

EXPLOSION KILLS AN EMPLOYEE

Harold Mehring's Reduction Plant Badly Wrecked.

An explosion occurred at Harold Mehring's reduction plant along the Westminster road about 2 1/2 miles south of Taneytown, on Monday afternoon at about 3:30 o'clock, that resulted in the death of Luther Eckard, serious injuries to Harry Welk, and lesser injuries to Frank Reinman and Raymond Eckard. The building was pretty completely wrecked.

The disaster was due to the explosion of the cooker that was operated by steam pressure from an engine and boiler. The top of the cooker was blown through the roof and carried away for more than 100 yards. The boiler, that was recently installed, did not explode. Experts who have visited the scene are mystified because it is hard to imagine how the single explosion could have caused such extensive damage.

Mr. Eckard was not a regular employee at the plant, but was there as a carpenter helping to erect an addition to the building that housed the engine. The smoke-stack was thrown down, and even a lot of cement flooring was torn up.

Mr. Mehring had left the plant for his home in Taneytown, a short while before the explosion, and at that time everything seemed to be working in fine shape. The only plausible cause of the disaster is that possibly one or more of the steam gauges may not have been working properly; but the exact cause will likely never be known.

Mr. Eckard and Mr. Welk were at once brought to Taneytown where first medical aid was rendered, after which Dr. F. T. Elliot hurried both of them to Hanover hospital. Eckard was unconscious due to a fractured skull, and was operated on with the hope of saving his life, but he never rallied and died early Tuesday morning. Welk sustained a broken collarbone, but was not otherwise seriously injured. Raymond Eckard, the son of Luther, and Mr. Rinaman sustained minor injuries.

Mr. Welk left the hospital on Tuesday, having sufficiently recovered to return to his home. In addition to a broken collar bone, he had a number of cuts and bruises about the head and face.

Mr. Luther Eckard's home was at Stumptown, near Taneytown, and he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Eckard. He is survived by his wife and six children, Raymond, Flossie, Ellen, William, Grace and Arline. He was in his 44th year. Funeral services were held at the Reformed Church, this Friday morning, in charge of Rev. Guy P. Bready. He was a member of Camp No. 2, P. O. S. of A.

Do Not Publish All We Get.

A patron asked us, last week—"Do you publish every communication that is sent to you, with a request to publish?" Our answer was, "we do not."

For the information of others along the same line, we will say that every week we receive a large number of such requests, the most of them containing some form of advertising. Most of these contain a small percentage of news value, and are not seriously objectionable, except that we must draw the line somewhere, or be over-run with news-advertisements without pay.

This week we received another lengthy article, of a religious character, covering the subject of "infidelity" and "rationalism." We do not want such articles. They are controversial in character, and do not properly belong in the field of weekly papers such as The Record.

Some other articles are too long, even if otherwise unobjectionable; some are mere hobby propaganda; some are extreme opinions, dangerous to publish because they invite controversy, and occasionally articles are sent in that are too "personal," or comment too clearly on private matters.

We do not promise to keep secret, the names of contributors of articles. We do the best we can—or as we think we ought to do—in all such cases, and try to avoid trouble for ourselves, as well as others. There are a lot of items and reports that we would like to have, but do not get.

Plant Walnut Trees.

A bulletin issued by the Extension Service, University of Maryland, strongly advises farm owners to plant black walnut trees along fences and in unused spots. The reason is that they provide shade, their kernels are valuable for food and for the market, while the wood alone is valuable. With reference to the wood of the black walnut, the statement says:

"Black walnut wood is one of the highest priced woods grown in the United States. Even the stumps are being dug up to be made into veneers. An acre of old, mature black walnut trees has a present sale value as great or greater than the present value of farm lands in many parts of the United States. Since we are cutting timber in this country about four times as fast as it is being grown, it seems inevitable that its price must rise, and many authorities are now recommending the planting of black walnut for timber alone."

HOW TO SECURE A PATENT

Brief Instructions on How to Make Application.

In response to several inquiries, The Record gives the following information concerning "How to Secure a Patent?" The first thing to do, after having a device fully perfected, is to find out, if he can, whether his invention stands a chance of being patented. Perhaps this information can be secured by writing the Patent Office for copies of patents issued on inventions on the same line as the one contemplated. Copies can usually be had on the payment of nominal sums.

But, we doubt whether any progress can be made without first employing a registered patent attorney. Certainly, nobody can work a patent through without such an attorney. He will waste time, and perhaps money, in trying to do so.

Application for a patent must be accompanied by a complete description, with drawings suitably illustrating the same. Models will not be admitted, unless asked for. Drawings must be made with pen on pure white or 3-ply calendered Bristol board, in India ink. The size of sheet must be exactly 10x15 with one inch margin all around.

The application for a patent is a very complex proceeding that can not be conducted properly except by a trained attorney who is registered at the Patent office. The first step, therefore, is to employ a registered attorney, who will prepare the application papers.

The application fee is \$20.00. The attorney's fee and cost of drawings, are matters to be arranged with the attorney. There is then a final fee to be paid within six months, after the patent has been allowed.

The patent office does not give advice or information concerning the utility of a patent, nor does it give legal advice; and renders little assistance of any kind until the application is made in regular form. It is not concerned about such questions as infringement on patents issued, but each patentee must defend his own case in the Courts.

The employment of a reliable attorney, is important. The Patent office supplies, to those interested, a pamphlet "General Information Concerning Patents"; and copies of patents on various devices may be had, on the payment of prices that may be had on application.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Feb. 28th, 1927.—The last will and testament of Mary E. Cooper, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Lester L. Robinson, Sr., who received order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Reuben A. Stonesifer, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto C. Gordon Stonesifer and J. Russell Stonesifer, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Frank C. Schaeffer, executor of Eli M. Dutterer, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property and received order to sell stocks.

Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob N. Dehoff, deceased, were granted unto John A. Dehoff, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Ida May Thomas, administratrix of Clinton Thomas, deceased, settled her first and final account.

The last will and testament of Robert E. Lee, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Annie L. Lee, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

Harvey E. Shorb, et. al., administrators of Maria E. Shorb, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

S. Jacob Messinger, administrator of Samuel J. Messinger, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts.

Tuesday, March 1, 1927.—Sarah S. Conroy, administratrix W. A., of Laura Morningstar, deceased, returned inventory personal property and received order to sell same.

Frank J. Loukota and Lawrence L. Mummaugh, executors of Barbara Jelinek, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and money received orders to sell personal property and real estate.

The last will and testament of Jas. D. Haines, deceased, was duly admitted to probate.

Richard R., Sr. and Richard R. Bennett, Jr., executors of Nannie E. Bennett, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the Court issued an order n. si.

Letters testamentary on the estate of James D. Haines, deceased, were granted unto Michael E. Walsh and Central Trust Company of Maryland, who received warrant to appraise personal property and order to notify creditors.

A Guide to Baltimore.

A handsomely illustrated "Guide to Baltimore" 200 pages and a map of the city, has just been issued by The Norman-Remington Co., 347 N. Charles St., at 75 cents. The book gives schedules of how to see the city; illustrations of most of the large, or noted buildings and attractions; a lot of historical matter, and in general is what it purports to be, and is well worth the price.

NEW WINDSOR TEACHER CASE HEARD.

Decision of School Board to be Given in a Few Days.

The following report of the hearing in Miss Nicht's case is made up from articles appearing in the Baltimore Sun.

The hearing in the case of Miss Theresa Nicht, transferred or deposed teacher from the New Windsor public school, was held before the School Board on Wednesday this week. Four of the members of the Board were present. Mrs. Forelines being absent on account of illness, and there is one vacancy. State Senator Harry Levin appeared as counsel for Miss Nicht, and Charles O. Clemson for the School Board. The hearing was held in the Court room, which was over-full with spectators from all parts of the county.

Superintendent Unger presided, and at the outset explained that the occasion was merely an open meeting of the School Board to hear the protest of Miss Nicht in her case. That the Board had authorized him to deal with the case after a petition had been received from Mrs. Hoke, president of the New Windsor Parent-Teachers' Association. He denied that Miss Nicht had been "dismissed"; but later stated that he might have used the word inadvisedly, and that he had no authority to dismiss her, and could not have done so.

Before the case proceeded far there were clashes between the counsel over the style of questioning. Superintendent Unger was first questioned, and admitted that the portion of the petition for removal of Miss Nicht, stating that there was "turmoil" in the community, was untrue. He also stated that the question of the religion of the teacher was never touched upon, and that he did not know that Miss Nicht was a member of the Catholic Church, and did not think the members of the Board knew it.

On the question by Senator Levin as to whether he had not heard of the rumor regarding Miss Nicht's religion; Attorney Clemson objected to the question on the ground that facts, rather than rumors, were what the hearing should develop.

Mrs. John W. Smith, vice-president of the Parent-Teachers' Association was next called. She stated that the Association was composed of 176 members, and that the petition was signed by only 33 or 34 members, some of whom did not have children in the school; she stated that no meeting of the Association had ever been called to consider the petition that resulted in the removal of the teacher.

Attorney Levin then asked her to repeat a conversation she had with one of the signers of the petition, but the question was objected to by Attorney Clemson, and Mr. Levin appealed to the Board, at which time adjournment was taken for noon recess.

At the afternoon session both Mrs. Smith and Mr. Smith were not permitted to testify according to Mr. Levin's questions, who endeavored to bring out what influence, if any, the Ku Klux had in the case. Mr. Slingluff, a member of the School Board, offered to testify but neither side availed themselves of the opportunity.

Mr. Clemson called a number of witnesses who told their grievances against Miss Nicht, most of them being that she had kept the children in after school, that she had compelled them to wear dunce caps as punishment, that one little boy had been told to cut out doll babies, that another had been nervous and was crying on arriving home and had said he was afraid to walk through the woods. Still other charges were that Miss Nicht had compelled the children to sit on the floor, that she had fined them for dropping their books and that she had punished them for arriving at the school more than fifteen minutes before its opening each day.

At the close of the hearing J. Pearce Wantz, president of the board, announced that the board would take the evidence presented under consideration and come to a decision within a few days after the stenographer had completed a transcript of the testimony. Copies of the decision, he said would be sent to Albert S. Cook, State Superintendent of Education, and State Senator Harry O. Levin, counsel for Miss Nicht, as soon as it was rendered.

Mr. Wantz refused to consider a suggestion made by Mr. Levin that his board not vote unanimously on the matter in the event of an adverse decision. This, Mr. Levin asked, in order that the case might be taken to the State Board of Education in "the regular way," intimating that in the event of such a decision he intended to appeal to the State board.

The school law says that a county board's decision cannot be appealed to the State Board if the decision is unanimous.

In an article in the Baltimore Post, the following information appears: Charles O. Clemson, attorney for the school board, opened the session by reading the formal charges, which did not involve the petition, but declared removal was based on the charges and not on the petition. Clemson said the hearing was granted "to clear the air" and stop gossip about "unfairness," and that Miss Nicht's removal was due to the following charges: Incompatibility in handling children. Lack of tact. Inability to conduct her class room.

Dr. J. M. Henry, Mrs. Wm. Guyton,

RAILROAD CROSSINGS

Caution Needed to Make Grade Crossings Safe.

We clip the following from "Railroad Data" a publication issued by the "Committee of Publication Relations of the Eastern Railroads" covering the question of railroad grade crossings:

"There are 242,807 highway crossings passing over railroads, according to the American Railway Association. During the past five years, 3,059 were eliminated. Yet, during these same five years 17,553 new crossings were created, making a net increase of 14,494 crossings over those in existence in 1920.

More than 20,000,000 automobiles are registered in the United States. Their field of operation is every highway—every crossing.

In 1925, the American Railway Association states, 2,206 persons were killed and 6,555 injured at highway grade crossings. Automobiles were involved in 84 percent of these casualties.

The complete separation of railroads from highways would eliminate these mishaps, the Association explains, but its accomplishment would require generations of time and cost about \$19,000,000,000. Pointing out that immediate remedies must be sought, the Association offers the following suggestions as part of its campaign to reduce accidents at highway grade crossings:

The separation of the highways from railroads should proceed in an orderly and consistent manner.

Public authorities should discourage the creation of new crossings.

Highways should be re-routed, where practicable, to avoid crossing railroads.

Railroad crossings should be clearly and uniformly indicated to highway traveler.

Due notice should be given of the approach of trains.

Traveler's view of approaching trains should be improved where possible.

Extreme care should be exercised at every railroad crossing—no matter how rusty the track may appear.

Warning signals should be obeyed by highway travelers.

Where it is obligatory to stop before passing over railroad tracks, there should be no equivocation; an actual stop, plus observation, should be the rule.

Every highway traveler should look and listen where such acts will avail him.

Drivers of automobiles should be competent, trustworthy, and of good habits.

Reckless driving over railroad crossings should be condemned.

All efforts to prevent crossing accidents should be encouraged.

The three C's, Crossings Cautiously, should be indelibly impressed upon every driver."

Swift Justice in Canada.

Charles E. Redeker, of Windsor, Canada, a friend of the Editor of The Record, sent us, this week, clippings from a Windsor paper, giving an account of the trial, and conviction to be hanged, of a colored man who assaulted a white woman 81 years of age. He comments on the case, as follows:

"I am enclosing clipping which I rather imagine will be of considerable interest inasmuch as it presents a striking difference between the administration of justice in Canada, compared to that of the United States.

When crime is committed, the police are not permitted to use any 3rd degree measure when a man is arrested, must refrain from attempting to extort confession so that the accused may have a fair trial before Judge and jury, but when that trial is held, there are no unnecessary appeals permitted—nor delays. Justice is prompt and fair, and as you will note, in the charge of the Judge in the case, in the article enclosed—neither race nor creed is taken into consideration. Neither the Judge nor lawyers dare abuse their positions for the sake of publicity by aiming at the spectacular.

Needless to say, crime is much less prevalent—for those of the criminal type know full well that swift and sure justice awaits them. Judges are appointed by the Government for life and political pull or influence therefore does not buy them the decision of the judge in seeking favor for reelection."

Prisoners Escape from Jail.

Four prisoners escaped from the Carroll County jail, last Friday evening, one of them being John Keller, the "tip off" boy in the Norris murder case, in Baltimore. They were in jail awaiting trial for stealing. They made their break for freedom while a corridor door was left temporarily unlocked by the Warden, knocked down the Warden's son, seized upon a lot of overcoats and took to flight.

Three of the prisoners, including Keller, were captured, after resistance, under a cannery building along the railroad, while the fourth escaped, but was taken on Saturday, at Union Bridge, while attempting a getaway on a freight train.

Miss Lulu Crimm, Mrs. Herbert Getty, Guy W. Babylon, P. Thurston Cronise, Leslie A. Smelser, Mrs. James B. Barnes, Mrs. Reuben Morningstar, Mrs. R. Webb Reese, and others testified, both for and against Miss Nicht, as a teacher, but their testimony was not included in the Sun's reports.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

Summary of the Week's Leading Events at Annapolis.

An effort made in the Senate to kill the gasoline tax bill for roads, was lost in the Senate, on Friday, by a vote of 20 to 9, after a day's debate. The killing amendment was sponsored by Baltimore city Senators, who wanted Baltimore exempted from any tax for the building of lateral roads through the counties. The bill was then passed to its third reading.

Mr. Peeverly, of St. Mary's, introduced a bill, Tuesday, providing that teachers in colored elementary and high schools shall receive the same minimum salaries allowed teachers in white schools.

Senator Englar presented a resolution from four churches urging the rejection of legislation to change Sunday laws.

The Senate passed the bill authorizing a tax of 1 1/2 cents on gasoline for construction of lateral roads. Vote 19 to 10.

The House passed dry bills for Garrett and Montgomery counties. Both are more stringent than present laws.

The Senate killed the bill making women eligible for jury duty.

The amended gas tax bill, 1 1/2 cts, was passed by the House, on Wednesday, by a vote of 90 to 23. It carries a provision that the owner of any motor vehicle used for hire in Baltimore, or in connection with a business, shall be reimbursed 1 cent for each 1 1/2 cents paid, providing the vehicle does not leave the city.

Senators from the Eastern Shore introduced a bill providing a home for the aged men and women of the state, to be built on the Eastern Shore, and carrying an appropriation of \$50,000.

Senator Englar introduced a bill directing the Clerk of the Court of Carroll County to pay to the County Commissioners certain excess fees.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Edwards, of Montgomery, making it unlawful for any one to engage in repairing automobiles except a licensed mechanic. The bill provides for the appointment of a licensing board.

Information for Farmers.

December and June are usually the months of lowest hog prices. Over a period of years they average highest during April and September.

When corn is worth a dollar a bushel and tankage \$60 a ton, pigs cost approximately \$2.75 each at birth.

Horses and mules are in sufficient supply now to meet farmers' needs the coming season. But the number of young stock is only large enough to replace about half the number of work stock now on farms.

Sprouted potatoes are not as desirable for table purposes as unsprouted ones. The reason for this is that the starch in the tuber of a sprouting potato is being rapidly converted into sugar which in turn is being used up by the growing sprouts. Badly sprouted tubers also become wilted through increased loss of water. While sprouting is not desirable in the case of seed stock it is, unless too severe, not as injurious as for table stock. Every effort should be made to lower the temperature of the storage room and thereby retard sprouting.

Wool is always better when sheep have had enough feed. A period of under-nourishment may cause a weak place in the fiber which will quickly lower its value.

In branding sheep and lambs use a branding paint that will scour out when the wool is cleaned. Don't use tar or barn paint. Use as little as practicable.

One cow eats about as much as seven sheep.

A good mash for laying hens may be made up of 300 parts by weight of corn meal, 100 each of meat scraps, bran, middlings, and ground oats. This mash should be fed with green feed. In the absence of green feed, add 5 percent of alfalfa meal to the mash. Feed a good scratch feed along with the mash. Skim-milk or buttermilk also makes a good addition to the feeding plan.

Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red, and Wyandotte hens, and in fact most hens of the general purpose breeds make good mothers. The heavier class, or meat breeds, such as the Brahmas and Cochins also make good sitters, but are likely to be clumsy on the nest. Leghorns seldom get broody, and are not very good for hatching chicks.—U. S. Dep't Agriculture.

Marriage Licenses.

Calvin Jerome Clark and Mildred E. Plitt, Baltimore.

William G. Giggard and Anna G. Hahn, Westminster.

Robert W. Kemp and Lenore Florstedt, Olney, Md.

Walter M. Harbaugh and Emma Jane Sanders, Gettysburg.

Walter E. Hersh and Hilda V. Barnhart, Manchester.

Milton L. Freyman and H. Marie Wolf, Westminster.

Lewis E. Jones and Bernice P. Hipsley, Richmond, Va.

Chester Murray and Ella Becker, of Dillsburg, Pa.

The British National anthem has been in use for nearly two centuries.

"No man was ever great without Divine inspiration."

THE PRESIDENT'S VETO

Of The McNary-Haugen Farm Relief Legislation.

Political space-writers who have been ascribing to President Coolidge the distinction of being a "shrewd New England politician," and without real "backbone" will now have to revise their opinions, in the face of his hard-hitting veto of the McNary-Haugen so-called "farm relief" bill, which was sent to Congress last Friday.

The President not only vetoed the measure, but handled it in the most unmistakable terms of disapproval. The veto message is lengthy, and in detail, and requires a reading of the whole in order to get the President's argument in full.

Substantially, it was to the effect that it was unconstitutional; that it was not designed to benefit farmers as a whole, and was calculated to injure, rather than promote, the general public welfare; that as a price-fixing measure, once started, would have no justice and no end. The following are exact paragraphs:

"No one can deny that the prices of many farm products have been out of line with the general price level for several years. No one could fail to want every proper step taken to assure to agriculture a just and secure place in our economic scheme. Reasonable and constructive legislation to that end would be thoroughly justified and would have the hearty support of all who have the interests of the Nation at heart. The difficulty with this particular measure is that it is not framed to aid farmers as a whole, and it is, furthermore, calculated to injure rather than promote the general public welfare.

"It is axiomatic that progress is made through building on the good foundations that already exist. For many years—indeed, from before the day of modern agricultural science—balanced and diversified farming has been regarded by thoughtful farmers and scientists as the safeguard of our agriculture.

"The bill under consideration throws this aside as of no consequence. It says in effect that all the agricultural scientists and all the thinking farmers of the last fifty years are wrong; that what we ought to do is not to encourage diversified agriculture, but instead put a premium on one-crop farming.

"The measure discriminates definitely against products which make up what has been universally considered a program of safe farming. The bill upholds as ideals of American farming the men who grow cotton, corn, rice, swine, tobacco or wheat and nothing else. These are to be given special favors at the expense of the farmer who has toiled for years to build up a constructive farming enterprise to include a variety of crops and livestock that shall, so far as possible, be safe and keep the soil, the farmer's chief assets, fertile and productive.

"The bill singles out a few products, chiefly sectional, and proposes to raise the prices of those, regardless of the fact that thousands of other farmers would be directly penalized. If this is a true farm-relief measure, why does it leave out the producers of beef cattle, sheep, dairy products, poultry products, potatoes, hay, fruit, vegetables, oats, barley, rye, flax and the other important agricultural lines?"

"So far as the farmers as a whole are concerned, this measure is not for them. It is for certain groups of farmers in certain sections of the country. Can it be thought that such legislation could have the sanction of the rank and file of the Nation's farmers?"

"Inside" Information for Women.

Don't forget sauerkraut as a winter standby, and a source of vitamins.

Prunes are important sources of sugar and minerals, particularly iron. It is not necessary, as was formerly supposed, to remove food from a can as soon as it is opened.

Some one has said that "thrift is telling your money where to go, while shiftlessness is asking yourself where it went." Making a budget, then, is the beginning of thrift.

To make good fried oysters, dip them in egg and bread crumbs some time before they are to be fried. This gives the coating a chance to harden and the oysters will fry better.

Almost one-fourth of a banana is starch and sugar. In addition, a banana contains a small amount of protein, a trace of fat, and a small percentage of mineral matter. When buying bananas be sure the stem end is left on, thus making it a sealed package.

Benzine and naphtha give off very explosive vapors and require the same precautions in handling as gasoline. Never use as a container for such liquids a glass jar, bottle or other receptacle likely to break if dropped or struck accidentally.

One of the reasons why children should play out of doors in the sun is that in this way they may obtain the ultra violet rays contained in direct sunshine. These important, health-giving rays, which have been found so necessary to the health of both men and animals, are screened out by ordinary window glass. Take advantage of every bright sunny day and keep the youngsters out of doors.

"Happiness is a wayside flower that grows along the highway of usefulness."

After several years of experiment a young French mechanic has invented a bicycle which can be transformed into a small monoplane and fly to a height of 150 feet.

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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 correspondents.

The President's Veto.

President Coolidge, as was generally forecast, vetoed the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, and gave his reasons therefor in unmistakable terms, the same being stated in substance in a first-page article in this issue. There would have been defensible grounds, we think, for having signed the bill, which in reality had degenerated into a political football, rather than a genuine farmers' relief measure.

The bill passed both Senate and House with the aid of a lot of votes of members who were opposed to the bill, but who were afraid to vote against it; while others saw in the bill an opportunity to "pass the buck" to the President, and thereby line-up some of the western wheat and corn states against him as a possible candidate for renomination.

Whether the veto has actually weakened the Coolidge chances—if he expects to be a candidate—remains to be seen. At any rate, he has demonstrated that he has the courage of his convictions, and that they are not for barter, even for the nomination.

The Record believes pretty strongly in letting Congress legislate, and be responsible. That is what Congress is for. And yet, in an instance of this sort, following a lot of trading and dickering for votes for a price—fixing a scheme for a few commodities, the precedent would have been set that if this could be done for a few products, it could be done for all products, and carrying out this idea, in the end nobody would be benefitted; therefore, the scheme needed to be ended at the outset.

Some also believed that the bill should be tried, for say two years, and if found to be vicious, it might then have been repealed. Even the Secretary of Agriculture, who is supposed to have first-hand information on matters of this sort, opposed the bill as not being in the real interests of the farmers of the country as a whole; and this position the President evidently agreed to, and set aside all partisan political and personal considerations.

Ford, or Rockefeller?

What does it matter whether Henry Ford or John D. Rockefeller is the richest man in America? Neither of these men is a particle happier, or better, than many another man who counts his wealth by dollars, and not by millions. Actually, they are not to be envied by any man who has health, strength, a happy home and a clear conscience, and the desire and ability to perform useful work.

The near millionaires, or billionaires, are mere men, subject to all physical and mental ills, and have but a single span of life to live. Their money piles up on them tremendous responsibilities; not for the care of it, and adding more to it, but in the matter of the stewardship that all owe to the Giver of all possessions for the time being.

No young man, physically and mentally healthy, just entering upon the world's great stage, should envy the owners of great money bags, nor think of trading. The greatest thing in life is life itself—its opportunities, and even its hard knocks and upsets—the pleasure of honest work and the pursuit of that sort of success that adds in some degree to the world's benefit.

Individual success, when measured by mere possession of big money, is the biggest fraud in the whole world. The happiest folk are those who are contented. Not fixed, like a stone in the mud, but actually happy in their environment, with a clear brain and unworried conscience, and with a lot of genuine friends back of them, and who are representative, honored men, in their home neighborhoods.

Add to this, the possession and exercise of the finer christian virtues, and there is nothing finer in the shape of humanity in the whole world.

Bond Issues Responsible for High Taxes.

The large number of bond issue bills, both before the Maryland legislature, and in other states, raises the important question—whether the present fashion of borrowing now and paying later, is not very largely responsible for "high costs of living" by increasing the burdens of taxation?

States, counties and municipalities are simply doing what many individuals are doing—buying luxuries, or new things, on credit, and paying the interest as well as taxes, on the purchases.

Political divisions, like individuals, have gotten into the habit of wanting things so strongly that they feel it to be a hardship to wait until they can buy and pay cash for them, and the bond issue is the easy way—on the surface—to satisfy the desire. The time was when bond issues were resorted to only in great emergencies, like wars, or disasters. But now, we want them for no better reason, very often, than to "keep up" with the "getting" fashion, leaving debt, interest and taxes, to be something for complaint by the general taxpayer.

When sifted to the bottom, the voting for bond issue is largely "put over" by non-taxpayers. This may be justifiable enough in a few cases, but in the majority of them it is not right. Under our American political system, a vote is a vote, whether it is backed by financial responsibility or participation, or not. As we have it, the "freedom of the ballot" is also freedom to load tax burdens on those who must pay, whether they agree or not. The majority rules—and the majority is largely dollarless, in the tax-paying column.

World Peace Impossible.

World peace can not be successfully and solely regarded from purely ideal standpoints. While the whole world at peace would appear to be an ideal condition, and while it may be well enough to mix idealism with peace efforts, the serious and always continuous fact must be given first consideration; that it is business and politics that stand in the way of the peace that is hoped for and preached for.

The whole world is one great field for business. In a big way, the world is subject to exactly the same struggles for gain, advantage, making good bargains—for what we call "business"—as are local communities. The competition, rivalries and jealousies, the partisanship and contests within one of our states, represent merely a small edition of the same story that is going on in the big state of the world.

Every country on the face of the globe is in one way, or many ways, competing with other countries, for something. They have their trade relations, buying and selling, with each other; Legislation is often for business advantage; more territory is desired, just as a farmer may desire a larger farm; or as a store-keeper may feel the need of a larger store. Every country wants something that some other country has, and wants it on the most favorable terms possible.

After all, would genuine and complete world peace be desirable? Would it not take all of the vim and life out of existence? Is it not true that "Competition is the life of business," and that this simply means healthy rivalry? Is it possible to imagine an existence worth living, without some obstacles to call forth the best effort that is in us?

At most, it seems to us that the condition worth striving for is a limited peace. A peace that would prevent the taking of human life; but, is this possible? Laws and rules can not be enforced by mere moral suasion, sooner or later, force is required in order to keep within bounds those who disregard laws and the rights of others.

We need teachers and preachers and all sorts of moral doctrines; but after these, policemen and petty officers are necessary; so are the sheriffs and militia; and this rule leads on up to the "supreme sacrifice" made by masses of men. There never was peace in the world since its creation, and never will be, nor can be, so long as man is mere man.

The Evening Sun, and Washington.

The Baltimore Evening Sun seems hard to please when anybody other than itself tries to depict the character of George Washington. This is said, wondering whether the same editorial writer on the Sun's staff always covers this particular topic, for not so long ago, the Evening Sun editorially said:

"For the people of the United States long ago decided to regard George Washington as a prig. They prefer to regard him as a prig. It was as a prig he is set before them from their earliest childhood. And there is little likelihood that any biographer however carefully he works up his material, however cunning his advertising, will manage to change

the set opinion of the American people."

Now, this same (perhaps) editor, in commenting on President Coolidge's address on Washington, on February 2, complains that the President failed to do the Father of his country justice, and strongly intimates that he, the President found in Washington a sort of prototype of himself. For instance, in this:

"Therefore it is not surprising to discover that when President Coolidge examined him, as he did today in Congress, he should have brought back the tiding that George Washington was not essentially different from Calvin Coolidge, as Calvin Coolidge pictures himself."

And then, further on, in this—
"Mr. Coolidge does not make any mistake, politically, in telling the ordinary American business man that Washington was almost exactly like himself. Not only that, but there is a certain amount of truth in the picture. George Washington had indeed all the qualities which Mr. Coolidge ascribes to him."

And still further on, this—
"What made Washington great, was something which Mr. Coolidge barely mentioned * * * But when men met with him, they knew they could trust him * * * He inspired immediate confidence * * * There was never any suspicion of double dealing about him * * * which is to say that Washington was a man of honor."

What Mr. Coolidge said about Washington's honor, was this—
"He was an idealist in the sense that he had a very high standard of private and public honor."

And all through his address he ascribed to him the many virtues that only "honorable" men possess. It was a composite, embodying "honor" all through. What more could be expected in an all around address on Washington the "real man?"

And never once did he intimate that Washington was a "prig."

Over in Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Ledger does not seem so much mixed-up over the character of Washington, or the Coolidge address, as it had the following to say about this man among men, heading the article "Coolidge Lauds Washington":

"The President's speech had no space for the sentimental truths and falsehoods which have cluttered the Washington tradition, but there was much said of the great man's right to even more honor than he has received."

There were excellent illustrations of Washington's statesmanship. There were stirring phrases about Washington's idealism, with seasoning of practical ideas. There were tributes to Washington's military genius, which made independence possible. There were profuse bits gathered from records about the spiritual life of Washington.

It was not that President Coolidge was presenting new and startling facts about the man Washington. It was simply that the President had assembled in a powerful and convincing speech, the important things he believed the present generation needed to recall about the first President."

Ballot Reform in Penna.

A long forward step was taken last week toward the fulfillment of Governor Fisher's pledge to bring about the "enactment and enforcement of such laws as will insure the free use and fair count of the ballot of every qualified voter." The four ballot-reform bills introduced in the State Senate constitute the program of the Administration.

For the adoption of this program all the power of the Executive and of the Mellon leadership of the Republican organization presumably will be brought to bear upon the members of the Legislature. Their success will be a test of sincerity and of the real strength and wisdom of their leadership.

These Administration measures, it is important to note, embody the more important and far-reaching recommendations of the Pinchot committee which were so summarily rejected at the extra session of 1926. They include the mandatory opening of the ballot-boxes whenever fraud is alleged by any five electors of the county; the correction of the gross abuse of the "assistance-to-voters" system; the limitation and control of the expenses of candidates for State and Federal offices at primary elections, with a definition of purposes for which campaign money may be spent.

The enactment and proper enforcement of these measures would go far to redeem the State of Pennsylvania from the reproach cast upon it by the events of the recent primary election. That action will be notice to the Nation that the dominant party here is not dependent upon the ballot crook for the maintenance of its control and that the debauchery of the election machinery is not one of its accepted tenets or its habitual practice.

Nevertheless, it would be a grave mistake to ignore the fact that powerful political influences in the Legislature and in this city and in Pittsburgh will be arrayed against these ballot-reform bills. It will call for the exercise of all the political craft and for all the pressure which the Executive can bring to bear to overcome this opposition and to bring the recalcitrants to realize that it will be dangerous for them to repeat the tactics of January, 1926, with respect to these measures.—Phila. Ledger.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE
Horses, Cows, Heifers, Shoats
and Farm Utensils.

1 Mile North of Tyrone.

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale, on the Calvin R. Starnes farm, 1 mile north of Tyrone, on the road leading to the Stone road, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 11th, 1927,
at 11 A. M., sharp, the following valuable stock and farm utensils, to-wit:

4 GOOD HORSES.

Russell, weighing around 1400 pounds, work anywhere hitched, 9 years old; Topsy, weighing around 1200 pounds, good offside worker, 10 years old; Grace, weighing around 1200 pounds, good saddle mare, 16 years old; Harry, weighing around 1100 pounds, works anywhere hitched, 20 years old.

7 MILK COWS.

4 Fall cows, one fresh last of March; one fresh first of April; one fresh in August; 8 Stock Bull, yearling heifer.

15 SHOATS,

weighing from 40 to 80 pounds.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

3-ton Acme wagon, 4-in. tread, in good order; 1-ton Acme wagon, 12-ft. Western bed; 7-ft. Deering binder, good as new; McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut, in good order; horse rake, 8-hoe Farmers' Favorite drill, in running order; New Ideal manure spreader, walking cultivator, Oliver riding plow, No. 40, used one season; Syracuse, No. 501 plow, Ward No. 30, and 31 plows, 17-tooth, lever harrow, 22-tooth wood frame harrow, John Deere corn planter, 20-ft. hay carriage, corn sheller, 3-leg cultivator, shovel plow, 6 H. P.

JACOBSON GAS ENGINE.

In first-class running order. New Holland chopper, 6-in. burr; circular saw, 24-in. and frame; Ford truck, in good running order; Ford Touring Car, in good running order; 5-horse tractor, peep house, can be taken apart in eight minutes, 10x10; 100 chickens, 4 sets front gears, lot of collars, 6 bridles, 4 halters, jockey ticks, breast chains, log chains, 4-horse tree, 2 iron stretchers, 3 triple trees, 2 double trees, lot single trees, scoop shovel, forks.

DELAVAL CREAM SEPARATOR.

No. 1, good order; Davis swing churn, large iron kettle, grindstone, Columbia range, No. 88, with warming closet and water tank; 400-ft. white pine lumber, 1 1/2 inches thick, and many other articles used on a farm not mentioned.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on all sums above \$10.00 a credit of 6 months will be given, on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

RALPH D. STARNES,
J. N. O. SMITH, Auct.
CHAS. S. MARKER & UPTON MYERS,
Clerks. 2118-31

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will offer at public sale on his farm situated 1/2 mile from Piney Creek Station, along Penn. and Frederick Division Railroad or midway between Taneytown and Littlestown, on

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1927,
at 11:00 o'clock, A. M., the following personal property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES.

2 pair heavy roan draft horses, ages 4 and 6 years, shovel mated, both saddlers or leaders, will work any place or anywhere, and afraid of nothing; bay horse, 12 years old, splendid leader, will work all day without line; bay mare, offside worker, and good rider; pair mules, one an elegant leader, the other an offside worker.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE.

Government tested and clean bred; a pin; 15 cows all but three are young, from 1 to 4 calves; 3 or 4 very special young heifers, will come fresh close by day of sale; 6 other heifers not so close to being cows and 4 bulls, one a fat bull, and 3 stockers large enough for service, 1 Polagnus, one Herford, 1 Durham.

30 HEAD OF HOGS.

5 sows, all will have pigs by day of sale, or very close; 25 shoats, all medium size.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

One 8-ft. Osborne binder and truck, in good running order; Osborne mower, 5-ft. cut, practically good as new; Osborne hay rake, nearly new; 8-hoe Farmers' Favorite drill; Farmer's Favorite fertilizer and seed sower attached. This is a splendid drill, nearly new; 20 disc harrow, used 2 seasons, well hitched complete; Buck Hawk corn planter, edge drop, automatic marker and enough chain for the longest field, and hitch complete; Akron sulky corn cutter, 6-elegance machine, a time saver for standing corn; manure spreader, Black Hawk; 2 double Oliver corn workers, ball bearings eight shovels each, almost new, any child that can drive a horse can work these workers; 2 Oliver spring-tooth harrows, one a 17-tooth and the other a 15-tooth harrow, both good; 2 No. 40 Oliver-Chilled plows, one six block hand roller, can not drag any ground by turning; 2 wagons, one a 4-in. tire, Moline automobile tread; 4 or 6-horse wagon, practically new, side and rear brakes; wagon bed, 110-bu. capacity; one a low down, heavy hand wagon, also a 4-in. tire, a most comfortable wagon, on a farm for easy loading; 2 pair hay carriages, one is a 19-ft. carriage complete and built from the best material obtainable; one is a 18-ft. carriage fairly good; 2-horse scoop, single shovel plow, double shovel plow, single corn worker, single corn cover, hay fork and rope; truck wheels and axle bag wagon, forks, shovels, pick, three 2-horse trees, two 3-horse trees, 2 spreaders, 20 single trees, 3 log chains, bushel basket, half bushel measure.

HARNESS.

2 pair breechbands, 4 pair front gears, bridles, collars, saddle, 2 pair check lines, 3 single lines, 6 bridles, lines, halters, harness, wheelbarrow, nearly new; cream separator, churn, and a number of articles not mentioned.

TERMS—On sums of \$5.00 or over, a credit of 6 months will be given on notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until settled for.

D. M. MEHRING,
J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-25-47

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

WILLIAM A. ERB,
late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of September, 1927; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hands this 15th day of February, 1927.

FRANCES V. ERB,
Administrator.

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Good Heavy Shirtings in plain blue or stripes that will make serviceable work shirts at lower prices.

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A large assortment of different weights of Bleached and Unbleached Muslin in the 36 or 40 inch widths at low prices. Also good quality Sheetings in bleached or unbleached in all the leading widths.

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A full line of Men's Heavy Work Pants always in stock. They are full cut and well made and priced low. Also a fine assortment of Shippensburg Overalls and Blouses in plain blue, Stifels stripes and heavy cottonade.

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New low prices are now in effect on all rubber footwear. Light and heavy Rubbers for Men and Women, Gum Boots for Men and Boys. Light and heavy weight 1 or 4 Buckle Arctics for Men, Women, Boys, and Girls. Also a complete line of Monopuls for Men, Women, or Children at lower prices.

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The Carroll Record is known for being a "Sale" newspaper, and each year we have interested persons subscribe for The Record, just in order to keep posted on sales in our territory. This means good attendance, and that means, bidders.

This year, especially, when the outlook is for a smaller number of sales in this section, we also advise the use of large posters, for sending to outlying neighborhoods, where newspaper advertising may not reach. When desired, we will mail out the posters from this office.

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TANEYTOWN, MD.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale on his premises...

3 HEAD OF HORSES, roan mare, 7 years old, work wherever hitched...

4 MILCH COWS, Holstein cow, will be fresh in July; roan cow, will be fresh in July...

17 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will farrow by day of sale; 15 head of shoats...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One 7-ft. McCormick Binder, in good running order; one 4 1/2-ft. Osborne mower...

CHICKENS, lot of laying hens sold by the lb.; 100 loose posts, core by the barrel; also some household goods...

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; all sums above \$5.00 a credit of 6 months...

WM. F. RITASE, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-18-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming will offer at public sale, on the Albert J. Ohler farm known as the Samuel Hill place...

THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following described property:

3 HEAD HORSES, PAIR MULES, bay mare, 12 years old, work wherever hitched...

11 HEAD OF CATTLE, consisting of 6 milch cows, 2 heifers, will be fresh in August...

2 BROTHERS, taken up February 1st, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 6-ft. Osborne binder, good running order...

TERMS—Sum of \$5.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

JOHN P. MUMBERT, B. P. OGLE, Auct. 2-25-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale, at his residence, near Harney, on the Gettysburg road...

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following personal property:

4 HEAD HORSES AND MULES, pair dark bays, 11 years old, both leaders; bay mare, 16 years old...

4 HEAD OF MILCH COWS, brindle cow, third calf sold off; Guernsey, will be fresh in Jan.; Holstein calf, just sold...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Good No. 5 manure spreader, good No. 5 grain binder, 8-ft. clear cut; good 5-ft. cut mower...

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

HARRY F. ANGELL, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-18-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale on the Knox farm, along the Littlestown road, about 3 miles from Taneytown...

THURSDAY, MARCH 16th, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following personal property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES, Joe, bay horse, work any place except the lead; Harry, bay horse, work any place...

13 HEAD OF CATTLE, consisting of 9 milch cows; 4 fresh by day of sale, rest are Summer and Fall cows...

LOT OF HOGS, 4 farm wagons, one 4-ton wagon, 4-in. tread; 1 three-ton wagon, 3 1/2-in. tread...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 2 horse wagon, truck wagon, wagon and 12-ft. long, holds 10 barrels of corn...

TERMS—All sums under \$10.00, cash; on sums of \$10.00 and upward, a credit of 6 months will be given...

EMORY SNYDER, E. S. HARNER & ELLIS OHLER, Clerks. 2-18-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public sale, on his premises, situate between Mayberry and Pleasant Valley, about 1 mile from hard road...

TUESDAY, MARCH 22nd, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following personal property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES, pair bay horse, 4 and 5 years old, work anywhere hitched...

11 HEAD OF CATTLE, 7 head of milch cows, 3 fresh by day of sale; 2 the calves just sold off...

35 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will have pigs by their side; Registered Poland China brood sow...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 7-ft. cut Deering binder, good condition, with tongue truck...

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

JOHN P. MUMBERT, B. P. OGLE, Auct. 2-25-3t

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HARRY F. ANGELL, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-18-3t

PUBLIC SALE

Having rented my farm I will offer at public sale, on my farm near Taneytown, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1927, at 12:30 sharp, the following described property:

5 HEAD GOOD HORSES, "Bill," dark sorrel, 9 years old, wagon leader; "Tom," dark bay horse, 5 years old...

21 HEAD OF CATTLE, 15 head milch cows, 3 cows will be fresh before July; 9 cows, will be fresh before July...

40 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will farrow latter part of March, the other 38 of April...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One 4-horse farm wagon, 3-in. tread; 2-horse wagon, 2 1/2-in. tread...

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

HARRY W. BAKER, B. P. OGLE, Auct. 2-25-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale along state road leading from Taneytown to Emmitsburg, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1927, at 12 o'clock, the following personal property:

4 HEAD HORSES, "Mack," a good sized grey horse, coming 8 years old, will work wherever hitched...

7 HEAD OF CATTLE, Holstein cow, carrying 7th calf; Holstein cow, carrying 6th calf; yearling Holstein bull...

12 HEAD OF HOGS, 3 brood sows, will have pigs by day of sale; 9 shoats, will weigh about 35 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 2 Wagons, Milburn wagon, 3-in. skain, 4-in. tread...

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

D. H. ESSIG, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-25-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale on his farm, better known as the Gardner farm along state road between Emmitsburg and Taneytown, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following described property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES, No. 1 black mare, 11 years old, work anywhere; No. 2, black horse, 9 years old...

13 HEAD OF CATTLE, 9 milch cows, 3 will be fresh near day of sale; 3 fresh cows with calves...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut, in good running order; Deering mower, Deere corn planter...

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on larger sums a credit of 6 months will be given...

GEO. M. KEMPER, B. P. OGLE, Auct. 2-25-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public sale, at his residence, the Roy Dorn farm, 1 mile west of Bruceville, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1927, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

1 BAY MARE, "Fleet," 18 years old, good driver and worker.

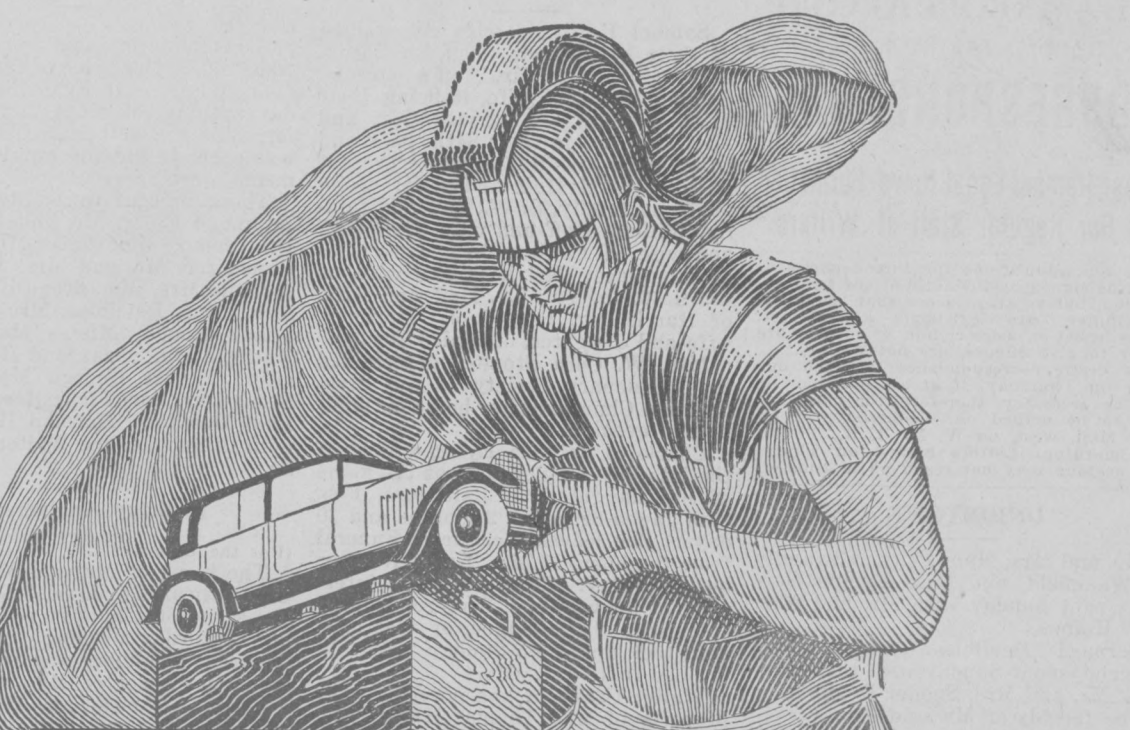
4 HEAD OF CATTLE, Registered Holstein cow, carrying 3rd calf; 1 Holstein heifer, carrying 1st calf...

9 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will have pigs by day of sale; 1 Chester boar, will weigh 100 lbs...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One 5-ton wagon, 4-in. tread, good as new; 4-horse wagon and 20-ft. carriage...

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; all sums above \$10.00 a credit of 6 months will be given...

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The undersigned will offer at public sale, at his residence, the Roy Dorn farm, 1 mile west of Bruceville, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1927, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

1 BAY MARE, "Fleet," 18 years old, good driver and worker.

4 HEAD OF CATTLE, Registered Holstein cow, carrying 3rd calf; 1 Holstein heifer, carrying 1st calf...

9 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will have pigs by day of sale; 1 Chester boar, will weigh 100 lbs...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One 5-ton wagon, 4-in. tread, good as new; 4-horse wagon and 20-ft. carriage...

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; all sums above \$10.00 a credit of 6 months will be given...

ELLIS OHLER, Auct. 2-25-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale, at his residence, near Harney, on the Gettysburg road...

TUESDAY, MARCH 22nd, 1927, at 11 o'clock, the following personal property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES, pair bay horse, 4 and 5 years old, work anywhere hitched...

11 HEAD OF CATTLE, 7 head of milch cows, 3 fresh by day of sale; 2 the calves just sold off...

35 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 brood sows, will have pigs by their side; Registered Poland China brood sow...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 7-ft. cut Deering binder, good condition, with tongue truck...

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JOHN P. MUMBERT, B. P. OGLE, Auct. 2-25-3t

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4 HEAD OF MILCH COWS, brindle cow, third calf sold off; Guernsey, will be fresh in Jan.; Holstein calf, just sold...

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Good No. 5 manure spreader, good No. 5 grain binder, 8-ft. clear cut...

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HARRY F. ANGELL, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-18-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned having sold his farm, will offer at public sale on the road leading from Middleburg to Taneytown, near Hobson Grove School-house, on

MONDAY, MARCH 7th, 1927, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

3 HEAD OF HORSES, "Mabel," 8 years old; "Tom," 11 years old; "Frank," 10 years old...

5 HEAD OF CATTLE, 3 will be fresh by day of sale; 2 in the Fall. 5 SHOATS. CHICKENS by the lb.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, 2-horse wagon, 6-ft. Deering binder, in good shape...

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NO. 5745 EQUITY

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

EDWARD O. WEANT, Attorney named in the Mortgage.

HARRY B. KRAMER and BELLA KRAMER, his wife, Mortgagees.

ORDERED, This 22nd day of February, A. D. 1927, that the sale of the property mentioned in the proceedings made and reported by Edward O. Weant, Attorney named in the Mortgage...

EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk. True Copy Test: EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk. 2-25-27

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All communications for this department must be signed by the author; nor for publication, but as an evidence that the items are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted.

We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesday, or by Fast Mail, west on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

UNIONTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Fritz and family of Wakefield, and Miss Evelyn Garber, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haines.

Bernard Devilbiss and sister, Blanche, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snader Devilbiss.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Garber gave them a farewell surprise party, at their home, on last Tuesday evening. About 40 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickensheets and family, of Union Bridge, called on Mr. and Mrs. Benton Flater, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robertson and son, visited Mrs. Robertson's grandmother, Mrs. Martha Singer, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lindsay and son, of Westminster, spent Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. David Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schaffer and son, of Littlestown, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and family. Mrs. Schaffer expects to stay a couple of days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Garber and family, on Monday.

Edgar Selby and friend, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Selby.

Cleveland Garber's sale was well attended, and good prices were realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Heltbride and daughter, Miss Anna, and Ross Heltbride, called on Mrs. Virginia Rodkey, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Garber and family, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lowe, Jr., on Wednesday.

The Missionary Society and friends of St. Luke's Lutheran Church sent Samuel Stuller a "Sunshine Box," last Thursday, which was very much appreciated. Mr. Stuller has been housed up for the past three months.

The Missionary Society of St. Luke's Lutheran Church sent Mrs. Isaac Winters a "postal shower," on Saturday.

Miss Adelia Greenholtz and Miss Bessie Mering visited Mrs. Samuel Greenholtz, at University Hospital, Baltimore, on Monday.

DETOUR.

Peter D. Koons, Jr. and family, of Frederick, called on relatives and friends, on Sunday. Mr. Koons just returned, Saturday afternoon, from a week's business trip in Kansas City, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Diller and Mrs. Ernest Smith, spent Sunday in Hagerstown.

Mrs. Clara Leib returned home on Sunday, after spending a few weeks in Washington and Frederick. She was accompanied by several of her nieces and nephews from Frederick.

The Sewing Society of the Brethren Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cover on Thursday.

Mrs. R. E. Diller accompanied some friends on a motor trip to Staunton, Va., and also visited the Shenandoah Caverns.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Erb, on Saturday, were: Master Theo. Woodward, Thomas Babylon, Edward Dorsey and Francis Bowers, from Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Schaible and son, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Diller.

Upton Austin, who is employed at the Key Grain and Feed Co., of this place, has been indisposed, this week.

C. Ray Fogle and daughter, Martha, of Westminster, called on his mother, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weybright.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eyer, of Baltimore, visited at the home of Mr. F. J. Shorb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Kauffman and family, entertained a few friends, on Thursday evening.

Miss Ruth Fogle, of Union Bridge, visited Miss Madge Cover.

Thomas Motter, of near Emmitsburg, called on John Coshun and family, on Sunday.

MANCHESTER.

Howard Wink, a student in Gettysburg Theological Seminary, and his friend, Miss Anna Tawney, of Gettysburg, spent Sunday afternoon and evening with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. L. Wink, and Rev. L. H. Rehmyer and family. Mr. Wink preached an excellent sermon on "Moses," in the Reformed Church, at the 6:45 Vesper Service, and gave an instructive talk on education, in the Lutheran Church at the 7:30 service.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Coss, of Pikesville, have been visiting the last two weeks with H. J. T. La Motte and family, and other friends.

The Motion Picture, "Lest We Forget," presented under the auspices of the Reformed C. E. of Silver Run, was enlightening and challenging. Good audiences were present at Lineboro Church, and at the Reformed Church, Manchester.

The Operetta, "Windmills of Holland," was excellently presented by the Music Club of the High School. A capacity audience witnessed it.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fire Co., held a quilting, all day Wednesday, in the Firemen's Hall.

NEW WINDSOR.

Samuel Hoff and wife entertained at their home, near town, on Saturday, in honor of Mr. Hoff's parents, Samuel Hoff and wife, it being their 58th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Hoff are in their 84th year and enjoy good health. Those present were: Samuel Hoff and wife, John Hoff and family, S. W. Hoff and family, William Hoff and wife, Earl Hoff and wife, N. C. Graybill and wife, all of this place; Carl King and wife, of Charlestown, Va.; Dr. Hoff and wife, of Harrisburg, Pa.; V. J. Dotterer, wife and daughter, of Union Bridge.

Mrs. W. Cora Stouffer entertained the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, at her home on Wednesday evening.

Charlotte Rebecca Eyer, widow of the late Peter Eyer, died at the home of her daughter, in Baltimore, Feb. 28th, aged 68 years, 2 months and 20 days. She leaves 7 children. Funeral from the home of Mrs. Kurtz Warner, on Thursday. Services and interment at Beaver Dam, Brethren Church, Maurice S. H. Unger, of Westminster, took dinner on Sunday last, with W. Leo Hoke and wife.

Walter Cramer has purchased the property of Mrs. Thomas Haines, and will occupy the same in the near future. Mrs. Haines will move to town and occupy the Ollie Jones property.

Mrs. Ella Lantz visited her son and family, at Richmond, Va., last week.

Mrs. J. S. Baile is visiting relatives in New York.

Roland Devilbiss and wife, of Hyattsville, spent the week-end here, with H. H. Devilbiss and family.

William Lovell, Jr. and family spent Sunday last, in Westminster.

Mrs. Iva Whitehill, of Baltimore, spent Saturday last in town.

An Operetta, entitled "Wild Rose," will be given by the Music Department of the High School, in the College auditorium, this Friday evening.

Earl Snader and wife, of Waynesboro, Pa., spent Sunday last with Charles Graybill and wife.

Rodger Barnes, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end here, with his parents, J. E. Barnes and wife.

Helen Warner, who is attending school in Baltimore, spent the week-end here, with her aunts, the Misses Warner.

Mrs. Blanchard Martin, of Union Bridge, is visiting her parents, Chas. Bankard and wife.

Charles Appleby and family, of Frederick, spent Sunday with Dr. A. E. Lambert and wife.

Calvin Moyer, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out again.

The Aid Society of the Brethren Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Kinsev, on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to observe "World's Day of Prayer for Missions." A program will be rendered and a collection will be taken.

FEESERSBURG.

March arrived in a lamb-like mood, but do not venture too much on its mildness.

Shrove Tuesday—did you bake some fastnachts for good luck?

Ash Wednesday—and Lent begins. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fogle and daughter, Miriam, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zoljickoff, of Uniontown, spent last Thursday evening with the Birelys'.

Mrs. Robert Kemp, of Frederick, visited at the same place, over the week-end.

Mrs. Cleon Wolfe spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Gilbert, near Linwood.

A sister and niece of Mrs. Archie Eyer, from Baltimore, visited them over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bostian, and two children, and sister, Louise Rinehart, of Baltimore, were with their home folks here, on Sunday.

Some of our folks attended the sale of Mrs. C. D. Spurrier, last Friday, and had a sociable time with their friends.

L. K. Birely is suffering a severe attack of lumbago.

Our Dr. and nurse, of the Poultry Hospital, are kept busy. Just now they are in the dissecting department and will soon know the cause of our fatalities.

Lots of baby-chicks requiring attention; cabbage and tomato seeds sprouting in the window and a robin whistling outside. Now you know Spring is on the way.

LINWOOD.

Mrs. R. Lee Myers delightfully entertained the Woman's Club, at her home, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Ribenour, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, Miss Ella Smith and Mrs. Ella Bovey, of Hagerstown, were callers at J. W. Messler's, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Julia Wilhide returned to her home, in Ladiesburg, Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Calvin Binkley.

R. Lee Myers and wife motored to Waynesboro, Sunday, to see Mr. Milton Myers, who has been quite ill.

Gavin Metcalfe moved, on Thursday, from the Harry Haines farm, near Linwood, to the farm occupied by Christopher Dickers, near Union Bridge. Mr. Dickerson moving to his home in Linwood, recently purchased from John A. Englar. We are very sorry, indeed, to lose the Metcalfes' from our midst, but welcome the Dickersons'.

Miss Bertha Drach entertained, on Friday evening, C. W. Binkley and family and Seward Englar and wife.

"Kentucky Belle," given last Friday evening, at Middleburg, for the benefit of the Church, was well attended, considering the roads and weather.

John E. Drach has treated himself to a new car.

Paul Robertson and family, and Miss Lois Robertson, of Warfieldsburg, spent Sunday with E. B. Garner and family.

In Texas, traffic was blocked and motorists forced to detour because of herds of buffaloes travelling from swamp to swamp.

It is strange, but when a man sows his wild oats he just raises Cain.

Birthday Surprise Party.

(For the Record). A complete birthday surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Moser, near Keysville, on Tuesday evening, March 1st, in honor of Mr. Moser's birthday. The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eyer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dinterman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stonesifer, Mr. and Mrs. John Ohler, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stonesifer, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Devilbiss, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houck; Misses Marie Houck, Kathryn Dinterman and Hazel Stonesifer; Messrs George Myers, Ralph Stonesifer, Earl Stonesifer, Roger and Paul Devilbiss, Norman Houck, Kenneth Dinterman and Walter Stonesifer Jr.

Birthday Anniversary.

(For the Record). The home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Study, near St. James' Church, was the scene of a happy gathering, on last Saturday evening, when their children, neighbors and friends gathered in honor of Mr. Study's 65th birthday. Games and conversation were indulged in, until a late hour, when refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John C. Study, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harner, Mr. and Mrs. John Staub, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eckard, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Study, Mr. and Mrs. John Leister, Mrs. Huber Pittenturf, Mrs. William Sentz; Misses Orah Study and Helen Leister; Messrs Elwood Harner, Wilbur Leister, Charles Plank, Stuart Crouse, Fred Leister, David Sentz, Reid Pittenturf, Curvin Study, Billy Sentz, Ray Pittenturf, Richard Leister and Ralph Sentz.

KEYMAR.

Rev. James Cattanauch, of Baltimore, spent last Monday night and Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Galt. Mrs. Cattanauch, who spent a week at the Galt home, was accompanied home by her husband. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McKinney, of Taneytown, also spent Tuesday at the Galt home.

Miss Madaline Dern spent last week-end at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Bessie Mehring.

Miss Thelma Hahn spent last week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hahn.

The road from Keysville to the hard road, near John Shorb's, was impassable the past 10 days. Some of the good men of near that place took their horses and worked and dug the road on Monday and Tuesday, and made the road fine. The Keysville people are always ready to help out which is appreciated.

Miss Cora Sappington has purchased the Bungtown farm, of 185 acres, owned by the late Charles Sappington.

Clarence Smith near Taneytown, met with an accident last Thursday, while cutting a tree down. The tree lodged, and while trying to pull it fell on his left leg, and broke it above the knee. He was rushed to the Frederick Hospital, by Dr. Diller. At this writing he is not doing so well.

BRIDGEPORT.

Mr. and Mrs. Wantz and Mrs. Alma Newcomer, of Taneytown, were guests of Mahlon Stonesifer and family, on Sunday.

Harry W. Baker, wife and daughter; Lewis D. Baker, Mrs. Russel Ohler and son, John David, visited B. F. Baker and wife, who are ill at their home in Greentown, Pa.

Preaching service, next Sunday, March 6, at Tom's Creek M. E. Church by the pastor, Rev. F. L. Fitch, at 10:00 A. M.

Edgar Miller, wife and two daughters, recently visited at the home of H. W. Baker and family. L. D. Baker is visiting at the same place.

The following changes will take place in this vicinity; George Kempher will move to Gettysburg; Bernard Bentz, to the Kempher farm; Charles Kooz to the Hobbs farm, vacated by Bentz; Harry Baker to Emmitsburg, and John Keilholtz from the Fuss farm to the Baker farm; Glen Ohler to the Fuss place; George Mort, from the Troxel farm to near Taneytown.

EMMITSBURG.

Mrs. Emma Jamison wife of Dr. B. I. Jamison, died last Saturday evening, at Elicott City, following an illness of some time. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Clotworthy Birnie, of Washington; two sisters, Mrs. Sophia Annan, who lived with her, and Mrs. Neison, in the South. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning with services in St. Joseph's Catholic Church; officiated by Rev. Conroy, C. M., interment in cemetery adjoining.

Charles Riffe, of Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. James Saylor and family, of Motters, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Riffe, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Fogle, of Thurmont, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bentzel, of Fairfield, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Riffe.

Rev. and Mrs. T. T. Brown, of Taneytown, visited at the home of C. R. Landers, on Wednesday.

John Eyer, of near town, is very sick in his home.

Rev. E. L. Higbee attended the funeral of Rev. Isaac Motter, in Frederick, on Thursday.

George Knox, of near town, died at his home, Wednesday morning, after an illness of a few hours. The services will be in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Saturday morning; interment will be in Taneytown.

Hull W. Eyster's age was 75 years, and not 45, as stated last week.

A lithograph of "Old Ironsides" which cost three cents was sold to President Coolidge by Secretary Wilbur, for twenty-five cents. It was the first of 4,000,000 pictures which will be put on the market to save the old frigate and all profits will be turned into the fund being raised for that purpose. School children and other small contributors already have given a total of \$270,000.

Drys in Senate Win.

The dry forces in the U. S. Senate, on Monday, put through a cloture vote on the Prohibition Bureau reorganization bill, 55 to 27, a two-thirds vote. This gave the bill legislative right of way, and it passed the Senate on Wednesday. The vote put out of the way all other pending legislation, and a dead-lock due to obstructive tactics that had kept the Senate in a turmoil for over a week, over various measures.

DIED.

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

MR. J. HAMILTON BOWERS.

Mr. James Hamilton Bowers died at his home near Taneytown, Sunday afternoon, aged 81 years, 9 months, 10 days.

He is survived by four sons and two daughters: Harry M., near Taneytown; Charles, of Philadelphia; Edward, in Georgia; Jesse, in Florida; Mrs. Harry Baker, Gettysburg, and Mrs. Edward Copenhaver, near Taneytown. Also by one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Demmitt, Taneytown.

Funeral services were held at Piney Creek Church of the Brethren, on Tuesday, in charge of Elders C. F. Bucher and George H. Knox.

MR. GEORGE KNOX.

Mr. George Knox, living near Emmitsburg, died suddenly, Wednesday morning, from a stroke of some kind, after a few hours illness. As a young man he lived near Taneytown, and for many years was a resident of Baltimore, removing to his late home five or six years ago. He was in his 62nd year.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Verna, Ruth and Edith, and by two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Fink and Mrs. Rebecca Reaver, both of Taneytown. Funeral services will be held this Saturday morning, at Emmitsburg Catholic Church, followed by interment in St. Joseph's cemetery, Taneytown.

MRS. CHARLES E. EYLER.

Mrs. Mary C., wife of Mr. Charles E. Eyer, near Harney, died early last Saturday morning, very suddenly, from a heart attack. She had not complained of being ill, but retired Friday night, apparently well. Her age was 62 years, 4 months, 1 day.

She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hess, of Harney, and is survived by her husband and one son, Mervin L. Eyer, near Harney, and one brother John William Hess, of Harrisburg.

Funeral services were held on Monday, at the Harney Lutheran Church, in charge of her pastor, Rev. L. K. Young.

MRS. CHARLOTTE B. STRYKER.

Mrs. Charlotte Benner Stryker, widow of Henry Stryker, died at her home in Lansdale, Pa., after a long illness. She was born Feb. 20, 1836, died Feb. 18, 1927, aged 90 years, 11 months, 28 days.

She was a daughter of John and Esther Plank Benner, born in Mt. Joy Township, Pa., on the Benner homestead along the Gettysburg road, now occupied by Clarence Nail.

Surviving her are the following children; Mrs. Gertrude Perkins, Mrs. Perry Gould and Julius Stryker, all of Lansdale, Pa., and Mrs. Lina Fish, of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Stryker is the last member of a family of seven. Five grandchildren also survive. Burial was made at Lansdale, Sunday, Feb. 20, 1927.

MR. JAMES D. HAINES.

Mr. James D. Haines, well known in Taneytown and throughout Carroll County, died at Springfield Hospital, February 24, from neuritis, aged 76 years, 2 months, 6 days.

He was actively engaged in farming on his farms along the Emmitsburg road, until a few years ago, but since then had been living around at different places, part of the time at his farm near New Windsor. Earlier in life he was engaged in merchandising at McKinstry's Mills and Middleburg, and served a term in the House of Delegates in 1904.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Haines, of near Linwood, and was the last of a family of seven children. He was married three times first to Miss Ella Smith, who died in Middleburg; second to Miss Kate Moritz who secured a divorce; and his third wife, who survives him, was Miss Sarah A. Herr. He also leaves ten children; Ruth, of Baltimore; Merle, of Emmitsburg; Carl, Russell and Mary, near Keysville; Alberta and Isabelle, Gettysburg; Paul, at New Windsor, and Reno and Glenn, near Taneytown.

Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon, from C. O. Fuss & Son, undertaking establishment, in charge of Rev. Guy P. Bready. Interment was made in the Reformed cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors, and also to the Choir for their kindness and for the use of all teams during the death and funeral of our wife and mother.

MR. CHAS. E. EYLER & SON.

IN MEMORIAM.

WASHINGTON CAMP NO. 2, P. O. S. of A.

Whereas, The Angel of Death again entered our ranks on March 1, 1927, and called from his earthly labors our esteemed Brother,

LUTHER A. ECKARD,

And whereas, We always found him standing for the principles of our Order in upholding the Institutions of our Country, and feeling this loss to our Camp and community.

Resolved, That we extend our sympathy to his bereaved family, and assure them that his life will ever be remembered with kindest feeling by those who knew him best, and that we believe he is enjoying a more mature life for which his life here was but the preparation.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be printed in The Carroll Record, and a copy be presented to our deceased Brother's family.

Fraternally Submitted,

G. E. GLENN,

CHAS. L. STONESIFER,

NORMAN S. DEVILBISS,

Committee.

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SUNSPOTS CAUSE BOREALIS PRANKS

Scientist Sees Connection in Magnetic Phenomena.

London.—Connection between the spots on the sun and the displays of the aurora borealis and similar magnetic phenomena of the last few days, was seen by Dr. A. C. Crommellin of the Royal observatory, Greenwich.

He told how it may be possible that great streams of electrons thrown off by the sunspots, which he described as tremendous whirlpools of gas on the sun, may travel through the ether until they come within the magnetic influence of the earth.

Concentration of these electronic streams toward the North and South poles, he said, may give rise to the activity of the aurora and its accompanying phenomena.

"The sun is more active now than it has been since 1922," Doctor Crommellin said. "Its activity usually reaches its maximum in about four and a half years after its minimum activity."

"Sunspots are vast whirlpools of gas on the surface of the sun, some of them 50,000 miles across.

"Magnetic disturbances on the earth now are generally thought to be produced by streams of electrons projected from the surface of the sun, when it is especially active.

"The sunspots may well be the origin of these streams of electric particles which cross 96,000,000 miles of ether between the sun and earth and create magnetic storms on the earth, generally producing at the same time the phenomenon of the aurora borealis.

"These particles are attracted to the magnetic centers at the earth's North and South poles.

"They create, among other things, disturbances on the telegraph wires and cables by producing induced currents which confuse ordinary messages.

"At the same time that sunspots occur, flames of gas extending sometimes to a height of over 200,000 miles may be observed to erupt from the sun's surface."

Champ Wins Parole
New York.—Hyman Prussack won a parole from County Judge Martin on a plea that he (Prussack) was the world's champion pretzel bender, and New York would miss his inimitable output.

Bruin Blocks Traffic
Royalton, Vt.—An automobilist on the Bethel highway says he had to stop to avoid colliding with a full-grown bruin napping in the roadway.

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.

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

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

TWO BUILDING LOTS for sale, in the "East End," along the State Road, Taneytown. If interested, write Mrs. M. E. Ruddy, 1257 Kearney St., Brookland, D. C. 2-25-2t

FOR SALE—Hatching Eggs from healthy, free range flock, two years old Rhode Island Reds. Eggs bringing excellent hatches of lively chicks.—Robert E. Fox, Ladiesburg, Md. 3-4-4t

THE HOME INSURANCE CO. represents the best Fire or Storm Insurance obtainable, at standard rates. Its record for fair settlement of losses, is of the very highest. When you have a Home policy, you have "the best" that is to be had.—P. B. Englar, Agent for 30 years in Taneytown. 3-4-3t

SALESMAN WANTED for lubricating Oils, Greases and Paints. Excellent opportunity. Salary or Commission.—The Jed Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland Ohio.

FOR SALE—Seed Corn, yellow variety. Samples mailed free on request.—Robert E. Fox, Ladiesburg, Md. 3-4-2t

MARCH WINDS may bring along that storm that you are not insured against, for damage. A policy may cost less than you think. Better be safe than sorry!—P. B. Englar, Agent for 30 years in Taneytown. 3-4-3t

WILL REPAIR Binder Canvas if brought in before I close my shop on March 12th, or until further notice.—H. E. Reck. 3-4-2t

FOR SALE—Male Calf, two-thirds white, calved Feb. 5th; his Dam, Lillie 725641, tested in Cow Testing Association, Feb. 16, tested 5 1/2 milked 50-lbs. per day; bred from Casper Doetze Korndyke. Another Male Calf, calved May 23rd. Calves for sale. The above are pure-bred Holsteins.—C. F. Bowers Union Bridge, Md. 2-25-2t

\$100 REWARD—A reward of \$100 is offered by the citizens of Frizellburg and vicinity for information leading to the arrest and conviction of party or parties who stole the tires and rims, blankets, tools, etc., from the automobiles of Norman P. Myers and William H. Marker, on Tuesday night, March 1, 1927. 3-4-2t

HORSE FOR SALE—Good driver and off-side worker; also a Second-hand Automobile. Apply to—J. W. Witherow. 3-4-2t

IRISH COBBLER Potatoes, 50 bushels for sale, by Halbert Poole, of New Windsor. 3-4-1f

350 BARRED ROCK and 350 R. I. Red Baby Chicks for sale, March 9th. Price 15c each.—Reindollar Bros. & Co., Hatchery.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Barred Rock Rooster, took 1st. prize at Carroll Co. Fair. Call or write, Susie E. Birely, Middleburg, Md. 2-25-2t

NOTICE—The young people of Finksburg will give a play entitled, "Yimmie Yonson's Yob." A comedy drama in 3-acts at the Opera House, Taneytown, March 4th. Admission: Adults 35c; Children, 25c. 2-25-2t

FOR SALE—A nice big Cow, carrying her third calf. Will freshen in about four weeks. My herd is accredited.—G. Wilbur Naylor, Taneytown, Route 3. 2-25-2t

TIMOTHY HAY 10 or 12 tons for sale, \$20.00 per ton at my place, the Roy Dern farm, near Bruceville.—C. E. Baker. 2-25-3t

FOR SALE—Cow, close springer, 3rd. calf, passed 3rd. test for T. B.—Ray Hahn, near Harney. 2-25-2t

LARGE, GRAY enameled Baby Carriage, reed body and top with rolled edge; rubber tires. For sale by Harry Reindollar. 2-25-3t

FOR SALE—One Penn-esther Kitchen Range, No. 8, with warming shelf and water front, in good condition.—Robt. S. McKinney. 2-25-2t

WHITE WYANDOTTES, Selected Hatching Eggs from pure-bred stock \$1.00 per 15, or \$6.00 per 100; White Pekin Duck Eggs 5 cents each.—J. Raymond Zent, Keymar, Md. 2-18-1f

BABY CHICKS and Custom Hatching. Baby Chicks for sale every Wednesday.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 1-28-1f

FOR RENT—M. H. Galt's farm, near Bridgeport. Possession April 1st. Apply to Wm. Bollinger, near Bridgeport, P. O. Emmitsburg.

FOR SALE—2 Incubators, one 240-egg, the other 100-egg; 2 Brooders, 1 Oil Burner, the other coal burner. 500-chick capacity.—J. F. Sell, Taneytown.

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

FAT HOGS WANTED, who has them?—Harold Mehning. 12-31-1f

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale near Mayberry on the Clayton Myers farm, one mile from State Road 3 miles east of Taneytown, on THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1927, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

3 HEAD OF HORSES, 3 gray horses, weighing about 1400 lbs apiece, ranging from 8 to 12 years old. Any of them will work in lead or anywhere hitched.

3 HEAD JERSEY COWS, one cow will be fresh in May, the other 2 will be fresh in the Fall.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, One 2 or 3-horse wagon and bed, 3-in. tread; one 2-horse wagon and bed, 3-in. tread; Osborne binder, 7-ft. cut; 2 wheel truck under tongue; New Ideal manure spreader, good as new; Milwaukee mower, 5-ft. cut; Bickford and Hoffman grain drill, John Deere Syracuse riding plow, 1 Syracuse 3-horse plow, corn planter, with check row attachments; riding corn plow, iron roller and pulverizer; 24-tooth harrow, hay carriages, 18-ft. long; single corn worker, shovel plow, hay fork and pulleys; hay rake, dump forks, pitch forks, grain cradle, single trees, double trees, triple trees, traces, breast chains.

HARNESS, Two sets breechbands, 2 sets of lead harness, 5 collars, 4 bridles, 4 halters, set of buggy harness, lines.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, consisting of ice box, holds 100-lbs of ice; butter churn on the table, 2 five-gallon milk cans, buckets, 9x12 rug, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. All sums above \$5.00 a credit of 9 months will be given, purchasers to give their notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be taken until settled for.

JAMES C. MYERS, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 3-4-3t

O. E. DODRER & SON, Clerks. 3-4-3t

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, will sell at public sale, at the blacksmith shop, in Taneytown, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 1927, at 12:30, the following personal property:

NO. 1 CHAMPION STAYER, pair stocks, drill press, with power attachment; No. 201 anvils, fans No. 400; 4 H. P. engine, emery stand, grindstone, power attachment; hub auger, single trees, double trees, hammers, line shaft and a lot of lumber, pulleys, and many other articles not mentioned.

TERMS CASH. JESSE SLICK, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 3-4-4t

SALE REGISTER

Sales for which this office does printing or advertising, will be inserted under this heading (4 lines) free of charge. Charge for sale register alone, \$1.00 until date of sale. Notices longer than 4 lines must be paid for, extra.

MARCH

- 5-12 o'clock. Gust Crabbs, Taneytown. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
7-12 o'clock. Wm. H. Angell, near Hobson Grove School. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
8-11 o'clock. Harry F. Angell, near Harney. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
9-11 o'clock. Lawrence Smith, near Fairview. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
10-11 o'clock. Emory Snyder on Knox farm on Littlestown road. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
11-11 o'clock. Ralph Starner, Tyrone. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
12-12 o'clock. William Rittsae, on Walnut Grove and Harney road. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
14-11 o'clock. Birnie Shriner, near Kump Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
15-11 o'clock. Geo. M. Kemper, 3 miles east Emmitsburg on State road. Stock, Implements, Household Goods. B. P. Ogles, Auct.
15-11 o'clock. D. H. Essig, near Taneytown. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
16-12 o'clock. C. L. Kuhns, Community Sale.
17-11 o'clock. Paul Warehime, on Formwalt farm, Uniontown. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
17-11 o'clock. John Mummert, on Ohler farm, near Pine Hill. Stock and Implements. B. P. Ogles, Auct.
18-12 o'clock. Samuel Currens, near Galt Station. Household Goods and Poultry. George Bowers, Auct.
19-11 o'clock. H. W. Baker, near Bridgeport, along State Road. Stock and Implements, Household Goods. B. P. Ogles, Auct.
19-12 o'clock. C. E. Baker, 1 mile west Bruceville. Stock, Implements and Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
21-11 o'clock. D. M. Mehning, 1/4 mile from Piney Creek Sta. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
22-11 o'clock. Edward Wantz, bet. Mayberry and Pleasant Valley. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
23-11 o'clock. Personal Property of the late Frank Morelock, on John Royer farm, near Westminster. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
23-1 o'clock. Mark E. Wisotzkey, near Walnut Grove. Stock, Implements and some Household Goods.—Geo. F. Bowers, Auct.
24-11 o'clock. James C. Myers, near Mayberry. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
26-11 o'clock. Oscar Warehime, near Piney Creek Breth. Church. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.
29-12:30 o'clock. Jesse Slick, Taneytown. Blacksmith Tools, etc. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

APRIL

9-12 o'clock. Franklin Bowersox. Big Annual Sale of Implements and Harness. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

FOR SALE—My 8 Acres of Land, adjoining Reformed cemetery, (formerly the Koutz lots)—Apply to J. W. Witherow, Taneytown. 1-14-1f

FOR SALE—New modern Stucco Home, 6-rooms and bath, electric lights, heat, back porch and windows screened, awnings, lot 80x200 on Baltimore Street, East End Taneytown, Md.—J. L. Hunsberger. 1-7-1f

MOLASSES BARRELS for sale, 75c each.—Geo. R. Sauble, Taneytown. 1-28-1f

SOLD MINE FOR \$500; LOST HALF-MILLION

Canadian Prospector Original "Hard Luck" Miner.

Quesnel, B. C.—Some weeks ago the press of this continent chronicled the death of Abe Stott, characterized the original "hard luck" miner of this district. The story was told how Stott had sold for \$500 a claim which brought its purchaser a cool half million.

Since Stott's death the story of his early adventures in the Cariboo country has been told by old-timers who knew him well and were in the territory when he listened to wisecracks who told him there could not be gold in his holdings and witnessed him sell his birthright for a mess of pottage.

Pat McKenna, a young Irish policeman, fresh from the Chicago blue-coated force, gets a place in this story, because, if he had not made Stott's acquaintance the Englishman probably never would have made his strike.

McKenna made his way up to Barkerville, the headquarters of the Cariboo miners and after a week of trying to drink the hardened miners under the table, he decided to seek a quieter spot. He ran into Stott, who told him of the quietude around Eight-Mile lake where the fish bit well.

Find Gold Near Camp.

A week in the new atmosphere was enough for the young Irishman to throw off the effect of his drinking bout and give him his fill of fishing. He decided he would do some prospecting. He did not know how to go about it and Stott, a window dresser, could give him little assistance. So Pat decided to start right at the camp.

He dug a hole in front of the tent and washed the dirt in the brook which ran by. Presently he discovered nuggets in the bottom of his pan, even though practical miners said formation of the ground barred gold. Yet the partners turned up gold nuggets whenever they felt like panning a barrowful. Occasionally they went out, fished a day or two and replenished their pokes for months at a time.

Even then the scientists wouldn't admit gold was there in paying quantities. Eventually Stott became disheartened and sold his share in the claim to Billy Ogden, an old-time prospector, for \$500.

Ogden and McKenna worked their claim for a while and when a Minneapolis man named Hannah offered them \$16,000 for their property they grabbed it before the buyer could change his mind. Hannah began intensive work on the mine and when he got through with it he had taken gold to the value of \$500,000 from his claim.

Pat Buys a Saloon. McKenna took his \$8,000 and bought a saloon from a smart business woman. The open-hearted Irishman had trusted the woman and she had taken advantage of him, stripping the place of nearly everything of value before she turned it over to him. Pat was not a success as a saloonkeeper and the business deteriorated to such an extent that he, too, was soon out in the hills, prospecting in earnest.

But he had left it until too late. Repeated and continued efforts to uphold his reputation as a drinker had undermined his health.

"Be the howlies," he often declared, "ye can't beat them ould Cariboo miners anywhere."

Pat died a few months later and was buried in the hills he loved so well. And now his partner has passed on.

Rajah Buys Auto With Light to Dazzle Animals

London.—Camouflaged in green, brown and other shades of the jungles so as to deceive the keen eyes of wild animals, a special hunting automobile has been completed here for Rajah S. M. Saadat Ali Khan of Nampara, India. A dazzle light to bewilder tigers and lions is part of the equipment of the car, which cost about \$20,000.

The car is of 50 horsepower and was designed for exclusive use in the jungles. It has buffers in front and behind to protect it from charges by wild animals. It has room for six persons. Included in its equipment is an icebox for cooling bottled drinks, a water tank, a first-aid outfit and clips for rifles and shotguns.

Starched Collar Called Instrument of Torture

Paris.—That the starched collar is an instrument of torture, a strap-jacket for the neck, and must disappear is the first article in the by-laws of the Anti-Collar league, recently organized in Paris. The founders are all writers of some note, but the collarless fashion is making timid progress.

At the first meeting of the league Andre Antoine, a noted author and theatrical critic, was elected president and an executive committee formed. Press photographers in attendance asked the committee to pose for a picture. When the picture appeared in the newspapers it was found that seven out of eight on the committee were wearing stiff collars.

Won't Talk About It

Hull, England.—Having had a narrow escape from being cremated, George Bernard Shaw feels he must go slowly in the matter of public speaking and has declined an invitation to address the Federation of Cremation Authorities.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"HULLABALOO"

THIS term, meaning a great deal of noise, a sort of bedlam of sound created usually by many voices, is a good example of the wealth of color and history that is concealed in some of our commonest words.

"Hullabaloo" comes to us from the Coranach, the funeral dirge formerly in use among the Irish and Scottish Celts. This consisted of several verses detailing the life of the deceased and proclaiming in loud and mournful accents the loss of those left behind.

The cries were called by the Irish "Hulagahue," and "hululu," and it is from the latter that we have the still popular "hullabaloo."

The Coranach has long ago fallen into disuse. It was superseded until the latter half of the Eighteenth century, when this also began to wane by the bagpipe funeral lament of the Highlanders. In Scotch literature however, and in references to Scotland in English literature we find many references to the older custom of the Coranach, which gave us the word "hullabaloo."

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Town Behind the Times

Within 14 miles of London, the town of Downe is unique in that it has no electricity, no gas, no sewage system, no motion pictures and no doctor. It has a seven-hundred-year-old church, however, of which it is extremely proud. The houses are lighted with oil lamps and the church with candles. Only two houses have been built since 1914.

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

HUSBANDS AND FIRES

If a woman has good success in building fires she will get a good husband; if poor success she will get a lazy one.

This superstition is prevalent in Canada and some of the Western states and is found, also, in some parts of New England. It is a modern form of the age-old superstition with regard to the sacrificial fire. If the fire refused to burn brightly upon the altar it was supposed to be a sign that the sacrifice was not acceptable to the gods, whereas a bright and lively flame was taken as an omen of divine approval. The Greeks were very sensitive about the burning of their sacrificial fires and if one seemed to be reluctant to burn they resorted to the expedient of the modern domestic and poured oil upon it, thereby forcing destiny as it were. Thus we get the idea of good luck and bad luck as told by the action of the fire.

It is certainly bad luck for a woman to have a lazy husband. But the restriction of the modern superstition to women with regard to marriage comes through the application of the idea to the torch of Hymen, the Greek god of marriage who was represented as a taller and more serious youth than Eros, the god of love, but like Eros carrying a flaming torch. In the Greek marriage processions lighted torches in imitation of the torch of Hymen were carried by the bride's mother and it was accounted a presage of bad luck to have one of them refuse to burn readily or go out.

CAUTION AND COWARDS

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WHO are the cowards? No, not those

Who test the bridge before they cross,

Who ask the traveler who knows,

Consult the skies when billows toss,

And watch the path they have to tread

For dangers that may lie ahead.

Who are the cowards? Fools who fear

The idle words of other fools—

Who warning signals will not hear,

Nor look for signs, nor seek for rules,

For fear some other fool may call

Precaution weakness after all.

Who are the cowards? They who race

To cross the railroad, when to pause

May bring a sneer to someone's face.

A face inclined to sneer at laws

And judgment and the common sense

Of wisdom and experience.

Who are the cowards? Fools rush in,

You know, where angels fear to tread—

Yes, fearing censure, deeply sin

And leave their monuments of dead

To prove that cowards men may be

Who think themselves all bravery.

These are the cowards. But the brave

Are those who fear not folly's sneer.

They are the ones who lives will save

And live their own with conscience clear.

Oh, this we need in every trade:

Men brave enough to be afraid.

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Raise strong healthy chicks on FUL-O-PEP CHICK O-STARTER

No wonder chicks live and grow on Ful-O-Pep Chick Starter. Its base is wholesome oatmeal. And it contains both Cod Liver Oil and Cod Liver Meal, too. Feed it the first six weeks, and see how it pays!

THE REINDOLLAR CO. TANEYTOWN, MD.

COMMUNITY SALE

The undersigned will hold his Annual Community Sale, at the Central Hotel shed, near the Square, in Taneytown, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1927, at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

5 BEDROOM SUITS, some of these have iron beds; 3 beds, 6 bed springs, 6 mattresses, children's beds and cribs, 1 dozen pillows, 1 dozen bed blankets, 6 wash bowls and pitchers, 1 bureau, 1 wash stand, 1 upholstered seat Divan, 1 old-time safe and bureau, 1 round parlor stand, 20 rockers, 6 porch chairs, 12 other chairs, 1 corner chair, 1 leather-seat chair, 1 couch, good condition; 2 stands, two 10-ft. tables, 2 round tables, 4 other tables, 1 steel frame cot, 130 yds. BRUSSELS CARPET, 100-yds INGRAIN CARPET AND MATTING,

12-yds Brussels stair carpet, one 9x12 rug, two congoletum rugs, 9x12; one woven rug; one grass rug; some small rugs, children's walkers, kiddy kars and tricycles; lot glassware, 1 tin-lined fruit press, 100 gallon buckets, 25 1-gal. glass jars, 200 half-gallon jars, 1 Gravity cream can, 1 trunk, 1 iron kettle, 1 egg stove, 1 Perfection 3-burner oil stove, 2 oil heaters, lot drums, 1 water cooler, 1 water motor, lot dishes, 1 washing machine, 1 range,

1 DOUBLE SET OF HARNESS, set single harness, falling-top buggy, 2 bridles, 1 pair check lines, 2 steel drums, 1 grain cradle, 1 Morris chair, baby yard, vacuum sweeper, 1 parlor organ, and a lot of other things not listed.

TERMS—CASH. CHAS. L. KUHN, Promoter and Auct. 2-25-3t

For Rent or Sale.

Farm of 180 Acres, of which 165 Acres are fertile and under cultivation. The farm is located at Four Points, 3 1-2 miles from Emmitsburg, and 2 1-2 miles from Motters, close to school and church

Improved by a 10-room Brick House, a 7-room frame tenant House, Bank Barn, built recently, and numerous outbuildings.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the J. B. Formwalt farm, near Uniontown, along the road leading from Frizellburg, to Uniontown, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1927, at 11 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

5 HEAD HORSES AND MULES, 1 pair of black mules, 12 years old, work anywhere, weigh 1100 lbs. mated; black horse, 7 years old, work anywhere, weigh about 1400 lbs.; bay mare, 13 years old, off-side and near-side worker, weigh 1400 lbs.; sorrel mare, 3 years old, and off-side worker, weigh about 1100 lbs.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE, 3 are milch cows, 2 will be fresh by day of sale, and the rest are summer and fall cows, 12 stock bulls, large enough for services, 2 are Durhams and Herefords, 1 fat bull, 4 heifers, 3 Guerneys and one Jersey.

42 HEAD OF HOGS, 2 sows with pigs by their side, 1 will farrow in April; 39 shoats, ranging from 30 to 100 lbs.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

Studebaker wagon, 4-ton capacity, good as new; wagon bed, will hold 120-bu; spring wagon, pair hay carriages, 20-ft. long, new; 9-ft. hay rake, good as new; Osborne, 8-fork hay tedder, good as new; 2 grain drills, Thomas make, one 11-hoe Disc grain drill, and the other 8-hoe grain drill; harrow and roller combined; 17-tooth lever harrow, large smoothing harrow, Oliver riding furrow plow, No. 40 Brown double walking corn cultivator, circular saw and frame; 2 horse power Stover gasoline engine, new; 12-ft. line shaft and pulleys; lot light belting, pair beam scales 300-lbs. capacity; two 50-gal. gasoline drums, 2 mowing scythes, light hauling pulley and rope; Cyclone seed sower; horse trees, 2 double trees, triple trees, and a lot of single trees, 3-horse stretcher, lot of log, standard and breast chains, shovels, pitch and manure forks, garden hoes and wooden rake.

HARNESS.

3 sets front gears, 4 bridles, 4 collars, 6 horse line, check lines, plow line, set of rubber mounted buggy harness, carrying straps, halters and wagon whip, etc. These harness are good as new.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

consisting of Laurel double heater coal stove, chunk stove, good as new; coal oil stove, kitchen lounge, bureau and wash stand, Rayo lamp, brooms, 100 lbs. of home made soap, potatoes by the bushel, 1/2 barrel vinegar, Davis swing churn with power attachment, dinner bell, and many other articles not mentioned.

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

PAUL R. WAREHIME, J. N. O. SMITH, Auct. 2-25-3t

O. E. DODRER & SON, Clerks.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer at public sale, at his residence near Walnut Grove, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23rd, 1927, at 1 o'clock, the following described property:

2 HEAD OF HORSES, dark roan horse, 12 years old, a good offside worker and driver; bay mare, 7 years old, offside worker and driver.

SCHOOL DAYS



Mother's Cook Book

There is a general agreement, except perhaps on the part of a few wayward ascetics, not only that health is a blessing, but that to the want of it may safely be ascribed no inconsiderable part of our present ethical and social problems.—James Harvey Robinson.

GOOD THINGS WE ENJOY

TO THE few minced pieces of leftover chicken add a little veal with a bone or two, stew and when well cooked drop in the following dumplings:

Dumplings.

Take one cupful of fresh butter milk, sift one cupful of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, add one beaten egg, some salt, mix well and drop from a teaspoon into the stew. Cook tightly covered for eight minutes, then serve at once.

Blackstone Dressing.

Mix four tablespoonfuls each of mayonnaise dressing and whipped cream, two tablespoonfuls of chili sauce, two of tomato catsup and two of vinegar. Roquefort cheese may be added if desired.

Marshmallow Salad.

Cut three slices of pineapple in dice, add a dozen quartered marshmallows, one-half cupful of chopped nuts, a cupful of seeded white grapes, the pulp of two oranges. Serve when well mixed with mayonnaise, on lettuce.

Spanish Pepper Salad.

Dissolve half a box of gelatin in half a cupful of cold water, add one-half cupful of vinegar, one-half cupful of sugar, the juice of a lemon and a tablespoonful of salt, with a cupful of boiling water. Mix six canned pimentos with two cupfuls of finely cut celery, one cupful of cut pecan meats. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Friendship Village Muffins.

Beat two eggs, add four tablespoonfuls of sugar, two of shortening and one cupful of milk with flour to make a thin batter; add one teaspoonful of baking powder and beat well. Bake in muffin pans.

Western Salad.

Chop four hard-cooked eggs, four tablespoonfuls of onion also chopped, four tablespoonfuls of watermelon pickle and cheese chopped. Save out the yolks of two eggs and put through a ricer to garnish the top.

Nellie Maxwell
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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says no self-respecting girl ever indulges in petulance parties.
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ELLESMERE "LOST LAND" OF ARCTIC

Island to Get Close Scrutiny by MacMillan.

Washington.—"Ellesmere island, the second nearest known land to the North pole, is to get the closest scrutiny it has ever had by white men as one result of the MacMillan Arctic expedition," says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society. "This land lies at the head of Baffin bay, the broad water highway to the Arctic which is inclosed on one side by Greenland and on the other by Baffin island," continues the bulletin.

"William Baffin, for whom the bay and island are named, was the first white man to catch a glimpse of the unknown land which came later to be called Ellesmere island. That was in 1616; but it was only a glimpse, and other Arctic explorers were so long in duplicating Baffin's farthest north that there came to be serious doubt of the existence of Ellesmere island.

Existence Long Doubted.

"The land was not sighted again until 1852. The first white man to set foot on it was Doctor Hayes, a member of Kane's expedition in 1854. After Hayes explored an isolated section of the shore, the land gradually emerged from the traditional into the real; but as in other of the northern discoveries different explorers discovered various headlands and peninsulas independently and dubbed each a 'land.' Hayes' portion, the east coast of the north central section of the big island, became 'Grinnell Land.' The north end, along the Polar sea, became 'Grant Land.' Other names which have stuck to localities of Ellesmere island are 'North Lincoln,'—paradoxically the southernmost portion—'King Oscar Land,' 'Bear Cape Land,' and 'Jesup Land.'

"Ellesmere island lacks only about fifty miles of being the northernmost known land in the world, that distinction being held by the north point of Greenland, Cape Morris Jesup, not far to the east. Ellesmere island's northernmost point, Cape Columbia, is famous as the starting point of Peary on his memorable dash to the North pole in 1909. From Cape Columbia, Ellesmere island extends 500 miles to the south, its southernmost point being still nearly 400 miles farther north than Point Barrow, Alaska, and 2,000 miles farther north than the United States-Canada boundary.

"Ellesmere island is 300 miles wide at the point of greatest width, but the land is so cut into by deep fjords that in many places the waters of the eastern and western sides lie only 50 to 75 miles apart, distances that can be covered quickly by dog teams. These fjords, reaching toward each other from the opposite sides of the island, mark out the two or three routes that have been used so far by expeditions crossing the island. It follows, therefore, that Ellesmere island is known chiefly along three narrow bands: One between Grant Land and Grinnell Land, one near the middle of the island, and a third toward the south end.

"Despite the fact that Ellesmere island is perhaps better known than any of the other Arctic lands north of North America, knowledge of it is confined largely to the coasts and the fjord crossings. Extensive areas of the interior are still unknown or imperfectly mapped and no careful surveys have been made of any of the regions. The planes of the MacMillan expedition will repeatedly cross Ellesmere island this summer in establishing the advanced base in Axel Heiberg Land, and, equipped with map-making cameras, will make detailed records of the terrain. Grant Land in particular, over which the direct air line from Etah to the Axel Heiberg base lies, should be as well known topographically by next autumn as Maine or Newfoundland.

Greely Found Pass.

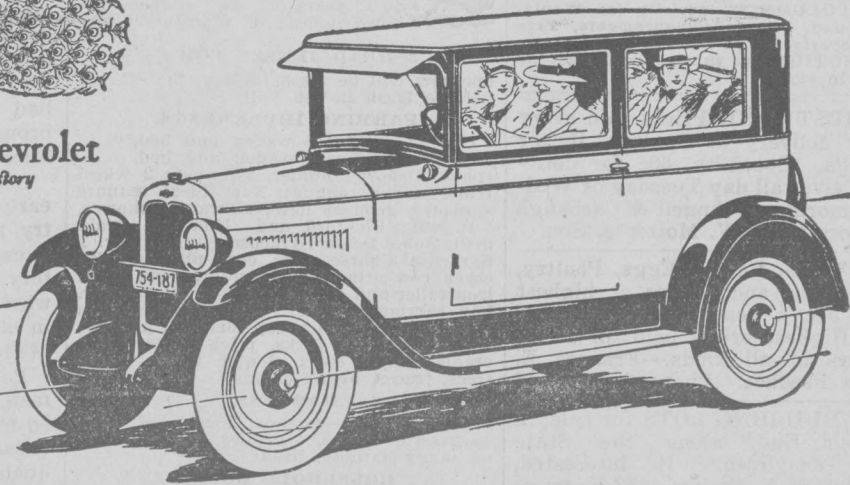
"Greely was the first to discover a pass inland into Ellesmere island in 1882 when his expedition was stationed at Fort Conger on Lady Franklin bay. He found a large fresh-water lake, and west of it, over a small divide, a broad ice-free valley leading to the west. One of his party, following the trail which Greely had blazed, reached the west coast. In this valley and other similar valleys are good growths of grass in the summer as well as a profusion of wild flowers. Herds of musk oxen graze in the valleys and have furnished a welcome food supply to explorers. In Grant Land are large herds of white caribou, wild cousins of the reindeer.

"It is believed that large areas of Ellesmere island, between the grass-covered valleys, are capped by perpetual ice.

"Three hundred miles south of Lady Franklin bay Greeley's party suffered its terrible privations in the winter and spring of 1883-4 at Cape Sabine, when 18 of the 25 men died of starvation. The site of this Arctic tragedy, across Smith sound from Etah, is now marked by a bronze memorial tablet, placed during the summer of 1924 by Commander MacMillan on behalf of the National Geographic society."

Germany Needs Beds

Berlin, Germany.—Sofia Goetz of the German Welfare Institute believes that for hygienic, moral and social reasons every man, woman and child should have his own bed. She estimates that in Germany 9,000,000 beds are needed to bring about this condition.



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Jeff Davis' Tribute to President Grant

From the new ten-volume edition of the letters and papers of Jefferson Davis, lately issued by the Mississippi department of archives and history, the Review of Reviews reprints the following letter written in 1855:

"Dear Sir: Your request on behalf of a Boston journalist for me to prepare a criticism of General Grant's military career cannot be complied with for the following reasons:

- "1. General Grant is dying.
 - "2. Though he invaded our country ruthlessly, it was with open hand, and, as far as I know, he abetted neither arson nor pillage, and has, since the war, I believe, shown no malignity to Confederates, either of the military or civil service.
- "Therefore, instead of seeking to disturb the quiet of his closing hours, I would, if it were in my power, contribute to the peace of his mind and the comfort of his body.

"JEFFERSON DAVIS."
We do not know the identity of the "Boston journalist," says the Boston Herald. The request for the criticism represented no doubt the enterprise of an ingenious and enterprising newspaper publisher. But of the quality of this letter, written by the former president of the Confederacy four years before his death, there can be no doubt. Reading it today stirs agreeable emotions.

Dutch Labor Unions

With a membership of 192,442 on January 1, last, compared with 179,929 January 1, 1924, the Netherland Federation of Trade Unions, the regular Socialist-controlled Dutch labor organization, has more members than the six other national labor unions put together, according to reports presented to the October convention of the federation in Utrecht. It was pointed out, with regret, that while the workers of Holland were divided along political and religious lines, the National Industrial association, which takes in employers of all faiths and politics, already had enrolled 1,467 members, employing more than 300,000 men and women.

Students Photographed

New students are photographed upon registration at Pennsylvania State college, says the United States bureau of education. Under the plan inaugurated this year five prints will be made. One of these will be attached for identification to the student's records in the office of the registrar; others are for use of the college physician, the dean of men or of women, the dean, and the head of the department in which the student is enrolled.

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Lesson for March 6

SHARING THE GOOD NEWS

LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:4-8; II Cor. 5:14-20.

GOLDEN TEXT—Ye shall be my witnesses.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Telling Others About Jesus.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Winning Recruits for Christ's Army.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Telling Our Companions About Jesus.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christian Evangelism: Duty, Method, Results.

I. Preaching Everywhere (Acts 8:4).

Following the stoning of Stephen, the enemies of the Lord were more active than ever in their efforts to stamp out the new faith. With Saul as their leader they dragged men and women from their homes and imprisoned those who confessed Christ. The devil overreached himself in this for this persecution scattered the believers everywhere and they preached the gospel as they went. The time had now come for this witness-bearing to extend beyond Jerusalem as the Lord had commanded. The Lord permitted this persecution so as to scatter them.

II. Philip Preaching the Gospel in Samaria (vv. 5-8).

Philip was one of the seven so-called deacons. He was not an apostle, nor a minister in the accepted sense of that term, but a layman. He is the only man called an evangelist in the New Testament. He is an example of what a devoted layman can do in preaching the gospel in the evangelization of the world. He went to the city of Samaria and preached Christ, showing that the purpose of God included these despised people. The fact that Philip preached Christ unto these people shows that the true evangelist's message is Jesus Christ. He did not preach Christ as an ethical teacher or an example merely, but Christ as the Savior from sin through the substitutionary offering of Himself on the cross. This is shown by the fact that he preached Christ to the eunuch from the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah. He not only preached Christ as the Savior from the guilt of sin, but from the power of sin as symbolized in baptism, which means not only identification with Christ in His death, but to arise in the power of His resurrection, to walk in newness of life. Then, too, according to verse 12 he preached Christ as a reigning king. Philip's preaching was fruitful, for multitudes believed his message which was accompanied with numerous miracles. He cast out unclean spirits, healed the palsied and the lame. Great joy accompanied the reception of the gospel by these Samaritans.

III. Paul an Example of a True Preacher of the Gospel (II Cor. 5:9-20).

1. His supreme aim was to please God (v. 9).
To live or to die was immaterial to him if his service was but acceptable to God. This transcendent aim was strengthened by the consciousness that every one must one day stand before the judgment seat of Christ. This aim explains Paul's devotion.

2. His consciousness of responsibility (v. 11).

His sense of solemn responsibility was the explanation of Paul's behavior. Some thought that he was mentally unbalanced. His knowledge of God's holy nature and of man's sinful condition moved him earnestly to persuade men to be reconciled to God. No one who knows God's terror will be half-hearted in his ministry.

3. He was constrained by the love of Christ (v. 14).

This means that he was governed by Christ's love. Ministerial devotion is the expression of reciprocal love. Christ's supreme love was expressed in His death for us. Our love in return is expressed in our devotion to Him.

4. Consciousness of the God-wrought change in Him (v. 17).

It was because he was wrought upon by God and was therefore a new creature that he sought to do His will.

5. The content of the gospel which he preached (vv. 18, 19).

The reconciliation of God through the death of Christ was his central message. In the incarnation God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto Himself.

6. Paul was an ambassador sent from God to appeal to the world to be reconciled unto God (v. 20).

He was the ambassador from the high court of heaven sent to this rebellious world. In a real sense, every Christian minister is occupying the same position.

Knowing the Lord

Every servant knows the past of our Lord, and many know the future, but what really helps is knowing Him in the present.—Echoes.

Crosses

Crosses are often more comfortable than comforts.—Central Bible Hall Record.

Our Prayers

It is in the closet that we are fitted to be mouthpieces for God.—Echoes.

BERLIN WOMAN IS RED-CAP PORTER

Is Fifty-Seven but Finds Job Not Too Hard.

Berlin.—At the Zoological gardens station in Berlin there are 16 red-cap porters on duty. One of them is a woman, Emilie Hase.

In Berlin they call a porter a dienstmann, and, as a dienstmann, Emilie is known as No. 37. She wears a red-leather cap with a brass plate and carries a stout strap over her shoulders for buckling the burden to her person. When she walks she shuffles with the dragging gait of the "heavyweight" porter whose feet have been made leaden with burdens borne, and with the lassitude that comes from a service of 20 years in a porter's harness. For Emilie is fifty-seven.

A hard life? An interviewer was consoling with Emilie. No, it was not such a hard life. "I get up to my rank in the early morning to meet the long-distance express trains and I go home by eight o'clock in the evening," she said. But Emilie admitted that times could be better. "Times are bad—so many people carry their own traps. I used to get odd jobs carrying flowers or boxes of candles for birthday presents and the like, but they don't seem to give many presents, nowadays."

More than twenty years ago Emilie delivered newspapers. But Emilie can't climb stairs any more. "I get out of breath too soon, if I am carrying more than a hundredweight."

When asked if she could not find a job of more genteel nature, she flared up. "That's what the other fellows keep hinting to me. They'd like to get rid of me; women's competition, see? No, sir, I'm not going to quit."

Boys Plan Foodless Jaunt of 400 Miles

San Francisco.—With a skull and crossbones insignia on their jersey, a firm conviction that the great majority of persons eat two-thirds more than they should, and implicit trust in their physical and mental fitness, two young men purpose to walk the 400-odd miles between San Francisco and Los Angeles in 14 days, without eating any food.

They are Frank Lievens and Roy S. Sandsberry, both of 184 Broadway, Huntington Park. Their only concession to custom is that they may drink all the water they want.

"We are not sponsored by any person or organization, and there will be no service automobile along to help out," the men declared.

Describing themselves as two physical-culture and diet enthusiasts, Lievens and Sandsberry said their only training for the ordeal was living an outdoor life and eating only natural food.

"We are confident no ill results will follow the undertaking. We have fasted, on occasion, for periods ranging from ten to twenty days, and have benefited thereby."

Sandsberry said that last year he walked a distance of 400 miles in eight days on a comparatively light diet of milk and fruit. In support of their ability to walk this distance without food, they referred to the 577-mile hike of George H. Johnson from Chicago to Bald Knob, Pa., several months ago. Johnson took no food during the journey, they said.

Women's Field of Work With Government Grows

Washington.—A slow but certain widening of the field of women's service in federal government departments is clearly evident, the women's bureau of the Department of Labor reported, but the proportion of men receiving the more attractive government salaries still far exceeds that of women.

The highest yearly salary received by any woman government employee, a survey disclosed, is \$6,500 to the civil service commissioner. Only ten out of the thousands of other woman employees receive as much as \$5,200 and only 35 receive \$3,600 or more.

Measured by the number of women receiving \$1,800 or more annually, stenographic and clerical positions offer opportunity for advancement to the larger number of women, but the survey added that, measured by the proportion who reach and exceed this amount, the greater opportunities for women lie in professional and scientific fields.

Roiled by Stamps

Berlin.—New one-cent stamps, bearing the likeness of Frederick the Great, are regarded by Communists as a provocation to the working classes and they demand suppression of the issue.

Finds Eggs Transmit Tuberculosis to Human

Columbus, Ohio.—Just as bovine tuberculosis is transferable to humans through milk and meat, so is tuberculosis transferable to humans through hens' eggs, the second annual Lake Conference on the Eradication of Tuberculosis in Livestock was told.

Proof of the transmission of tuberculosis germs to eggs has been found, Dr. Robert Graham of the University of Illinois department of animal pathology and hygiene, said.

MAKES CERTAIN OF SAFETY

Elephant Can Be Relied On to Be Sure He Is Walking on Firm Structure.

To test the stability of a bridge or other kind of structure there is no delicate instrument or measuring apparatus which can compare in exactness with the sound judgment of Jumbo. Owing to his weight an elephant has to think twice before trusting himself to anything that is not perfectly steady and secure. This circumstance has developed in him a mysterious extra sense by which he can tell instinctively whether he is treading on safe ground or not. In a recent case of a newly erected garage floor, doubt of its strength arose in the mind of the owner, although the architect maintained that the floor was quite safe. To make trial of its firmness, five elephants were borrowed from a traveling menagerie, and led into the garage. If there had been the least unsoundness or flaw in construction the animals would have bolted in a panic the moment their forefeet touched the floor. However without the least hesitation, the first elephant walked forward, followed boldly by his four companions. The combined weight upon the floor amounted to nearly 28 tons. The owner was satisfied and the architect vindicated.

WOULD NOT BREAK CIRCLE

Not One in Caterpillar Chain Had Initiative Enough to Break Away From Endless Procession.

Fabre, "The Insect's Homer," relates, in one of his books, an interesting experiment he made with certain caterpillars called "processionaries," because of their habit of following one another—nose to tail—in a long unbroken procession, apparently without aim or objective, except that of the one which happens to lead.

Fabre placed a complete circle of caterpillars upon the narrow ledge of a moulding around the circumference of an earthenware jar. There was no leader; each one had his head to the tail of the one in front. And they marched in solemn parade around the endless track for 84 hours, and apparently only a chance marching saved them from literally marching themselves to death. No single one of the insects had sufficient initiative in all those hours to leave the procession, to crawl off the ledge and to branch out for himself.

First Use of Envelopes.

The first envelope of which there is any knowledge, inclosed a letter sent 226 years ago by Sir William Turnbull to Sir James Ogilvie. The epistle dealt with English affairs of state, and, with its covering, is carefully preserved in the British museum. At that period, and long afterward, it was the general custom to fold letters and seal them with wafers of wax.

Early in the last century envelopes began to come into more general use and stamped adhesive envelopes achieved wide popularity in England shortly after the establishment of the penny post in 1840, and by 1850 were largely used on this side of the Atlantic. The first machine for the manufacture of envelopes was patented in 1844 by George Wilson, an Englishman, and improvements were made the following year by Warren De La Rue and E. Hill.

Sensible Laws Regarding Food.

Among Hindoos, where the household cooking is not entirely performed by the mistress of the house (it is the sacred duty and privilege of a wife to prepare and serve her husband's food), a Brahman cook may be employed even by a man of low caste, but in such a case, no member of the household dare defile the kitchen by entering it. The Brahman, moreover, will bathe before preparing each meal. All food is freshly prepared, and nothing is served a second time. In all such rules as these there are strong ramparts against contamination—a protection from disease and the many habits that pursue unwise physical health. The laws regarding food, though set forth in severely religious formulae, are a form of science governing health and economics.—Asia Magazine.

As Others Saw Him.

An old negro from the southern rural districts had gone to the city seeking employment. Everywhere he went, references were asked for. Finally he gave the names of former employers and in due time returned for a decision. Some of the letters were read to him, in which he was praised very highly and his work and loyalty greatly lauded. The old man's eyes opened wide with surprise and pleasure as he remarked:

"Well, I declare, if I had 'a known I was such a good nighah as dat, I sho would 'a got mo' pay."—Everybody's Magazine.

Early Britons Used Coal.

Tools and cinders found near the ancient Roman wall in England indicate that the Britons used coal previous to the Roman invasion in 54 B. C. By the English people it was first used as a fuel in 852, and, in the blast furnace for the production of iron, in 1612. In America those intrepid Jesuit missionaries, Joliet and Marquette, discovered coal near the present site of Utica, Ill., in 1673. That the Indians were acquainted with numerous coal beds and actually burned these black "stones" instead of firewood, there can be no doubt.

SMALL COURTESY BELONGS TO PAST

People of Today Too Busy for Such Things.

If Sir Walter Raleigh placed his coat in the mud for Queen Elizabeth to step on today, would her majesty be pushed aside by some modern knight in a hurry to cross the street?

If the Holy Grail were a recent product, would it arouse no more comment than any other cup because the value of its metal would not finance a quest for it?

One observer is apprehensive over the passing of the age of chivalry. In this age of efficiency, she says, good manners are useless, and they have been abandoned almost altogether in the mad scramble for money.

"Push, push, push!" is the watch-cry today, whether it be on the street, in the subway or on the trolley car, says Elizabeth Robins Pennell in the Forum, and when a man does rise to offer his seat to a woman, a rare occurrence, she flops into it hurriedly and without thanks before he has a chance to change his mind.

"It would be folly to expect a man to go to the subway with any knight-errant notions, any tomfool courteousness for the other man less spry than himself, or the woman less strong," she says. "He goes to get his train. If to get it he must knock aside everybody on the stairs to the station, drive a way through the crowd on the platform, fight like a tiger for standing room in the car—what difference, so long as he gets there."

"You don't thank him," one woman in a French caricature reproaches another, just given a seat by a Parisian who has not outlived his manners. "No, indeed," is the answer, "when a woman is too polite she seems to show a lack of breeding."

"If not to say 'Thank you' is a sign of good breeding, we can congratulate ourselves on being the best-bred of all nations. In the leisurely days of an unprogressive past, 'Thank you' was one of the first phrases taught to the young. But the little superfluous phrase is too severe a drain on patience and breath, now that new reasons for thankfulness have multiplied.

"At one not-very-distant time, next to no self-respecting American would accept a tip. Today those of our critics are right in telling us we outdo every other country where tipping is the custom. Tip the shoeblick, the hairdresser, the waiter, the manicurist—and good form does not allow them to notice it in your presence.

"I write my congratulations or my sympathy or my interest to friends or strangers on appropriate occasions, and an acknowledgment is so unusual that I prize it as a scientist might some rare specimen of an extinct species."

Secret of Success

Jerome S. McWade, the Duluth millionaire, said at a banquet:

"I see that Otto Kahn has been telling the Yale boys how he made his first success. It was by stamp-licking. Otto was the best little stamp-licker in the office, and on that account his boss promoted him.

"All success is as simple as that. Hard work, doing your level best—that's all there is to it. Maybe we rich men make a mistake when we tell how we succeeded. It's so simple—just a matter of work—maybe the world despises us when it learns our secret.

"A little slum boy once got a two weeks' holiday in the country. He came back brown and strong, but he was done with milk forever. No more milk for him. No, sir.

"I'm done with it," he said. "I see how they make it ye know. Why, the darn stuff's nothin' but chewed grass."

Teachers' Scholarship

The Mercy Jane Hayes scholarship and student loan fund, to be used for advanced training for the intermediate and senior high-school teachers of Detroit schools, has been recently established by Miss Hayes, who was once principal of the Hutchins Intermediate school. One thousand dollars a year is to be turned over to the trustees of Teachers' college, Columbia university, for defraying the expenses of a Detroit teacher at that institution. Advanced work in education must be pursued, and the teacher must return to Detroit and give the schools the benefit of her studies for at least three years after her year at Teachers' college.

Leacock Out of Luck

Sir James Barrie refers to the happiest memories of a lifetime as "walnuts." At the request of a New York columnist a number of noted authors contributed what they considered their own most priceless walnuts for publication. Stephen Leacock, the Canadian, arrived late. His laconic comment in answer to the request for one instance was, "Haven't read it yet." This naturally enough gave rise to the question whether Professor Leacock was a chronic optimist or merely a confirmed humorist.—Saskatoon Star.

Virginia Aids Libraries

An increase of more than threefold in the appropriation for state-aided libraries, most of which are in rural schools, has been made by the Virginia general assembly, according to announcement of the state department of education. This makes it possible to aid every year 1,000 rural schools in the purchase of library books.

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Some Helpful Hints for the Sportsmen

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Much is heard about using the North star as a compass when no other means are available, yet few know exactly where it is located. The North star is located in line with the two stars forming the outer part of the "dipper."

Equal parts of tallow, fish oil and lamp black mixed with a little rosin, melted and applied hot, is an excellent waterproofing mixture for boots and shoes.

When you have a 'coon treed and cannot shine or locate him in any manner and want to keep him up the tree until daylight, take off a coat, shirt or sweater, and tie the arms around the trunk of the tree as high as you can reach. Mr. 'Coon is not very apt to come down while it is there.—Sportsmen's Digest.

Cat Strategy

Roy Urban, wireless operator of the steamship President Polk, is authority for a story concerning the migration of a cat. While Urban was aboard the steamer San Jose that ship lost its mascot, a noble Angora with a peculiar slit in its left ear. The cat had belonged to the vessel for four years. "Billy" appears to have walked off the ship at Puerto Castilla. The members of the crew gave him up for lost and were naturally astonished to see the animal walk on board at New Orleans when the vessel reached that port.

Birds Given Fine Service

The Westchester county park commission of New York has made provision for the winter birds and hearty meals at all hours are assured for the winter. For some weeks now birds have been hurrying from everywhere to secure reservations. The houses were built deliberately by the commission. The food requirements are fully taken care of in the way of buckwheat and millet, which was sown last spring by the commission and which has now ripened. The grain has been threshed and it only awaits distribution as needed.

Sixty Miles of Pyramids

From the summit of the great pyramid there is a grand view southward, down a straggling but imposing line of pyramids rising dimly as far as one can see on the southern horizon. Each pyramid was a royal tomb, and for us each such tomb means that a king lived, ruled and died. The line is over sixty miles long, and the oldest pyramids represent the first great age of Egyptian civilization after the land was united under one king. We may call it the Pyramid age, and it lasted from 3000 to 2500 B. C.—James H. Breasted in "Ancient Times."



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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.

Robert Clingan, returned home on Sunday after spending some time with his mother in York, Penna.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Thomson and children, of Hanover, visited Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Ashenfelter, on Saturday.

J. N. O. Smith has been reappointed road supervisor, and Walter A. Bower, local assessor, for Taneytown district.

Mr. and Mrs. Clotworthy Birnie and Clotworthy Jr., spent the weekend with the former's mother, Mrs. George Birnie.

Among the callers at the Record Office, this week, was Rev. J. S. Hollenbach, pastor of Manchester Reformed Church.

Typical March weather has been the rule during the week; cold, windy, sometimes sunny, and pretty generally changeable.

Jerry Clingan, Eugene Foreman and wife, and son, Dewy, returned home from Florida, Monday, and had a very pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Samuel Stover, Miss Dorothy Eyer and Miss Mary Koontz, spent Sunday in Hagerstown with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holzappel.

Misses Ruth Stambaugh and Evelyn Bradley, of Blue Ridge College, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stambaugh and family.

February again demonstrated itself to be the month for snow. There were seven snows, and twelve days on which rain fell, according to an observer's report.

We should like to publish the appointment of a competent man to the office of Justice of the Peace, for Taneytown. Such an official is needed here, without doubt.

Mrs. Norval Rinehart, who was taken to Hanover Hospital, on Sunday, following the birth of twins, for an operation for acute appendicitis, is reported to be improving very nicely.

Robert B. Everhart has bought the Jesse Slick property, on York St., adjoining the cemetery road, and will build a double dwelling on the vacant lot, and leave the present dwelling on the lot stand.

Harry Bowersox paid his father, Franklin Bowersox, a visit on Thursday of this week. He was accompanied by his son, Derwood, who is director of Daniel Brusklin's orchestra which broadcasts every Tuesday and Thursday from Hotel Raleigh, located in Washington, D. C.

Word was received, on Thursday, by Mrs. Chas. B. Kephart, of the death of her uncle, Ira N. Yount, in Portland, Oregon, who had been in ill health for several years. He was 47 years old, and was the youngest of her father's brothers. He was engaged in the real estate business. Surviving him are his widow and one daughter.

Fred Helms, formerly of Taneytown, but for some time operating a grocery store in Littlestown, was arrested on Tuesday on suspicion that he had set his store on fire. A small fire was discovered at an early hour on Sunday morning, and another fire of like character was found in the building several weeks ago, the total loss in the two being about \$100.00. Helms was visiting his father-in-law's family in Taneytown, at the time the last fire was discovered. He is now on bail, pending a hearing of the case, and is conducting the store.

The Bee that Swarmed Alone.

Said a wise old bee at the close of day: "This colony business doesn't pay. I put my money in that old hive that others may eat and live and thrive; and I do more work in a day, by gee, than some of the fellows do in three. I toil and worry and save and hoard, and all I get is my room and board. It's me for a hive I can run myself, and me for the sweets of my hard-earned pelf." So the old bee flew to a meadow alone and started a business of his own. He gave no thought to the buzzing clan, but all intent on his selfish plan he lived the life of a hermit free. "Ah, this is great," said the wise old bee. But the summer waned and the days grew drear and the lone bee wailed as he dropped a tear; for the varments gobbled his little store and his wax played out and his heart was sore, so he winged his way to the old home land, and took his meal at a side-door stand. Alone, our work is of little worth, but together we're the lords of the earth; so it's all for each and each for all—united we stand, divided we fall—Michigan Bulletin.

A "t" is a very narrow letter, but it makes a wide difference between immorality and immortality.

MICKIE SAYS—

TH' BOSS SEZ HE KIN RECALL WHEN SENDIN' A MAN A STATEMENT WUZ JEST LIKE WAVIN' A RED FLAG IN FRONT OF A BULL, BUT NOW HE DOESN'T MIND MAILIN' OUT STATEMENTS BECUZ NOBODY GETS SORE AND THEY CHEERFULLY SEND IN THE MONEY!



Word Speed of Senators.

An official reporter of the U. S. Senate, has given out a table showing the average number of words per minute delivered by each Senator, in addressing the Senate. The number ranges from 115 to 225, the most of them using from 140 to 150. Those who read their speeches, and those who are speechless, are not recorded. The rapid talkers, in order, are: Norbeck, S. D.; Bayard, Del.; Frazier, N. D.; Moses, N. H.; Ashurst, Ariz.; Dill, Wash.; Bingham, Conn.; Borah, Idaho; Caraway, Ark.; Edge, N. J.; Jones, Wash.; Overman, N. C.; Wadsworth, N. Y., and Walsh, Mont., who do 175 words or better.

The slow talkers in order, are: Howell, Neb.; Shortridge, Cal.; Simmons, N. C.; Harris, Ga., and Stephens, Miss., who do 120, or less.

Bruce, of Maryland, is credited with about 150, and is said to be very difficult to report, because his enunciation is poor, and he uses more unusual words than any other Senator. Only eight are "speechless," among them, Senator Weller.

Following their queen, a swarm of bees alighted on the bumper of an automobile parked on a busy Ohio city street.

CHURCH 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.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—S. School, 9:15; Service, 10:15; C. E., at 6:30; Service, at 7:30.

Keysville—Service at 2:00; Congregational meeting, Saturday afternoon, March 12, at 2 o'clock.

Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown—9:00 Sunday School; 10:00 Morning Worship; 6:30 Christian Endeavor; 7:30 Suggested Text, 1 Kings 10:7. Junior Catechism Saturday, at 1:30; Senior Catechism, at 2:00. Mid-week Service, Wednesday night.

U. B. Church, Manchester Circuit, Bixler's—Worship, 7:30.

Miller's—S. S., 9:30; Worship, at 10:30.

Mt. Zion—S. S., 1:30; Worship, at 2:30; C. E., at 7:00.

Manchester Ref. Charge, Trinity, Manchester—S. S., at 9:30; Worship, 10:30; Subject, "Learning by Doing." C. E., at 6:15. Leader, John Baker. Catechise, Saturday, at 2:00.

Lineboro—S. S., at 1:00; Foreign Mission Service, at 2:00; Catechise, at 3:00. The pastor will preach "The Thief in the Church," in the M. E. Church, Hampstead, at 6:30.

Pr sbyterian, Taneytown—Sabbath School, 10:00; Preaching Service, at 11:00; Christian Endeavor, 6:45. The Women's Bible Class will hold a social at the home of Miss Amelia A. Birnie, on Tuesday, March 8th., at 7:30. The congregation and friends are cordially invited to be present.

Presbyterian, Piney Creek—Preaching Service, 9:30; Sabbath School, at 10:30.

Emmanuel (Baust) Ref. Church—S. S., at 9:30; Foreign Missionary Service, at 10:30. Address by the pastor. Catechetical instruction by the pastor at 6:30; Y. P. S., at 7:00. Rev. Kresge will preach at Pleasant Valley, at 2:30; Women's Missionary Society will meet at the parsonage on Tuesday, March 8, at 7:30. The Consistory will meet at the same time and place.

Uniontown Circuit Church of God—Sunday School, 9:30; Preaching Service, 10:30. Theme: "The Presentation of Christ in the Gospel of John." Sunday School and Preaching Service at Frizellburg Sunday afternoon. Preaching Service at Uniontown, Sunday evening, at 7:00. You are invited to attend these services.

Uniontown Lutheran Charge, St. Paul's—S. S., 9:30; Jr. Catechise, at 7:00; C. E., 7:30.

Emmanuel (Baust)—Women's Missionary Society and Light Brigade, on Thursday, March 10, at 7:30, at the home of Mrs. Clara Myers, Frizellburg.

St. Luke's (Winter's)—Worship and Sermon, 10:30. All-day sewing for the Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Samuel Stuller, Wednesday, March 9, Box Luller.

Mt. Union—S. S., 1:15; Worship and Sermon, 2:30; C. E., at 7:30.

Taneytown U. B. Church—Sunday School, 9:30; Jr. C. E., 5:00; Sr. C. E., 6:30; Evangelistic Service, 7:30.

Harney—Sunday School, at 9:30; Morning Worship, 10:30.

LAST PAGE EDITORIAL.

Hunting Trouble.

There is a class of unhappy people, made so largely because they are always on the hunt for trouble. We sometimes call them "testy," but perhaps they are only over-sensitive, which often means over-selfish, or easily irritated. At any rate, they seem to be continuously on the lookout for some fancied slight; for ways in which they are mistreated by others.

There are men in business who think all of their relations, all of the members of their church, all of the members of their fraternal societies, should continuously deal with them, or employ them, and when they do not, they grouch about it. If they do somebody a real or fancied favor, they mentally charge it up and expect the favor to be returned; and are always enumerating and keeping in mind evidences of mistreatment.

The habit often becomes an obsession, and when it does the possessor of it is extremely unhappy—busy pitying himself. In this way we may unthinkingly become actually revengeful, and draw so many and so fine distinctions that we can not possibly be consistent in carrying out our own formula of rectitude, but are apt to forget it for our own use, though demanding it of others.

The give and take policy resolves itself into "give me." Like Shylock we want our last atom of what we consider belongs to us—and, it don't pay. We lose in popularity and good fellowship, and make our plan of life depend on good for good, and evil for evil.

We take up all of the little inequalities in life and make mountains of them, and then wonder why we are not regarded popularly as the exemplar of fairness and right that we presume to be. No; popularity, and generosity, and real bigness, rests rather on returning good for evil; on showing one's self to be above littleness, and undisturbed by the flies and gnats of every-day life. Whoever regards these seriously, merely makes life unhappy for himself as well as for those closely associated in life with him.

The Twenty-third Psalm in Indian Sign Language.

The Great Father above a Shepherd Chief is, I am His, and with Him I want not.

He throws out to me a rope, and the name of the rope is Love, and He draws me, and He draws me, and He draws me to where the grass is green and the water not dangerous, and I eat and lie down satisfied.

Sometimes my heart is very weak and falls down, but He lifts it up again and draws me into a good road. His name is Wonderful.

Some time, it may be very soon, it may be longer, it may be a long, long time, He will draw me into a place between mountains. It is dark there, but I'll draw back not. I'll be afraid not, for it is in there between those mountains that the Shepherd Chief will meet me, and the hunger I have felt in my heart all through this life will be satisfied. Sometimes He makes the love rope into a whip, but afterwards He gives me a staff to lean on. He spreads a table before me with all kinds of food. He puts His hand upon my head and all the "tired" is gone. My cup He fills till it runs over.

What I tell you is true, I lie not. These roads that are "away ahead" will stay with me through this life, and afterward I will go to live in the "Big Teepee" and sit down with the Shepherd Chief forever.—Selected.

Slight Jar Will Ruin Your Aneroid Barometer

That seemingly irresistible longing to tap the barometer is responsible for the ruining of something like ninety-five out of every one hundred of the instruments. Many people give their barometer a friendly tap to send it on a bit in the direction of "Fair"—every time they glance at it. This tapping leads to the instrument losing much of its sensitiveness and a great deal of its accuracy.

The aneroid barometer, which is the type most generally in use, is, by its construction, a delicate instrument. In essence it consists of a cylindrical metal box, from which all air has been extracted, fitted with a thin lid of corrugated metal. It is the pressure on this lid, giving it a certain degree of concavity, which is reflected, by a delicate system of levers, by the pointer on the dial read by the observer.

A barometer of the aneroid type tells the truth, by its reflection of changes in the air pressure, to the best of its ability.—London Mail.

World's Garbanzo Center

The state of Sonora is the world's largest producer of "garbanzos," or chick-peas, according to P. L. Bell's "Handbook of the Mexican West Coast and Southern California," just issued by the Department of Commerce. The bulk of the garbanzos are exported to Spain or to the West Indian islands. Garbanzos are grown something like rice, in fields, with raised borders, which are flooded with water, in August and September, when the rains are heavy, but plowing is not done in the water, as with rice; the plowman waits until the water has soaked into the ground, then he plows, and the seedman plants the garbanzo. Little irrigation is done during the growing season, the moisture retained by the soil being as a rule sufficient to mature the plant. In May the plants are pulled up by hand and laid out on the fields to dry, after which they are carried to a threshing floor, where the pealike contents of the pods are knocked out on the ground, and afterward packed into 220-pound sacks.

Such a Perfect Little Lady. One day a girl friend of mine stumbled and fell over a pair of large rubbers standing in the dark hall as she came in from the outside, which caused an angry outburst as follows: "Who's the d— idiot that left them in the middle of the floor, I'd like to know?"

Out of the parlor stepped their minister, saying, "I beg your pardon, so thoughtless of me."

He was calling on her folks, which, of course, she did not know. You can imagine how she felt, especially as she knew that he had always thought her such a perfect little lady.—Exchange.

Two Helpful Discoveries.

Among the old things I've discovered, aside from those universally recognized, such as the supreme value of love and honor—two stand out in my view with special prominence, writes Henry Holt, "The Octogenarian Editor," in the Independent. The first is that no matter how much things hurt, and how bad they look, they generally turn out for the best. Not only does it seem plain that the universe would fall to pieces if they did not; but that as a matter of fact they do, is the testimony of my long experience. The second old discovery is that it's poor business to bemoan trouble.

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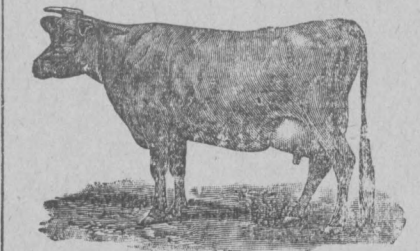
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