sesqui proper closed on Tuesday, but two buildings and the art exhibits will be kept open during December, for a 25 cent admission.

"Inside" Information for Women.

Do you measure accurately when you make a cake? Fill your measuring cup and level it off? Level off each teaspoon and tablespoon? Sift dry ingredients as directed? Cream sugar and fat thoroughly? Fold egg whites in last? Success in cake making depends partly on some of these fine points; others will be found in Farmers' Bulletin 1450-F, Home Baking.

When you start to make a cake or bread, measure out all your ingredients before you begin mixing; then you won't leave out some important item.

Amber marmalade is made as follows: Select especially tender, clean, yellow, smooth-skinned fruit, free from blemishes. You will need 1 grapefruit weighing about 1 pound 3 ounces, one orange weighing about 7 ounces, and a lemon weighing about 3 ounces. The thick-skinned varieties are best. Wash the fruit, remove skins, and slice very thin. Cook this peel in a quart of cold water, 3 times for 5 minutes each time. Discard the water after each boiling. Cut the fruit pulp into thin slices, removing the "rag" and seeds. Combine with the parboiled skins. To each weight or measure of fruit add 3 times its own weight or measure of water and boil 25 minutes. Then add equal weight or measure of sugar and boil rapidly for 25 minutes more or until the jelly stage is reached. Put into scalded jelly glasses. Cover when cold with paraffin.

Jerusalem artichokes may be regarded as a weed in your locality, but they are really very good eating. Boil them in their "jackets," which then slip off easily, and serve with butter and seasoning, or with a white sauce. A good sandwich spread is made by mixing grated orange rind with an equal amount of butter and a small amount of orange juice. These sandwiches are nice for afternoon tea, or for serving with a beverage at an evening party.

Buy Christmas Seals!

The Record Office has a lot of Christmas Seals on sale for the Red Cross anti-tuberculosis campaign. Buy these pretty seals, liberally, for use between now and Christmas, on letters and packages, and help along the fight against this dread disease. They cost only 1 cent each. Do your "bit" in this worthy cause!

A One-Crop State.

Georgia, a "one-crop" State, has been forced to return to the ancient system of bartering her surplus cotton for the necessities of life. "Cotton for what have you" has become the basic factor in the economic life of a State which is content to restrict most of its fertile soil to a single commodity, and thus risk a feast or a famine.

The automobile agencies and dealers in all sorts of supplies are taking cotton in exchange for their wages, with the intention of holding it for high prices. Even the business colleges are accepting cotton in exchange for tuition. Cotton farmers, helpless in the face of a declining market, are unloading stocks to the speculators either in exchange for goods or at an advance of 1 percent above prevailing prices.

Middleburg Papers Miscarried.

The Records for Middleburg were miscarried last week, on the train, and failed to reach Middleburg in time for carrier delivery Saturday morning. They were sent out from our office, as usual, but once in a while the Middleburg packages are mishandled in transit.

When a man applies for a license to drive an automobile in Duffield, New Zealand, he is taken to a small yard dotted with tall cans and ordered to steer an irregular course through them to the opposite side. This accomplished successfully, he is bidden to repeat his trip in reverse gear.

erate to work a hardship on the persons who were apparently the successful candidates at the recent election, this misfortune can be obviated by the appointment of the persons who received the highest number of votes at that election, if you deem this course advisable."

THE COMMISSIONER SITUATION

Action Taken by Attorney-General and Gov. Ritchie.

Since writing the editorial that appears in this issue on the County Commissioner mix-up, some new things have happened, as they are very apt to happen in such situations. The Democratic leaders in the county declined to take any part in the Republican appeal for a recount in two precincts, but placed the problem before Attorney General Robinson who declared the recent election of Commissioners null and void.

The next act was by Governor Ritchie, who appointed Edward S. Harner and George E. Benson, Democrats, and John H. Repp, Republican, as Commissioners, the latter still having a year to serve on his election of six years ago.

The election was declared null and void by Mr. Robinson because there was nothing on the ballots to indicate which of the three Democratic and three Republican candidates were running for a three year term and which for a four-year term. Two were to be elected for a four-year term and one for a three-year term.

Mr. Robinson not only held that the election was null and void, but that it, therefore, was the duty of the Governor, under the law, to appoint three Commissioners, two for four-year terms and one for a three-year term, to take office next November at the expiration of Mr. Repp's term.

In the November election, which Mr. Robinson declared null and void, the greatest number of votes was received by Charles W. Melville, one of the Republican candidates, who polled 5,438. Next came Mr. Harner with 5,154 and Mr. Benson with 5,129. The fourth man was Mr. Repp, who received 5,103 votes.

Governor Ritchie, in making the appointments, said he reappointed Mr. Repp because he actually had another year to serve, but that at the end of the year he would appoint Mr. Melville as high man in the election to succeed him for a three-year term. He also asserted he appointed Mr. Harner and Mr. Benson because, after Mr. Melville, they had received the greatest number of votes.

This may be good reasoning, and perhaps law, but to us it appears that a vacancy does not exist, in the ordinary meaning of the term; that is, not a vacancy caused by the death, resignation or voluntary removal of either, or any, of the men elected, but a vacancy, if any, by decision of the Attorney General, and that in such a situation the whole question of settlement should be turned back to the people, through the means of a special election to straighten out a tangle for which the legislature itself was responsible.

Any other conclusion—or the conclusion reached by the Attorney General and Governor—might encourage the planning of just such situations in advance of elections, in order that elections might be nullified, so far as the people are concerned, and appointments made instead. There is no intimation, of course, that there was any such plan in this case, but it seems clear that such plans might be made.

Messrs Harner and Benson appeared before Edwin M. Mellor, County Clerk, on Tuesday, asking to be sworn in, but were refused; and the present Commissioners, on advice of counsel, have announced that they will continue in office until removed by order of Court.

The petition for recount seems to be resting quietly. If the decision that the election was illegal, stands, the recounting of two districts could not make it legal. The real question involved seems to be, whether the Governor has the appointive power in unusual cases of this character; or whether fairness demands that the people be given the right to select their own Commissioners in a legal way. And this, is likely a question for some court with authority, to decide.

The Record received, this Friday morning, through the courtesy of E. O. Weant, attorney, the opinion in detail of Attorney General Robinson. We regret that at so late an hour we do not have room for more than the paragraphs referring to "vacancies," but the substance of the opinion that the election is invalid is stated in this issue. As to the "vacancy" existing, he says:

"Section 4 of Article 25 of the Code of Public General Laws, authorizes you, as the Governor of the State, to fill vacancies created by 'death, resignation or otherwise.' In the case of Handy vs. Hopkins, 59 Md. 172, the Court of Appeals decided that where the office of a Commissioner became vacant because of a void election, it was proper for the order of Court to direct that notice of the vacancy be given to the Governor that he might fill it under the above provision of the Code."

"It is my opinion, therefore, that there will be two vacancies on the Board of County Commissioners for Carroll County on December 1st, 1926, and another vacancy on Dec. 1st, 1927, and that you, as Governor of the State, are authorized to fill these vacancies by appointment. Section 4 of Article 25 further requires your appointments to fill these vacancies to be submitted to the Senate within thirty days after the next meeting of the Legislature."

"Although this conclusion may op-

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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.

The County Commissioner Situation.

As there were three County Commissioners elected for terms beginning Dec. 1, 1926, and as Mr. Repp's term does not expire until Dec. 1, 1927, we evidently have "four" men "elected" for Commissioners for the year beginning December 1, 1926 instead of "three." This being the case, it appears a logical view that none of the three elected at the past election are, in fact, legally elected.

The situation is very much as it would be had the voters marked their ballots for "four" candidates, disregarding the "vote for three" instructions, with this difference; that not the voters, but those who drafted the law fitting our elections to the every two years plan, practically elected four Commissioners instead of three; and if this logic be correct, then the recent election of "three" Commissioners is void, just as ballots would have been if cast for "four" candidates for Commissioners—they would have been "rejected," and not counted for that group of candidates.

In the absence of law covering such blunders, it appears to us that common sense makes good law; and the foregoing seems the "common sense" way out of the situation, which would make a vacancy, or "no election" for any of three Commissioners just chosen, and necessitate a special election by the people for two candidates for the full term, and for one to fill out the end of Mr. Repp's term.

It is also "common sense" that it would be illegal and unfair to "pull straws" to recify the case, as it would also be illegal and unfair for the incoming legislature, or for any present state authority, to make an ex-post facto ruling not fully provided for by law, nor to pass a law legislating one of the three out of office for a year, and say who of the three shall take the abbreviated term.

This course of reasoning would assume that there is an existing authority that could declare the recent election void, and authorize a special election, and that the Central Committees could designate the candidates for the short term. If this course would have to go through the legislature, then there would be the problem of the status of the Board in the interim between Dec. 1st, and the election; but it would seem that the present board would continue in office until their successors are elected and installed.

It has been suggested that one of the candidates returned elected might voluntarily agree to accept the short three year term, and that this would straighten out the tangle. But it does not seem to us that it would, for the three having the highest vote, are either elected for four years, or they are not; and it would hardly be in order for one of them to resign for a year and then accept the three years remaining. There could be no legal justification for such a course.

(The above was written shortly after the election, but was held up until this week. It was in type and in our forms for this issue before we had information as to the action of the Attorney General in the case, an account of which appears on the first page of this issue. We let it appear because it contains a view of the case that is partly different from the action taken.—Ed.)

Cost \$100,000 to Save the Lives of Five Miners.

Last week a Philadelphia newspaper gave an account of the rescuing of five miners who had been entombed in a mine for nine days. They were finally reached and taken out, all of them well and but little the worse for their experience. The article closed with this bit of information.

"The rescue work is said to have cost the Coal Company about \$100,000."

When we read accounts of strikes, lock-outs and reduction in wages, we are apt to think of the Coal Company

as hard task-masters, taking advantage whenever they can of their employees, and in general driving hard bargains; but this happening seems to tell a different story.

The particular Company may have been an exceptional one; and it may be that there are some Companies that do act selfishly and harshly toward their men; but it seems quite probable that as a whole they actually are concerned for the welfare of their working force, and that this mine disaster represented only one of the expenses of operating mines that is considered, along with the payment of wages, as an item to be provided for.

The fact is, it always pays to treat labor fairly, and employers are wise to the fact—it is "good business" to do so. This particular Company, for instance, could not have neglected the rescue of these men, and continued to operate, even had it felt inclined to save the \$100,000. There is, therefore, not only the natural inclination to take the best possible care of operatives, but the best of business reasons for it, and the two sentiments are very probably in evidence in nine-tenths of all disputes between employer and employed.

Edgar A Guest's Poems.

About the nicest specimens of poetry to be seen in the papers, nowadays, are the specimens presented by Edgar A. Guest. We would like to publish every one we see, but they are "copyrighted," which means that only those who subscribe for the feature, have a right to use them.

But, this does not mean that they can not be clipped and used in a scrap book, and used perhaps a recitation or to quote from. Edgar A. Guest's work is not only real poetry, but it is clean and human, and applicable to many every-day thoughts.

They are a fine contribution to clean literature, of a kind of which we have too little. They are not "jazzy" nor foolish, nor mischievous in their expressed sentiments; not made to laugh at, nor to cause one to laugh at something or somebody else. Whenever you see an Edgar A. Guest poem, read it, and save it.

The Dog Law.

The Dog Tax law seems to be one difficult to enforce, perhaps because it is considered an unnecessary law, by some, inflicting a tax that is extremely unpopular; and because the dog population is hard to keep track of.

The reasons for the law, however, seem to be good, because of the damage some dogs do, especially to sheep.

In Frederick county, for instance, the dog population is estimated at fully 7000, while so far only about 2100 licenses have been issued this year. And now, the County Commissioners have again sent out orders for the law to be rigidly enforced. The law itself is, in substance, like this;

"On or before the first day of July of each year, the owner of any dog, six months old or over, shall apply either orally or in writing to the County Treasurer, or clerk to the County Commissioners in counties having no treasurer, of the county in which he or she resides, or to a Justice of the Peace of any district in said county, for a license for each such dog owned or kept by him, and said application shall be accompanied by a fee of \$1.00 for each male dog or each spayed female dog, and a fee of two dollars for each unsprayed female dog." Then the act provides for the payment of \$10 for a renewal license by a person or persons owning 25 dogs or less, and the sum of \$25 for more than 25 dogs. Licenses can be procured for dogs by the owners, either from the County Treasurer at his office in the Court House, or from Justice of the Peace in the various districts in the county. All licenses expire on July 1, of the following year, or to make it even more plain, all licenses which should have been procured on or before July 1, 1926, will expire on July 1, 1927.

This law is much like many others—unpopular. But, like all laws, it should be obeyed and enforced, or repealed. No one has the right to elect the laws he will obey, and those he will disobey because he has personal reasons for disagreeing with them. So, the little dog law is really a big one, in that it meets with such extensive violation on the part of citizens.

Small Town Characteristics.

Our idea of a small-minded person is one that gets a certain expression on his face and makes remarks similar to these: "I've never lived in a town as small as this one." "Oh, you can't expect to buy anything here, I've met him, he lives out here in the country."

One of these days we are going to forget about politeness and say exactly what we think about these people that are always knocking a small town. Nine out of ten of them are here working, and if a town is large enough to support them by giving them work, they certainly don't need a book of etiquette to tell them not to "run down" the town, or, as the

old war song put it, "Don't bite the hand that's feeding you."

These people that growl about not being able to shop in their own town usually argue over the prices and then leave the stores with the catty remark, "I really wanted something nicer than this." If the merchant knew that you would trade with him he could afford to buy the ready-to-wear dresses or expensive materials that you want. But when you patronize your home-town merchant, only because you haven't time to go to Jacksonville, you can't expect him to cater to your wants.

There is one thing we want to know, and that is, why do people knock small towns. In looking through the papers this morning we read of one town that, as they stated it, "had outgrown its small-town ways," and the other town casually admitted, "We are throwing aside our small-town garb." If we were to volunteer our diagnosis of these two towns we might suggest braggartism of the mouth and rheumatism of the brain.

If they are afflicted with the former disease, we know that they are just waking up to the fact that their town has unknown possibilities and they are just starting some movement that they should have completed years ago. And because of this discovery, which we wager an outsider had to show them, they gaze on their improvements and say "Behold our metropolis." However, of the two diseases we think a rheumatic brain is the greater affliction. Men often forget that the sympathy, kindness and understanding that make life pleasant and living easier, are the main factors in life in a small town. In fact, these virtues when exaggerated furnish the basis for the only criticism that can be given against small towns—that of gossip.

So you have your choice, live satisfied in a small town where you find this sympathy or move to a larger town where you will be contented. But above all things, do not stay here and wish you were somewhere else. As Elbert Hubbard said, "If you must vilify, condemn, and eternally disparage, why, resign your position, and when you are outside damn to your heart's content."—Clay County (Fla.) Times.

Public Attention.

People who are trying to make a success of business have much to learn from watching the methods of promoting plays, novels and such works of literature.

If a novel is simply printed and offered to the public, the mere fact that it lies on the counter of a book store does not get any sale for it. The mere fact that the doors of a play-house are open does not draw the crowd. Something must be done to stir up public interest in that novel or play.

Any kind of interest is better than none. A play or novel that is thoroughly knocked by the critics is likely to obtain better public patronage than one that is simply passed by in silence. If such a production is hampered from all sides, people get the idea that it is interesting, or it would not arouse so much attention. So they attend the play or buy the novel just to see what it is all about and what their own opinion of it will be.

It is much the same in selling merchandise. The concern that simply opens its doors and tries to please those who come in, is apt to get about as far as the novel or play that is not advertised. If such a store keeps on many years, it may eventually make good, but it usually takes a long time to do it, and the great majority of those who try that plan have to give it up, as they use up their capital waiting for the crowd to come.

When a retail business begins to advertise, then the public begins to wake up and be interested. They think they would like to see the things that are being pushed, and so they come around to look and form their own opinion. If the goods back up the statements of the advertising, as almost always they do, then the people will buy. The concern thereby gains a position where it can do a large business, and serve the public well and make dividends for itself through volume of trade.—Frederick News.

The Massachusetts Experiment.

A leading insurance paper asks the question, "What will happen when Massachusetts compulsory automobile liability insurance law goes into effect next January?"

Nothing startling will happen, except the public will find that a state law cannot provide automobile insurance of a satisfactory character, protecting both the car owner and the public at a price which disregards the loss averages as computed by the insurance companies.

The Massachusetts law may secure a limited policy for less money. It



Hesson's Department Store

GET READY

FOR

CHRISTMAS NOW

Get ready for Christmas now by coming to our store and making your gift selections from our complete stock of gift merchandise. We can supply you with merchandise that will make ideal gifts for father, mother, brother, sister, sweetheart or little tots.

Dress Material.

Enough material selected from our stock of the newest in Dress materials, for a Dress, would make a very useful and pleasing gift. Our stock of Fall and Winter Dress Goods contains some of the very latest materials.

Ivorith Toilet Sets.

Good quality Ivorith or amber Toilet Sets of Comb brush and good quality mirror in fancy cloth lined cases are just the thing for Christmas presents.

Traveling Bags.

One of our fine quality traveling Bags or Suit Cases, would make an ideal gift this Christmas—something that would be lasting and useful. Look over our assortment and find the one to your liking.

Neckties for Men.

There is nothing the average man appreciates more than a collection of pretty Neckties. We have a large stock of pretty four-in-hand Ties in the most popular materials for Men and Boys.

Bed Blankets.

Give a pair of good warm Bed Blankets for a practical gift. In our stock you will find a lot of numbers to select from. Full size double blankets in cotton, wool nap and all wool in very pretty patterns.

Manicure Sets.

Complete sets in good quality leather cases or rolls. One of these would be very much appreciated as a gift because of the usefulness and the quality of the set.

Umbrellas.

For men or ladies a good quality Umbrella would make an ideal gift. We have them in the newest fancy handles for ladies and men. The cloth is the very best the price can buy. If you know your friend is in need of an umbrella you cannot go wrong in buying him or her one from our stock.

Handkerchiefs.

Handkerchiefs are always very popular for gifts. We have a large assortment of good quality, lawn and Swiss Handkerchiefs in white and colors with pretty designs embroidered in the corner; also pure linen for ladies. Fancy border and pure linen handkerchiefs for men, and pretty novelty handkerchiefs for the little tots. All our Handkerchiefs are packed in neat Christmas packages that make them more timely gifts.

Novelty and Eight Day Clocks.

Nothing is more practical for a gift than a good Clock. It is something the whole family appreciates and enjoys. Beautiful novelty Clocks that will run for thirty hours without winding and the best quality eight day fancy Mantle Clocks that strike beautifully on the hour and half hour.

Hosiery.

A large assortment of Hosiery for men, ladies and children, in all the leading colors, both in silk or wool. A pair of hose always makes a practical inexpensive gift.

For Ladies, we have novelty patterns in lisle thread, silk and wool, "Humming Bird" and Silver Star, pure Silk Hose in all the leading colors.

For Men, the good quality lisle in plain colors, and also fancy patterns, silk or silk and wool, in very pretty patterns.

For Boys' and Girls all the new novelty Hosiery that is most popular.

Fine Dress Gloves.

A pair of Dress Gloves of fine quality and the kind that look well on the hands, makes a very timely gift. A full line of Kid Gloves and Kayser Suede Gloves with the fancy tops for ladies. Well made and good looking kid and suede gloves for men.

Box Stationery.

For an inexpensive and yet very useful gift we would suggest a box of good quality stationery. It is always very useful and very much appreciated. You can find something in this line among our assortment that would be sure to please.

Women's Hand Bags.

A good quality up to the minute stylish hand bag always makes a very pleasing present. We have a full line of leather and beaded Hand Bags for ladies and children, at various prices.

Roger Brothers 1847 Silverware.

Roger Brothers 1847 Silverware has always been very popular for gifts. You will find us prepared for the Christmas season with a full assortment of this popular ware in the best patterns. Come in and select several pieces to add to that friend's collection.

can force everybody to insure, but the careful man will also have to carry insurance as in the past, to cover many risks which are omitted under the statutory requirements.

There is one effect that will follow the Massachusetts experiment—it will be used as a lever to enact similar legislation in other states. Such legislation will then be used as a second lever to put the state into the insurance business, on the ground that if a state law requires a man to carry insurance, it should also furnish him this insurance at "cost."

And right here will be the joker in the deal. "At cost" can be figured so many different ways under political management that the insured and the public would never know what the

cost was, except as the tax bills rolled in to cover various deficits.

Doubt is freely expressed, as to the probability of wholesale compulsory insurance having a tendency to reduce accidents. If a reckless or irresponsible man is insured, he is less likely to be careful as to injury of persons and property than if he had no insurance to cover his careless acts.—The Manufacturer.

Mothers Are Matchmakers

In Tunis, says a recent visitor to northern Africa, mothers make the matches. Nor are marriages there made in heaven, but rather "at the baths," where girls who have arrived at the marriageable age may be studied and discussed by prospective

mothers-in-law. Fathers do not figure in the marriage bargain, save that it is they who are expected to handle all mercenary matters—often finding it expedient to haggle a bit before a settlement agreeable to both sides is arrived at.

Like Meeting Old Friend

When the ninth consecutive car of the same make, belonging to Mr. Detling of Del Monte, Calif., had finished its days of service, Mr. Detling went to buy another. While inspecting various models of automobiles, his attention was drawn to an extremely archaic appearing vehicle in the showroom. Looking it over with more than a passing interest, he was amazed to find, by reading the serial and motor numbers, that the car was one he had owned 22 years before.

Sweaters.

A good quality Sweater always makes a very practical gift. Possibly some member of the family would appreciate a Sweater as a gift this year. You will find us with a stock of the best in this line at the lowest prices. For boys, girls, men or ladies you will surely find something in our line to please.

Dress Shirts for Men.

A pretty, full cut, well made Dress Shirt makes a very pleasing gift. We have a full stock of collar attached and neck band shirts in plain white broadcloth and fancy patterns at various prices to select from. Some of these come in neat Christmas boxes.

Fountain Pens.

A good Fountain Pen is always quite an asset to its owner. We know of nothing that would make a more practical gift than a good L. E. Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen. The Waterman Ideal is a pen you need not fear to give for they are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. We have a pen to suit most any writer of any need.

Raincoats.

A good Raincoat always makes a very practical gift. We have a line of the very best Raincoats. They are well made, guaranteed to turn water and come in all the new colors and styles.

Bath Robes.

A good Bath Robe makes a very appropriate gift. We have a very pretty assortment of these suitable for men or women. They come in pretty patterns and are well made.

Boudoir Slippers.

They are very popular as gifts. We have a very pretty assortment this year in all the most popular styles and colors for ladies and children. Also have a full line of cloth and leather bedroom slippers for men.

Towel Sets.

A Towel Set consisting of a towel and two wash clothes makes a very nice gift. We have a very pretty assortment of these packed in dainty Christmas boxes.

Fancy Dishes.

A pretty dish is always very much appreciated as a gift. We have a very pretty assortment of fancy china dishes. Also open stock assortments of dinner dishes of the best quality ware prettily designed.

Pure Linen Bridge Sets.

A very pretty assortment of pure linen bridge sets in pink, blue or gold borders. They make ideal gifts. The lady never gets too much fine table linen? Also have a few linen table cloths with colored borders. They come in good sizes and are of the quality that you would want to give as a Christmas gift.

Tree Ornaments.

A complete line of Christmas tree ornaments to select from. All the newest ornaments on the markets can be had at our store. Crepe paper, paper bells, garlands, tinsel, snow, icicles, tree balls of various colors. In fact everything to make the Christmas decorations complete.

Aluminum Ware.

A piece of good quality aluminum ware makes an ideal gift for the housewife. We have an assortment of the best quality heavy gauge aluminum that is sure to please.

Silk Lingerie.

A piece of beautiful silk lingerie makes a most pleasing gift. Silk vests, silk stepins, or silk bloomers in all the delicate shades and at most reasonable prices.

Toys.

We have gotten together a very nice assortment of Toys for the children, and feel sure they will be delighted when they see them, for they are the kind that always appeal to children.

Dolls.

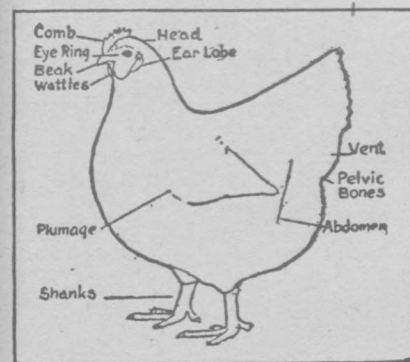
A very nice lot of Dolls have come to our store this year. We have them in most all grades from the cheap ones to real life like dolls. Bring the children in and let them look them over. They will surely find the one they want.

POULTRY

CULLING HEN FLOCK INCREASES PROFITS

The first essential for high egg production is healthy and vigorous stock, says H. M. Wells, the extension poultryman, of the University of Nebraska. Birds that have any physical defects should not be kept. The indications in health and vigor are noted by a good bright eye, a bright red comb and an active disposition. The poor layer will generally appear listless, inactive and have a poor appetite. The hen that is first off the roost in the morning, the last on the roost at night, and has a full good crop of feed when she goes to roost, usually proves to be the best layer.

Certain colors or pigment changes also indicate whether a hen is a good layer or not, especially during the summer months after a period of heavy laying. These color changes can



Points to Observe in Picking Out Layers.

be noted in yellow-skinned breeds. The heavy layers can usually be distinguished by the faded-out appearance of the vent, eye ring, beak, skin, and shanks. This is due to the fact that the laying fowl uses up the surplus fat in the body for egg production, using it especially from the skin. The fat carries with it the color pigment so that the good layer has lighter-colored shanks, skin and beak than has the poor layer.

Poultry profits are not based altogether on the number of hens in the flock, but rather on the number of eggs that the hens lay. The elimination of the poor layer from the flock should begin about the first week in June or as soon as the production begins to decrease perceptibly, and should continue during the summer and fall. The accompanying diagram shows the points that should be given special consideration when culling the poor layers out of the flock.

Avoid Chilling Eggs in Gathering for Hatching

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Eggs saved for hatching should be gathered often enough through the day to prevent any possibility of the germs being killed from becoming chilled, says the United States Department of Agriculture, and for best results should be stored in a moderately cool place where the temperature is between 50 degrees and 75 degrees Fahrenheit. It is not advisable to hold hatching eggs longer than ten days or two weeks before being incubated, and the fresher they are when set the better the chances of a good hatch and strong chicks. It is harmful to wash the eggs intended for hatching, as the pores become filled and the air is shut off from the living embryo.

It is also advisable to test the eggs in each setting for the removal of the infertile ones, which will give a better chance to those that are left. This should be done about the sixth or seventh day. A simple homemade tester can be made in a few minutes from a small wooden or pasteboard box of such size that a common hand lamp, a lantern or a candle can be placed in it. A hole should be cut in the top directly over the flame, and another a little smaller than an egg in one side opposite the flame. The testing should be done in a dark room.

In testing, the light shining through the egg held against the hole in the side of the box, shows the condition of the egg. An infertile egg is clear, while the fertile egg will show a spiderlike formation, a center with long, crooked threads, leading outward, and this formation will float as the egg is turned.

Feed Sprouted Oats to Poultry During Winter

The poultry raiser who has not yet adopted sprouted oats as a part of the hen's bill of fare, especially during the winter months, is not only depriving his hens of feed that would be relished and which is most valuable in feeding for egg production, but is also overlooking one of the best opportunities to save on the cost of feeding.

Spring Range for Fowls Needed for Good Health

As soon as spring comes, the fowls should be given the range of a large yard where they can pick green food and dig for worms. If any of the fowls have diarrhea, add to each gallon of their drinking water one teaspoonful of powdered muric acid of ammonia. Supply this three days, then give pure water three days, then the medicine, and so on. Diet is more than medicine in most cases of indigestion.

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30x3 1/2 Auto Tubes, \$7.98 each	98c	All kinds of Cigarettes, \$1.20 carton	for 25c
Automobile Batteries, 5c each		4 boxes Chipped Beef, 8c lb	
Gasoline Lamp Mantles, 98c		XXXX Powdered Sugar, \$5.35 per can	
1 gal. can Non Freeze, \$3.25		Carbide, \$3.98 each	
3 1/2-gal. Can Non Freeze, \$4.45		Men's Work Coats, 1c dozen	
5-gal. Can Non Freeze, \$4.45		Clothes Pins, 29c pound	
This non freeze is to put in your automobile radiator to keep it from freezing.			
2-horse Gasoline Engine for \$25.00			
Ford Windshield Glass, 98c			
Couch Covers, \$1.39 each			
Fountain Pens, 25c each			
Gun Shells, 49c Box			
Large Pennsylvania Potatoes to put away for winter \$1.98 per bu.			
Large Kow Kare, 79c box			
Quart Baking Syrup, 19c can			
Corn Nubbins, \$1.50 per barrel			
English Walnuts, 29c per bushel			
Black Pepper, 39c per pound			
Buckle Arctics, \$1.98 pair			
Poultry Buttermilk, 3c per pound			
Red Barn Paint, 98c gal. can			
25-lb. Box Prunes for \$1.39			
Shredded Coconut, 19c lb			
30x3 1/2 Cord Tires, \$4.75			
Granulated Sugar, \$5.98 bag			
Coal Oil, 13c Gallon			
6-lb. Can Chipped Beef, \$1.98			
Loose Chipped Beef, 49c lb			
Table Syrup, 59c gallon can			
Gold Seal Congoleum, 59c yd			
Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs, \$5.98			
Muslin, 5c yard			
Cold Test Auto Oil, 49c gallon			
Middlings, \$1.69 per bag			
Cottonseed Meal, \$1.69 bag			
31x4 Cord Tires, \$10.95			
32x4 Cord Tires, \$11.82			
33x4 Cord Tires, \$12.59			
Straight Run Gasoline, 17c gallon			
Men's Overcoats, \$4.98			
Ford Touring Tops, \$3.98			
Ford Radiator Hose, 5c each			
Ford Radiators, \$8.98 each			
Butterine, 25c pound			
Linen Window Shades, 48c each			
2-lbs. Chocolate Drops for 25c			
Medium Auto Oil, 29c gallon			
2 Blow-Out Patches, for 25c			
Galvanized Tubs, 39c each			
Automobile Chains, \$1.69 set			
Radio Tubes, 98c each			
Bed Blankets, 98c each			
Babbitt Lye, 11c can			
Men's Sweaters, 75c each			
Roofing, \$1.25 per roll			
Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.98			
Air Tight Stoves, \$1.48 each			
2-lbs Soda Crackers, for 29c			
25-lb. bag Indian Salt, for 39c			
50-lb. bag Indian Salt, for 70c			
3 large boxes Cream Corn Starch, 25c			
140-lb. bag Coarse Salt, for 98c			
Children's Sweaters, for 39c			
Boys' Heavy Underwear, for 69c			
Boys' Union Suits, for 48c			
Women's Winter Underwear, for 48c			
2 boxes Tube Patching, for 25c			
4 Bars Palm Olive Soap, for 25c			
Cheese, 29c per pound			
Dried Peaches, 19c lb			
Large bag Gold Medal Flour, for \$1.10			
Girls' Union Suits, for 48c			
Stock Feed Molasses, 19c gallon			
2 large boxes Luck Strikes, for 25c			
2 large boxes Chesterfields, for 25c			
2 large boxes Camels, for 25c			
2 large boxes Piedmonts, for 25c			
Plow Shares, 70c each			
31x4 Auto Tubes, \$1.84			
32x4 Auto Tubes, \$2.39			
33x4 Auto Tubes, \$1.98 each			
2-lbs. Fig Bars, for 25c			
Boys' Long Lined Cord Pants, \$1.39 pr			
Shippensburg Cord Pants, \$3.75 pair			
Electric Heaters, \$2.48			
Roofing Paint, 69c gal. in 5 gal. lots			
3 boxes Corn Flakes, for 25c			
24-lb. bag Gold Medal Flour, \$1.10			
1-gallon Stone Pots, 19c			
Radio Dry Batteries, \$1.39			
Tractor Oil, 38c gallon			
300 Strainer Discs, for \$1.69			
2 pounds Macaroni, for 25c			
Bushel Bag Coarse Salt, for 45c			
Boys' School Suits, for \$4.35			
2 pounds Raisins, for 25c			
25-lb. box Raisins, for \$1.98			
Bran, \$1.65 Bag			
25-lb. box Dried Peaches, for \$3.98			
Red Barn Paint, 98c gallon can			
Wash Boiler, 98c each			
Women's Rubbers, 75c pair			
Floor Covering, 29c yd			
3 pairs Canvas Gloves, for 25c			
Galvanized Furnace Pipe, 29c joint			
A. C. Spark Plugs, 39c each			
Champion Spark Plugs, 45c each			
2 Ford Spark Plugs, for 25c			
8x10 Window Lights, 49c dozen			
Dairy Feed, \$1.65 per bag			
7 Bars P. & G. Soap, for 25c			
30x3 1/2 Cord Tires, \$4.98			
Dates, 15c package			
10 pack bag Large Penna. Potatoes to store for winter \$4.95 bag			
30x3 1/2 Red Auto Tubes, \$1.25			
Cocoanuts, 9c each			
Ford Truck Bodies, \$9.98 each			
Barley, 75c bushel bag			
99c White Pail Soap deal, for 79c			
We allow you \$1.50 for your old auto battery when you buy a new one.			
Dolls, 5c each			
Doll Heads, 5c each			
Horns, 3c each			
Drums, 10c each			
Pop Guns, 10c each			
Toy Automobiles, 25c each			
Tree Balls, 5c each			
Rubber Balls, 75c			
Tinker Toys, 25c each			
Shaving Sets, 1 1/2 lb			
Sweet Potatoes, 98c pair			
Overalls, \$1.98 pair			
Men's 4 Buckle artics, \$4.75			
30x3 1/2 Tires, \$4.75			
Lard Cans, 29c each			
Enamel Pie Pans, 5c each			
Enamel Cake Pans, 5c each			
4 10c Cans Chipped Beef, for 25c			
Cord Pants, \$2.39 pair			
Outing Flannel, 10c			
2-lb. Pack Prunes, for 25c			
Coffee, 25c lb			
2-lb. Soda Crackers, for 25c			
Ford Fenders, \$1.98			
Chair Seats, 5c			
Plow Shares, 70c each			
Penna. Potatoes, \$1.39 bushel			
High Chairs, \$1.98			
30x3 1/2 Douglas Tires, \$6.98			
2 Spark Plugs, for 25c			
4 Tumblers Peanut Butter, for 25c			

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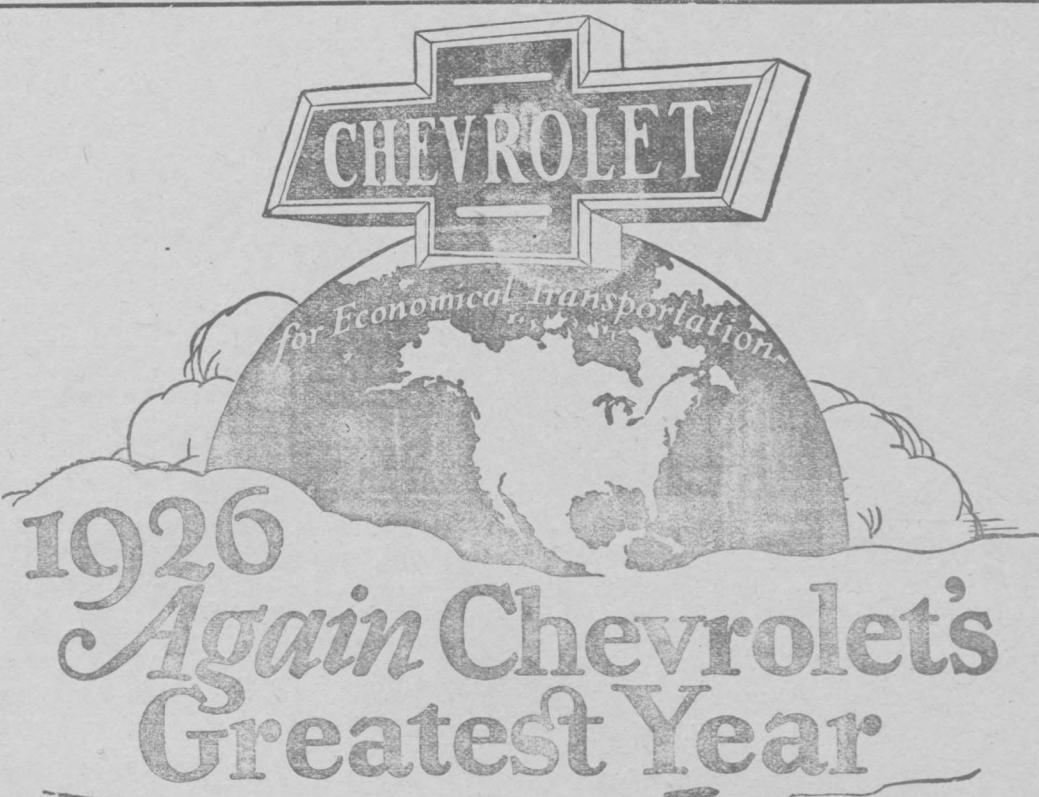
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All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items submitted are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted.

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 First Mail, west, on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

LINWOOD.

C. W. Binkley and family, also William Binkley, of Baltimore, spent Thanksgiving day with Pink Birely and family, of Ladiesburg.

Mrs. L. U. Messler entertained the Adult Bible Class, at her home, on Tuesday evening.

John E. Drach and family were Sunday visitors in the home of William Brandenburg, Union Bridge.

E. M. Rouzer, of Baltimore, and Robert Myers, of Lehigh University, were here with their home folks, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ridenour, Mrs. Ella Borey, Mrs. J. Gattrell Smith and daughter, Ella, of Hagerstown, were callers at J. W. Messler's, Friday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Wilhide visited her home folks, at Thurmont, over Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. J. W. Messler, Mr. and Mrs. Seward Englar, were entertained to supper, Wednesday evening, by Jesse Smith and wife, of Union Bridge.

Rev. Paul Yoder, of Huntingdon, Pa., made a flying visit to Linwood, the last of the week.

Mrs. Frank Stevenson, of Westminster, Mrs. James Etzler and Robert Etzler motored to Cumberland, Friday, to visit Charlie Etzler and family, returning Sunday. Miss Grace Coddington accompanied them, visiting her home folks, at Grantsville, Md.

Miss Grace Coddington and Miss Mable Wilhide were guests of L. U. Messler and family, Tuesday evening. C. W. Binkley and family and Mrs. J. W. Messler called on John A. Englar and family, of Baltimore, Sunday afternoon. Miss Virginia Englar, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting friends at Rocky Ridge and Linwood, returned home with them.

Mrs. John Drach and daughter, Miss Bertha, motored to Baltimore, Wednesday.

From some unknown cause, the tenant house on Joseph Dayhoff's farm, occupied by William Davis, caught fire last Wednesday, destroying the upper story. The Union Bridge Fire Company was notified, and as usual, did noble work.

The December meeting of the P. T. C. A., will be held the 8th, instead of the 1st. A health program will be given by the children, and Dr. Stone is expected to be present, with stereopticon views.

We are glad to report that Mrs. John Marshall, who has been quite ill, at the Frederick City Hospital, is improving.

Mrs. John Crabbs was given a birthday surprise, last Friday evening, by twenty of her friends. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games and music, after which tempting refreshments were served. Mrs. Crabbs was the recipient of some very useful gifts. At a late hour all departed, wishing their hostess many more happy occasions.

NORTH EAST CARROLL.

Preaching at St. David's (Sherman's) Sunday afternoon, at 2:00, by Rev. E. M. Sando. Sunday School at 1:00; C. E., at 7:00. The Reformed Missionary Society had a fine program Sunday night, at the church; the collection amounted over \$100.

George Bowman, a student of Millersville State Normal School, spent Thanksgiving vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman.

Mt. Ventus School house of this place will be sold at public sale, on Monday, Dec. 6, at the Court House, Westminster.

Wesley Houck installed a pipeless furnace, Tuesday.

Evangelistic services began on Tuesday evening, at the Evangelical Church. The meeting will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. George Trye, Hanover, services begin at 7:30 each evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sterner and son, Sterling, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Black and daughter, Ruby, spent Sunday afternoon with the former's aunt, Amanda.

Rinehart, of Cherry Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garrett and daughters, Dortha and Effie, and Mrs. William Utz, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Utz's daughter-in-law and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Utz, of Manchester, Pa.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Frock and family, were Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Clingan and daughter, Margaret, of Pleasant Valley; Mr. and Mrs. William Edmondson and children, Anna and William, of Klee's Mill.

Miss Luella Helwig, of Westminster, spent Thanksgiving Day with her friend, Miss Ruth Frock.

Mrs. Vernon Myers and daughter, Betty Jane, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Paul Myers.

Quite a large crowd attended the chicken and oyster supper, which was held on Thanksgiving evening, in the new hall, by St. Matthew's Union congregation.

We surely are having nice weather for this time of the year.

Sunday School, Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock.

UNIONTOWN.

Benton Flater is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Will Farmwalt and family, in Littlestown.

Mrs. Harry Haines and daughter, Dorris, visited in Baltimore, from Thursday till Sunday.

The Wyoming tribe of R. M. finished up their business meeting, last Friday evening, by a social time, and enjoyed the appetizing refreshments.

C. Edgar Myers is improving his home, by having several hard wood floors laid, and making other changes for convenience.

Harold Smelser put down several new floors several weeks ago, also papered and painted which brightened up appearances.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Lowe were entertained, Thanksgiving Day, by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koons and Mrs. L. Fleagle, Taneytown.

H. B. Fogle and family, Miss Deine Sittig, J. E. Heck, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lockard were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner, by Miss Ida Mering, on Saturday evening.

Margaret Sittig spent her holidays with relatives in New Windsor. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Devilbiss spent part of last week visiting relatives in Philadelphia, and attending the Sesqui.

The ladies of the M. P. Missionary Society had a very successful Christmas sale, Tuesday evening.

Recent guests have been, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Miller, Mt. Union Pa., at Charles Simpson's; Mrs. Isaac Greenwood and daughter, Miss Reba, James Greenwood, of Pleasant Hill, Melvin Demmit and family, of Baltimore, at Horace Simpson's; Mrs. Wedney Bowersox, daughter Catherine and son, Robert, and Miss Edith Hinkle, of York, at B. L. Waltz's; Carroll Weaver and family, at H. H. Weaver's; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roland and daughter, Lois, of Hagerstown, at C. Edgar Myers'; Mr. Newcomer and family, of Washingtonboro, at Rev. J. H. Hoch's; Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Dubs and son, of Hanover, at Mrs. Flora Shiner's.

Charles Waltz is improving the appearance of his house, and making it more comfortable, by putting on new weather boarding.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spicher gave a dinner, to a number of relatives, Thanksgiving Day.

The painting done to the interior of the Lutheran Church is about finished, and presents a very nice appearance. Re-opening services are expected to be held shortly. The Sunday School will render the Cantata "The Light of the World," on Christmas eve.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold a Christmas party, in the school room, Thursday evening, Dec. 9th. Public cordially invited. Uniontown school won the attendance banner for October.

Children who made perfect attendance during November, in First and Second Grades, were Guy Dayhoff, Sterling Fogle, Richard Hull, Norman Haines, Harold Smelser, Jr., Melvin Fritz, Ira Otto, William Zile, George Zinkhan, Gerald Fogle, Mary Hahn, Genevieve Weller, Charlotte Crumbacker, Elvy Sittig, Helena Wolf, Lettie Martin.

KEYMAR.

Miss Agatha Hahn, who is attending school, near Baltimore, spent Thanksgiving and last week-end at her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hahn, near this place.

Mrs. Edgar Wilhide made a business trip to Frederick, last Friday.

Little Miss Emma Dern, of New Midway, spent last week-end at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Bessie Mehning.

Elmer Smith, of Walkersville, formerly of near this place, and well known here, has been seriously ill for eight weeks, with typhoid fever, is now improving.

Edwin H. Sharetts attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, F. S. Cromer, in Gettysburg, last Wednesday.

Mrs. R. W. Galt is spending this week in Gettysburg, with her cousin, Miss Ella Gilliland, Miss Gilliland returned from Europe, last week, and said she had a wonderful time sight-seeing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bell, of Key-mar, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Humbert, of Middleburg, spent last Saturday night in York, at the home of Mrs. Bell's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fields, and on Sunday they motored to New York, where they spent some time at the home of the former's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Horowitz; and on their return they spent some time in Philadelphia, and took in the Sesqui.

Mrs. Bessie Mehning made a business trip to Westminster, last Monday.

Edwin H. Sharetts, Mrs. Annie Sharetts, and Mrs. Emma Shiner, of this place, attended the Wilhide-Ritter wedding, last Wednesday eve, near Keysville.

Mrs. J. C. Newman is spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Harbaugh, Westminster.

Mrs. Nora Ambrose, of Thurmont, spent last Wednesday at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bell, this place, and was accompanied by Mrs. Bell to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Zent, near Ladiesburg. Mr. Zent, who had been ill, is improving slowly.

Ernest Davis, of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of Westminster, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Otto.

Geo. I. Harman has put a new front porch to the farm house along the Taneytown-Keymar road, tenanted by H. R. Frock, which adds to the appearance of the home.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Dayhoff and family were Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Fogle, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Schmuck and daughter, Edna, of York, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Dayhoff, daughter Viola, and son, Whitfield; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Frock, of Keysville.

NEW WINDSOR.

On Thursday afternoon last, at the home of Cornelius Haines and wife, a very pretty wedding was solemnized, when their only daughter, Martha Mae, was married to Norman Naill, by Jay Replogle, of Huntington, Pa.

Mrs. Replogle played "Lohengrin's" wedding march. Mrs. Campbell Tracey, of Washington, was matron of honor. Mr. Tracey was bestman. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns and flowers. After the ceremony a reception was held. The bride was tattered in white georgette and lace and had a veil, with orange blossoms, and carried white roses. Mrs. Tracey wore chignon over yellow and carried pink roses. The bride's going gown was blue, with gray trimming; with hat, gloves and shoes to match. The happy couple left for Hagerstown, on their way to Uniontown, Pa. On their return they will make their home with the bride's parents. The groom is employed at Smeler's mill.

Mrs. J. R. Galt and Mrs. Isaac Smelser entertained the Missionary Society from the Presbyterian church at Mrs. Galt's, on Wednesday evening.

Austin Yingling and wife, and Oliver Crouse and wife, were visited at Paul Buckley's, on Sunday last.

John H. Roop is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Walter Bower, at Taneytown.

Charles Marsh, who has been quite sick, at the home of his brother, Dr. James Marsh, is not improving.

Arthur Dows and family, visited Mrs. Dows' parents, at Fawn Grove, Pa., on Sunday last.

H. C. Roop and family and Miss Anna Roop visited in Baltimore, on Sunday last.

Mrs. Emma Gilbert has gone to Baltimore, where she expects to spend the winter.

Julia Roop and Kendall Paul, will represent New Windsor High School, at the Declaration contest, this Friday evening, Dec. 3rd.

E. C. Ensor and son, Truman, and C. E. Nusbau and sons, Alfred and Charles, attended the football game at the Hopkins-Maryland game at the Stadium on last Thursday.

The Home-maker's Club, at their meeting last week, appointed a committee to arrange for a community Christmas tree and to have carols by the children, Miss Slindee then gave an interesting talk, on the well balanced meal. The next meeting, Dec. 13. Topic "Christmas Suggestions."

DETROUR.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll cover were: Ashton Phillips and Miss Margaret Wilson, of Charles Town, W. Va.

Frank D. Leizear and daughter, and Mr. Leizear's mother, all of Sandy Spring, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Erb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cover and daughter, Madge, spent Thanksgiving at Blue Ridge Summit.

Miss Barbara Edwards, of Westminster, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Erb.

Mr. Ralph Weybright, Ernest Smith and E. L. Warner took an excursion to New York, Saturday night, and report having a delightful trip.

Mrs. E. D. Diller, Misses Vallie Shorb, Margaret Weybright and Frances Rinehart attended the semi-annual meeting of the Home-maker's Club, held in Westminster, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Schnable and son, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Diller.

James E. Coshun and Truman Keefe, attended the lecture given by the Larowe Milling Co., which was followed by a dinner at the Francis Scott Key Hotel, Frederick.

A meeting of the managers of the Fairfield Farms Dairy was held at the Westminster Hotel, Westminster, on Saturday night, when the Messrs M. L. Bresse, Samuel McClellan, Ernest Smith, E. D. Diller and Chas. Kindelberger of this place, were present.

Mrs. E. D. Diller and Mrs. Jesse Weybright attended the sewing society, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Saylor Weybright, of Thurmont.

Mrs. Frances Rinehart was given a surprise birthday dinner, on Monday night. Those present beside the immediate family were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Erb and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smelter, of Uniontown, and Miss Reba Erb, of Union Bridge.

BRIDGEPORT.

Ezra Fuss, who was visiting friends and relatives here, returned last week to his home in Wellington, Kansas. He was accompanied by his nephew, John Fuss, who will go to California, where he expects to spend the winter, with relatives.

George and Mary Baumgardner, and her girl friend, of Baltimore, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, John Baumgardner and wife.

B. F. Baker and wife, of Greenmount, spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. B's brother, Harry Baker, and family. Jacob Stambaugh and family, of Taneytown, visited at the same place, in the evening.

Russell Ohler, wife and children, recently visited Mrs. O's parents, J. Baumgardner and family, at Four Points.

Jones Baker and wife and Miss Carrie Naill, spent Sunday afternoon with Clarence Naill and wife, near Harney.

Lewis Loney and sister, Mary, have returned to their home in Baltimore, after visiting friends here.

The following were guests at "Meadow Brook Farm," the home of H. W. Baker, on Sunday: Joseph Baker, wife and family, Donald, Marion, Grace and Helen, and T. A. Maxwell and wife, all of Hagerstown; M. E. Lovell and sons, John and Marker, J., of New Windsor.

Preaching and Communion Services will be held at Tom's Creek M. E. Church, on Sunday, A. M., Dec. 12th. Christmas entertainment will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 21st. If weather inclement, will be held Wednesday, Dec. 22nd.

Mrs. H. W. Baker and daughter, spent Tuesday in Frederick.

EMMITSBURG.

The funeral of Mrs. Harry Weant, who died last Wednesday was held at her home, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 P. M. Rev. Philip Bower, of the Lutheran Church officiated; interment in Mountain View cemetery.

Irene Butler, colored, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Butler, near town, was found dead in a stream of water, near her home, on Wednesday morning. She went to a neighbors on Tuesday evening, and when she did not return a search was made. It is supposed she fell in the stream when crossing. Her body was frozen stiff when found. She was about 14 years old. The funeral will be Friday morning, with services in St. Joseph's Catholic Church; interment in cemetery adjoining.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Eyler and sons, Eugene and Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Troxell, of York; William Troxell, of Graceham, and Roy Sanders, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Troxell, near town on Sunday.

Emmitsburg went over the top in the Frederick City Hospital campaign conducted throughout the county this past week. The amount for this district being \$2000.00 and the amount collected was \$2,290.75. Mrs. Andrew Annan was chairman.

Robert L. Topper of the local Post-office force, has been very sick for the last few weeks, and is not much improved at this time.

Thirty-six members were enrolled in the American Red Cross, last week. Mrs. Charles McNair and Mrs. William Treiber were solicitors.

Mrs. Harry Bayle, spent a few days last week in Baltimore, with her daughter, Mrs. James Brooks.

Mrs. A. A. Martin, Mrs. Ben Ogle, Miss Ima Martin and Miss Bertie Martin called on the Misses Annan, who are spending the winter in Taneytown, on Thanksgiving day.

A Pennsylvania farmer raised 688 bushels of potatoes from an acre of ground, according to reports from Pennsylvania State College.

DIED.

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

MRS. JOHN H. BAIRD.

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth, wife of John H. Baird, died at her home in Hanover, Pa., on Nov. 27, 1926, aged 64 years, 11 months, 27 days. She is survived by her husband and one son, Roy Baird. Funeral services were held at Grace Reformed church, Taneytown, in charge of Rev. Guy P. Bready.

MR. SAMUEL F. HESS.

Mr. Samuel F. Hess, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Crum, near Woodbine, on Tuesday, November 30, from Bright's disease and plural pneumonia, aged 81 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Hess and two children, Mrs. Harry Crum and Maurice Hess, both living near Woodbine; also by two brothers, Rev. John H. Hess, of Wheeling, W. Va., and George W. Hess, of near Harney, Md., and one sister, Mrs. Carrie Mehning, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Funeral services were held on Thursday morning, from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Crum, with burial in cemetery at Frederick.

MR. W. EDWARD SANDERS.

Mr. W. Edward Sanders, a retired Carroll county Carroll county farmer, died at his home in Taneytown Tuesday night, after a month's illness. Death was due to angina pectoris. He was aged 68 years, 6 months and 2 days. He was a son of the late James S. and Charlotte Sanders.

Surviving are his wife who before marriage was Miss Mary Myers and the following seven daughters and one son: Mrs. Charles Weaver, New Oxford; James C. Sanders, near Taneytown; Mrs. John Claiborn, Taneytown; Sister Mary Elizabeth, Richmond, Va.; Sister Genevieve, Providence Hospital, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. A. J. Orendoff, Bonneville; and Mrs. Guy Baker, Emmitsburg; Mr. Sanders is also survived by 22 grandchildren and the following six brothers and four sisters: Augustus Sanders, Ashton, Ill.; J. E. Sanders, Franklin, Ill.; S. H. Sanders, J. C. Sanders, Emmitsburg; C. A. Sanders, Bonneville; E. S. Sanders, North Dakota; Mrs. Harry Bowling, Mrs. Charles Wachter, Emmitsburg; Mrs. E. P. Myers, near Taneytown, and Mrs. H. C. Kensing, Altoona.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning meeting at the house at 8:30 o'clock, with services at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Taneytown, the Rev. J. A. Little officiating.

IN REMEMBRANCE

Of My Dear Father, who died 34 years ago, December 1, 1892, and Mother, Jan. 1, 1919.

There is no home since dear father and mother have gone; But a brighter home in Heaven, is now their home. By their lonely daughter, Estella M. Fogle.

CARD OF THANKS.

Our sincere thanks are hereby extended to all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us following the death of our beloved wife and mother, and to those who sent flowers and supplied automobiles. LeROY REIFSNIDER & FAMILY.

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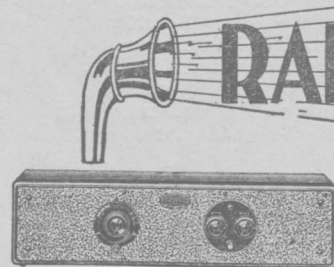
We miss thee from our home, dear We miss thee from thy place A shadow o'er our life is cast We miss the sunshine of thy face.

We miss thy kind and willing hand Thy fond and earnest care Our home is dark without thee We miss thee everywhere.

BY HUSBAND AND FAMILY.

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At the Church of God parsonage, in Uniontown, Saturday evening, Nov. 20, 1926, the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hoch, performed the marriage ceremony for Shreeve, only son of Mrs. Flora and the late Milton Shrinier, and Miss Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stonesifer, near Uniontown. Only the immediate families were present at the wedding. The groom is the popular representative of the Hanover Evening Sun in the neighborhood. The young couple will be at home at the residence of the groom's mother.

FEESERSBURG.

On Wednesday, Nov. 24, in York, Pa., Miss Helen Plank was united in marriage to Mr. Hugh Hutchinson, Professor in High School of Reading, Pa. On Saturday evening the Zazz Band, of Middleburg, waited upon them, at her father's home, and did their best to enliven the event—but no bride nor groom gave them welcome.

Sister Anna, from the Deaconess' Mother House, is in attendance at the bedside of Mrs. Chas. Myers.

The Thanksgiving service at Mt. Union was well attended and very interesting. The young people did their part well, and the addresses were fine. Total thankoffering \$80.25. We are thankful.

Bucher Johns and wife, motored with friends to the Sesqui Centennial, on Saturday last, returning same day.

Mrs. Albert Rinehart and two children drove to New Windsor, on Friday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. Hyde. When ready to return home they found the horse too lame to drive, so had to leave it there and be brought home. Later, it was discovered some foreign substance was working through the foot, and the animal is receiving treatment now.

Solicitors for the Frederick Hospital expansion fund are on duty. Have you done your bit?

Mrs. J. Addison Koons, Alfred Zolickoff and wife, L. K. Birely and sisters, had a Thanksgiving dinner with Luther Sentz and family. Roast duck and all the fixings, and a pleasant day.

Mrs. C. E. Cline and daughters, Mrs. Hammond Clary, Ruth, Dolly, and Ruby Cline, and son, Casper, Jr., and her sister, Miss Lucy Frost, all of Frederick, spent Thanksgiving evening with the Birelys.

Butchers are in order now and fresh pork and scrapple plentiful and tasty. A practical demonstration of the Golden Rule, next Sunday; a frugal meal of rice crackers and tea and give the value of your full meal to help the needy little ones of the Near East.

We learned by radio, that Santa Claus has reached the U. S. Safely; but it all depends on how you behave from now until Christmas, whether you get anything.

MANCHESTER.

Charles Michael Masenhimer, who had been in ill health for some time, due to a paralytic stroke and a complication of diseases, died at his home on North Main St., Manchester, Md., on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 28. He was born March 28, 1862, and was aged 64 years and 8 months. He is survived by his wife; one brother, John E., who is in Lakewood, Ohio, at present; two sisters, Mary B. of Manchester, and Mrs. Amanda V. Lewis, of Baltimore, Md. Funeral services on Wednesday, at 2:00 P. M., conducted by his pastor, Rev. John S. Hollenbach of the Reformed Church.

The Pageant, which was rendered by the Missionary organizations of the Lutheran Church, was attractive

and instructive. A good audience was present.

Mrs. Lever, of Baltimore, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Alcorn. Miss Fannie Ross, spent Thanksgiving in Baltimore.

Mrs. R. W. Barger, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, in Moore, Pa., came to visit with her daughter, Mrs. John S. Hollenbach.

The local barber shop was renovated recently.

The Union Thanksgiving service, held in the U. B. Church, on Wednesday evening, was well attended. The offering for N. E. Relief was \$7.32.

Photos Mean Nothing
to Minds of Savages

The boys (African natives of British East Africa) do not understand our enthusiasm for photography. It is peculiar, but they cannot see a picture. Even the most intelligent of them will turn a photograph upside down and cannot make it out even after several minutes' study. I have shown them the best of my flashlights, and they cannot tell an elephant from a rhino. I have one

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.

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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.

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PUBLIC SALE of Horses, Cows, and Household Goods, Saturday, Dec. 11, 1926, at 12 o'clock, at New Windsor.—Halbert Poole. 12-3-27

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NOTICE.—I will be in Harney, Monday and Tuesday, December 6 and 7, to dispose of balance of my Store Goods and Fixtures. Such as Shoes, Rubber and Rubber Boots, Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery, Jewelry, Christmas Toys, Hardware, Stock Powders, etc. Also one Iron Kettle, Garden Plow, Harness and Machine Oil, Vinegar, Wire, Boxes. Also Auction on Monday night, at 7 o'clock, sharp. Your last chance! All must go in these two days.—Guy W. Haines

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ANNUAL CAKE AND CANDY Sale by the Parent-Teachers' Association, will be held in the Firemen's Building, on Saturday afternoon and evening, January 15. Everybody come. 12-3-27

CURED HAMS and Bacon Wanted.—Medium-sized Hams, of last year's cure. Will pay 38c per pound.—Beckward Nussbaum, near Uniontown. Phone, Taneytown 12F3. 11-5-17

CHRISTMAS TREES.—Place orders now, for size and number.—Chas. F. Cashman. 12-3-27

WANTED.—200 lb. Hogs, net, for butchering.—D. W. Garner.

THE KEYSVILLE Lutheran Sunday School will hold their Christmas entertainment, on Thursday night, Dec. 23rd. 12-3-27

FARM FOR RENT.—166 Acres farm land, Mt. Joy Township, near Harney, Md.—Apply to Thomas Roontz, Littlestown, Pa. 11-26-27

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COWS WANTED.—Fresh Cows, Springers, Fat Cows and Bolognas.—Scott M. Smith, Phone 38F21, Taneytown. 5-7-17

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WANTED.—Guineas, 2-lb and over, \$1.60 Pair.—F. E. Shaum. 10-8-17

PRIVATE SALE of my Property, located near Detour. About 2 Acres of land.—Jas. E. Shildt, Rocky Ridge. 10-5-17

FAT HOGS WANTED, who has them?—Harold Mehrling. 4-3-17

STOCK AND FEEDING Cattle. Let me know what you want; I have them.—Harold Mehrling. 7-30-17

AT THE SHOW



Willie—Daddy, how can the lady go into the cage with the tiger and not be eaten up?
Dad—Why—er—it's a man-eating tiger, I guess.

Easy Terms

Algy's acquiring a mustache
Neath his patrician beak;
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Painless Cookery

Swanson—So your wife is tender-hearted, eh?
Brown—Tenderhearted? Why, she always adds three drops of cholera-form to the cream before she whips it.

Probably Had Both

The man had up a sign, "Eggs and Magazines."
"Got any back numbers?" asked a customer.
"In eggs or magazines?"

Her Method

Mrs. Weldon—How in the world do you manage to keep your wonderful cook from leaving, my dear?
Mrs. Sheldon—By dining out four evenings each week.

Dogged Footsteps

Mrs. Hopkins—So this is your little daughter! How old is she?
Mrs. Joyce—Let me see; she came between little Fido and little Tito.—Pathfinder.

Brass!

Jack—Everything Blank touches turns to gold.
Dolly—I—I wonder if he'd put his hand on the bracelet you gave me.—Tit-Bits.

Limited to Art and Science

"Were matters of politics discussed on the occasion of your visits to that eminent official?"
"No," answered Senator Sorghum, "it makes life kind o' dull. When men who know all about politics meet that's the one subject they're not supposed to talk about."—Washington Star.

NONE NEW TO HIM



"You can't teach an old dog new tricks."
"No, you can't find a trick that's new to him, I suppose."

NO TRESPASSING!

The name of any property owner, or tenant, will be inserted under this heading weekly, until December 10th., for 25 cents cash in advance.

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Human Brain Much on Order of Telephone

During a thunderstorm at Sheffield a man standing near a place struck by lightning lost his speech.
At Fakenham, in Norfolk, a soldier who had lost his speech after shell-shock in the war suddenly recovered it while he was playing his trade as a house painter. His ladder lurched, and with an "Oh!" of fright his speech came back.

Not the cleverest investigator of the brain can tell us the why and wherefore of such happenings, but can only say that the mechanism by which the brain, or parts of the brain, directs the throat, the tongue, the palate, the

lungs, to fulfill their duties in giving utterance to spoken sounds is infinitely more complicated than the works of a watch.

To the brain come along the nerves from different parts of the body—sensations of heat or cold or pain or hunger, to which the brain gives names. From the brain go thoughts which set the organs of speech or action in movement. All these impulses have to go through telephone exchanges in the brain system far more complicated than any which give and take calls in a city.

A sudden violent jar, and the telephone exchange is put out of gear. Lines cross, the buzzer sounds a wrong note at a wrong time, the desk tele-

phone becomes altogether silent.

In the city exchange the damage can be located and repaired; in the brain exchange it cannot be found. Nobody can say where the damage has taken place. Another jar, and it may right itself as mysteriously as it went wrong, but no man can say how.—London Tit-Bits.

Artist Scored a Point

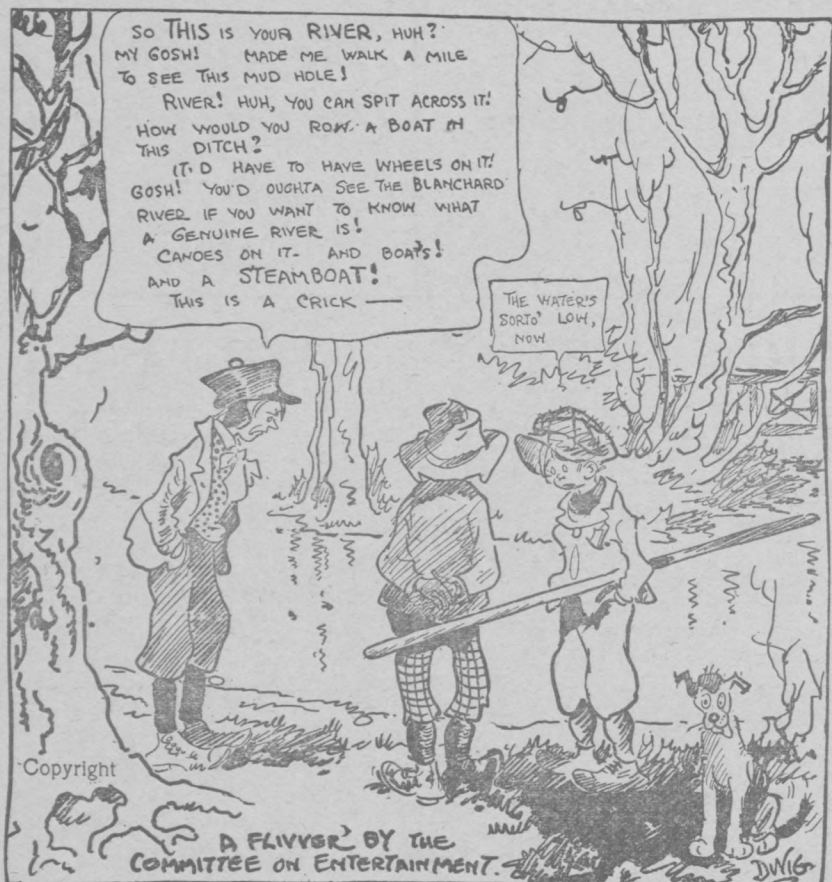
"Well, old man," said the artist, "what did you think of that latest picture of mine? I should like to have your candid opinion."

"My dear fellow, it's absolutely worthless!" replied the critic.
"Yes, yes. I know that, but I should like to hear it all the same."

Artificial Pearls

The method used by the Buddhist priest in producing pearl images was to insert a small wooden wedge between the two shells of the mussel, when these were open, to keep them from closing. All mussels can only open their shell a little way, just enough to extend the foot by means of which they slowly plow through the mud of the river bottom, and two tubes, one bringing in water loaded with microscopic animals and plants upon which the mussel feeds, and oxygen for breathing, the other carrying away the waste water and refuse. The wedge once quickly and carefully slipped in makes it possible to work in the interior.—Nature Magazine.

SCHOOL DAYS



Mother's Cook Book

Know the full value of time, snatch, seize and enjoy every moment of it. No idleness, no procrastination, no laziness; never put off till tomorrow what you can do today.—Earl of Chesterfield.

APPETIZING DISHES

DAINTY little appetizer which may be used as a garnish to a platter of sliced cold meat is prepared thus: Chop equal parts of apple and celery; to this add half as much chopped pickled beets also finely cut, and a small quantity of chili pepper, with a very little minced onion. Serve on a curled leaf of lettuce and serve one leaf to each. Sprinkle with chopped parsley if liked.

Beef Olives.

Cut thin slices from cold roast of beef, chop the trimmings and fat, allowing a tablespoonful of the mixture to each slice of the beef; season highly with salt and pepper, and pour over the meat, adding a sprinkling of herbs; mix with one-fourth as much crumbs as meat.

Purée of Peas.

Cook a pint of tender green peas and put through a sieve; add a tablespoonful of butter mixed with two of flour, cook, add one cupful of milk, heat and whip with a Dover egg beater. Serve at once with a spoonful of whipped cream on top of each bouillon cup.

Roquefort Salad.

A most delicious salad is prepared from head lettuce well washed, dried and chilled. Arrange the lettuce carefully in a bowl, sprinkle with broken bits of roquefort cheese. Rub the bowl before adding the lettuce, with a cut clove of garlic, add half a teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of cayenne, a tablespoonful of chili sauce and one of vinegar, four of olive oil. Mix well and pour over the lettuce, adding more of the dressing if this seems not enough. Serve cold.

Date Soufflé.

Wash, stone and chop one-half pound of dates, simmer in one-half cupful of orange juice until very soft, mash and add the whites of four eggs beaten stiff, to which a quarter of a cupful of sugar has been added, with a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a pinch of salt. Pour into a buttered baking dish and bake until well fluffed—about thirty-five minutes. Serve hot or cold, with creamy sauce.

Nellie Maxwell
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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says it doesn't cost a girl so much to preserve a natural complexion if she watches for sales at the drug stores.
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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

DO YOU GET EXCITED?

ONE of the greatest troubles with the average man is that he does not get excited frequently enough.

Excitement is only MULTIPLIED ENTHUSIASM.

The man who lacks enthusiasm doesn't get far whatever road he travels.

One of the chief faults of a snail is that it never has the sensation of excitement.

It crawls along in a seemingly aimless fashion and having reached the nowhere for which it was headed it stops to contemplate its ineffectiveness.

Nobody is ever interested in a snail and only the dullard copies him.

If you want to see enthusiasm and excitement in animal life watch an ant. Everything interests him. Everything has a meaning for him. Everything he sees or feels is a matter of investigation and study.

He is excited all the time and accomplishes something every minute.

Every boy and every man ought to be excited about what he is doing.

He should be so intensely interested in it, so thoroughly in love with the task and its accomplishment that its finish should find him thrilled with enthusiasm.

Can you imagine Edison working without enthusiasm and excitement?

Can you conceive the feverish eagerness with which Galileo worked through the night on that first crude telescope and with what excitement he took his first look through it toward the far-off stars? Yet that telescope was not as powerful as the opera glass you carry to the theater.

Can you imagine with what excitement Madame Curie looked upon that first tiny speck of radium which she had distilled from the tons of material which concealed it?

THE GLORY OF LABOR IS ACCOMPLISHMENT.

The real wages of work is the satisfaction of production.

The man who makes a machine of himself, who finds no interest and no basis of enthusiasm in his daily task is a little better than the ox.

There is no labor so menial and no task so hard that it has not in it a reason for enthusiasm.

If your present work doesn't enthrall you, if you cannot get excited and happy about it find something else to do. Get another job. Find something that will stir you up and rouse your mind and hurry your fingers and leave you, when the day is done, anxious for tomorrow and the bigger accomplishment that it will make possible.

Don't be content to be a snail. A SNAIL NEVER GETS ANYWHERE.

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Early Negro Churches

The first African Baptist church of which there is any record was organized in 1774, in Aiken county, South Carolina, in George Golpin's mill. This church was called the Silver Bluff Baptist church and was organized by David George, a negro Baptist preacher. The same David George, who organized the Silver Bluff Baptist church, took 50 members from the said church four years later, 1778, on account of the Revolutionary war, to Savannah, Ga. There he organized them into the First Baptist church of that place, which still exists.

Many Telephone Users

The United States leads the world in the number of telephones per 100 of population. Canada comes next. The latter stands first in the number of miles of telephone and telegraph wires per 100 of population, the latest compilation showing 3.4 miles per 100.

FLOOD-WRECKED LEON INTERESTING PLACE

Happiest and Busiest City of Mexico.

Washington.—Nearly a thousand people were reported drowned when a dam broke and a wall of water descended upon Leon, fifth city of Mexico.

"Blotting out of the center of Leon is a serious catastrophe to Mexico," says a bulletin of the National Geographic society from its headquarters in Washington, D. C. "Comparatively it is a greater disaster than the Johnstown or Dayton floods, because Leon is one of the most important manufacturing centers of Mexico.

"Leon's extensive tanneries, cotton and woolen mills, and other manufactures were close to the mountain stream which runs through the town. Gomez, the river is called, and when its waters broke loose it sent a flood through the heart of what has been called 'the happiest and busiest city of Mexico.' Into the wash of the flood the workmen's houses of adobe earth dissolved like lumps of sugar in hot tea.

Sow and Reap at the Same Time.

"Citizens of this industrial city cannot be held to account for not guarding against such a menace. After Leon had been swept, in 1888, by a similar flood which drowned 200 people, retaining walls and dikes more than a mile in length were built to protect the city. But apparently these walls could not cope with the rush of water.

"Leon, full name Leon de los Aldamas, is on the main line of the railroad from Mexico City to El Paso, in the westernmost corner of Texas, and has a population of 58,000. It is 250 miles northwest of Mexico City, and therefore lies in the famous Mexican highlands where altitude has denied the rights of latitude. A region that ought to be steamingly tropical or a hot desert has been elevated to a temperate-zone climate. It is not uncommon to see barley being sown in one field while it is being reaped in the next.

"Leon lies in such a fertile valley that agriculture holds its own easily against the competing demands of mining and manufacturing. Irrigation, however, is at once necessary and picturesque. The fertile valley round about is dotted with small reservoirs mirroring the clear blue skies.

"Citizens of Leon are proud of its industry. 'We are not rich,' they tell travelers, 'but we are workers.' They are proud of La Hormiga (The Ant) the largest tannery in Leon and presumably in Mexico. They grow enthusiastic over the cotton and woolen and silk mills using modern New England machinery. Yet large smokestacked factories are not to be seen, for two reasons. First, that electric power is the free gift of mountain streams and second, much of the manufacturing is done in the home. The bridges and saddles for which Mexico is famous are made largely at Leon. Their beauty lies in the tooling, the embroidery and the intricate silver ornaments. This is a task for the craftsman, and like the craftsman of the Middle ages, he works, in Leon, at his home.

"Names of the garments made in Leon are new to the average American. Different fashions reign so there is the serape, the robezo, the manta, and the poncho. The robezo is the peon woman's equivalent of the expensive mantilla of the upper classes. The manta is the white cotton garment worn by laborers everywhere. The poncho and serape are woolen shawls which serve as overcoat, blanket or raincoat as the need arises.

Circuit of Romance.

"A belle of Leon is very particular that her father shall live somewhere on Leon's street car line. It isn't that she is concerned that her father have easy transportation back and forth to work. It isn't that she worries about bringing the family supplies home from market. Street cars in Leon are vehicles of romance. Despite the Hollywood movies the senior does not come on a prancing mustang to his senorita in this corner of Mexico. He comes by street car.

"Woofing is called 'playing the bear' in Mexico. Once a young blood of most Mexican towns has fixed his fancy on a girl he stands long hours before her house. Sometimes he follows her as she promenades, but at a respectful distance. If his attentions are encouraged he receives an invitation to call with the family present during the session. But in Leon the belles and beaux begin differently. The street car line in the city makes a loop. The beaux, therefore, find it expedient to board a street car and ride past the houses of their beloved. Not once but again and again and round and round. And as the car rolls along, each watches his especial house for a signal. For the girls, of course, the custom introduces a delightful element of expectancy. One never knows just when the street car will round the corner. One never knows whether the 'bear' will be on that car. For the wooers of Leon it has this additional advantage, they get to see all the girls on the circuit."

Clever These Czechs

Berlin.—An automobile driven by a Czech in a speedway race looped the loop and kept on racing. It turned a somersault and landed on all fours among the spectators. Nobody was killed just then.

Interesting Relics of

London's Long History

Much of London's romantic history is told in gold, silver, ivory, oak, tapestry and silk in works of art the livery companies have preserved through troubled centuries. These were shown to the public at an exhibition in the Victoria and Albert museum. There were nearly 1,000 exhibits, dating from 1500 to the end of the Nineteenth century. Nothing in the exhibit delighted art experts more than the "girdlers' carpet," which has never been trodden on in its 300 years of existence. The arms of Robert Bell of Lahore, who presented it to the Girdlers' company in 1634, and the arms of the company are worked into the carpet's great expanse. Other exhibits included an eight-day table clock which belonged to Sir Isaac Newton, and a long eight-day clock in a wainscoting case, with wheels, pinions and frames of solid oak. The latter was the first clock made by the celebrated John Harrison. A grim dagger was said to be the one with which Wat Tyler was killed by the then lord mayor of London. There were fine examples of charters and grants, dating from the Fifteenth century and even earlier.—Chicago Daily News.

Human Brain Seldom

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All our organs—our hearts, our lungs, our stomachs, and our brains—have been built to meet not only the daily routine of life, but emergencies which occur only at critical junctures. The heart on an occasion can rise to ten times its usual output; the lungs, if pressed, can nearly do as well. As for the stomach, the less said the better; modern civilization tends to throw an unfair burden on it. But as for the brain, the factor-of-safety law holds good; we have, and our ancestors had, about ten times more than ordinary occasions require; our superfluity was given us for emergency. It is just this emergency ration that the modern scholar has to depend on, and there are few, if any of us, who use this extra allowance to its full capacity. You may study to the utmost limit of your endurance, and by the mere act of study you may rest assured that you will do your brain no injury. Infinitely greater harm is done by misuse and disuse of the brain than by over-use.

Ideal Place to Build

A young married couple were looking for a site to build their first home. They came to a beautiful place and she said, "let us locate here."

"I want to go farther," replied the bridegroom.

At length they came to a grander scene, and she exclaimed, "O, isn't this wonderful! Let us build here."

"No," he answered, "I want to go on still farther."

Finally they came to the most picturesque spot of all.

"What do you think of this place?" he asked.

"O, I am simply speechless," she gasped.

"Then we will build here," he declared.—Laughter.

Moving Superstitions

There are many superstitions about moving, some of which are as follows: Never put the stove in first; to do so is sure to bring about many quarrels.

Leave something behind you in the old home, but never, in any circumstances, take the old broom with you. Bringing eggs from the old home to the new likewise invites trouble.

If anything except glassware is broken during the moving it means hard luck, but the breaking of glassware is propitious.

To prevent homesickness, or to cure it, take coffee grounds from the old home to the new; another method is to strain coffee through a dishcloth.

Notoriety and Fame

Mandy was very fond of telling jokes to her neighbor, so one morning she decided to keep Rachel guessing this one.

"Rachel, what is the difference between notoriety and fame?"

"Laws, Mandy, I can't ever guess that one," said Rachel.

"Well, a thousand dollars worth of roses will barely fill a room with perfume, but with a dollar's worth of fried onions you could scent up the whole town. Now, Rachel, that's the difference."

Hints to Correspondents

If you have a friend who doesn't answer your letter, you might do as a Topeka man did—write him a letter to this effect:

If you are sick, "Sympathy."
If you are engaged, "Congratulations."

If you are married, "Happiness."
If you are busy, "Pardon Interruption."

If none of these, why in the Q. S. X. X. Q. don't you write?—Capper's Weekly.

Not in Stock

"I want a copy of the magazine called Posterity," said the woman at the news stand.

"No such animal, mum," assured the dealer.

"Yes, there is too! My gentleman friend is a writing fellow and when I asked him if he wrote detective stuff he said, no, he writes for Posterity, and I want to see one of his things."—American Legion Monthly.

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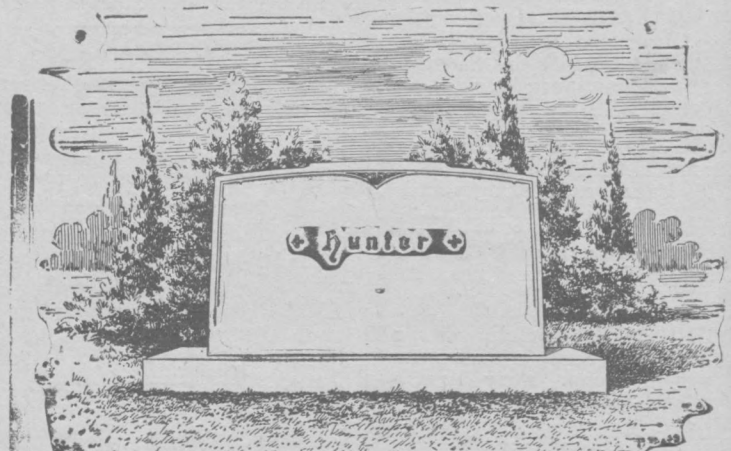
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Lesson for December 5

RUTH AND NAOMI

LESSON TEXT—Ruth 1:14-22.
GOLDEN TEXT—Thy people shall be
my people and thy God my God.
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Story of
Ruth.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Ruth a loyal
daughter.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—
Ruth the Loyal.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—
The Message of the Book of Ruth.

In order to grasp the matter con-
tained in the lesson subject, there
must be swept into view the whole
book of Ruth. The lesson text which
is to be printed has been confined to
the first chapter, verses 14-22.

I. Ruth's Connection With Naomi
(1:1-15).

On account of famine in Bethlehem
of Judah, Naomi with her husband
and two sons sojourned in the land of
Moab. After the death of her husband
her two sons married Moabitish women.
After a time her sons died also.
After the death of her sons Naomi re-
solved to return to her homeland, hav-
ing heard that the Lord had visited
his people in giving them bread. They
went to Moab to escape trouble but
only got into more. It was not until
Naomi was thus chastised that she re-
solved to return. One purpose of God's
chastisement is to cause His children
to return. Naomi had the good sense
to recognize that the hand of the
Lord was upon her for good. When
the time came for her to go, Ruth
and Orpah accompanied her for a
distance. This she permitted but
determined to place before them frank-
ly the difficulties which would neces-
sarily confront them.

II. Ruth's Noble Choice (1:16-18).

Much as Naomi loved her daughters-
in-law, she would not have them go
into this matter blindly. She wished
them to know the seriousness of their
undertaking. She told them the worst
that could come upon them. This prin-
ciple ought to be carried out by us
in all our relations in life. In this
respect Jesus is our supreme example.

1. No chance to marry again.
Naomi told her that she had no more
sons for whom she could wait. In
that day to be unmarried was the
greatest disgrace. Society differed
then from now. No avenues were left
open by which a woman could earn
her living and be independent. Fur-
thermore, it was against God's law
for the Jews to marry outside of their
own people.

2. She must renounce her gods.
Her idolatrous worship could not be
carried on in the land where God's
people dwelt. This was delicately
touched upon when Orpah went back
(v. 15). Orpah went back when it
was plain there was no chance to get
a husband. Now Naomi puts an ad-
ditional test upon Ruth, that of giv-
ing up her religion. Ruth was equal
to the occasion. Her mind was fully
made up. She was willing to accept
as her God the one who was able
to produce in His subjects the nobil-
ity of character she had observed in
Naomi. Naomi's very frankness in
dealing with her caused Ruth to be
more determined to cast her lot with
her. Ruth's position was so definite
and unflinching that the very expres-
sions have come down to us in words
which "no poetry has outlived, and
no pathos has exceeded, and which
have gone through centuries with the
music that will not let them be for-
gotten." She was determined to
share Naomi's journey, her home, her
God, her lot in life, and her grave.

III. Blessings Which Attended Ruth's
Faithfulness.

Ruth was never sorry for her
choice, because:

1. She found the true God (1:16).
Instead of her heathen god who was
unable to help her, she now had the
living God, the God of Israel.

2. She found human friends (ch. 2).
As she went to glean in the field
she was led to the field of Boaz, a
man of wealth and grace. The serv-
ants of Boaz treated her with consid-
eration.

3. A good husband and a happy
home (chs. 3, 4).
She not only secured a husband, but
a man of God who had an abundance
of this world's goods.

4. An honored place in the Israelit-
ish nation (4:13-17).
Though she had to forsake her own
people she became one of a nobler
people.

5. She became a link in the chain
of Christ's ancestry (4:18-22; cf.
Matt. 1:5).

The one who fully decides for
Christ and gives up all for Him shall
gain a hundredfold in this life, and in
the world to come eternal life.

Depend on God

Remember that nothing can ever
harm you when you have given your
life into the keeping of God. Man is
powerless against Him who is fortified
of the Almighty. You are a child of
God—immune, secure.—R. J. Campbell.

Jesus' Achievements

One is sure that a great deal that
Jesus achieved He achieved because
He was able to give this deathless
hope to the hearts of those to whom
He spoke.—Robert E. Speer.

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Character—How Form It and What
Affects It?

Proverbs 8:1-11; 1 Corinthians 15:33

The book of Proverbs is fragmen-
tary in character. Its separate parts
contain great principles and truths
for the direction of the people of God
on earth.

Our Scripture lesson begins with
the cry of wisdom and understanding
to men to observe the excellent things
of life, to be prudent, to cultivate the
understanding heart, to give regard
to truth and righteousness, and avoid
crookedness and perversity. These
verses in Proverbs constitute a call to
the building of character.

There is a great difference between
Christian character and worldly char-
acter. The Christian is united to
Christ in a spiritual union and is in-
dwelt by the Holy Spirit. The fruit
of this indwelling is mentioned in
Galatians 5:22, 23. These two verses
ought to be carefully studied by those
who want to know the qualities that
constitute true Christian character.

The world cannot produce charac-
ter of this sort. It tries to imitate it
in the so-called ideals that are now
so common, but the imitation is a
mere shadow of the real thing. As
a matter of fact, human nature is ut-
terly inadequate to the task of pro-
ducing the qualities mentioned in the
above Scripture. Regenerating grace
and the infilling of the Spirit alone is
equal to the work of producing a char-
acter in which Christ Himself is re-
flected. True Christian character is
something wrought in the believer
rather than by the believer. Galatians
2:19, 20 throws a flood of light on
this matter. Under the lash of law
conscience is whipped to every effort
to keep the law or to attain the ideal.

Under the grace of God the righteous
requirements of the law are fulfilled
in us who walk not after the flesh but
after the Spirit (see Rom. 8:3, 4). The
one outstanding Bible rule for those
who would develop Christian life and
character is found in Galatians 5:16—
"Walk in the Spirit."

The attainment of a good and
strong character is possible only
through right relationship toward the
Son of God and adjustment to the
operation of the Spirit of God. For in
the Son of God are hid all the treas-
ures of wisdom and knowledge (Col.
2:3), and through the Spirit of God
alone these treasures are made avail-
able to us.

Considerate

That James Whitcomb Riley was
fond of his dog, Lockie, is well
known, but his consideration for his
pet's diet as well as his comfort was
revealed in a visit to the former home
of the poet in Lockie street. At-
tention was called to some dark spots
on the red velvet carpet on the din-
ing-room floor. These spots were beside
the chair in which Mr. Riley always
sat at the dining table. The caretaker
explained that it was the poet's cus-
tom to share his meals with Lockie,
regardless of what it was, or of
its effect on the carpet.

One day Mr. Riley ordered minced
ham for his lunch. When it was
served to him, he complained that it
contained mustard.

"Why," said the maid, "I thought
you liked mustard with your ham."
"I do," replied Riley, "but Lockie
doesn't."

Hair Reveals Engagement

A coiffure done in the old Japanese
style is the way in which girls of
Japan announce their engagement and
approaching marriage. Miss Con-
stance Duncan of the Y. W. C. A. in
Kloto writes that no other announce-
ment is necessary.

"When one of our 'Y' girls sudden-
ly comes in with her hair done a la
old Japan, we know exactly what it
means. A marriage has been ar-
ranged and her hair is being trained
and greased to stand out from her
head in graceful curves for the great
day a few weeks ahead.

"One of our brides-to-be, a nurse in
a hospital here, had her pastor as go-
between in the engagement arrange-
ments. She is, however, thoroughly
modern and is going on with her nurs-
ing after her marriage."

Wonderful Jewel

The world's rarest jewel is thought
to have been discovered in Burma. It
is a wonderful ruby with a natural
portrait inside it, and it is in the pos-
session of a member of the Bengal
legislative council, who declines to
say how it came into his hands. The
stone is not very large but under the
outer surface behind a scarlet cloud,
appears the tiny image of a man
dressed in white with a dark-brown
face and deep-brown eyes. The stone
does not show any crack to explain
the presence of the mysterious por-
trait. It is quite flawless and would
have been a rare jewel even without
the portrait.

His Typographical Error

"What's become of the new print-
er?"

"We had to fire him."

"Why?"

"In a story we said Colonel Umson
made his money as a champion trap
shooter."

"Yes—"

"And the printer set it up 'craps.'"

Creatures of Mystery in Unexplored China

Strange creatures, said to have been
found in the south of China, are caus-
ing a great deal of scientific curiosity.

The most amazing of these discov-
eries deals with a race of "dog-faced"
people. This tribe is said to live far
in the interior. They have thick hair
all over their bodies, live in trees, and
are entirely savage.

There have been reports also of a
blue tiger, a creature which is against
all known laws of zoology. This beast
is not striped like the ordinary tiger,
but has a bluish fur resembling the
color of coarse dungaree. During one
month, a scientist reported, this spec-
imen killed and ate 60 people. The
same explorer, Doctor Caldwell, also
discovered a badger as big as a bear,
and shot a serow, a very rare animal
which is a cross between a goat and
an antelope.

All these reports lend color to the
theory held by many scientific men
that in southern China there are many
strange, primitive men and animals
to be discovered. Life in this region
today is supposed to be very like that
in prehistoric times, and many "pre-
historic" animals may be still existing.
The men, too, have probably remained
almost unchanged.

For years the Chinese themselves
have believed that dragons and flying
serpents exist in their country. They
have been scoffed at as having vivid
imagination, but may it not be a fact
that these creatures still lurk in the
hinterland where white men have rarely
penetrated?

Not Much Doubt as to Where She Stood

Attorney W. B. Ward tells of the
utterance of a client he once had in
Kansas City that he regarded as a
classic in finality. The client was of
ebon hue and was asking to be di-
vorced from what she termed the
"most noaccount, triflingest man that
breathed."

Judge Birney figured such exorci-
ation indicated another suitor some-
where in the background. By clever
questioning he attempted to wring
from the irate witness that there was
another man in the case, but she stout-
ly denied such inference and contin-
ued with the denunciation of the hap-
less spouse. After an hour the court
decided the plaintiff had earned her
decree and so indicated, but in pass-
ing judgment he observed verbally
that the plaintiff would in all proba-
bility be married again within a
month. Disregarding formality and
even with contempt the woman took
her stand in front of the bench and
fixing Judge Birney with her eyes she
exclaimed:

"Judge, the man I'd marry again
ain't been born yet and furthermore
his mother's daid."

St. Swithin's Day

July 15 is St. Swithin's day. Ac-
cording to an old superstition, if it
rains on St. Swithin's day it will rain
on the forty succeeding days. The
legend says that St. Swithin, bishop
of Winchester, who died in 862, de-
sired to be buried in the churchyard
in order that "the sweet rain of
heaven might fall upon his grave." When
he was canonized the monks
thought they would honor St. Swithin
by removing his body into the choir,
and they set July 15 as the day for the
ceremony. But it rained on that day
and continued to rain every succeed-
ing day for forty days, which the
monks interpreted as disapproval of
their project by the saints, and accord-
ingly abandoned it. The story is
mythical, at least in part, for St.
Swithin was never actually canonized
by the church.

Meat Consumption

Foreigners as a rule consume larger
quantities and more varieties of meats
than do Americans. This is particu-
larly true of Germans, Poles, Hungar-
ians and Bohemians. Surveys made
show that home owners and tenants
of large apartments purchase meats in
considerable quantity and of wide va-
riety. Tenants of small apartments
purchase small quantities and usually
buy steaks and chops. Working-class
people buy large quantities and many
varieties of meats. Office workers
consume relatively small quantities
and few varieties. Business and pro-
fessional classes consume high-grade
meats.

Poisons in History

Nearly every race in the world, and
that includes untutored savages, have
their pet poisons, says Girard in the
Philadelphia Inquirer. Not for nothing
was Cupid displayed aiming an arrow.
The poisoned arrow has figured in hu-
man history for thousands of years.

Different races use different poisons.
Pliny wrote that the Gauls used a mix-
ture of decayed animal matter and
toadstools to put death at the point of
their arrows. In some places in Africa
today the death penalty is inflicted via
a bowl of deadly liquid.

Insect Marvel

A water spider is one of the mar-
vels of creation. It is to be found in
every ditch or stagnant pool. It must
breathe the air to live, yet it is born
under water, and passes its life either
on or beneath it. It can run as easily
upon the surface of the water as an
ordinary creature does on land. When
it dives below the surface it is seen
to be glistening with bubbles. The
water spider is covered with little
bristles, and these carry the air down
with it into the water. The skin of
the spider is consequently never wet.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1926,
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crosstow saw, vise, pitch forks, straw
fork, block and tackle with good
rope; wire stretcher, wagon jack,
grindstone, mowing scythe, sledge
hammer, digging iron, chicken coops,
window sash, about 800 brick, Enter-
prise sausage stuffer, Enterprise No.
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tachment; meat bench, 2 sets hog
gallows, tables, flour chest, lanterns,
crocks and jars, lot grain sacks, and
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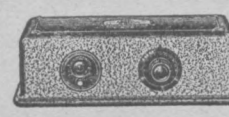
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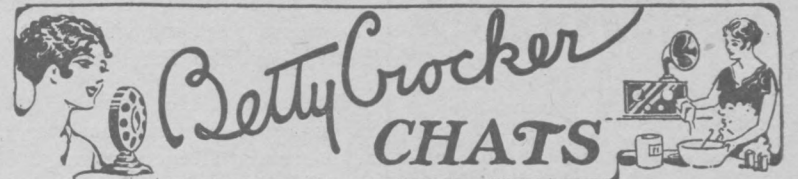
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A SOUTHERN FRUIT CAKE

IT DOESN'T seem possible that
it is already time to think about
fruit cake for Thanksgiving, does
it? But if your cake is to have
time to mellow and be at its best
by the 25th of November, now is
the time to make it.

In the South there is an old
tradition that every member of the
family must assist in making the
fruit cake. The bowl of batter is
carried around the house by the
black mammy for each member of
the family to stir good luck into
it. If stirring the cake brings good
luck, I should think that slicing
citron and cracking nuts would be
even more lucky. Slightly warm
the citron, candied orange or cand-
ied lemon peel in a double boiler
to soften before trying to cut it
up.

The goodness of a fruit cake de-
pends largely on the quality of the
ingredients you put into it. Mak-
ing fruit cake is not just a question
of adding fruit and nuts to any
good cake mixture. Just the right
proportion of sugar, shortening,
flour and other ingredients is nec-
essary to hold the heavy fruit and
nuts. Also the character of the
mixture is affected by the kind and
quantity of fruits and nuts added.
This is because of their sugar and
fat content.

The recipe for White Fruit Cake
that I shall give you seems to have
originated in the South, and is
therefore often called a Southern
Fruit Cake. It contains a greater
variety of fruits than the dark
cake. This is the kitchen-tested
recipe for White or Southern Fruit
Cake:

White or Southern Fruit Cake

- 1 cup shortening
- 2 cups sugar
- 4 cups flour
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 cup water
- 1 lb. seeded white raisins
- 1/2 lb. each of citron, candied
cherries, candied pineapple, candied
orange peel and candied lemon
peel
- 1 large coconut grated, or 1 1/2
cups
- 1 lb. blanched almonds
- 8 egg whites
- Cream the shortening and add

the sugar gradually. Sift flour
once before measuring. Sift bak-
ing powder and salt with half the
flour. Add alternately to creamed
mixture with the liquid. Add the
remaining flour to the prepared
fruit, coconut and nuts. Stir
floured fruits into the cake mix-
ture. Fold in the well beaten egg
whites. Bake in small loaf or
round cake tins, lined with heavy
greased paper. Bake 2 1/2 hours in
a very slow oven, 250° to 300° F.
This amount will make four cakes.

If you buy dried fruits of any
kind in bulk be sure to wash them
in cold water and then dry them
thoroughly before using. Seedless
raisins should always be washed.
It is not necessary to wash the
seeded raisins.

Keeping Fruit Moist

Package citron, candied lemon or
orange peel may be purchased al-
ready cut up in many stores. The
moist shredded coconut which
comes in cans may be used instead
of the fresh coconut, but do not
use the dry shredded coconut for
it will make your cake too dry. If
the fruit seems quite dry, sprinkle
several tablespoons of some light
colored fruit juice such as pine-
apple, peach or pear juice on it
after it has been cut up and al-
low it to stand several hours or
overnight. The fruit will absorb
the juice and produce a moist cake.
However, be sure to shake the
fruit free from any excess juice be-
fore dredging with flour or the
fruits may settle in the batter while
baking.

Fruit cake packs and slices to
best advantage if small loaf pans
are used. Line the pans carefully
with thoroughly greased heavy
paper. Do not use the thin wax
paper. The paper lining makes
the cake bake more evenly and
also makes it easier to remove from
the pan. It should be peeled from
the cake while still hot.

The baking of the cake is very
important. The temperature of the
oven must be low, not over 300° F.,
all through the baking, or the cake
will become too brown on the out-
side before it is baked in the center.
If a small pan of hot water is
placed in the oven during the
baking, it will help produce a cake
which is soft and mellow.

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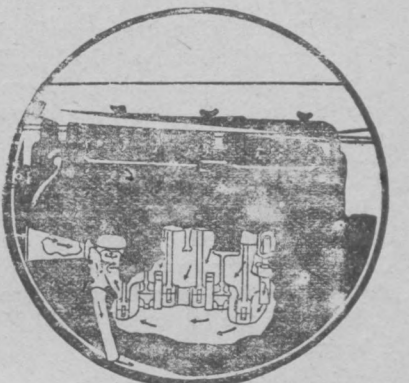
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TANEYTOWN LOCALS

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.

Mrs. Mary L. Motter, of Washington, was a visitor in town, this week.

Mrs. Clara Bricker is confined to bed, suffering with grippe and neuralgia.

Dr. F. T. Elliot and family, spent Sunday with relatives at York Springs.

Harry A. Allison still continues to improve, and is able to be at his place of business part of the time.

Mrs. Ida B. Koontz, left on Wednesday morning for New York, where her son, William, is now located.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon T. Brown, of near town, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Koontz, at Keysville, on Sunday.

Little Miss Idona Mehning entertained fourteen of her little friends, on her 5th birthday, November 26th.

John H. Roop, of New Windsor, has been laying hardwood floors, this week, for Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Bower.

Miss Hazel Null and Walter Null, spent the week-end in Westminster, with their sister, Mrs. Blanche Hughes.

Dr. E. W. Koons and wife, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Koons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dern, of town; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Dern and Mrs. Bessie Mehning, of Keymar, spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Dern, at Hagerstown.

Mrs. Andrew A. Annan, of Emmitsburg, made a canvass of Taneytown for the benefit of Frederick Hospital, and was quite successful in securing liberal contributions.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dern entertained, on Sunday, Mr. and Leslie Fox and daughters, of Rocky Ridge; Mrs. Emma Cramer and son, and Mrs. Bessie C. Barton, of Walkersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Stonesifer and daughters, Marian and Ruth, and Mrs. Louise Fuss, of near Emmitsburg, visited Mrs. Alma Newcomer, and Mrs. Mary Stover and family, on Sunday.

The Record office has on sale the Red Cross Christmas Seals. The proceeds go toward fighting Tuberculosis in Maryland. Buy them liberally—only 1 cent each—and help a worthy cause.

In a little shifting around of orders, we have left on hand 50 neat Christmas cards, with envelopes to match, that will be printed and sold at \$2.25 for the lot, or 25 for \$1.25—a bargain for somebody.

The clearing up of the Taneytown robberies is gratifying, in two respects; there were no locals engaged in it, as some thought, and this time the thieves did not get away very far, but will get a dose of justice.

The John E. Davidson farm, was sold last Saturday, 110 Acres at \$25 an acre, to Cleason Erb. The William K. Eckert farm, 47 acres, was sold to Wallace Eckert for \$2000; and the 21 acre farm to Harold Mehning for \$650.00.

The Middletown Valley Register complains of reckless auto driving through the town. Taneytown is a race course, too, and there is no officer to make arrests, and no local authority to pass on cases, even if there were arrests.

Mrs. Nettie S. Angell, left Thursday morning to visit her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Wagner, in Charlotte, North Carolina. From there she will go on to Miami, Florida, to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wagner, where she expects to spend the winter.

The public sale of Oliver E. Lambert's farm personal property, on Tuesday, amounted to about \$2800. Prices averaged very well, and demonstrated that sales of this kind in the Fall, are about as good as in the Spring. The family removed to their new home in Westminster, on Thursday.

The following were visitors of Mervin Conover and wife, Sunday: Peter Baumgardner and wife, Roy Baumgardner and wife, Charles Devilbiss, wife and sons, Roger and Paul, of Keysville; John Baumgardner, wife and son, John of near Emmitsburg; Miss Jaffry and Mary Ellen Baumgardner, of Baltimore; Norman Baumgardner, wife and daughter, Mildred, of town; Martin Conover, wife and son, Ralph, also spent the evening at the same place.

Mr. A. S. Little, of Waynesboro, Pa., was a week-end visitor at the United Brethren Parsonage.

The stores are rapidly getting ready for Christmas business, and some are now altogether ready. Read the advertisements, and profit thereby.

Please get in your orders early for Christmas printing and advertising. We suppose folks will do about this, as always; so we promise nothing but to do the best we can.

The election of officers of the Taneytown branch of the American Red Cross will be held in the Firemen's building, Saturday evening, December 18, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and hear the annual report.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold its next meeting Monday evening, December 20th. At this time the High School will sing a number of Christmas songs, and there will be an Operetta by the elementary school, under the direction of Miss Broadwater; also several selections by Miss Broadwater. This will be a real treat—do not fail to hear it.

CAURCH NOTICES.

This column is for the free use of all churches, for a brief announcement of services. Please do not elaborate. It is always understood that the public is invited.

Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown—9:00 Sunday School; 10:00 Morning Worship; 6:30 Christian Endeavor; 7:30 Male Chorus will sing. Concluding discussion in series: "What of our Youth?" Tuesday night, Missionary Meeting; Wednesday Mid-week Service, Dec. 12; Thank-Offering Service. Two Missionaries from India will be present.

Manchester U. B. Circuit, Bixler's—Evangelistic Services each night, at 7:30 P. M., excepting Monday. Subjects for Saturday and Sunday nights, "The Cleansing of a Soul," and "The Scarlet Thread of Hope." Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.

Manchester—Worship, at 10:30. Mt. Zion—Sunday School, 1:30; Worship, 2:30; C. E., at 6:30. Miller's—Worship, Dec. 5, at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School, 9:30.

Manchester Ref. Charge, Trinity, Manchester—S. S., 9:30; Worship, at 10:30. Theme of Sermon: "Pretentious Prayer." C. E., 6:15; Thank-Offering Service of G. M. G., at 7:00. A bake and fancy work sale by the W. W. A. S., on Saturday, at 3:00.

St. Mark's, Snidersburg—Sunday School, at 1:00; Worship, at 2:00.

Church of God, Uniontown—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching service at 10:30 A. M., theme "Reconciliation."

Sunday School at Frizellburg, Sunday afternoon, at 2 P. M. The Pastor will be present to teach the lesson.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—Sunday school at 9:15; service at 10:15; C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Election of officers. Service at 7:30.

The Willing Workers will meet on Friday evening, Dec. 3, in the S. S. room. Election of officers.

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

Uniontown Lutheran Charge—St. Paul, Sunday school 9:30, at the home of Miss Ida Mering.

Emmanuel (Baust) Union Sunday school, 9:30; worship and sermon at 10:30. Women's Missionary Society and Light Brigade, Thursday, Dec. 9th, at 7:30 P. M., at Mrs. Earl Lovell's.

Mt. Union—Sunday school at 1:15; C. E. at 7:30.

St. Luke's (Winter's), Ladies' Aid Saturday, Dec. 11, at 2 P. M., at Mrs. Walter Barnes', New Windsor.

Presbyterian Church, Taneytown—Sabbath school, 10; C. E., 6:45; Preaching service, 7:30.

Piney Creek—Preaching service, 9:30; Sabbath school, 10:30.

Taneytown U. B. Church—Sunday School, 9:30; Morning Worship, at 10:30; Jr. C. E., 6:00; Sr. C. E., 7:00. Harney—Sunday School, at 6:30; Evangelistic Service, at 7:30.

Keysville Lutheran Church—S. S., 1:00; Preaching, at 2:00; C. E. Society, at 7:00.

"Mrs. Tubbs of Shantytown."

A comedy-drama in three acts will be rendered in the Taneytown Opera House, December 17-18, for the benefit of the local Pythian Sisters, the object being to secure a fund as a basis on which to make the lodge beneficial. The program will be as follows:
Act 1—Mrs. Tubbs' Front Room. Shadow in Shantytown.
Act 2—Same scene a month later. Mr. Rubbles comes a wooing.
Act 3—Same scene. Thanksgiving Day. Sunshine in Shantytown.
CHARACTERS:
Mrs. Molly Tubbs—The Sunshine of Shantytown.
Miss Clingie Vine—Her lady boarder, real genteel.
Mrs. Howard Baker
Mrs. Ellen Hicker—A Neighbor who hates to gossip.
Mrs. John Byers
Maydelle Campbell—The pretty young School Teacher.
Miss Luella DeBerry
Simon Rubbles—The County Grocerman Looking for a wife.
Robert Baumgardner
Tom Riordan—A Young Census Taker.
Mr. Norman Devilbiss
James Tubbs—The Boy who Ran Away.
Queenie Sheba Tubbs, age 12 years.
Miss Alice Riddle
Methusalem Tubbs, (Scuffles) age 11.
Billy Blossom Tubbs, age 7.
Victoria Hortensie Tubbs, (Punky Dunks) age 3.
Veria Lemon

LAST PAGE EDITORIAL.

"Hard-Boiled!"

This applies pointedly to public interest in good efforts—to "preaching" of all kinds in the interest of truth, morality and common decency. If it was not for the awful lack of interest—actively expressed—of our so-called "good people," sin and the reckless, out-in-the-open propaganda that caters to the worst side of public questions generally, would have a greatly smaller market, and right mindedness and right living and acting, would receive the aid they deserve.

There seems to be a sentiment abroad that efforts for good must succeed on their own account, without help. If the comparatively few who take open account or unrighteousness can "put over" their creeds, they may do so; but so far as voluntary and hearty general aid is concerned, it is conspicuously lacking.

There is, indeed, an unreceptiveness to co-operation that amounts to opposition. It is this "hard-boiled" lack of interest that encourages law-breaking and morality defying. It makes gamblers, thieves and character smirching. It discourages pure living and minimizes the value of honor.

This "hard-boiledness" finds excuses for moral intemperance on the part of those who practice it, by greeting instances of the failure of good laws, and belittling the efforts of so-called purists. Men—and women too—are absolutely guilty of violating some of the best meant laws of government and morality who would be highly indignant, if so charged, but it is the truth, none the less.

Declaring that he thought a minister should not be paid more than the average income of the people of his congregation, the pastor of a New York State Presbyterian church refused with thanks a salary increase of \$500.

BARGAIN IN STATEMENTS.

We have 2000 Ruled Statements in stock, size 5x8½, slightly narrower than regular statements, that we offer at the bargain price of \$4.00 for the lot, or \$2.50 for single 1000, printed and padded. Regularly worth \$3.50 per 1000. Cheap enough at the price quoted to use as counter bills.

A storm last week, of the tornado variety, killed at least 82 people and injured over 200, in Arkansas, while the property damage amounted to hundreds of thousands of dollars. The storm passed on into Louisiana and Mississippi, where lesser damage was done.

Clemenceau in Old Age

The cabin in the Vendee, whence Georges Clemenceau delivered his debt indictment of America, cost its venerable possessor less than \$500 to build. Here "The Tiger" lives for half the year, tended by his valet, Albert, who saved his life in the trenches. The daily living expenses of "Father Victory" amount to 20 francs, plus the cost of running a car which a famous millionaire presented to him after the peace conference.

Clemenceau, whose love for the Orient is well known; always flies a big red fish which glows out in the wind from the masthead of his cabin. This is a Japanese sign of virility, and was presented to him by the wife of the Japanese prime minister in 1921.

Spread of Lutheranism

On October 31, 1517, 308 years ago, Martin Luther, then thirty-three years old, affixed his famous "Ninety-five Theses" to the door of the principal church in Wittenberg, Germany, and started the Reformation. Today there are 80,000,000 communicants in Lutheran churches throughout the world. 2,600,000 in the United States, says Capper's Weekly.

In the majority of Lutheran churches English only is used, but some have services both in English and in some other tongue for the members who love to join their prayers and hymns in the language of their native Sweden, Norway, Germany, Finland or some other fatherland.

New Money Boycotted

Boycotting in a new form has made its appearance at Tzeliutzing, Szechuan province, China, where 1,000 merchants closed their places of business rather than accept paper dollar bills of a series just issued by the military governor. All food supplies are being held up in the country, transportation being denied them on the same grounds. The only business not paralyzed is the opium trade, since the military chieftains are not seeking to impose the new currency upon opium dealers. The boycott is being engineered by the merchants' guild.

Adding Insult to Injury

"Halt, there! Contaminate ye, halt!" yelled Constable Sam T. Slackpitter, the redoubtable sleuth of Puntia. "Consider your—hygosh!—self under arrest! You tore through here yesterday going west at the law-breaking rate of a bat out of the pit of torment. And in so doing you not only insulted the peace and dignity of our progressive little city, but—"

"I never noticed any town here, and—" interrupted the offending motorist.
"Well, you'll notice it all right by the time Squire Ramsbottom gets through with you! And that ain't all; in addition you busted off the corner of Miss Tessie Tickle's milliner shop—"

Maryland Campaign Expenses.

The total expenditures by the Republican State Committee, as shown by statements filed, was \$46,957, and the Democrats spent \$61,164. The largest contributions were made by Addison E. Mullikin, Republican candidate for Governor \$2500., Senator Weller \$2500, Governor Ritchie \$3742, and each of the candidates for Supreme bench \$1000.

In Vermont there are 116 towns which have no resident physician.

Paper & Envelopes for \$1.00.

We have sold hundreds of sets of our \$1.00 Stationery Offer—200 sheets of paper and 100 envelopes—for home use. Paper 5½x8 1-2 with 6¼ envelopes, Hammermill Bond grade.
Printed either in dark blue, or black. Not over 4 lines neat type, the same form on both paper and envelopes. Envelopes printed on back or front. Unless otherwise directed, orders for ladies will be printed on back, and for gentlemen, on front.
Instead of name, an Old English initial letter can be used, if desired. Initial stationery should have a box number, or street address.
Mailed in neat box. Cash must be sent with order. Write instructions, and copy for the printing, very plainly. When mailed to 3rd and 4th Zones, add 5c; to 5th Zone, or further, add 10c.

THE CARROLL RECORD CO., TANEYTOWN, MD.

NOTICE OF Stockholders' Meeting.

In pursuance of an order of the Board of Directors of The Carroll Co. Agricultural and Fair Association Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Stockholders of said body corporate will be held at the office, on the Fair Ground, Taneytown, Carroll Co., Md., on Monday, December 13th, 1926, from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors for said body corporate, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

R. SMITH SNADER, Pres.
EDWARD S. HARNER, Sec'y.
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THE OPERETTA "The Miniature Lady,"

Given by the Choir Members of the Baust Reformed Church, will give another performance, on
NEXT TUESDAY EVENING,
DECEMBER 17th, 1926
in the Taneytown Opera House.
TWO HOURS' ENTERTAINMENT
TWO ACTS

PUBLIC SALE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS

The undersigned will offer at public sale, at Shriners' Apartment building, in Taneytown, on
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1926,
at 12:30 o'clock, the following described

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
1 Bedroom Suit, 10-ft Extension table, 2 large Upholstered Rockers, 2 Small Rockers, 6 Oak Dining-room Chairs, Leather Davenport, China Closet, Buffet, Chest, 2 Stands, 12-piece Toilet Set, 120-piece Set of Dishes, 30-piece Tea Set, lot of Silverware, Salad Bowls and Glassware of all kinds, 8-Day Clock,
ACME TRIUMPH RANGE,
No. 8, with warming closet and reservoir; 1 Premo Regent Range, in good condition; one 3-burner Oil Stove, nearly new; home-made Rug Carpet, Ingrain Carpet, several Rugs and Pictures, Cooking Utensils and many other articles not mentioned.
TERMS—Cash.

MRS. ALICE KISER.
J. N. O. Smith, Auct
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New Theatre PHOTO-PLAYS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4th.
TOM MIX
—IN—
"No Man's Gold"
COMEDY—
"Butter Fingers"
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9th.
"The Auction Block"
By—
REX BEACH
CHARLES RAY,
ELEANOR BOARDMAN.

"No Trespassing" Card signs for sale at this office; 10c each, 3 for 25c, or 14 for \$1.00.

Taneytown Grain and Hay Market.

Wheat	\$1.23@1.23
Corn, old85@ .85
Corn, new85@ .85
		\$10.00@10.00

Taneytown's "Leading Fashion Store"

We Sell Standard Sewing Machines

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Ready for Christmas.

An unusual gathering of fashions for Christmas Tide. Start your Christmas Shopping here. In every way our collection surpasses our very best efforts of the past. Assortments most complete. All useful and practical Christmas gifts.

Handkerchiefs.

Handkerchiefs for Men, Women and Children. The largest assortment of Christmas Handkerchiefs, we've ever shown, at prices that will appeal to you for their moderateness. Women's pure linen all white embroidered handkerchiefs, and neat dainty colored borders, also a large assortment in Christmas Boxes, Men's Fancy Colored Border Handkerchiefs, and plain linen with neat borders.

Gift Hose.

Women's Silk Stockings, full fashioned Lisle Tops elastic heels, double soles, service weight in smart shades of champagne, grain, muscade and black; Misses new Tan, Brown and Black. Men's pure Silk Socks, novelty checks in Rayon Silk and Wool.

Men, Women and Children's Gloves.

Women's novelty flare cuff gloves, embroidered in mode, grey and black. Men's, Buck and Mocha Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.

Silk and Wool Scarfs.

Scarfs in the latest colors. Rayon Silk in fancy patterns and in Silk stripes and plain colors.

Leather Goods.

Christmas sale of Leather Club Bags, Leather-lined Suit Cases, Brief Bags, Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, in colors. Ladies Under arm Pouch Bags, Men's Leather Pocket Books, Cigarette Cases, Child's Fancy Purses, Men's Leather Belts, plain and fancy.

Christmas Umbrellas.

Ladies' Umbrellas of the highest grades, in pure Silk, best frames fancy colored borders. Men's Umbrellas of a splendid quality, cloth, beautiful polished handles.

Christmas is Sure to Come!

Why Not Begin Now to Look for Those Good Things That Make Christmas one of the Happiest Days of the Year?
HERE YOU WILL FIND MANY THINGS THAT YOU WILL NEED.

EVERY THING FOR THE CAKE. ALSO, CANDIES, ORANGES, NUTS, CIGARS, ETC.

We have a very Large Line of BULK CANDIES, ranging in price from 15c lb. to 60c lb. PACKAGE CANDIES, from 25c Box to \$2.50. Something that will please your Best Girl—5 lbs of ASSORTED CHOCOLATES, in Beautiful Boxes, at \$1.20, \$1.25 and \$1.35.

Special Prices to Schools

We invite Schools to come and get our prices, now. If we do not have what you want, will be glad to get it for you.

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New Ties and Mufflers, in Christmas Boxes.

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Shop Early—You Get the Best;

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Write addresses plainly. Put on your return address. Wrap all packages securely. Help your postoffice in the Holiday Season.

HARRY L. FEESER, P. M.

What our farmers wanted this Fall, was reasonable dry and temperate weather, warm and sunny; but the newspapers, last week, carried a news item of a fur dealer in Austria, who committed suicide because of the continuation of just such weather as our farmers wanted—it ruined his fur business.

Old maids live longer than either married women or bachelors, according to some medical authorities.