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## COMMUNITY LOCALS

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Miss Faith R. Lightner, of Baltimore, is spending this week-end at the home of Mrs. Mary Wilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Prince, Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. N. B. Hagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jolliffe, of Washington, D. C., spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Crabbs.

John Bricker, of Cambridge, Mass., is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bricker.

Mr. and Mrs. David B. Shaum received a card, this week, from their son, D. Bernard Shaum, who is sojourning in France.

Mrs. Maude Collins, who has been spending three weeks with her nephew, George Crabbs and family, has returned to New Windsor.

Miss Elizabeth Annan, of Washington, D. C., spending this week-end with her mother, Mrs. R. L. Annan and sister, Miss Amelia Annan.

Miss Margaret Shreeve was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Harle-rode and Mrs. A. T. Gilmore, in Steelton, Pa., over the week-end.

Our orders for Christmas cards will positively close, on Saturday, Dec. 4. Even then it will be necessary to select two or three designs.

Miss Catherine Arnold, of St. Joseph's Academy, McSherrystown, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Arnold.

Mrs. Lloyd Lambert, of near town, returned home last week from the Hanover General Hospital, after undergoing an operation, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. W. Witherow and Miss Minnie Allison are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Grace Witherow and other relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kuhns and daughter, Walkersville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keesey, of York; Edward Weaver, New Oxford, were guests of Mrs. Charles Kuhns, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson and son, Wallace, and Althea Lloyd, of Niles, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. H. Reindollar and family. Mrs. Thompson remained to spend some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weems, of Catonsville; Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark, of Towson, and Mrs. Kate Burgess, of Brookline, Mass., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William H. Carter, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Clabaugh had as their guests to dinner, on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Troxell, Westminster. Mr. Troxell is head man of the new Bull Frog road, which is now under construction.

The December meeting of the Homemakers' Club will be held on Thursday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock in the Firemen's building. The subject is, "Home made Christmas Decoration." The project demonstrators will have charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Hesson entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving day: Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hesson, Miss Olive Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Doty Robb and daughter, Mary Joan, all of town, and Mrs. Charles O. Hesson and son, Charles, Jr., of Baltimore.

The Brotherhood and Mite Society of Trinity Lutheran Church will hold their regular monthly meetings, at 7:30 P. M., on Wednesday evening, December 1st. As it is nearing Christmas, a special Christmas program is being arranged and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leister, Mrs. Norman Reindollar, Mrs. George Baumgardner, Mrs. Mary B. Wilt and Miss Shirley Wilt, of Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgardner, Baltimore, and Mr. Harry Baumgardner, of Charles Town, W. Va., were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Baumgardner, of Charles Town, W. Va.

Mr. Wallace Yingling, of Taneytown, has been appointed local Representative of The North American full legal reserve organization of Chicago, Illinois, incorporated under the laws of the State of Illinois, June 1895, and now operating in many of the States. Mr. Yingling expects, in course of time, to acquaint the public with what the Society has to offer in life insurance investment and protection.

L. C. Stouffer, near New Midway, in making the turn from Fairview Ave., into Middle Street, either made the turn too close to the edge of the street, or had a sudden break in the steering wheel, as his Ford coupe went over the bank and completely wrecked the left front wheel. Mr. Stouffer was not hurt. Bostian's garage, Middleburg removed the wreck. The accident was not due to fast driving.

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## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### Proceedings of Present and Coming Interest.

The Taneytown Chamber of Commerce met in regular monthly session in the Firemen's Building in Taneytown, Monday evening, Nov. 22, 1937, at 7:30 o'clock, President Merwyn C. Fuss, presiding. There were fifteen members present. The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved as read.

Rev. Guy P. Bready reported that the W. P. A. of Maryland has been discontinued, and therefore could not be counted on for support of program of adult recreation.

President Merwyn C. Fuss reported that the Capitol City Four, and Judge Parke have been definitely secured for the program at the banquet.

On motion, John T. Miller, Marlin Reid, T. L. Devilbiss, R. A. Stott, John H. Marston, Paul Leister, Wilbur Halter, Harry C. Schneffe, H. B. Royer, John Hoagland, F. Harold Follmer, Harry Daugherty, and Alton Boston, were elected to membership.

President Merwyn C. Fuss reported on favors that are being secured for the banquet.

On motion, the treasurer was instructed to pay out \$1.00 to Rev. Guy P. Bready for secretary book; also to pay out \$31.90 for Chamber of Commerce Pencils for favors, postage, and insurance.

On motion, it was decided that the same general plan as followed last year should be carried out for the Christmas celebration again this year, with the drawing to be held on the evening of the 23rd of December and the Children's party to be held on the afternoon of the 24th.

The following committees were appointed to carry out this plan: Printing, Rev. Guy P. Bready, J. N. O. Crapster; Soliciting, James Myers, David Smith, Clyde L. Hesson, T. H. Tracey, Norman Baumgardner, Harry Mohney; Decoration, Francis Mahoney, Norville P. Shoemaker, Frank Town, Wilbur Fair, C. F. Cashman; Treat, Walter A. Bower, C. G. Bowers, J. M. Cain, C. E. Dorn; Program, Merwyn C. Fuss, Marlin Reid, Wallace Reindollar, Paul D. Emenheiser, Chas. Arnold, Dr. C. M. Benner.

On motion, Postmaster Crapster was instructed to place order for 2,000 envelopes with Taneytown Chamber of Commerce and address printed in upper left corner and with precancelled stamp.

At the suggestion of Dr. C. M. Benner, it was moved and passed that the secretary communicate with Senator Tydings and Congressman Cole relative to securing a marker to designate the site under the large sycamore tree on the property of Mrs. Clara Brining, about one mile from Taneytown-Littlestown road, upon which General Meade pitched his tent June, 1863, and made his plans for the battle of Gettysburg. This suggestion was made in view of the coming celebration of the 75th anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg to be commemorated in 1938 by the Federal Government.

The Chamber of Commerce adjourned at 9:10 A. M.

MERWYN C. FUSS, Pres.  
PAUL D. EMENHEISER, Sec'y.

### A DOUBLE GIFT.

Every year a good many subscribers to The Carroll Record send it for one year as a gift to others. We are hoping that not only will these gifts be continued, but that many others will be sent this year.

All of these gift subscriptions will be discontinued at the end of the year unless renewed. We will also mail to all persons to whom the gift is being sent, a Christmas card giving the donor's name.

The Carroll Record Co., will also consider such subscriptions as gifts to the Company, and as contributions to the continuance of the over 43 years of service of its weekly publication.

GEO. A. ARNOLD, President.  
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P. B. ENGLAR, Editor.  
REV. LUTHER B. HAFER.  
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CHARLES L. STONESIFER, Directors.

### WILL PRESENT FLAG TO SCHOOL.

Washington Camp No. 2, P. O. S. of A., of Taneytown, will present a new flag to the public school of the town. Arrangements have been made for the presentation on Monday, November 29, using the last period of the morning program, from 11:25 to 12:15 o'clock.

A special program has been arranged, to consist of patriotic songs by the schools; prayer; a select reading by a pupil of the high school; the presentation by Rev. L. B. Hafer, on behalf of the Camp, and acceptance by the Principal, G. N. Shower, on behalf of the school.

Parents and friends are invited to come in for the presentation, which will be carried out on schedule time.

### RECEIVES HIGHEST GRANGE DEGREE.

Among the thousands who had the 7th degree, the highest honor the patrons of husbandry can bestow, conferred on them during the meeting of the National Grange, at Harrisburg, Pa., on Friday, April 12 were those from Melrose, Md. Grange; John Gregg, John Hersh, Rev. John S. Hollenbach, Edgar Sellers and Noah Sellers.

## Thanksgiving Day 1937.

Largely, Thanksgiving Day is now accepted by us as a date in each calendar year, fixed by National custom and Presidential proclamation as a work-free day, that we are supposed to observe as a day of National thanksgiving for Divine and other blessings received throughout a year.

But, even with such a fine foundation, and with such long indorsement for its appropriateness, a very large number consider it only a holiday, and are not apt to see wherein they have been specially blessed during the year, nor that there is anything outstandingly prominent for them to be thankful for.

But, the world is not wholly pessimistic nor thankless, and the Giver of all Good is still thanked by many for His boundless mercies and blessings in this wonderful experience that we call Life, with its proper liberties and opportunities for service under Him.

The great truth, that each day of life is a day of opportunity, and that we have it to use only through the mercy of God, should mean for us that every day is a Thanksgiving day. That, in so far as Divinity is concerned, there is no difference between days—for each day is a day of God-given life and opportunity.

True, life has its wonderful variety. Each day has its duties, opportunities, blessings. We have our contacts with other human beings; our diverse interests; our varied talents; minds dissimilar; worldly interests in conflict, and naturally, we have mass-mindedness, mass interests, mass everything. And these as naturally come into open conflict. It is the way of the world, and has been from the beginning.

Just now, a large portion of the world is at war, because of greed and ambition. Certainly we can express our thankfulness that so far we have not become involved in it, and pray that we may escape it later on.

Thanksgiving Day? Yes, we need to be thankful every day. It would be a fine thing if we could get out of the custom of making our great days, common holidays. We do not need such days legalized for us—we take too many on our own account and without marking them with red figures on the calendar.

### 20th. ANNIVERSARY MIS. BOARD

Lutherans will Celebrate with Campaign for Church Extension.

M. P. Moller, Jr., of Hagerstown, has been selected by the Board of American Missions of the United Lutheran Church in America to direct the financial activities in Maryland and the District of Columbia for the anniversary appeal celebrating the twentieth birthday of the national organization.

As finance director, he will have charge of one phase of a movement, the principal aim of which is to strengthen materially the existing membership of Lutheran churches throughout the United States and Canada. Additional objectives of the Anniversary Appeal are to inaugurate a concentrated program of personal evangelism to reach the unchurched and to secure funds to adequately carry out an ambitious church extension schedule.

According to Dr. Zenan M. Corbe, executive secretary of the Mission Board, church extension needs in the United States and Canada demand that a sum of approximately \$3,500,000 be secured during 1938 if the Lutheran Church hopes to carry through its well-planned religious program.

The money obtained during the anniversary appeal which will celebrate the twentieth year of the union of three Lutheran bodies into the United Lutheran Church in America, will be used to increase the revolving loan fund for congregations needing new churches, and to expand mission fields in America.

### CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

The Carroll County Children's Aid Society officials are very glad to report that eight districts have been successful in far exceeding their quotas in the recent financial drive. These districts are Taneytown, Skylesville, Hampstead, Uniontown, Precinct 1, New Windsor, Mt. Airy, Manchester and Westminster. Of these Skylesville, Taneytown, New Windsor and Westminster are still turning in money. The remaining districts have not been able to obtain their full quotas, but have been quite successful in comparison to previous years.

Mrs. Frank T. Myers, president of the Children's Aid Society and the members of the drive staff wish to thank each district leader, each solicitor and contributor of the county for his or her part in making the drive successful. This success was brought about through the hearty cooperation between the contributors and the workers. A very generous response has been made to the many appeals of the campaign.

The money obtained in this drive will help to carry on the valuable work that the Children's Aid Society is doing in caring for Carroll County's dependent children and in training their future citizens.

### WANTS MORE DIRECT ROAD TO WASHINGTON.

The Westminster Times, last week, contained a news item carrying the information that the Westminster Chamber of Commerce is making an effort to secure the construction of a new road to Washington "starting at Cooksville on the Frederick road, and follow closely the old Washington road, crossing the B. & O. R. R., at Hood's Mill."

Apparently, this would give Westminster and Carroll county less mileage to Washington; but what of it? Why is it considered worth the big expenditure required to build 12 miles of concrete road, to get to Washington a few minutes earlier?

Reasoning and influence something like this may be helping to let our many miles of mud roads, remain as they were fifty years ago. There may be other urgent reasons for the building of this new road, but, getting to Washington a few minutes earlier, is not one of them.

There are 669 colleges and academies for Catholic young women in the United States.

### NATIONAL 4-H CLUB CONGRESS

County Agent and Contest Winners Will Attend.

The National Association of County Agricultural Agents will hold their regular annual meeting in Chicago during the International Livestock Show, November 29 to December 3rd. County Agent L. C. Burns will represent the State Association of County Agricultural Agents at this National meeting. Mr. Burns will also accompany the two County 4-H Club members who have won trips to the National 4-H Club Congress from Carroll County. These boys are Henry Koller, Skylesville, and Stephen Morelock, Westminster. These boys are being sent by the Livestock Yards Company, Baltimore, for outstanding achievements in the breeding, showing and fitting livestock. In addition to these two awards other 4-H Club members in the county have accomplished outstanding results and received recognition.

Francis Hoff, member of the New Windsor Club has been named the county winner in the 4-H Rural Electrification contest. This contest is sponsored by the Westinghouse Electric Company and will present Francis with a handsome gold medal of honor.

Elwood Myers of the Baust Club has been named the winner in the Wilson meat animal contest and will receive 17-jewel gold watch, presented by Thomas Wilson Packing Company.

These and other awards from the Westminster Kiwanis Club will be presented at the annual 4-H Club banquet to be held on Dec. 10, 1937. The Maryland delegation to Chicago will leave Washington on Saturday, Nov. 27 to attend the International Livestock Show and 4-H Club Congress. Mr. Charles Rensburg, who is assistant County Agent in Frederick, Howard and Carroll counties, will also accompany the boys from Frederick and Carroll County, who will go to Chicago.

### COUNTY WIDE LORD'S DAY MEETING.

On Monday, Nov. 29, at 7:45 P. M. in the Methodist Protestant Church, Westminster, will be held a county-wide meeting for the purpose of considering and preserving the proper use of the Lord's Day. Dr. E. L. Bunce, of Baltimore who is reputed to be an orator of note has been selected as the guest speaker. This meeting is held under the auspices of the Protestant Churches and their auxiliary organizations of Carroll Co. Every pastor, Church official, S. S. officer and teacher, and officers of other religious organizations should be present. An invitation is extended to State, County and local officials to be present. All school officials and teachers should be there. We hope to have some special music.

### FILLS SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach, Manchester, spent Thursday to Monday in central Pennsylvania, visiting relatives and speaking as follows: On Thursday night he delivered his sermon lecture "The Thief in the Church" in Dreisbach Lutheran and Reformed Church, near Vicksburg, Pa. On Friday evening he spoke in St. Paul's Reformed Church, West Milton, Pa., where he was a former pastor, on the subject, "Our Heritage is our Challenge, with members of the local P. O. S. of A. and P. O. of A. as guests. Sunday morning he spoke in his home church Zion Reformed in Kratzerville, Pa., and Sunday evening he was the guest preacher in the Reformed Church, New Berlin, Pa.

### THE SHOE BUSINESS.

Read the editorial under this heading, in this issue. It may give some real and new information. Better still, get a copy of The Saturday Evening Post of Nov. 13, and read "Old Neighbor Sam" by Senator Capper, and the editorial, "The Shoe Workers Pay for an Ad," pages 26 and 27.

## BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Will be Ready for Sale After Thanksgiving Day.

The Christmas Seals are all ready for mailing to the people of the state according to the reports of the chairmen of the various counties of Maryland, and should be delivered shortly after Thanksgiving, the day upon which the sale officially commences.

Henry F. Baker, of Baltimore, is general seal sale chairman for the state, and each county, with the exception of a few of the smaller ones, also has its own local chairman. The work of these chairmen has been unusually enthusiastic and their efforts indicate a successful sale for 1937.

The Christmas Seals make possible the fight to prevent tuberculosis in Maryland. They finance such state-wide activities as the free chest clinics the Miracle House, health education, medical research, the purchase of diagnostic equipment, and special work among the colored. The funds that are raised by the sale of these seals in the various counties are spent in the counties in which they were raised with the exception of a small percentage which is used to finance the program of the State Association.

This program has been instrumental in decreasing the tuberculosis death rate in Maryland by almost two-thirds in the last thirty years.

William B. Matthews, managing director of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association, said that many schools throughout the state were participating in the Christmas Seal sale activities. Mr. Matthews further stated that November 28th. will be celebrated in many of the churches of the state as "Christmas Seal Sunday." He said, "It is hoped by the various chairmen in the several counties that the clergy of the respective counties will assist in the observance of Christmas Seal Sunday by calling to the attention of their congregations the work that is being made possible by the seals."

Approximately 27,000,000 Christmas Seals have been prepared for mailing. These will be sent to 150,000 people in the state. "If every one would buy and use the seals sent to them," Mr. Matthews said, "the Maryland Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated county associations would have sufficient funds to put on an intensive anti-tuberculosis program that would speedily offset the recent slight rise in tuberculosis deaths."

The Record office will have a small number of the Seals on hand, if called for early.

### THE TANEYTOWN HIGH SCHOOL OPERETTA.

The operetta "The Bamboo Princess," will be given December 9 in the High School auditorium. The teachers in charge are: Mrs. Estella Yingling, Miss Helen Stump, and Miss Dorothy Kephart.

All children participating are: Principles, William Sell, Robert Stone, James Elliot, David Shaum, Gertrude Shriner, Virginia Teeter, Robert Bankard, Joseph Shockey, Idona Meh-ring, Virginia DeHoff, Virginia Lambert, Frances Stonesifer, Ruth Sutcliffe, Louisa Myers, Mark Sanders, Richard Teeter, and Warren Wantz; Japanese Chorus, Catherine Carbaugh, Margaret Garner, Maxine Hess, Isabelle Harman, Mary K. Maus, Doris Porter, Sarah Utz, Mildred Carbaugh, Dorothy Keefe, Charlotte Mason, Audrey Ohler, Elizabeth Ohler, Audrey Roop, Phyllis Hess, Dorothy Sell, Maxine Sell, and Mary Shaum. Pirates, Ray Harner, Robert Sarbaugh, Richard Sell, Ralph Baker, George Motter and John Lawyer. Japanese Fan Chorus, Ruth Anna Baker, Marie Fream, Louise Hess, Margaret Lambert, Edna Rodkey, Ruth Rodkey, Truth Rodkey, and Vivian Shoemaker.

### BIBLE TERM AT MEADOW BRANCH.

A special Bible term will be held at this place, November 25 to 28th, 1937. Sessions each day at ten o'clock in the morning and Thursday and Friday evenings, at 7:30. Prof. M. R. Wolfe, of Bridgewater, Va., will be the main instructor.

Prof. Wolfe will also preach a special sermon on Thanksgiving Day, at 10 A. M. The public is cordially invited to attend all of these services.

Rev. Norman Seese, a returned missionary from China, preached a remarkable sermon on "Peace," to a large audience, in the Meadow Branch Church, last Sunday morning, at 10:30 A. M.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

James R. Rebert and Dorothy E. Hartman, Cashtown, Pa.  
William Y. Syphax and Lone Star, Gettysburg, Pa.  
Wilbur S. Butler and Catherine L. Brightful, Union Bridge, Md.  
Melvin J. Starnes and Mary A. Davis, York Springs, Pa.  
William R. Gosney and Margaret D. Davis, Alexander, Va.  
John L. Dubs and Elizabeth M. Halker, Millers, Md.  
Charles E. Ritter and Ruth F. Lunning, Keyman, Md.  
Clarence M. Knox and Anna M. Cronise, Finksburg, Md.  
Lester E. Cromer and Mabel M. Brillhart, Hanover, Pa.  
John F. Kelly and Verna Snyder, New York, N. Y.  
Charles R. King and E. Jeanne Mylin, Drumore, Pa.  
Charles R. Sowers and Mary E. Griffin, New Oxford, Pa.  
Albert P. Bell and Mabel W. Vaughn, Taneytown, Md.  
Donald P. Kellon and Wilma L. Wagner, Coatsville, Pa.

## CONGRESS GETTING DOWN TO WORK ON BILLS.

### Special Session in Second Week Hears Interesting Debates.

The House and Senate furnished news of interest during the second week of the special session by debating bills now on the calendar, while the all-important House Ways and Means Committee worked on the revision of tax rates. The committee agreed on Tuesday upon the abandonment of the undistributed profits tax, except for use as a yardstick for the graduation of normal tax rates applying to larger income corporations.

A few hours later the Republican minority of the House, assembled in formal caucus, adopted a resolution demanding "immediate outright repeal" of the tax system inaugurated last year, with such nullification retroactive as to corporate earnings for the present calendar year.

The Ways and Means subcommittee action, however, was taken with a view to presenting the entire new tax picture for consideration at the regular session of Congress which begins next January.

In arriving at its decisions the tax legislators, headed by Representative Vinson (Dem., Ky.), first exempted entirely from the undistributed profits tax all corporations having annual net incomes of less than \$25,000, thus proposing the repeal of that system of taxation for approximately eighty-eight per cent. of the country's corporations having net income to report.

Instead of paying both normal and undistributed profits levies, the corporations with incomes under \$25,000, according to the committee plan, would be assessed at the rate of 12½ per cent. on taxable net income up to \$5,000, and at the rate of fourteen per cent on the next \$20,000.

Corporations with incomes above \$25,000 would pay no direct undistributed profits tax, but their normal tax rates would be graduated from a high of twenty per cent. down to a low of sixteen per cent. according to the percentage of their taxable net income they passed on to their stockholders.

In the House recalcitrant Democrats of the House of Representatives refused Tuesday to play follow the leader, and the Administration's stalemated wages and hours legislation remained locked as tightly as ever in the Rules Committee, a majority of which won't permit it to go to the floor for consideration.

Sixty-five signatures were needed to complete a petition which would wrest the Black-Connery bill from the adamant fourteen-member committee. Sixteen were obtained in the course of an all-day campaign.

A House steering committee of approximately fifty members undertook the task of trying to corral the forty-nine who would not respond Tuesday. This appeared to be the last resort.

The Senate this week laid aside the filibuster on the anti-lynching bill for a debate on the farm-relief bill.

Failure of the Senate Agriculture Committee to put a price tag on the bill brought critics of the measure out in full force as debate began in the Senate.

Badgered for some minutes on this feature by Senators Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) and McNary (Rep., Ore.) and unwilling to be pinned down even to a guess at the ultimate cost of the program, Senator Smith (Dem., S. C.) who is sponsoring the bill, answered somewhat explosively: "My good God, if we had known that we would have said so. We do not know and you do not know."

"No I do not, and I am trying to find out," countered Senator Vandenberg.

Senator Smith said it would have been impossible for the committee to forecast how much money would be needed for operation of the program in future years, and that for that reason the framers of the bill wrote in the provision that Congress should appropriate "such sums as are necessary."

## Random Thoughts

### OBSERVATION POSTS.

We not only have defective vision, but our observation posts are often poorly located, and between the two we are often led very much astray. When we miss exact sight of things we are apt also to miss the exact meaning of things, and before we realize it we are publishers of incorrect facts.

And then, much along the same line, we are apt to misjudge an entire cargo from a single small sample. We even make extensive tests that show one result at one place, and a very different one at another.

That things are not always what they seem to be is too true to be ignored. We must test, and experiment, and give trials, many times before committing ourselves to exactly found results.

But, our first care should always be to select a good post for observation; then good advisory counsel; and then, careful statistics compilers.

Even in our much debated new "times," they are sometimes much abused. At this Thanksgiving day, we have many things to be thankful for that we did not have, fifty or more years ago, and we should not minimize this truth.

P. B. E.







## THE MYSTERIOUS SEX

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FOR a couple of years I've been shoving a taxi around, and what I don't know about this hamlet and the birds that flit around in it, there don't nobody else know, you can bet your last tip on that. But I ain't fool enough to think that there can't be no one spring a new one on me. No, sir! "We live and learn," as a fellow once said to me after he'd bought a pint of water thinking it was gin.

Just a week ago a bird by the name of William Buckhorn slipped me one that hadn't never been sprung in vaudeville and my old bean has been sprouting thoughts about women ever since.

I was standing talking to the doorman at the Palace hotel, during my afternoon off, when he drove up. We seen him coming, he was driving one of them high-priced, classy-looking roadsters, and he wasn't paying no attention to the traffic rules. He swung into the curb at the hotel entrance and come to a stop with a jerk.

He was a guy that you like the minute you see him; one of the kind of fellers that you know is a good scout and on the level without having to look back over his pedigree. He took a deep breath of relief, like a feller does after he's satisfied there ain't no poison in the hootch and wipes his brow with a silk handkerchief.

"Rest and peace and quiet, at least," he says, grinning at me and my friend. "Never again does little Willie Buckhorn buck the traffic."

"You're headed the wrong way and you can't park here, noway," says my friend.

"I'm parked, ain't I," says William.

"Don't be unreasonable, brother," says my friend, not getting hard-boiled as is his usual custom.

"I don't want to be," says William. "But nothing on this earth can persuade me to venture forth into that traffic again. I didn't think I could drive a car, and now I know I can't."

"I'll take her out of the traffic for you," I butts in.

"My hero," he says, like they do on the stage. "May the choicest blessings of Heaven descend upon you. Proceed."

While I was getting him through the downtown congestion I told him my name and he told me he'd just bought the roadster because he wanted to drive some skirt around without his chauffeur listening in.

"Was you ever in love, Jesse?" he says.

"I was eighteen my last birthday," I says.

"Old enough to be stung by the love-bee," he grins. "But not old enough to have the real love-germ gnawing at your vitals. I wonder if you would help a fellow out."

"Out of where?" I says.

"Out of single-cussedness into the realm of married bliss," he says, wailing his eyes.

"Be yourself," I says. "You'd be better off if you hadn't drank that last one."

"It's like this, Jesse," he says seriously. "I'm in love with the sweetest girl in the world. I've got a hunch that she's in love with me but she won't admit it. And, on the other hand, I've got a hunch she's not. I'm between the devil and the deep blue sea, Jesse, and I've worried so much about it that I've reached the point where I have to know."

"Why don't you ask her?" I asks.

"Boy, I've talked volumes to her about it," he says. "She just smiles and says she don't know whether it's going to be me or some other poor simp. She won't tell me no, and she won't tell me yes. She's strong for these dare-devil boys and has one on the string now that's got all the danger-seekers backed off the boards. He's going to take her up in an airplane this afternoon and if he does she'll probably marry him. I've got a scheme to prevent that. We'll drive out to her home and I'll bring her out to look at my new car. When she gets in to try the seat, I'll hop in beside her and you throw the old boat in high."

"And then what?" I asks.

"That's as far as I've gone," he says, looking sheepish.

"You didn't go far," I says. "How much speed has this chariot got between eighty and ninety," he says.

"All right," I says. "When your girl hits the seat, hold your breath. We'll see whether they lied or not."

Sure, I admit I was a fool to take a chance on doing a kidnapping stunt like that. But I'm a taxi-driver ain't I? Us babies is used to taking chances.

The dame he trots out has all the movie dolls looking like Orphan An-nies. Some queen. No wonder William had went wild about her. He invited her to try the cushions. She does, and we're off.

I'm moving along at 60 before the girl wakes up to what has happened and then it's too late to send any messages to the home folks. After we'd gone a few blocks I eased up, not wanting to have a bunch of cops after us.

"I don't like the idea of being forced to take a ride with you," says the girl. She was mad.

"And I don't like the idea of the yes and no stuff you've been pulling on me," says William. "I'm going to keep you out in this car until you tell me definitely whether or not you'll marry me."

"That's easy," she says. "I won't marry you. I hate you. Now if you're satisfied, have this boy drive me home."

"Maybe you'll change your mind after we ride awhile," says William.

The girl was smart. She didn't say nothing. But the first time we passed a cop she humped up on the seat.

"Help," she yelled. "I'm being kidnaped."

"Do your stuff," says William to me, pulling the girl back down on the seat.

I called on the old boat and got an answer. They hadn't lied none to William about her speed. Once before we got out of town I missed a street car and sudden death by a split second, and once I crowded a car so close I could hear the rattle, but outside of them two times we wasn't no closer to death than a feller that's just started to drink a bottle of carbohic acid.

I was headed for a road I know that ain't traveled at all hardly and I figured if we could make it before a motor-cop got close enough to see us turn off, we'd be safe. I made the turn without slacking up much and without throwing a tire, thanks to Providence. About two miles farther on I shot the car into a lane and brought her to a stop in a little grove where you couldn't see it from the road. William just layed back in a dead faint but the girl was as lively as Saturday night.

"Boy, oh, boy!" she says, smiling at me. "You're some driver. Billie passed out when you tried to caress that street car."

"He'll come out of it," I says. "A feller that can't stand a little excitement like that ain't got no business kidnaping a girl, has he?"

"He did it, anyway," she says, bristling up.

"And then faints like a woman," I says. "If I hadn't thought he was braver than that I wouldn't a' started out with him."

"Brave!" she says, giving me a cold look. "Listen, boy. A man who is actually afraid to do what Billie did and then does it, is a lot braver than you dare-devils who don't care."

"I thought you was off of him for life," I says.

"You've got a lot to learn about women," she says. Then she reached over and kissed William, and William woke up.

Sure they got married, with me as a witness and a justice of the peace doing the honors. William gave me a brand-new limousine and now I'm sitting pretty with the swellest service-car in town. But I can't help wondering about women. Seems like they want what they don't want, and don't want what they want. That's as close as I can come to figuring them out. You try and see if you can get a better answer.

### Gulls Prove Efficient

#### Scavengers Along Shores

The herring gulls of the Great Lakes are an interesting group of birds. As they follow in the wake of the large passenger boats plying the lakes they afford unending entertainment and enjoyment to the passengers leisurely reclining in deck chairs. They are marvels of perfection in almost effortless flight. They can sail and glide for hours with apparently slight physical exertion, constantly watching the water in the hope that some edible food will be tossed overboard. Their persistence is generally rewarded, and just as the food reaches the surface the gulls swoop down and retrieve it before it is submerged, riding the waves lightly like bits of bobbing cork or cotton, writes Albert Stoll, Jr., in the Detroit News.

The islands of the Great Lakes undoubtedly are among the greatest nesting places of gulls. The two federal migratory bird sanctuaries in Lake Superior, one on Huron island directly north of the Huron mountains and the other along the south shore of Isle Royale, are alive with nesting gulls all during spring and summer. They usually lay three or four eggs in a crudely built nest on the ground. The young are fluffy balls of spotted down.

The birds delight in following fishing boats to and from the fishing grounds knowing that many undersized fish will be tossed overboard from the boats while nets are being cleared. Returning to shore with the boats they wait along the beach and on docks for the refuse and waste that follows the cleaning of fish. They are by all means the most efficient lake shore scavengers.

Except when leisurely following boats herring gulls maintain a flight speed ranging from 25 to 36 miles an hour. Those frequenting the shores of the Atlantic and Pacific usually follow ships out to sea for a distance of 25 to 30 miles and then turn back to shore. They winter in the Azores, Cuba and the shores of the Gulf of Mexico, returning to us as soon as the ice goes out.

### Built by Samuel Washington

Harewood, near Charles Town, W. Va., was built by Samuel Washington about 1760, with the assistance of his brother, George, and remains in the possession of his descendants. The paneled room in which Dolly Madison was married is perhaps the finest of its type surviving.

## BLANTON CASE IS STILL MYSTERY TO TEXAS AUTHORITIES

### Disappearance of Father and Son Months Ago Unsolved; Murder Feared.

Raymondville, Texas.—The Blanton case, Texas' nonstop mystery, is more than ten months old—and still unsolved.

"What became of the Blantons?" This question was on every lip after the two men disappeared. Today conjecture is: "Will the case ever be solved?" Many say it will not. A few insist it will.

Here's the mystery plot, briefly: On November 18, 1936, Luther Blanton, fifty-seven, and his son, John, twenty-four, vanished shortly after they left their farm near San Perlita to hunt ducks on a lagoon not far from their home.

They were respected men, without known enemies.

#### Believed Killed.

Rumors are many as to their fate. From an official standpoint, Capt. Bill McMurrey of the Texas Rangers, after weeks of investigation, concluded: "The men were either killed near the lagoon or taken away and killed."

The scene is the colorful southwest Texas cattle country. Nearby are the great properties of the former King ranch, once called the world's largest cattle domain.

The lake to which the Blantons were supposed to have gone is located on a section of the ranch set off as a state game preserve. A state official said residents had been warned by the state game warden in this vicinity not to hunt on the preserve without a permit.

The enigma called to the scene many peace officers, including two-gun, hard-riding Texas Rangers. Chaparral thickets and sand dunes for miles about were combed to no avail.

The case engendered bitter strife. Some citizens openly accused officers of laxity in their investigation.

Recently a court of inquiry, ordered by Gov. James V. Allred, recessed, subject to call, without announcing whether definite progress had been made. The court itself had difficulty in functioning because of legalities. Its presiding officer was charged thrice.

Mrs. Blanton, a witness at the inquiry, said she was sure her husband and son were dead. She said she heard three shots fired in the direction of the lagoon shortly after the men left home.

#### Afraid to Talk.

A few officials and residents believe there are those who could clear up the case, but are afraid to talk. W. E. McCharen, county judge of Willacy county, is among those of this belief.

That there is no intention of letting up in the investigation was seen in the following statement from Col. H. C. Carmichael, chief of the Texas public safety department:

"While no tangible evidence has ever been uncovered, we are hopeful of solving the case and will never stop the investigation. One great difficulty was that fellow farmers trampled the ranch country in searching for the bodies and might have destroyed any signs left by the Blantons. Then, too, a heavy rain intervened before rangers began their search."

Granted that it was murder, the bodies must be found before a conviction could be obtained under Texas laws.

And so the story, its many ramifications making it almost a weekly headliner, continues, ebbing and flowing as rumors and developments pitch it to new heights when it appears to be dropping into the doldrums.

### Air-Cooled Felons Will Get Own Radio Receivers

Raleigh, N. C.—Radio in every cell and a modified form of air conditioning soon will be features of North Carolina's newly remodeled seventy-five-year-old state prison.

A new electrical hookup will give each prisoner a set of earphones connected to a central radio receiving set, so that he can enjoy programs without interfering with the sleep of his cellmates.

All cells will have adequate ventilation through a system of forced-draft ventilation by means of electric fans, latest-type steam heating equipment and automatic temperature control.

The \$500,000 renovation program, which has resulted in virtual rebuilding of the ancient castellated prison, is now nearing completion. Most of the cell blocks will be occupied shortly.

### Citizen of Russia Claims to Be 135 Years of Age

Moscow, U. S. S. R.—One of the oldest men in the world is Isaac Danilovich Fedotov of Sverdlovsk, who will celebrate his one hundred thirty-fifth birthday this year, according to Soviet records.

Fedotov was born in 1802, starting work as a charcoal burner at the age of eight, and after 116 years of labor was given a state pension at the age of one hundred twenty-four.

Some of Fedotov's seventeen children are themselves grandparents, but his descendants are so numerous he cannot keep account of them.

Fedotov is in high spirits and does not look his reputed age.

## Milk Stops Fire as Other Liquids Fail

Bozeman, Mont.—Ten gallons of milk saved hundreds of gallons of gasoline.

The cab of Earl Hines' large gasoline truck caught fire. With a hand-extinguisher, Hines tried to check the flames which spread to the truck's gasoline compartment under the seat.

A milk-truck driver dashed to his aid with a can of milk, which he dumped on the fire. The milk smothered the blaze.

## ESTATE OF "DADDY" BROWNING DWINDLES

### Four Women Greatly Saddened at Amazing News.

New York.—Four women, two of them widows and two adopted daughters, were saddened by the amazing news that Edward W. (Daddy) Browning, eccentric millionaire, left only \$1,500,000 instead of a supposed \$7,000,000.

The four women are: Browning's second widow, Mrs. Frances (Peaches) Browning Heenan Hynes.

His adopted daughter, Mrs. Dorothy (Sunshine) Browning Hood.

His first widow, Mrs. Nellie Adele Lowan Browning.

His first widow's adopted daughter, Marjorie Herbert Browning.

The news at first appeared incredible, but real estate experts valued the realty, brokerage experts valued the securities, and all they could add up to was \$1,500,000, dispelling four sets of fond visions.

Most nervous of all was Marjorie, who recently sued for a \$1,000,000 slice of Browning's estate, and who momentarily expects a ruling from Surrogate Delehanty as to the validity of her claim.

Almost as upset was Mrs. Frances (Peaches) Hynes, who heard her power rights in the estate variously estimated in large figures all the way up to \$2,500,000. Indications recently were that her share might approximate a mere \$75,000.

Mrs. Nellie Browning admitted she expected nothing out of the estate for herself, having divorced Browning in 1924, when he established a \$6,000 annuity for her. On this income she has financed Marjorie, her foster-daughter, now a slender and lovely student at Teachers college.

The earnest desire of Mrs. Nellie Browning was for Marjorie to get her \$1,000,000, for the annuity will not go to Marjorie on Mrs. Browning's death. Instead, the trust fund would then revert back to the estate.

Less nervous was Browning's adopted daughter, Mrs. Dorothy (Sunshine) Hood, the only one of the four named in his will who is to receive at least half the estate. Instead of the estimated \$3,750,000, however, that half, under the present valuation, would equal only about \$750,000.

## Natives' Quarrel Saves Life of U. S. Missionary

Grand Rapids.—Because a half-dozen Filipinos couldn't decide on the right way to polish off a missionary, Rev. Henry W. DeVries is back in Michigan visiting friends and relatives and preaching in various churches in the western part of the state.

On a journey in the interior of the island of Mindanao, where Mr. and Mrs. DeVries have been stationed since 1924, the missionary became ill and lay on the floor of a hut, too sick to care what happened to him.

Natives offered him food, but he was unable to eat. This must be, they decided, because an evil spirit possessed him, and the only way to exercise it was to kill him.

One was for cleaving his head; another voted to disembowel him; others had still more pointed suggestions as to the best method of killing. Because they couldn't agree, they decided to put it off awhile. Morning came, Mr. DeVries felt better, called for food and ate it. That, decided the natives, proved the evil spirit had left, so they let him go on his way unharmed.

## Laziest Fish Is Caught by Long Shot Fisherman

Sydney, N. S. W.—An angler at Port Hacking has made a catch against which the chances of which are estimated at 1,000,000 to 1.

The fish was 21 inches long and weighed 5 pounds. It was a "stone-lifter," also known as a "stargazer," which is found only on the southeastern coast of Australia.

The "stone-lifter" buries itself in the sand with only its mouth and eyes showing, and waits for small fish to enter its mouth. To catch it, therefore, the bait must either drop into its mouth or drift there.

## Gettysburg Address Is Written on Human Hair

Bismarck, N. D.—The Gettysburg address of Abraham Lincoln has been carved on pin-heads and the like, but Jimmie Zaharee of Max, N. D., believes he is the first ever to pen the speech on a 2½-inch-long human hair.

A pen eight times as fine as a hair was used.

The microscopic lettering of Lincoln's famous address is visible under a forty-five-power lens.

## Bronze Used by Romans in Their Early Plows

Plows used by the early Romans had a detachable pole, held to the beam by wooden pegs. The share was lashed in place by thongs. The outline of the forked tree remained, but the tree itself has been replaced by separate parts fashioned by craftsmen.

Later Romans applied to the plow their highly developed artistry in bronze and iron, according to a writer in the Rural New-Yorker. These metals had been discovered in the East some 4,000 years earlier—the discovery of bronze and the invention of writing roughly coincide and mark the beginning of the historic period, only 5,000 or 6,000 years ago; iron came about 1,000 years later than bronze. The Romans made shares and moldboards of metal and added a wheel—from the warrior's chariot—to control and regulate the depth of plowing.

The ancient Spanish plow shows an early stage in the development of the modern moldboard. Until the moldboard came the plow merely gashed the soil to permit the placing of seeds. Afterward it became a tillage implement also and took on its complex function of pulverizing, mixing, aerating and inverting the earth, exposing it to the weather and releasing new fertility.

The early English plows had conical points that dug rather than sheared through the soil. Such a plow was patented by Joseph Foljambe of Yorkshire in 1720. By 1763 Scottish plows were made entirely of metal, the moldboard of cast iron, the share, beam, handles and coulter of cast iron. The share was narrow and the turned furrow had an inverted V-shape. The top of the furrow was not crumbled and the plow was not required to pulverize the soil. Seed, broadcast by hand, rolled down into the grooves between the lapping furrows, to be easily covered by the drags or wooden harrows that followed. This custom set the standard for plowing in England and it is still popular there.

## Variety of Forms of the Favorite Windsor Chair

The story of the English Windsor chair is that the king, stopping to rest at an English farmhouse, was attracted by one chair he saw there and ordered a set made and sent to Windsor castle. The English Windsor is quite common in England and occasionally is to be found here, states a writer in the Los Angeles Times. They are a sturdy type of chair, in the early examples showing their Dutch influence. The American craftsmen, however, developed a wider diversity of form and a greater delicacy of line than is found in the English prototype.

There are a number of forms of Windsor chairs. The loop-back side chair is the most common. In the armchair this loop is carried forward in an unbroken curve to form the arms. This curved bow-shaped piece divides the back horizontally and curving forward forms the arms. The fan backs have a horizontal curved bow-piece at the top from which the spindles slant inward toward the seat. The comb-back, another form, has a headrest added in the shape of a miniature fan-back. There is also a smaller Windsor chair with a straight-topped back and square shoulders.

The first Windsors were made for porch and garden. It is said General Washington had 30 of these chairs on the veranda at Mt. Vernon. However, such chairs soon found a home indoors as well as out and were used both in the country and town. They were used not only in homes but in public places as well. In the Pennsylvania museum at Philadelphia are shown Windsor chairs used by the first Continental congress.

## Socrates O. K.'d Dancing

Socrates, famous old Greek scholar, thought dancing kept people contented, so ranked it among the most important branches of learning, notes a writer in the Washington Post. Louis XIV of France had a lot of worries, too, so he took up ballet dancing. Ancient Egyptians also thought dancing meant happiness. At their "balls," a mummy was prominently displayed to remind merry-makers that the dance of life couldn't go on forever and that they should make the most of their joy while they could!

## "Sino" Combined With Japanese

"Sino" instead of "Chinese" is combined with Japanese because it is more euphonious. It is derived from "Sinai," the Greek and Latin name for an Oriental people mentioned by Ptolemy, who lived in the Second century, A. D., and supposed to have been the Chinese. Some writers, however, prefer "Chino" to "Sino" and write "Chino-Japanese" after the analogy of "Russo-Japanese," "Franco-Prussian," etc.

## El Temple in Havana

El Temple in Havana dates from 1827 and commemorates the landing at Puerta Caranas of Don Diego Velazquez in 1519. An obelisk bears an inscription commemorating the mass sung at the town meeting held at the time in the shade of a giant siba tree. A tree shading El Temple is believed to be a slip from the original tree, cut down in 1753.

## MEDFORD PRICES

STORE HOURS—7 to 5 Daily



Golden Crown Syrup	55c	pail
10-lb Bag Corn Meal		23c
Oats, bu		49c
Whiskey Bbls. each		\$1.39
Coffee	19c	jar
2 lb Box Crackers for		15c
6 Months Batteries		\$4.98
12 Month Batteries		\$5.98
18 Month Batteries		\$6.98
7 Cans Tomatoes for		25c
Distillers Grains	55c	bag
Bran	\$1.45	bag
Mids	\$1.65	bag
Dairy Feed	\$1.45	bag
Molasses Feed	98c	bag
Cottonseed Meal	\$1.75	bag
Laying Mash	\$1.95	bag
Pig and Hog Meal	\$2.10	bag
Shelled Corn	87c	bu
Lanterns, each		39c
Men's Rubber Boots, pr		\$1.98
Alarm Clocks		98c
Cracked Corn, bag		\$1.65
9 Big Boxes Matches		25c
3 Cans Hominy		25c
4 Cans Lye		25c
5-gal Can Light Auto Oil		98c
5-gal Can Heavy Auto Oil for		\$1.45
9x12 ft. Rugs		\$4.98
Tractor Shares		49c
Gasoline, gallon		9c
Kerosene, gallon		7½c

**Lucky Strike**  
Cigarettes,  
\$1.19 carton  
2 pks. for 25c



4-lbs Raisins		25c
5 Cans Peas		25c
Laying Mash	\$1.95	bag
Boiling Beef	9c	lb
Women's Dresses		69c
Salmon	12c	can
Cheese, lb		22c
Corrugated Galvanized square	Roofing	\$4.10
3 Boxes Lux for		25c
Auto Batteries, each		\$3.79
Fuel Oil	7c	gallon
Plow Shares		38c
10-lb Pail Lard		\$1.39
Iron Beds	\$1.98	each
Spring Mattress, each		\$1.75
Felt Mattress		\$3.98
100-lbs Kraut Cabbage		98c
100-lb Bag Potatoes		69c
Buck Saws		\$1.98
Cross Cut Saws		\$1.98
Buck Saws		98c
4-lb Axes, each		98c
Ground Pepper, lb		11c
Borax, lb		9c
5-lb Box Clean Quick		33c
25-lb Bag Fine Salt		33c
50-lb Bag Fine Salt		55c
50-lb Bag Coarse Salt		49c
100-lb Bag Coarse Salt		69c
140-lb Bag Coarse Salt		98c
50-lb Bag Salt Block		48c



25-lb Lard Can	25c
50-lb Lard Can	33c
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# THE CARROLL RECORD

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1937.

## CORRESPONDENCE

Latest Items of Local News Furnished By Our Regular Staff of Writers

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

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

### LITTLESTOWN.

Injuries were fatal to Mrs. Flora L. Martz, wife of Charles H. Martz, R. D. 2. Died Wednesday night in the Gettysburg Hospital from injuries received Saturday morning when she was struck by an automobile on the Gettysburg-Littlestown highway. She was aged 63 years. She was a daughter of the late Aaron and Margaret Wolf Rickrode. Surviving are her husband, two daughters, two sisters and three brothers. She was a member of Grace Lutheran Church, Two Taverns. Funeral was held Saturday afternoon. Services at J. W. Little and Son Funeral Home. Rev. J. M. Myers, officiated. Burial was in adjoining cemetery.

Howard A. Shanbrook, Kump Station, died Sunday morning in the Gettysburg Hospital where he had been a patient for eight days. Death followed an operation for intestinal obstruction. He was 65 years of age. Surviving are his wife, Effie Mayers, of Carroll County and two sons, a sister, Mrs. William Stover, near Taneytown. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church. Funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon in the church. Burial was made in Mt. Carmel cemetery.

The suit brought by Mrs. Rudisill to secure damages amounting to \$25,000 for the death of her husband, John Rudisill, Littlestown Rural Mail Carrier, who died in the Gettysburg Hospital, on Feb. 5, 1936, seven hours after he had been struck by an automobile driven by Henry Cordes, Gettysburg. The accident occurred on the Gettysburg-Littlestown road at the home of Samuel Young. It took the jury one hour and twenty minutes to bring in a verdict in favor of Mr. Cordes. Attorney Bigham filed a motion for a new trial.

Mrs. Ida Huff is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Melvin Strayer, South Street. She was stricken with a stroke shortly after reaching her daughters home.

George Crabbs, near Taneytown, has bought the Harry Craton farm, along the White Hall road. Mrs. Lydia Marks, wife of the late Henry Marks, died in Denver, Col. They lived in town for many years. Three daughters survive.

Thanksgiving is close and the students, school teachers are all coming home to see how much chicken and turkey they can get rid of. Everyone is glad to see them again.

Farmers were guests of the Rotary Club Tuesday night. The entertainer for the evening was C. D. Burgerder. Group singing was led by Rev. D. S. Kammerer.

The Redeemer Reformed church is under roof, and grading and laying cement pavement is held up by this cold weather.

A. I. Steidle, is confined to his bed at his home on Prince St. He is slowly improving.

Two stolen automobiles were recovered during the week-end by Police Roberts. A Chrysler sedan of Walter Keefer stolen from in front of his butcher shop Saturday evening, and was found Sunday afternoon near Conowago Chapel. The other car stolen belonging to Virgil Leese-cable, Hanover, was found on East King St., Littlestown by the officer on Sunday.

Services were held several nights in Grace Lutheran Church, Two Taverns, last week, in celebration of the 60th anniversary of its organization of the church.

The 44 working hours that will go in force December 1st. How will it work out? We see many factories are closing down in the state to have time to study the new law.

### UNIONTOWN.

The Thankoffering service was held Sunday evening in the Lutheran Church by the Light Brigade and was well rendered.

The donation for the Deaconess' Mother House was brought in on display and was taken to the Home, on Monday evening.

The P. T. A. supper on Friday evening was well attended and the moving pictures shown afterwards were much appreciated.

Rev. Harvey Wagoner, of High-spire, is assisting Rev. J. H. Hoch with his meeting now in progress at Wakefield.

Butchering is now in full swing. As usual some large porkers.

Preston Myers has been very successful this season raising turkeys. He bought them when quite small and now has 27 large fat birds ready for the table. He raises them without being on the ground.

Mrs. D. Myers Englar who had been on the sick list is around again. Visitors: Cortland Hoy and family, at Clarence Lockard's; J. Howard Brough, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin K. Brough, daughter, Barbara Lee and Mrs. Coleman, Baltimore, at Mrs. A. L. Brough's.

The British Empire comprises an area of 13,226,749 of the earth's 52,000,000 square miles of land surface, and has a population of more than one-fourth that of the entire earth.

Approximately 1,000,000 pounds of coffee and 250,000 pounds of tea are consumed annually on dining cars operated by American railroads.

### FEESERSBURG.

Cold and ice wherever a little water was exposed. The first snow-fall on Friday from noon until 2 P. M., was as beautiful as ever, but melted as it fell, and was just as quickly forgotten—except as a reminder that winter is on the way.

Mrs. Edith Buffington Shirk, of Baltimore, visited her parents last week and called on other friends before returning to the city—where she and her sons reside.

Miss Emma Ecker, of New Windsor, spent the end of the week at Grove Dale, after a few weeks in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bohn and daughter, of Union Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sentz and son of Bark Hill, spent last Friday evening at the Jack Sellers home on Big Pipe Creek, where they enjoyed music and refreshments.

L. K. Birely and Roger Sentz, spent Saturday afternoon in Frederick where they found the streets and stores crowded.

The Missionary Rally held in Mt. Union Church on Wednesday of last week was well attended, most of the Societies in Carroll Co. were represented, and five pastors present. Mrs. W. O. Ibach as President of Middle Conference called on the Department Secretaries for their reports; a sketch of Moslem life was ably given by two young women, and four others gave interesting echoes from the Triennial Convention held last month in Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Mary Heltibrille, Missionary on furlough from Japan, was the pleasing guest speaker of the afternoon asking for Christian charity for Japan in her present crises. By invitation the Rally will be in Taneytown next Autumn.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin and two small grandsons and Mrs. Pierce Baldwin, of Baltimore, visited the Maurice Grindler family, on Sunday evening.

The newly organized Parent-Teachers Association of Hobson Grove held their meeting in the school house last Wednesday afternoon, with the teacher, Mrs. Marsh and Miss Edna Wilson the previous teacher as sponsors, and Mr. R. S. Hyson, Supt. of schools, as guest. An interesting program was given and choice refreshments served to all. The patrons of this school have been a weekly prayer meeting in the homes or the school room wasn't that the original intention for knowledge and religion to go hand-in-hand, hence all these churches and school houses standing side-by-side in the years gone by.

This Sunday evening Mt. Union will have their annual Thank-offering service. There will be a special program of music, with eight violins in concert, and some choruses, besides. The pastor and a guest speaker. The Thank-offerings of the year will be received and reported. You are invited.

Mrs. Katie Williams Graham is recovering from her recent illness and down stairs again. Her sister, Mrs. Mary W. Starnier and Miss Ella Graham were in attendance last week, and Mt. Union S. S. sent a Sunshine box of fruits and good things to eat.

The people in this community were shocked to hear of the sudden death of William Clabaugh in the early hours of Saturday morning at his home in Kingsdale from severe heart attack. For many years the family lived near Mt. Union and were very regular in attendance at all the services of the church. Each member of the family (five of them) having won a Bible for not missing one Sunday in a year at S. S. "Billy" was a quiet citizen, a good neighbor, and a kind friend. The funeral service was held at Haugh's Church on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. F. Fife spoke on the theme "Face to Face with Christ" and Rev. L. B. Hafer of the deceased as a fraternal brother. A quartette of the Order of Odd Fellows sang two hymns, and the Junior Order conducted rites at the grave side in the adjoining cemetery.

While carrying a bundle of fodder Roger Sentz stepped on a stone his foot slipped off and sprained his ankle causing considerable pain and inconvenience over the week-end.

Last week the Truman Hamburg family from Clear Ridge moved on the Glenn B. Warehime farm recently occupied by the Sterling Lescalec family.

The house now owned by Mrs. Lizzie Bowman Eyler, formerly the Samuel Hann property in Middleburg is undergoing repairs with an addition to the second story, and promises to be a cozy little home.

Some of our folks attended the operetta entitled "Tulip Time" given by the High School students at the Elmer A. Wolfe school on Friday evening and pronounced it very good.

Thanksgiving week seems to open the butchering season in this region, and several are in operation at the homes nearby since Monday.

We have neither seen nor heard any wild geese this Fall, but a real Eagle on the Kenneth Plank farm; and a young deer seen on the Earl Angell place are things unusual. It is supposed the taller was trying to escape from some hunters and got lost.

### MANCHESTER.

Rev. W. I. Kauffman has been conducting revival worship at Bixler's U. B. Church the last two weeks.

A number of folks attended the Providence-W. M. game Thanksgiving.

The Rev. Lester K. Welch, a senior in Westminster Theological Seminary will be the guest preacher in Manchester Reformed Church, Sunday at 10:30 A. M.

Miss Mary Jones, of Ebensburg, Pa., is visiting at the Reformed Parsonage, Manchester. Mrs. Hollenbach and Miss Jones were classmates at West Chester State Normal.

In 1833 the cost of matches to the consumer was 37 cents per box of 100 matches. They were ignited by pulling them rapidly between two sheets of sandpaper.

The Vulture has exceptionally keen eyesight, high in the air soars noiselessly, scanning the earth for carrion.

### WOODBINE.

The Union Thanksgiving service was held in Messiah Lutheran Church George Buckingham and family, have moved to Woodbine in Windsor Kessler's house.

Mr. Kessler has been staying with the Buckingham family during his illness. His wish was to go back to his own home. He was taken in an ambulance, after arriving had a sinking spell, but at this writing is some better.

William Fleming spent Sunday with his parents, Thomas Fleming.

Aunt Beckie Hess is not so good at this writing.

Quite a few people have been doing their butchering. Some fine porkers have been slaughtered.

Miss Cora Condon who had been ill several weeks ago is better, but unable to walk.

The young married people of this neighborhood are planning to have a play some time this month for Morgan Chapel.

Charles Shildt and wife, Mrs. Mary Hawk, near Harney, and J. E. Flohr, of Taneytown, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Baker.

### HOME-MAKER ACTIVITIES.

Homemakers of Carroll County will study the business affairs of the home during the coming year, according to Adeline M. Hoffman, Home Demonstration Agent. This decision was reached by the County Council of Homemakers' Clubs at a recent meeting.

In carrying out the project, the University of Maryland Extension Service will co-operate with the local extension office and the homemakers' clubs, and the Home Management Specialist will visit the county from time to time to assist in the work.

While many women in this day and age are familiar with business affairs and methods, Miss Hoffman states, it is becoming more and more important that homemakers know something of the fundamental business practices, particularly as they apply to the home, that they know the status of women under Maryland law, and other matters of that character. This project, she says, is designed to be of practical help to women in handling everyday business affairs connected with the management of a home. It is planned to enlist the help of local persons who are authorities on particular subjects included in the project.

The various Homemakers Clubs throughout the county plan to start the project in January.

Four Carroll County girls entered the State 4-H Canning Contest according to Adeline M. Hoffman, Home Demonstration Agent. Winners were announced recently by Miss Dorothy Emerson, Girls' Club Agent. The contest this year attracted more than 200 jars of fruit, vegetables and meats from nine counties and was judged by Miss Margaret McPeeters, specialist in nutrition for the University of Maryland Extension Service. Winning entries in these classes will be sent to Chicago to compete in a contest to be held in connection with the National 4-H Club Congress the first week in December. Alice Duvall, Carroll County, was one of the winners in Classes 1, 2 and 3, and Freda Stambaugh in Class 4.

In India, white elephants automatically become royal property as soon as they are born.

### MARRIED

#### RITTER-LUNNING.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in Baker Chapel, at Western Maryland College, on Wednesday, November 24, at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, when Miss Ruth Frances Lunning, of Greenwick, Connecticut, became the bride of Mr. Charles Ernest Ritter, of Keyman, Md. The bride entered the Chapel to the strains of Lohengrin, played by Mrs. Gregg Kiser, of Keyman, Md. The ring ceremony was performed by Dr. Fred G. Hollaway, President of the college.

The bride was attired in ivory satin and carried white roses. Her maid-of-honor, Miss Virginia Cluts, of Keyman, wore green taffeta while the bridesmaids, Miss Grayson Brandenburg, of Sykesville, and Miss Mary Emily Matthews, of Pocomoke, Md., wore gold taffeta. The bride's attendants carried bronze chrysanthemums. The flower girl, Miss Doris Wilhite, niece of the groom, carried a nosegay of old-fashioned flowers and was escorted by her brother, Master Fred Wilhite. The college colors, green and gold, were presented in the costumes of the bride's attendants.

Mr. Luther Ritter, of Keyman, brother of the groom, was bestman. Mr. Daniel Teeter, of Gettysburg, Pa., and Mr. Murray Baumgardner, Taneytown, were ushers.

The bride, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Albert A. Lunning, is a graduate of Western Maryland College of the Class of 1937. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ritter, is a graduate of Pennsylvania State College of the Class of 1931. He is an active worker in the county and State Christian Endeavor and in other church organization. He is operating a poultry farm near Keyville.

Immediately after the ceremony a delightful wedding dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrew Brandenburg, of Sykesville, Md., in honor of the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Ritter, Miss Virginia Cluts, Miss Grayson Brandenburg, Miss Mary Emily Matthews, Miss Helen McCordell, Mr. Luther Ritter, Mr. Daniel Teeter, Mr. Murray Baumgardner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Cluts.

The bridal couple will reside in their new home after a ten days trip through the South.

#### MILLER-EBERHART.

On Tuesday, August 31st, 1937, J. Merrill Miller, Lewisburg, Pa., R. D., and Alma R. Eberhart, Winfield, Pa., R. D., were united in marriage at the Reformed parsonage, Manchester, by the Rev. Dr. John S. Hollenbach.

### TANEYTOWN SCHOOL NEWS.

The public schools will be closed for the Thanksgiving holidays from Wednesday, Nov. 24, at noon, until Monday, Nov. 29, at 8:50.

Mrs. Charles Stonifer substituted on Friday for Mrs. Ruth Senesey, who was absent due to a death in the family.

Miss Dorothy Kephart's home room the Sophomore class, and Miss Esther Crouse's room, the Third Grade, won the prize money for selling the most tickets for the P. T. A. supper.

The champions of Carroll county soccer, Westminster High school, played the champions of Frederick county, Thurmont High school, on the Taneytown High School soccer field on November 17. The game was thrilling from start to finish. Westminster scored first, but at the half the score stood 5 to 4 in favor of Thurmont. The brakes favored Thurmont as they scored on penalty kicks, and Westminster's penalties were blocked. At the end of the second half the score stood even at 6 points to 6 points. At the end of an extended ten minute period the score had not changed. Another extended ten minute period was played. Close to the end of this period Westminster made an extreme effort, had the ball at its opponents goal, its back field rushed in, but Thurmont came out with the ball and an open field before it, and added two more points, winning the game. Thurmont will play other county champions of Maryland and the last two undefeated teams will play off at Baltimore for State championship.

The Taneytown soccer team wound up its schedule in championship play holding Hampstead scoreless in the last half of its final game, and should have won the game, as they had the ball at Hampstead's goal for five excellent chances which did not quite connect. A winning team is the result of learning the positions and plays and drilling faithfully. It is quite an honor to a school to produce a winning team in athletics, as it is a demonstration of persistency, co-operation, and all around superior effort.

The following statement of the financial report of the school supper, November 18, 1937.

RECEIPTS:  
Elementary 89A-29C.....\$39.30  
Ticket Sales.....41.20  
H. S. 77A-57C.....

Food sold and Donations.....\$80.50  
Door Receipts.....20.20  
Total Receipts.....\$129.41

PAYMENTS:  
Ticket Prize (Crouse-Kephart) \$ 3.00  
Mrs. Haines, lard......60  
Price, napkins......50  
Orchestra.....13.00  
Ice Cream, 8 qt brick.....2.56  
Hesson, 2 catsup, 10 lb sugar......60  
Shaum, celery, butter......94  
Riffle, 4 lb crackers, 2 lb coffee.....2.18  
Baumgardner's, bread.....1.76  
Smith's, bread, rolls.....1.23  
Carroll Record, window cards, tickets.....3.50  
Leisters, oysters.....18.55  
Brockley's, crackers......80  
Laundry......80  
A and P Tea Co., celery......60  
Total payments.....\$ 50.45

Net Receipts.....\$78.96  
Divided as follows:  
P. T. A.....\$26.32  
Elementary School.....26.32  
High School.....26.32

The supper committee was well pleased with the net receipts of the supper and wishes to thank those who made it a success.

### WAGES AND HOURS LAWS.

Washington, D. C., November, '37.—Washington does not share in fears of a new depression. The recession during the last three months is called temporary by heads of our Government.

There is a lot of talk about what will be done about taxation and demands from all over the country are flooding the Capital to "let up" on activities or measures that are slowing down business.

Congress apparently reacts to the danger of bringing private business more and more under the control of the Government. While labor organizations are crowding in their views for further advantages in the way of wages and hours whole States are opposed to measures that would call back conditions of Government control such as existed under the NRA.

Perhaps half the entire United States opposes what is called "standard" wages and hours, because such a system would change economic structures in all parts of the country. The South is a great objector, and at the present time there is a concerted effort of seven Southern States to entice manufacturers to locate their plants in those States. They hold out the inducements of lower wages and cheaper costs of living. All these factors are important and will be given proper consideration by Congress.

### PENDING PROBLEMS.

Government reorganization plans, the budget, conservation, more big dams with power development and broad distribution of electricity, lack in interest as the session opens. Likely all of these measures will be on the left-over lists when the special session merges into the regular meeting of Congress after the New Year.

### BUSINESS WILL WAIT.

So far as can be discovered there is no definite program in behalf of "business" in this Congress. Of course there is a lot of talk about "unjust taxes." But the more remote condition actually at hand is in the nature of "cordial and confident co-operation" between Government and "every kind" of interests and people—mining, the industries, etc.

Committees of Congress are working on plans for tax revision—and action is possible, though the probabilities are remote for results in this special session.—J. E. Jones, National News Service.

### DIED.

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

#### WILLIAM K. CLAYBAUGH.

William K. Claybaugh, aged 56 years, died suddenly at 2 o'clock last Saturday morning at his home in Kingsdale. Death was due to a heart attack. He had been ill for the last two months, but was able to be about and attended a session of the Odd Fellows Lodge at Taneytown, Friday night. He returned home at 11:00 P. M., and suffered an attack a few hours later. He died before Dr. D. B. Coover, Littlestown, who had been summoned, was able to reach his side. He was a son of the late Worthington and Emma Claybaugh and had been employed for nine years or more at the Littlestown foundry. He was counselor in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Lodge of Taneytown and sitting past grand in the Taneytown I. O. O. F. Lodge. He was also affiliated with the Taneytown Rebekahs.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sallie M. Claybaugh, and four children, Roy E., Ethel M. and Doris R., at home, and Mrs. Luther Keeney, Mayberry; one grand child, Gloria C. Keeney, and a sister, Mrs. H. O. Harner, of Greensburg, Pa.

Funeral services were held with brief service at the house and the principal service Tuesday at 1:00 P. M., with further service in Haugh's, Mt. Zion Church, near Ladiesburg, and burial in the adjoining cemetery. The Rev. J. Frank Fife had charge of the service, assisted at the house by Rev. A. R. Longenecker, and at the church by Rev. L. B. Hafer. The Odd Fellows quartet sang at the services. The Jr. Order conducted its service at the grave. The pallbearers were as follows: Jr. Order, Percy Bollinger, William Baker and Lewis Boyd; Odd Fellows, H. L. Baumgardner, Edward S. Harner and Samuel Boyd.

#### MRS. VIRGINIA TUTWILER.

Mrs. Virginia Tutwiler, daughter of the late Dr. George T. and Mary L. Motter, formerly of Taneytown, died Thursday morning in Philadelphia, where she had resided for a considerable number of years. She was in ill health for quite a while and some time ago was removed to a Hospital for treatment, where her death occurred.

She is survived by her husband W. H. Tutwiler and by one sister, Mrs. Anna Cunningham, now living in Westminster. After the death of her father and the removal of the family from Taneytown, she, with her mother and sister were frequent visitors here and well known to many of the people of Taneytown.

Her father, Dr. George T. Motter, was the second president of The Carroll Record Company.

The death of Mrs. Tutwiler will be a great shock to many Taneytown friends, who did not know of her illness.

Funeral services were conducted this (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock after which the body was brought to Taneytown, where interment took place this afternoon.

#### MR. EDWARD REISLER.

Edward Reisler, retired teacher, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carroll Albaugh, Westminster, after a period of ill health, aged 84 years, 4 months, 40 days. As a young man he lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reisler, near Johnsville.

For a few years he published The Carroll News, at Union Bridge. He was one of the first graduates of Western Maryland College, and engaged in teaching. For 22 years he was a teacher of English in the Baltimore Polytechnic Institute for 22 years and on resigning in 1926 removed to the home of his daughter.

He is survived by the following named daughters, Mrs. W. Kishbaugh, St. David's, Pa.; Mrs. Orville Wright, Baltimore; Mrs. Carroll Albaugh, Westminster; Mrs. George V. Tallinger; Frederick, and Mrs. Clarence Heigh, Philadelphia; also by two brothers, Jesse Reisler, Middleburg, and Murray Reisler, Balti more.

#### HOWARD SHANEBROOK.

Howard Allen Shanebrook, near Taneytown, farmer and thrasher, died Sunday morning at the Gettysburg Hospital where he had been a patient eight days. Death was due to intestinal obstruction. He was 65 years of age.

He is survived by his wife who before marriage was Effie Mayers, of Carroll County, and by two sons, Melvin, Littlestown, and Lake, near Taneytown; by one sister, Mrs. William Stover, near Taneytown, and one brother, Clayton, near Littlestown. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, near Littlestown.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the J. W. Little Funeral Parlor, and in St. John's Church, in charge of his pastor, Rev. A. G. Longenecker. Burial was in Mt. Carmel cemetery.

#### CHARLES A. SHOEMAKER.

Charles A., son of Mrs. Emma, and the late Thomas G. Shoemaker, died last Friday night at Hanover General Hospital. He had been a patient at the hospital for about a week, but had been ill for the past year or more. His age was 47 years. He had lived all of his life at the home of his mother, and was unmarried. For a number of years he had been in the employ of Francis E. Shaum, produce dealer.

He was a World War veteran, and member of Hesson-Snyder Legion Post, which had part in the funeral services conducted on Monday afternoon, at the home, in charge of Rev. Guy P. Bready. Besides his mother he is survived by a brother, Paul E., Taneytown, and by one sister, Mrs. Fred Helms, Hanover, Pa.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of tendering our thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and after the death of our son and brother, Charles A. Shoemaker, also for floral tributes, use of automobiles and expressions of sympathy.

MRS. EMMA J. SHOEMAKER.  
MRS. FRED HELMS.  
PAUL E. SHOEMAKER.

### COMMUNITY LOCALS.

(Continued from First Page.)

Last Sunday was the coldest day of the winter, so far, with temperatures from 22 to 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stonifer, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Stonifer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wheatley, of Eldorado, Md.

Miss Helen Smith and Miss Eleanor Miller, left Wednesday for New York City, where they will be the guests of Miss Josephine Smith, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. John Case, of near town, who had two fingers cut off in a circular saw, and was taken to the Frederick Hospital, returned home last week, and is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klinger and little son, Tommy, of Gratz, Pa., visited Mrs. Klinger's mother, Mrs. Ethel Edwards over last week-end. They arrived Friday and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Last week, The Record forgot to announce the coming of Thanksgiving Day as an interference with getting out The Record. Fortunately the most of our correspondents remembered, but a few did not.

Clarence Ibach started last Saturday for his home in Baton Rouge, La., after spending two weeks with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Ibach and his sister, Mrs. George L. Harner and family, in Taneytown.

Rev. L. B. Hafer, one of the Directorial force of The Carroll Record, and Prof. Wm. Jas. Heaps, Baltimore, experienced lecturer and writer, have helped the incapacitated editor very materially, this week as well as last, in getting out The Record. We are thankful for many aids, not the least good friends when in need.

Mrs. J. Thomas Wantz has been critically ill at her home on York street since last Saturday evening. In company with her husband she was making a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ohler. A short time after entering the house she was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage, from which she has not yet rallied.

An Iowa town has a jail that is never locked. It is an iron cage behind the town hall, has not been used for years, and the lock has been lost for so long that the city fathers have neglected to buy another one. Well, Taneytown isn't far behind with its "lard can" made of boiler plate, that is located in the "City's Junk Yard" along an alley in the rear of two churches. We guess "the can" is locked.

Girard Myers, son of James Myers, of York Street, narrowly escaped serious injury Thanksgiving morning at the railroad crossing. He was riding a bicycle on the street when he suddenly ran in front of an approaching automobile. The boy had presence of mind to swerve toward the pavement and jump, escaping with minor bumps and some injury to the wheel, which the motorist generously agreed to repair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob D. Null and Mr. and Mrs. Mark R. Wildasin, of Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Null and children, George, Charles and Mary, of Taneytown, were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Hafer on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Angell and three of their children, Mary, Elizabeth and Margaret, of Sykesville, and Mrs. Nettie Angell, of Taneytown, were callers at the same place in the afternoon.

### ORPHANS' COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Russell F. Gore, administrator of Joseph H. Gore, deceased, returned inventory of real estate.

Frank G. Poole, administrator of Alveta Poole, deceased, returned inventory of real estate.

Mary L. Kemper was appointed guardian for David H. May and Eugene L. May, infants.



## SPECIAL NOTICES

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

**REAL ESTATE** for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents. **CASH IN ADVANCE** payments are desired in all cases.

**THIS COLUMN** is specially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc. **APPLY AT RECORD OFFICE** notices are not solicited. Always give name, P. O. Box.

**THE LADIES' AID** of the Taneytown United Brethren Church will hold a Chicken and Oyster Supper on Saturday, December 4th, in the Firemen's Building, beginning at 4:00 o'clock. Price 35c.

**HAVE RECEIVED** at my Stables in Middleburg a load of Dairy Cows.—D. S. Repp.

**QUAKER ASBESTOS** Fibre Roof Coating, 5 gallons, \$1.79; Roofing, 98c. Roll.—Reindollar Hardware, Taneytown. 11-26-3t

**LOST \$5.00** last Saturday afternoon either at Hesson's Store, Savings Bank or Reindollar Bros. Store. Finder return to Mrs. Ervin Hyser and receive reward.

**FRESH COW** for sale.—Apply to Oliver E. Lambert, near Taneytown.

**WE PAY TOP PRICES** for Beef Hides.—Bollinger's Meat Market. 11-5-tf

**SHOE AND HARNESS** Repairing until further notice. Terms Cash.—Harry E. Reck, near Taneytown. 11-6-8t

**DON'T LET YOUR HENS DIE WITH ROUP!** Dissolve an Arrow Roup tablet in the drinking water when birds first begin to snuffle or sneeze and the disease quickly disappears. Every box guaranteed. Price \$1.00. For sale by the following dealers: Roy Garner, Taneytown; Chas. Cluts, Keyville; A. A. Haugh, New Midway. 11-19-3t

**WANTED**—Woman for first cook in small hotel. Also man for milking and garden. Living quarters furnished. No experience necessary other than good home cook. Apply to Ethel Sweigart, Monticello, Florida. 11-19-6t

**CARD PARTY**—Benefit of Rebekah Lodge No. 83, in I. O. O. F. Hall, on December 8, at 8:00 P. M. Prizes and refreshments free. Admission 35c. 11-19-3t

**FOR RENT**—One Apartment, and two Single Rooms, every convenience.—See Harold Mehning. 11-19-2t

**STEERS, HEIFERS, Bulls, Cows**, anything in the cattle line I can furnish, and save you money.—Harold Mehning. 8-13-tf

**BRING YOUR EGGS** to M. O. Fuss in Harney, for highest prices, or let me know and I will come and get them 6-12-tf

**WANTED**—On Tuesday of each week, 1 load each of all kinds of Cattle, Hogs and Calves. Highest market price. Buy and sell all kinds of Fat Cattle, Stock Steers for sale. Write, phone or see—J. J. Garner, Taneytown. 10-30-tf

## NO TRESPASSING

The name of any property owner, or tenant, will be inserted under this heading weekly until December 15th, for 25 cents cash in advance.

All persons are hereby forbidden not to trespass on my premises with dog, gun, or trap, for the purpose of shooting or taking game of any kind, nor for fishing, or in any way injuring or destroying property.

This warning applies to both Day and Night Hunting or Trapping.

Arnold, Roger  
Baumgardner, Roy E.  
Big Pipe Creek Park  
Bowers, Geary  
Clabaugh, Mrs. H. M.  
Conover, Martin E.  
Crawford Edward L.  
Crouse, Harry  
Diehl Brothers  
Eaves, C. L.  
Hess, Ralph  
Hess, Vertie  
Hibberd, G. H.  
Hill, Mrs. Helen P.  
Hockensmith, Chas. R.  
Houck, William M.  
Koons, Roland  
Kootz, Mrs. Ida B.  
Lawyer, Wm. J.  
Lookingbill, George  
Mehring, Luther  
Myers, Andrew J.  
Null, Thurlow W.  
Roop, Earl D. (2 Farms)  
Senft, Harry (2 Farms)  
Shoemaker, John  
Wantz, David J. (2 Farms)  
Wantz, W. H.  
Whimert, Anamary  
Wolfe, James W.

**Meanings Attached to Flowers**  
Poetry, tradition and popular usage have ascribed different meanings to flowers, though there is no authoritative list or uniform agreement. Here are the names of a few: Anemone, anticipation, frailty; apple blossom, admiration; butternut, wealth; calla lily, magnificent beauty, pride; white camellia, innate worth; cardinal flower, distinction; cornflower, delicacy; cowslip, youthful beauty; daffodil, unrequited love; daisy, simplicity, innocence; dandelion, coquetry; forget-me-not, true love; foxglove, insincerity; geranium, gentility; golden rod, encouragement; heather, loneliness; heliotrope, devotion; white heather, good fortune; hollyhock, ambition; honeysuckle, friendship; hyacinth, sorrow; narcissus, vanity; orange blossom, marriage; rose, love; shamrock, loyalty, and the violet, modesty.

## 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.

St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run—Sunday School, at 9:00 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:30 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30; Worship, at 7:30 P. M.

Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown.—S. School, at 9:00; Morning Worship, 10:00 A. M.; Luther League, at 6:30 P. M.; Evening Worship, at 7:30 P. M.

Tom's Creek M. E. Church—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Church Services, 10:30 A. M.

Taneytown United Brethren Charge Rev. Paul D. Emenheiser, pastor. Taneytown—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.; Worship Service, 7:30 P. M. Sermon subject: "Nothing but the Truth."

Harney—Sunday School, 9:30 A. M. Worship Service 10:30 A. M. Sermon subject: "Nothing but the Truth."

Barts—Sunday School, 1:30 P. M.; Worship Service, 2:30 P. M. Sermon subject: "Watch Your Speech." The Aid Society will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steward Phillips.

Reformed Church, Taneytown, Rev. Guy P. Bready, pastor. Taneytown—Sunday School, at 9:15 A. M.; Morning Worship, at 10:15; C. E., at 6:30 P. M. Annual Thank-Offering Service of the Women's Missionary Society, at 7:30. Special program and gathering Thank-Offering boxes. Union Prayer Service in this Church, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1.

Keyville—Sunday School, at 1:00 P. M.; Worship, at 2:00.

Uniontown Lutheran Charge, M. L. Kroh, pastor. Winters—S. S., at 9:30 A. M.; Divine Worship, at 10:30. Mt. Union—S. S., at 1:15 P. M.; Divine Worship, at 2:30 P. M.; Public Thank-offering meeting, at 7:00.

St. Paul—S. S., at 9:30 A. M. Baust—Christmas Service, Sunday Dec. 19th, at 7:30 P. M.

Manchester Reformed Charge, Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor. Lineboro S. S., at 9:00; Worship, at 10:00. Meeting of Consistory, Saturday at 6:00 P. M.; Union Meeting with Council of Lutheran Church, at 7:00. Manchester—S. S., at 9:30; Worship, at 10:30 conducted by the Rev. Lester K. Welch, a Senior in Westminster Theological Seminary. The Kingdom Roll-Call will be initiated at this time. C. E., at 6:45 P. M. All members are urged to attend County wide Lord's Day meeting in M. P. Church, Westminster, Monday evening, at 7:45.

Manchester U. B. Parish, W. I. Kaufman, pastor. Mt. Zion—Bible School, 9:30; Worship, at 10:30; C. E., 7:45.

Miller's—Bible School, 9:30; C. E., 7:45.

Bixler's—Bible School, 9:30; Revival Service, 7:30.

**MEETING OF STATE GRANGE.**

The 65th. annual meeting of the Maryland State Grange will be held in Westminster, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 7-9, beginning at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

The opening session will be featured by the address of the State Master, Thomas Roy Brookes, and an address of welcome by Dr. Fred Holloway, president of Western Maryland College.

Features of the afternoon program will be a report of the executive committee; reports of Pomona Masters; a special number arranged by the acting State Lecturer; an address "Better Roads," by Charles Upham, of the American Road Builders' Association, and the election of officers. A social hour will also be held, in charge of Miss Martha Manahan, Howard county home demonstration agent.

At 6:30 P. M. on the opening day, a banquet will be held in the Alumni Hall of Western Maryland College, with L. C. Burns, agricultural agent of Carroll county, as toastmaster. The delegates and visitors will be welcomed by George W. Matthews, Mayor of Westminster, and George B. John, Master of Carroll County Pomona. Mr. Brookes will make the response. Dr. H. C. Byrd, president of the University of Maryland, and a representative of the National Grange are also scheduled for addresses.

In addition to the introduction of resolutions, reports of the endowment fund and tax committees, addresses will be delivered at Wednesday morning's session by Frank Hentz, of Boonsboro, winner of the State F. F. A. public speaking contest; H. F. Bennett, chief of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, and O. K. Quivey, manager of agricultural development of the B. & O. Railroad. Young Bentz will speak on the subject, "The Land Today and Tomorrow." Mr. Bennett will discuss "Soil Erosion Control," and Mr. Quivey will discuss railroad legislation.

Dr. H. F. Cotterman, acting State lecturer, will preside at the session Wednesday afternoon. The program includes three addresses, viz: "Conservation of Wildlife," Merle Towne, honorary president Outdoor Life Federation; "Training for Citizenship," Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, chairman of education, general Federation of Women's Clubs, and "Maryland in the Present and Prospective Farm Program," Dr. T. B. Symons, University of Maryland.

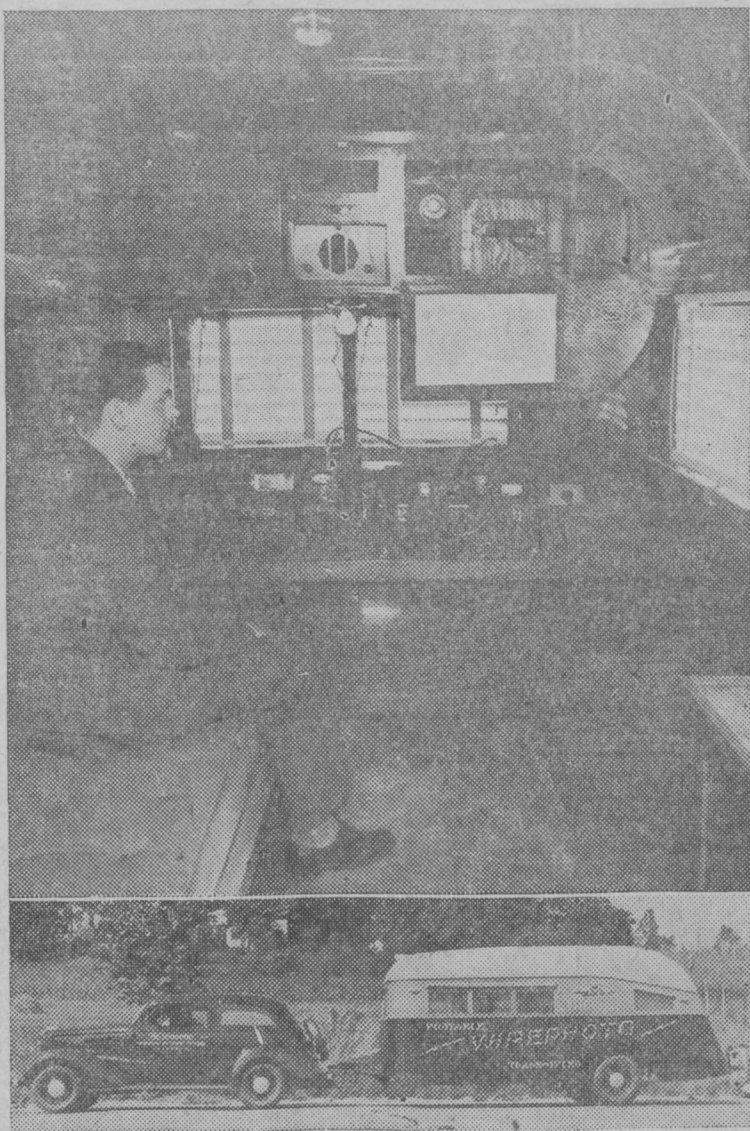
A spelling contest and social hour, in charge of Dr. James E. Spitznas, supervisor of Maryland High schools, will close the afternoon program.

At 7 o'clock Wednesday night, a large number of candidates will be initiated in the sixth degree by the State officers. Preceding the initiation, a floor drill will be given under the auspices of the Carroll County Pomona.

The final session, which will be devoted to business, will be held on Thursday morning, and will include installation of the newly elected officers.

## Portable Wirephoto Equipment Housed in Trailer

Sunpapers Of Baltimore Take And Transmit Wirephotos Anywhere In State



Top: Interior of Sunpapers' trailer, T. S. Smith at the transmitting end. The dark room for developing and printing of pictures to be sent by Wirephoto is at the other end. Bottom: Trailer and tow-car ready to travel wherever news is in the making.

When the battle of Antietam was reenacted recently, photographic history was repeating itself in one corner of the original battlefield, a mile and a half from Sharpsburg, Md. But it was photographic history with a decided difference.

Back on September 17, 1862, when the Confederate forces at Antietam met Federal troops in the most deadly single day's battle of the Civil War, Matthew B. Brady, the famous photographer of those days, was on the field with his cumbersome wet plate cameras and his covered wagon dark room.

In September, 1937, the reenactment of the famous battle on the same field was recorded by the most modern equipment known to science for the taking, developing, printing and transmitting of pictures.

The modern photographic paraphernalia is housed in a new automobile trailer built for the Sunpapers of Baltimore for the purpose of transmitting photographs by portable Wirephoto from any point where news may be in the making, to the newspaper building at Baltimore and Charles Streets.

From the Sunpapers' building, pictures of more than local Maryland news interest can be transmitted over the national Wirephoto network to dozens of newspapers from San Francisco to New York, from Dallas to Minneapolis, and points between. The newspapers hooked up to the network receive identical negatives simultaneously within a few minutes after the portable transmitter begins operating.

Outwardly the trailer looks about like thousands of others on the roads of the country today, but inside the picture changes. A broad built-in table across the front of the trailer supports the two units of the portable Wirephoto set.

A studio couch which incidentally

opens up into a double bed provides a comfortable seat for the operator. Above the operator's head as he works are the vital telephone connections concealed in cabinets. Since Wirephotos are transmitted over telephone wires, these connections are the life-line of the trailer.

In the cabinets are terminals for common battery and magneto sets and a dial telephone, which enables the operator to connect with every kind of telephone now in use in Maryland.

The physical appearance of the "front room" is definitely pleasing. Dome and side lights provide illumination. The studio couch and three cushions are upholstered in light blue, while the floor covering is of dark blue. Ivory venetian blinds with blue control cords cover each of the seven windows and upper half of the door.

In the rear is the photographer's dark room. Light-proof when closed, this room contains chromium sinks for developing, built-in rack for a half-dozen bottles of chemicals, a portable enlarger, a heater for drying of negatives and prints and sundry other tools of the photographer's trade.

Water flows into the dark room sinks under pressure from a forty-five gallon tank. An ice box with a capacity of seventy-five pounds has been built into the dark room, providing a place to keep chemicals at the proper temperature. There is a ventilating fan which circulates warm air when the heater is turned on and cool air when the heater is not operating.

The trailer is equipped with extension cords, and built-in electric plugs and can be plugged in on any regular 110-volt power line. However, if the portable equipment should be needed at some remote point, where regular electric power is not available, a generator built into the rear of the vehicle provides it.

## History of "Scotty" Dog Dates Back to Year 1822

The history of the beloved Scottish terrier is uncertain, although as far back as 1822 there is reference to him. Practically all Scotties are descended in two main male lines, great grandsons of the first registered sire, Bright, who lived around 1870, according to a writer in the Washington Star.

The handsome Newfoundland, on the other hand, has an ancient lineage, and to him goes the honor of being the only dog ever to have had his picture on a stamp—a Newfoundland stamp, of course. His ancestors were probably brought to this continent by Norwegian sailors soon after John Cabot rediscovered Newfoundland in 1497 and the Newfoundland folk used him in place of the horse. Fish being plentiful, he thrived but did not spread to other parts of the world until early in the Nineteenth century, when epidemics and a depression hit the country simultaneously and the courts decided that there mustn't be more than one Newfoundland to a family. Many were given away to shipping crews, and the good natured animals made themselves useful aboard ship by retrieving things that fell overboard. Sailors proudly exhibited the skill of their dogs in the water when they arrived in port, and soon duck hunters had them retrieving game on water in both England and the United States.

## Seed Corn

Much seed corn is not fancy in appearance, but it may be entirely satisfactory for seed, nevertheless. In the dry areas, stalks that were able to mature even small ears may be regarded as having better than average resistance to drought. It is advisable, however, to avoid saving moldy ears or those which come from stalks infested with smut, rot or any other kind of disease.

## Around the Farm

Matured sugar cane contains 18 per cent sugar.

Wheat provides the principal food of one-third of the total population of the world.

An expert claims that farmers put back only one-third of the phosphate they take out.

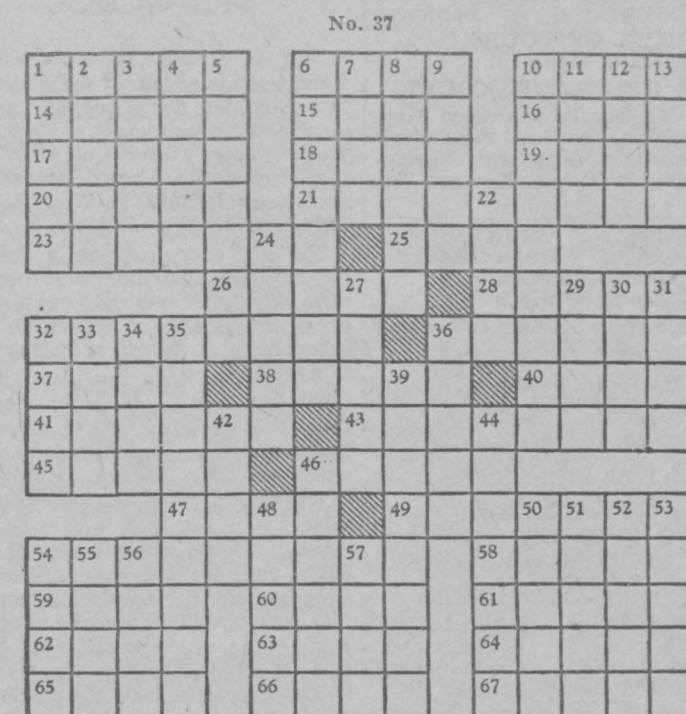
Turkeys can be made to lay eggs earlier than normally by use of lights in their houses.

Plant breeding as a science is less than 40 years old, and scientific vegetable breeding is even younger.

Boys' 4-H club work interested more farm and ranch boys in Texas in 1936 than since the World war.

This country consumed two and a half billion dozen eggs last year, or an average of about 250 eggs for every man, woman and child.

## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



(Solution in Next Issue)

### HORIZONTAL

- 1—Bill of exchange
- 6—Places
- 10—Young bovine animal
- 14—Less common
- 15—Tough
- 16—Valuable timber tree of the Philippines
- 17—Higher up
- 18—Persia
- 19—Creeping plant
- 20—Athletic contests
- 21—Transact
- 23—Began
- 25—Image
- 26—Spring flower
- 28—Donates
- 32—Led
- 36—Summer house
- 37—Air
- 38—Corrode
- 40—Short jacket
- 41—Tidier
- 43—Benedictions
- 45—Attempt
- 46—Acquire knowledge
- 47—Game played on horseback
- 49—Invented
- 54—Of honorable standing
- 58—South American macaw
- 59—Egg-shaped
- 60—Heavenly body
- 61—Restrain
- 62—Sediment
- 63—Century plant
- 64—Make into a law
- 65—Trees
- 67—Small hollows

### VERTICAL

- 1—Hauls
- 2—Clerical collar
- 3—Fragrance
- 4—High temperature
- 5—Supporting framework
- 6—Chest
- 7—Ireland
- 8—Calamitous

- 9—Church council
- 10—Reclaims from savagery
- 11—Capital of Samoan islands
- 12—Cotton waste
- 13—Run
- 22—Roman garment
- 24—Sea duck
- 27—Sun-baked brick
- 29—Refuse approval to
- 30—Very black
- 31—Male children
- 32—Sheet of glass
- 33—Regrets
- 34—Ages
- 35—Hurts with great force
- 36—Style of painting
- 39—Muffled
- 42—Same as ait
- 44—Encroached upon
- 46—Marriage by purchase among South African tribes
- 48—Buddhist priests
- 50—Godness of peace
- 51—The evil one
- 52—Build
- 53—Flits to and fro
- 54—Flower
- 55—Wicked
- 56—Tropical tree
- 57—Laughing bird

### Puzzle No. 36 Solved:



Washington.—Velvet, the delicate cloth of royalty and of mid-lady's evening gowns, that crushes and mats so easily, will shortly appear in new crush-proof form, Science Service reports.

Winfield W. Heckert of Ardentown, Del., has found that dipping velvet in formaldehyde, long famous as an antiseptic and disinfectant, by a special process, makes the velvet fibers resistant to crushing.

Formaldehyde-treated velvets retained their shape perfectly, Heckert claims, when crushed for hours under heavy weights exerting a pressure equal to that exerted by the average person sitting in a chair. The untreated fabric was badly crushed when treated in similar fashion.

Cambridge, Mass.—A multitude of uses have been found for whey, formerly milk's equivalent of the famous pig's squeal that couldn't be set to work.

Sweetened and dried, whey, a by-product of cheese manufacturing, makes an excellent candy filling. "Whipped cream" can be made from whey. Flavor and food value of canned or homemade soup is improved by the addition of powdered or condensed whey. Tomato juice and fresh whey when mixed form an "attractive" beverage or starting point for a variety of tomato soup.

This was the essence of a report by B. H. Webb of the United States bureau of dairy industry before the Food Technology conference at the Massachusetts Institute of Tech-



DOUBLE TIP MATCHES, 6 boxes 25c

SULTANA PEANUT BUTTER, 1 lb. jar 13c; 2 lb. jar 25c

SUNNYFIELD OATS, Quick or Regular, 2 20-c. pkgs. 13c

MARCO DOG FOOD, 3 tall cans 20c

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CALO DOG FOOD, 3 small cans 13c

PEA BEANS, 2 lbs. 9c

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP, 3 cans 20c

SULTANA RED SALMON, can 22c

SUNNYFIELD PANCAKE FLOUR, 2 pkgs. 13c

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FRESH PRUNES, can 10c

SMOKED HAMS, 25c lb.

8 O'CLOCK, Mild and Mellow, 2 lbs. 37c

BOKAR, Vigorous and Winey, 2 lbs. 49c

RED CIRCLE, Rich and Full-bodied, 2 lbs. 41c

8 O'CLOCK COFFEE, 3 lb. bag 55c

BANANAS, 3 lbs. 17c

CRANBERRIES, lb. 15c

GRAPEFRUIT, Large Seedless, each 5c

SWEET JUICY ORANGES, Large Size, doz. 19c; Extra Large Size, doz. 25c

CAULIFLOWER, head 17c

LETTUCE, 8c head

CELERY, 2 bunches 19c

EMPEROR GRAPES, 2 lbs. 15c

SWEET POTATOES, 3 lbs. 10c

CABBAGE, 3 lbs. 10c



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All other Fraternities and organizations are invited to use this directory, for the public information it carries. Cost for one year, only \$1.50.

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Window Service Closes 8:00 P. M.  
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Train No. 5521, South 9:15 A. M.

Star Route No. 10705, North 9:30 P. M.  
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Star Route No. 10705, North 6:30 P. M.  
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Train No. 5521, North 9:50 A. M.

Train No. 5528, South 2:40 P. M.  
Star Route No. 10705, North 6:30 P. M.

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## GRAPHIC STORY OF 1,000 PERISHING IN LAVA STREAMS

**Catholic Priest Is Eyewitness to Volcano's Eruption in New Guinea.**

Vatican City.—The Congregation for the Propagation of the Faith has just received from one of its missionaries a vivid personal account of the scenes of terror which followed the eruption in May of two volcanoes near Rabaul, in New Britain, Territory of New Guinea.

The account, graphically describing the disaster which took the lives of nearly 1,000 persons, was sent by an eyewitness, Rev. Joseph Bender, missionary of the Sacred Heart station at Kokopo.

Rabaul, the seat of the government of New Guinea, is at the northern tip of the crescent-shaped island of New Britain, situated on the edge of the beautiful Blanche bay.

"At 1:30 in the afternoon of May 23," writes Father Bender, "we got warning of the eruption when we felt an unusually strong earthquake.

During the ensuing 23 hours there was an average of one shock every two minutes; in fact, the earth was shaking practically all the time with varying degrees of intensity. We had become accustomed to such shocks, however, and paid no further attention to them. But the people at the quarantine station, on a volcanic island in Rabaul bay which rose above the surface with the eruption of 1878, sensed something unusual, and on the following morning fled from the island, thereby escaping certain death.

**Lava Spurts From Mountain.**

"About four o'clock on the same afternoon the water in the channel separating the western side of this island from the mainland began to boil and clouds of steam rose into the air. A quarter of an hour later a murky, threatening column of clouds, illumined by the setting sun in the most fantastic designs, rose for several hundred meters above the volcanic island.

"Molten lava squirted out of the mountain and fell with a great hissing into the sea, which then seemed to be boiling in a hundred different places. Soon an enormous shower of ashes was covering the whole surrounding country, near and far.

"The eruption occurred when virtually the whole population was on the road. Europeans and the boys were enjoying the week-end. Thousands of natives had been to market in Rabaul and were on the way home.

"Both volcanoes continued active for about 48 hours. When the sky began to clear and Rabaul bay could be seen, what before was more or less flat island of volcanic formation, rising only a few yards out of the water, had become a mountainous cone 600 feet high.

"Almost the entire population of Tavana, on the slope of the mountain northwest of the volcanic island, was destroyed. About 400 or 500 natives in other parts of the zone lost their lives. One European camera man perished while taking moving pictures of the eruption.

**Flee to Shelter.**

"The threatened area was inhabited for the most part by Catholic natives. They fled to shelter in the large roomy schools and churches, where the corrugated sheet-iron roofs afforded them a safe refuge from the shower of hot ashes.

"The incessant din above and below them, the mounting fireworks of the volcano, the dust-curtained heavens, the rolling thunder and the repulsive smell of gases, the dust and ashes which burned the skin and made breathing difficult, the darkness so thick that it seemed as if it could be touched and felt, awakened fear and dread. But the people stayed in church and prayed, comforting one another.

"Thus prepared and reassured, they rushed out into the darkness to rescue others from the shower of ashes."

**Mr. Chin Lee Takes It**

**on Chin in Family Row**

New York.—The forty-seven-year-old wife of aged Chin Lee, Broadway restaurant owner, came out from fourteen years of seclusion to assert her right to learn English.

She wants to be able to converse in English with the half-dozen children she has reared in this country and to send them letters.

One daughter is in Bryn Mawr. A son is at Virginia Institute of Technology. Another child goes to Columbia university.

Contending that she has been "kept in Oriental seclusion" since she came here, because her seventy-two-year-old husband still believes that a wife's place is in the home, Mrs. Chin Lee is asking a separation.

**Angler Recovers Rod**

**and Big Bass as Well**

Foxboro, Mass.—It took John Ross two days to catch a seven-pound, twenty-four inch bass.

Ross went fishing and left his rod against a fence. When he returned the rod was missing.

Swimmers found the rod two days later entangled in weeds. The bass was on the end of the line.



## I Pick 'em Up

TRUE STORIES OF HITCH HIKERS

by L. ELLISEVONS

### NOT THE TOWN BUM

I suppose, like the most of us who lead normal lives, the idea of being a bum or of mingling with the gentry who seem to enjoy leading an aimless life, goes no further than the comic pictures and jokes. Yet there are men who seem to have no more ambition than roaming around the country, living a hand to mouth existence, sleeping in the local jail overnight, begging a handout and mixing with more of the same class—it must "be the gipsy in them."

The fellow who thumbed a ride this day did not look like a bum, but he admitted he was. To my usual question as to who he was and where he was going, he readily opened up and proved a very interesting talker.

"You see pal, it's like dis. My home is Nebraska, my mother still lives there but I ain't been home for over two years. I guess it must be in the blood 'cause I just had no job and if I stayed around home, the town would have had just one first class town bum. If there is anything the boys on the road hate it is the town bum. He's de lowest of de low. When one of us hobo's gets in a town we spot the town bum. He generally hangs around a pool room or saloon—you call 'em tap rooms des days just to be polite, but believe you me, giv' me the old time saloon any day. You never says who you are when he's around because he likes to play stool pigeon and suck in with the local cops. He

is de lowest of de low and no real hobo will have anything to do with him. Dat's why I left home."

This hiker was certainly educated in all the rules of the hobo "profession." He knew where the various "jungles," as the meeting places are known, were located, the peculiar names given to their activities, the signs that indicate the reception they can expect from various towns and houses.

The professional or confirmed hobo has habits and language all his own and you would wonder how they ever developed such a thing. It would require an intimate association over a period of time to get familiar with all the expressions they seem to delight in. The "jungle" gives them the opportunity to trade experiences and to check up on the towns and houses in the neighborhood.

This fellow was a likable chap, he had worked at a number of trades and I suggested that perhaps he could get work in one of the towns on his itinerary, settle down, perhaps get married and become a useful citizen.

The suggestion did not meet with his approval.

"What," he said "get married to some poor 'Jane' and bring more paupers into the world? Naw, I must keep going, 'cause if I stopped I would only become de lowest of de low—the town bum."

As I let him out at the town square I thought, well maybe he was sensible at that.

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## Lights of New York

by L. L. STEVENSON

Strange as it may seem, New Yorkers are forgetful about money. They open bank accounts and forget all about them. This was revealed again during the last few weeks when the bank advertised their lists of unclaimed accounts.

The accounts advertised were all of \$10 and more. They don't amount to chicken feed either since the total in the state was \$5,413,790.

Fifty-one thousand persons made deposits in 440 banking institutions 15 years or more ago and then did nothing about them. Of these 51,000 accounts, more than half have been dormant for 22 years or more.

That means that, unless claimed by the end of the year, \$2,807,906 will be paid over to the state. It probably won't be all clear gain, however. At any time in the future, provided proper proof is made, the owner of the account may claim it.

In the past, the banks advertised dormant accounts year after year. In memory is one that went back to 1812. Under a simplification of banking laws, banks now need advertise accounts dormant for 15 years or more once a year for five years. Also they no longer state the amounts that remain unclaimed, merely supplying a list of names and addresses. The lists are long and are read with interest—much interest. I discovered that a number of years ago when I wrote a paragraph about unclaimed bank accounts and mentioned names of some of the oldest. Many persons wrote from here and there believing that they were relatives of the account owners.

One night down in Chinatown, a friendly detective from the Elizabeth street station pointed out a rather plain woman who seemed to be about sixty years old. That guess may be wrong since she disappeared around a corner too quickly for a good look. Apparently, she was merely a white woman passing hurriedly through that section, possibly bent on some errand. When the detective spoke the name, Rose Livingston, enlightenment came. Indeed, she was on some errand. Rose Livingston is known as "The Angel of Chinatown."

Thirty years ago, Rose Livingston took up a war against vice in Chinatown. Single-handed, she waged her battles with white slavery. How many girls she has saved is a matter known only to Miss Livingston and to the little group that supports her and her work—at a total outlay of \$600 a year! How many threats she has received and how many times her life has been endangered, is a matter known only to herself. Slight and rather frail looking, she continues to successfully defy the underworld year after year.

**War Photography in 1847**

Contrary to general knowledge, Matthew Brady, famous photographer of the Civil war, was not the first man to make war pictures, but the credit in this regard really belongs to an unsung and unknown hero (or heroes) who took pictures of the Mexican war in 1847.

The pictures were taken by the daguerreotype process and show American cavalrymen under General John Ellis Wool and a group of American infantry from a Virginia regiment on the Calle Real, a road through Mexico. The group, which includes scenes other than those of the Mexican war, comprises twelve daguerreotypes and belongs to the Yonkers (N. Y.) Museum of Science and Arts.—Scientific American.

**Macaroni Process a Secret**

Naples was the center of macaroni manufacture for so many years that the Pompeian road leading into it was broken to bits by the continuous procession of wagons and trucks hauling in hard wheat and flour, says "The European Cookbook for American Homes." The process for making macaroni was kept secret until the Fourteenth century, when a Frenchman got hold of it and took it back to France with him.

## Lilly Never Could Make Up Her Mind

Pocatello, Ida.—Lilly, the Leghorn hen, was both proud and ashamed.

First she laid an egg 8 inches long and weighing 5½ ounces. Then she laid one the size of a peanut.

## 29 FRENCH BANKS HIT AT SAME TIME

**Clever Gang Executes Daring Robbery With Precision.**

Paris.—One of the slickest gangs of bank robbers France has ever known raided twenty-nine banks simultaneously and made away with more than 2,179,000 francs (more than \$80,000 at current rates).

Not a single armored car, machine gun, or even a mask or pistol was seen during the execution of the daring crime.

The robbers, directed by an unusually clever master mind, used their wits instead of lethal weapons.

On a Thursday, fifty branches of a certain large Paris bank in forty-seven different cities received a letter in the morning mail from either the Paris or Lyons office authorizing the cashing of a check for 75,000 francs made out in favor of a bearer.

All of the payees were given fictitious names and supplied with forged documents to prove their identities.

The following morning the payees arrived at the various branches, each accompanied by two accomplices who waited outside in an automobile. When the checks were cashed, the bandits leisurely drove away.

Not all the sorties were successful; had they been the net haul would have been 3,750,000 francs. At Bourges, Caen, Calais, Cambrai, Chateauroux, Douai, Le Havre, Montpellier, Soissons, Trouville and one or two other places, cashiers refused to make immediate payment and asked the payees to return later. Needless to say, none returned.

At Sedan and five other towns the cashiers were suspicious and called police. Ten were caught and arrested.

Police believe the headquarters and "the brain" of the mob are somewhere in the Montmartre quarter of Paris.

## Woman Assists Husband Working on Scaffolds

Carlinville, Ill.—Mrs. W. A. Ulsh claims the distinction of being the only woman "tuckpointer" in the United States. Mrs. Ulsh joined her husband in the trade five years ago. She said her action had been prompted by an artistic sense rather than by necessity.

"Tuck-pointing" is one of the building trades. It is the refurbishing of the exterior of brick or stone buildings by replacing deteriorated mortar with new and then coating the surface with a waterproof substance.

"I always thought I could do what any man could do," Mrs. Ulsh said. "But my interest in the work lies in its artistic and romantic value. I see so many old landmarks falling into decay and being replaced by modern structures that possess none of the same elements of beauty."

"Most of these landmarks have a wealth of history and should be preserved. I'm glad to have a part in their restoration."

Mrs. Ulsh works in the white garb of a plasterer. Those who have seen her at work say she climbs about the scaffolds with agility.

## Father Admits He Tied His Daughter in Cellar

Chicago.—Henry Repple was asked to explain why his daughter, twelve, was found in the coal bin of their home, her feet chained and padlocked so she could hardly walk.

The girl said her parents and big brother chained her to keep her from wandering around a garbage dump near her school. The father said he and his wife chained her "because she was always giving us trouble." He was jailed on a charge of cruelty to children.

Police investigated when neighbors reported "someone" was sobbing continually in the basement of the home.

## Freak Lightning Strikes Leicester, N. C.—Take Mrs. Neal Payne's word for it, and never milk a cow when it's lightning.

While she was engaged in milking, a bolt struck the cow, killing it and throwing Mrs. Payne against the barn door. She suffered only a slashed head, but a yearling near-by was killed.

## Near and Far

Lawton, Okla.—For twenty years Ralph DeWitt Cook, a cream buyer, lived within a short distance of Ralph DeWitt Cook, a carpenter, before they finally got acquainted through a case of mistaken identity.

## Goose Drowns

Lindsay, Calif.—A full-grown goose was drowned here—in three inches of water. The fowl toppled head first into a pail when it perched on the side for a drink. Unable to extricate itself, it drowned.

## Site of New Hampshire Was Gift to John Mason

New Hampshire was originally a grant of land from the ill-starred Charles I to John Mason, merchant and shipmaster, in 1629. The latter founded and named his new possession, but found to his cost that a tract of virgin forest on a new continent could easily swallow a fortune and still yield no profit. In fact, this well meant gift ruined Mason. But settlement had been started at Strawberry Bank, now Portsmouth, and those at Dover, Exeter and Hampton followed.

Among the early settlers there must have been artisans of various kinds, but records of them are fragmentary and hard to locate. Of "joymen" working in the New Hampshire grants during the Seventeenth century I have found but a scant dozen, writes Paul H. Burroughs in the American Collector.

The earliest one was Thomas Crockett, who in 1633 was working at Piscataway. By the latter part of the century, however, there were several families who had accumulated fair fortunes for the period. For instance, we find the will of Walter Abbot, of Dover, dated 1682, listing about 150 acres of land, cows, oxen, pigs, and one mare. In addition were "Ye new dwelling house," a log house, and outbuildings.

In the log house the furniture included a bedstead, "4 joynt stools and one chare," two tables and forme, a bedstead table, and a chest. The new dwelling house contained "1 table and forme, 1 looking glass, 3 bedsteads and old valance and 1 table board." Thus we see furniture was scarce, but not so highly prized as one might think, as the "4 joynt stools and 1 chare" were inventoried at ten shillings and the looking glass at two.

## Cephenomyia Fly Found Fastest Thing in World

A fuzzy fly, the Cephenomyia, is credited with the speed championship of the world by Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews, director of the American Museum of Natural History, in an article in the museum's magazine, Natural History.

The insect can attain a speed of 818 miles an hour, and travels faster than sound. Sound travels 1,089 feet a second, while the Cephenomyia, says Dr. Andrews, can fly 1,200 feet a second, and therefore can keep ahead of its own buzz. Dr. Andrews admits he has never observed Cephenomyia's flight in a wind tunnel, but says that the estimate of the insect's speed is based on the observations of a scientist who devoted years of study to this fly.

Cephenomyia is a member of the family of bot flies, which lay their eggs under the skin of animals. This particular fly, which is about a half inch long, is found in New Mexico, and lays its eggs under the skin of deer.

"Perhaps we had better not commit ourselves," Dr. Andrews says, "as to whether it is the superior streamline, or the extraordinary wing strength, or merely the knack of knowing how to use their wings that gives some insects their speed. Science has yet to solve this riddle."

## Marijuana's Origin

Marijuana's origin goes back to 1090 when sheik-dominated tribes in the Orient were introduced to the drug. Sheiks subjected tribesmen to the drug. Finding pleasure in it, they became more subjugated because they wished the opiate and could get it only from the sheiks. Known in the East as hashish, the drug gave its name to a cult or tribe known as Hashishans. Its members were murderous under the influence of the drug and from the name of the cult comes the modern word "assassin." On this continent the plant has the scientific name of cannabis sativa. Commonly the drug is known as "loco weed," "muggles" or "reefer." Used most commonly in cigarette form, it produces a feeling of acceleration and results in high states of irrationalism. Destroying brain tissue, it leads to insanity.

## Old Autographs in Cave

Practically all of the exploring of Mammoth cave, Kentucky, before the Civil war was done by the use of reed torches and home made tallow candles. In those days it was a practice of the visitors who were taking routes through the cave to tie their candles on walking canes and smoke their names on the walls and ceiling of the cave. At one place in the cave this practice was carried on so extensively that it has been named Register hall. Here many of the dates are a century and a quarter old.

## Fingers for Forks

The old rule that fingers were made before forks holds good in Morocco. Soups and stews there are dipped up with bread and chicken and meats are torn apart with the fingers. A meal at the palace of a Moorish pasha may consist of as many as 12 courses, mostly of fowl and lamb. Pigeon may be served in a very light pastry, chicken in a thick stew, or with stuffing. Double pancakes with a little honey inside them, vermicelli and lamb served in a variety of ways make up the rest of the meal, which may be topped off with tea.



## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for November 28

### CHRISTIAN FRUITFULNESS

**LESSON TEXT**—John 15:1-16.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.—John 15:8.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—Jesus' Rule of Love.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—The Loyalty of Love.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—What May We Expect to Achieve?  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—How Christians Become Fruitful.

Thanksgiving day has just afforded each one of us a special opportunity to return praise to God for the fruitfulness of America's broad acres. It is appropriate that we think today of the Christian life as manifesting itself in the bearing of fruit.

Christian work of which we spoke last Sunday may (at least in a measure) be imitated, but fruit cannot be imitated. It is the result of life and only those who know the new birth bear the fruit of Christianity.

The chapter before us is a portion of Scripture which has been the peculiar favorite of God's children in all generations. It is at the center of our Lord's words with his disciples immediately before his death on the cross.

Many are the expositions of this passage, but a beautifully simple one which came to the writer from Dr. W. Graham Scroggie is suggested as most helpful.

**I. Life and Fruitfulness (vv. 1-8).**  
Life results in fruit and there can be no true fruit where there is no life. Christ is the vine, the Father is the keeper of the vine. We who are Christ's are the branches abiding in him, that is, living our whole life in and for him in such close union with him that his life as the vine brings forth fruit in us as the branches. That is real Christian living.

But, alas, there are branches that seem to belong to the vine but they lack the one indispensable evidence of life which is the normal bearing of fruit. These the Father must take and cast away to be destroyed. While we must not read into these words more than our Lord intended, let us beware lest we explain away their serious import. These are grave words of warning to false professors of Christianity, but they are not spoken to distress and dishearten true followers of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Fruit in the Christian is undoubtedly first of all the fruit of character but that character is also to show in conduct. Note the progress—"fruit" (v. 2), "more fruit" (v. 2), "much fruit" (v. 5). In order to bear more fruit there is need of pruning and cleansing (vv. 2, 3). Pleasant? Not always, but always profitable. Let us thank God for even the pruning knife when its work is needed.

Do not miss the prayer promise in verse 7. It is an unlimited promise with a closely limited condition. Let us meet the condition and claim the promise.

**II. Love and Friendship (vv. 9-16).**  
"This is my commandment that ye love one another." In verse 10 we read that to abide in the love of Christ we must keep his commandments and now we learn that it is his command that we love one another. We are not to await the impulse prompted by the beauty or kindness or propinquity of someone, but we are to love one another. Many a Christian who has obeyed the commandments against stealing, adultery, and blasphemy has never noticed that he is commanded to love.

The joy of Christ was fulfilled on the eve of Calvary by the love of his disciples for one another and for him. He rejoices today when we love the brethren and love him, for thus we enter upon the beautiful relationship of friends.

Dr. Scroggie says, "We may be God's children without being his friends; the one is based on his gift of life to us; the other, upon our offering of love for him. Are you a friend of God? You cannot have God and the world for friends at the same time. The friendship of the world is enmity with God. The world hates Christ, and therefore will not love you if you are like him."

But, oh! the sweet intimacy of fellowship with him. Read verses 14 to 16. Chosen and appointed by him, for "he first loved us," we are not kept in the distant position of servants but are brought into his circle of friends with whom he shares the glorious secrets of his Father, and our Father. It is a great thing to be a Christian, a friend of the Saviour.

#### Intellect

Every man should use his intellect not as he uses his lamp in the study, only for his own seeing, but as the lighthouse uses its lamps, that those afar off on the sea may see the shining and learn their way.

#### The Past

The wise man must remember that while he is a descendant of the past, he is a parent of the future, and that his thoughts are as children born to him, which he may not carelessly let die.—Spencer.

## HERD REINDEER IN STRANGEST ROUNDUP

Northwest Canada Scene of Big Undertaking.

Ottawa, Ont.—The world's strangest roundup is to be staged shortly on the Mackenzie delta in Canada's northwest territory.

Almost within the Arctic circle, Andy Bahr, American herder, and four Laplanders will undertake the task of rounding up a herd of reindeer driven there across the bleak, snowy wastes of the "top of the world" from Alaska four years ago.

The object of the roundup will be to ascertain how the herd is faring. The herd, originally 2,000 head, was purchased by the Canadian government in Alaska, and Bahr was engaged to drive it to the Mackenzie delta to provide a permanent food supply for the Eskimos living in the Richard's island area.

A count last summer revealed the herd had increased from 2,000 head to 3,000 head in sixteen months, and it is believed it has since grown to approximately 5,000.

The herd, since its arrival on the delta, has been carefully guarded and nursed by four Lapps who accompanied Bahr on the epic trek. They are also instructing the Eskimos in how to care for the reindeer and how best to exploit their full capacities as "beasts of burden" and food.

The Lapp "cowboys" are assisted by shepherd dogs which are as assiduous in their watch over the herd as they are with sheep.

Close vigilance is necessary because of the danger of possible stampeding when the deer are tormented by the insects and wild life that inhabit the bleak wastes. Prowling wolves who attack by night during the winter months, sometimes killing fifty reindeer in one raid, are the most serious problem confronting the herdsman.

The coming roundup will establish whether the experiment, carried out at great cost, has been a success.

### Gray Mustache Turning Brown Amazes Man, 72

Teaneck, N. J.—Oscar Harry Desmarais, retired linotype operator, prepared to celebrate his seventy-second birthday with a rejuvenated mustache. Once snow white, the mustache has changed to a light brown.

Although Desmarais, who was born in the town of Dirty Butter Creek, Australia, says the change has been entirely natural, he has been the butt of innumerable jokes by his friends. Dr. N. A. Harris, the family physician, even suggested Desmarais had been visiting beauty parlors.

"Maybe it changed for autumn, like the leaves," Desmarais said. He said his mustache had turned gray and then white before his hair, which is still only tinged with gray. His wife, Elizabeth, noted the first signs of a change several weeks ago and suggested a bath for the mustache. Desmarais gave it a thorough shampoo, but the roots were still brown. Since then the entire mustache has darkened.

### Divining Rod Fails in Test at State College

State College, Pa.—If you want to know where to dig a water well, throw away your willow divining rod and just take a guess. You'll have better luck that way, tests conducted by Pennsylvania State college psychologists reveal.

After experiments with a Pennsylvania man who claimed the power to locate water with the legendary willow wand, two instructors found that the diviner's average was even lower than the results obtained by sheer guess.

The willow-wand wielder was asked to wave his stick over two specially prepared boxes. With the diviner out of the room, the professors secreted water bottles first under one of the boxes, then under both boxes and finally left the water out altogether.

The score card revealed that the twig-tipper had failed.

### "Don'ts" Were Plentiful for Girl Cyclist of 1895

Hull, Mass.—The girl bicyclist of 1895 had plenty of don'ts to worry about.

She was warned not to carry a flask and not to "travel on the assumption that because you are a woman street cars and brewery wagons will turn out for you."

A list of rules, printed in the old New York World, is owned by John E. Rudderham.

Some other "don'ts":  
"Don't faint on the road."  
"Don't say, 'Feel my muscle.'"  
"Don't sit on your pocket oil can."

### Wedding Ring Rides on Three Good Nags

Cleveland, O.—Dick Bergman, pawnbroker, said he felt a tinge of sorrow when an aged man and woman walked into his shop and asked to borrow \$6 on a 40-year-old wedding ring.

"Why do you need the money?" he asked.

"We want to play two, two and two on three dandy horses," the elderly lady explained.

## 24,000 YEARS' AUTO FUEL IS AVAILABLE

Experts Remove Big Cause for Motorists' Worry.

Washington, D. C.—If you have been losing any sleep over the probability that America's oil supply would be exhausted within fifteen years, you can relax now.

Dr. Gustav Egloff and J. C. Morrell, Chicago research workers, have looked over the situation and find it not exactly rosy, but satisfactory. Experts have estimated that there is enough oil in proven fields to last for fifteen years if recovered by present methods. However, new methods are being developed which will make it possible to obtain oil for the next 100 years.

Besides, there are new fields being discovered. In the future this quest for oil fields will go forward on a more scientific basis.

**Oil Irreplaceable.**  
Regardless of these new discoveries, all must recognize that oil is irreplaceable, our fastest vanishing resource and will be exhausted eventually. Thus it falls to the chemist to assure the world of its future supply of motor oil, the Chicago pair believe.

Natural gas is one of large potential sources of motor fuel which may be tapped by means of chemical reactions. Chemists estimated there is 1,600,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas in the United States. Some of this will be consumed as the crude oil is recovered from the earth and so even this supply is not sufficient.

Coal, it is believed, will be the greatest source of motor fuel once the oil fields are dry.

Let us look at the earth's coal resources. There are 7,400,000,000 tons in the world's estimated reserves, which at the present rate of consumption will last for at least 6,000 years if burned in solid form. But if converted into motor fuel by present known methods, this supply of coal would make enough for 24,000 years.

**More Expensive.**  
Chemists admit that it will cost more to recover gasoline from coal than from crude oil. But that is one of the things that future generations will have to do to pay for the current reckless expenditure of natural oil resources.

In the future, chemists will be able to produce from coal almost any desired hydrocarbon product or derivative which is now refined from petroleum. By the use of catalytic reactions, chemists already have laid the foundations for the production of explosives, dyes, drugs and medicines which are now produced only as coal tar derivatives.

### Mississippi Moonshiners Abandon Corn for Rye

Jackson, Miss.—Corn "likker" no longer flows in abundance from the copper stills of Mississippi. E. S. Chapman, head of the Mississippi office of the federal alcohol tax unit, estimated that "at least 90 per cent of the whisky illegally distilled in Mississippi is made from rye mash."

Chapman based his estimate on still seizures by federal agents. These seizures average fifteen to twenty stills a week, ranging from 60 to 500-gallon capacity. And, he pointed out, thousands of gallons of mash are seized weekly—and most of it is rye. A few years ago, nearly all of it—except in south Mississippi—was corn.

Most of the local product is for local consumption, Chapman said. Agents destroyed eleven stills in Rankin county, just across Pearl river from Jackson. The daily capacity of the eleven stills alone amounted to three quarts for every man, woman and child in the county seat.

### Oxen Team Is Trained to Heed Traffic Signs

Benedict, N. D.—E. E. Simmons, known to his close friends as "Buffalo Ed," has added a new job to the operation of his 500-acre farm near here by taking advantage of interest in the old ox-drawn covered wagon.

Simmons and his four oxen make a profit each year appearing in historical parades. His portable historical exhibit, Simmons said, has never had an accident in 350 miles of parading and the oxen are so well trained that they can see and heed traffic semaphores.

Simmons denies he is "old-fashioned to the core."

"I bought an automobile 26 years ago and have used a car for business and pleasure ever since," he said.

### Red Lights Seem Dimmer

**When Traffic Is Noisy**

Moscow, U. S. S. R.—Why do red lights seem less bright when traffic is noisy than they do when it is quiet?

The answer to this question has been found by Prof. S. V. Kravkov, head of the Central Institute of Optalmology, Moscow.

He has proved conclusively that sound affects the eye's sensitivity to colors, the effects varying in character for different colors. He has shown that on receiving auditory stimulation a normal eye becomes more sensitive to green and blue and less sensitive to red.

## Keeping Up With Science By Science Service

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### Stuttering Found Related to Twins in Chicago Studies

Both May Be Connected  
With Left-Handedness

Rockford, Ill.—Twins and stuttering may be closely related in their occurrence, Prof. Mildred F. Berry of Rockford college reports in the magazine "Human Biology."

Recently completed studies of a group of nearly 1,000 Chicago children, half of whom stuttered and the other half of whom did not, reveal that twins are found twice as frequently in stuttering families, Miss Berry declares.

In addition, "in stuttering families containing both twins and single children, stuttering is more frequent among the twins."

Because of the apparent connection between stuttering and twinning, which is believed to be hereditary, Miss Berry also believes that stuttering is passed from one generation in a family to the next. The belief that the affliction is largely psychological now finds itself, she states, "on shifting sands."

Five hundred non-stuttering children and 462 children who stuttered were studied in four Chicago hospitals to determine the possible connection between stuttering and twinning.

**Left-Handedness Comes In.**

Thirty-two sets of twins were found in the immediate families of the stutterers as against only 15 sets of twins in the non-stutterers' families, she reports. Of the 30 families of stutterers containing both twins and single children, 22 of 55 twins stuttered, while only 13 of 99 single children were afflicted, indicating a further connection between stuttering and twinning.

The high frequency of the speech defect among twins was connected by Miss Berry with the previously reported fact that both stuttering and twinning have been connected with left-handedness. Stuttering is four times more frequent among left-handers than it is among people who use their right hands. Left-handedness is also found to occur six times more often among twins than among the remainder of the population.

### Iridescent Films May Soon Displace Oil Prospector

Vancouver, B. C.—The prospector struggling scores and even hundreds of miles to the nearest assay laboratory with a heavy backlog of ore for testing may shortly be a romantic hero of the past.

His future brother-in-arms will need little more than a fistful of the same ore to determine whether it is worth his while to go back with mining equipment.

Thin films of iridescent color, like the ones seen on oily streets after a rain, used by the expert in analyzing ores may spell the difference between the two.

This was the tenor of a report by Prof. A. M. Gaudin of the Montana School of Mines at a joint meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

Minerals of different chemical composition but which look alike and are difficult to tell apart except by means of costly tests of large amounts can be analyzed under the microscope by means of colored films, Prof. Gaudin reported. Importance is attached to this discovery because of the fact that similar-appearing ores may be widely apart in value.

Differences in the color of the iridescent films are caused by differences in the thickness of the film.

### Pact Protects Whales for at Least One Year

London.—Protection for several fast-disappearing species of whale is expected as a result of the international agreement for the protection of whaling, the leading British scientific weekly, Nature, reports.

Chief features of the new agreement, which runs for one year with the proviso that it may be extended as long as necessary, include prohibition of whaling in large areas, prohibition of killing calves and setting a minimum size for each of several threatened species of whales.

## Clusters of Stars Whirl About Other Celestial Groups

New Discoveries Show  
Milky Way's Structure

Cambridge, Mass.—Important new clues to the structure of the Milky Way have been found at the Harvard observatory where officials announced discovery of a new type of astronomical sub-system in the universe.

The new system consists of a giant cluster of some hundreds of stars which revolves about a still larger cluster, much as the earth travels about the sun. Astronomers here say it presents the first positive indication they have had that these tremendous clusters may be connected with one another by gravity to form independent sub-orders within the galaxy.

The discovery, made by James Cuffey of the Harvard observatory staff, was the result of numerous extremely accurate computations of the distances from the sun of nine galactic star clusters in the constellation Auriga, the most comprehensive and exact measurements of these distances ever made.

The two clusters the research showed to be companions are those known as Messier 38, which has a mass about 500 times that of our sun, and NGC 1907, which is about 75 times the mass of the sun. The smaller one, it was found, revolves about the larger cluster with the time required for one complete revolution estimated to be about 60,000,000 years.

**Colors Determine Distances.**

A painstaking study of the colors of nine such groups in Auriga led to the conclusion that these two clusters constitute a system. The colors of stars in clusters are used by astronomers to determine their distances and Messier 38 and NGC 1907 were found to have very similar characteristics. Thus they were shown to be about the same distance from the sun, approximately 28,000 light years. In space they are only 24 light years apart.

A third and still larger cluster, Messier 36, is also believed to be physically connected with the other two groups for it too is about 28,000 light years from the sun. It is about 150 light years from the first two.

### Bulls Given Credit for the Dairy Yield of Their Daughters

Washington.—Bulls are given milk and cream-ratings in a new publication of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Not that the records were directly established. Modern agriculture has done a lot of remarkable things, but as yet milk production remains a monopoly of the feminine members of the herd. Nevertheless the honors accorded to bulls in dairy breeds are based strictly on yield records.

The trick is done by studying the yields of daughters of the sires in question, comparing them with the yields of their own mothers made under similar conditions, and crediting the gain, if any, to the influence of "pa's folks." Thus if ten daughters of a given sire gave a milk-yield record of 10,000 pounds for the test period, while their mothers have a comparable record of 9,000 pounds, the thousand-pound difference is chalked up to the credit of the sire. This process is called "proving."

A proved sire with a good record as shown by his daughters' production performance is naturally in demand for the improvement of other herds of milk cows. In the department's list many animals are recorded as having died before the proof period could be completed. But many of them leave sons, which are sought after as suitably aristocratic alliances by owners of blooded dairy herds.

A list of this kind is as important to the dairy industry as the Almanach de Gotha is in European social circles.

### Chance Rules Flarings of the Variable Stars

Cambridge, Mass.—Science's many futile attempts to predict the changes in brightness of the heavens' blinking giants, the long-period variable stars, have been ended by the explanation of two Harvard astronomers that only the law of chance governs their irregular flarings and fadings.

Leon Campbell and Dr. Theodore E. Sterne of the observatory staff say no mathematician can possibly anticipate the irregular changes of brilliance. Their research has also eliminated the belief of some astronomers that there have been important and widespread evolutionary changes of increase or diminution among these long-period variables.

## Weaver Birds of Africa

Rank as Best Architects

Three habitat groups of African birds in Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, include village weaver-birds, birds of Mount Cameroon and Kalahari desert birds.

Weavers, which constitute the largest and most varied bird family of Africa, rank among the best architects of the feathered world, and the village weaver-birds are among the most skillful nest builders of their family. Their globe-shaped nests are woven from strips of grass or palm leaves. "Woven" is not a loosely used term, but an accurate description of the method employed by the birds.

Detailed studies of the nests of another weaver species have revealed that certain definite knots are used to tie the ends of the strips of material—they are not merely tucked in. A firmly woven vertical ring about six inches in diameter is first made by the birds to serve a foundation. The hemispherical chamber for the eggs and young is then added on one side, and the down-turned spout or entrance is added on the other.

The village weaver-birds exemplify a highly gregarious mode of living coupled with a peculiar preference for association with conditions imposed by the existence of socially organized human life. Rather than remain exposed to purely natural conditions involving greater dangers from predatory animals, they build their colonies or "villages" of as many as a hundred nests in trees near the villages of human natives. This habit accounts for the name that has been applied to them. These birds occur over a wide area of western and central Africa.

### Peat, After Many Years, Develops Into Hard Coal

Peat, according to scientists, is coal in the making. It consists of decayed trees and vegetation.

When the world was younger, say about 250 million years ago, in the carboniferous era, there were many peat bogs, writes a correspondent in the Chicago Tribune. Eventually the peat became lignite, then soft or bituminous coal, as in Illinois, then hard, or anthracite, as in Pennsylvania. Something like this happened:

The ancient peat beds sank below sea level, and over eons of time the beds were buried under thick layers of silt and sand.

Tremendous pressure upon the peat squeezed out the moisture and, after several hundred thousand years, peat became lignite, a brownish coal which crumbles rapidly when exposed to the air. The pressure continued and, after some two million years, the lignite became soft coal. And when the earth exerted both a horizontal and vertical pressure, as in mountain making, hard coal resulted.

Peat, because of its great moisture load, has little value as fuel. Its heating value is about half that of lignite, according to estimates by Prof. Adolf Noe of the University of Chicago, a member of the Illinois geological survey staff, and about one-fourth that of hard coal.

### King Midas Had Donkey Ears

King Midas, although the world's richest man, had donkey's ears. So the legend tells us. And his barber, unable to contain the dreadful secret, whispered it into a hole in the ground. And the reeds that grew on the spot, says Science Service, repeated his whisper and betrayed the secret. All of this, declares Prof. Robert Lehmann-Nitsche of Berlin, is simply effort on the part of the Greeks to explain the fact that this half-fabulous Oriental monarch wore a cap consisting of a horse's or wild ass' scalp with the ears and part of the mane attached. Professor Lehmann-Nitsche has found widespread evidence of the wearing of such ear-ornamented caps in early times. Later, when metal helmets replaced the original hide caps, they were ornamented with erect metal ears. And the horse-hair crests that still adorn the fancy dress helmets of some heavy cavalry corps are a last remnant of the mane that hung from the old horse-scalp caps of ancient hunter-kings.

### Betsy Ross' Name

Ross was Betsy Ross' maiden name, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. She was the daughter of Samuel and Rebecca Ross. In 1772 she eloped to Gloucester, N. J., with John Ross, an upholsterer, and there married him. It was as the widow of Ross that she achieved fame by her reputed making of the first American flag. In 1777 she married Capt. Joseph Ashburne at Old Swedes church. Ashburne was captured by the British and died in Old Mill prison, Plymouth, England. In 1783 she married John Claypoole.

### Historic Reminders in Lima

In Lima, Peruvian capital dating from the early Spanish days of the Fifteenth century, are notable monuments reminiscent of the viceroys, the University of San Marcos, the oldest seat of learning in the Western hemisphere, and the finest examples of Spanish colonial architecture in existence. Adjacent to modern Lima are the ancient shrines of the pre-conquest peoples and the dead city of Coeval, which vies with Babylon in its antiquity.—Rocky Mountain Herald.



## FALL LIVESTOCK SURVEY ON DECEMBER 1st.

College Park, Md., Nov. 20, 1937.—Preparations are now being made for the 16th. annual Fall livestock survey in Maryland, it was announced today by the Maryland Crop Reporting Service. About 9,000 questionnaire cards, or one for every 5 farms in the State will be mailed by the Maryland Crop Reporting Service at College Park to Maryland postoffices for distribution by the rural carriers to their farmer patrons on December 1st.

Where postoffices have no rural routes the cards are distributed by the postmasters. The purpose of the survey is to furnish information as to the number of livestock on farms at the end of 1937, on the size of the fall pig crop this year, and the probable number of sows that will farrow next spring. It is expected that the report will be of material value to farmers who use such information in planning production and in marketing current supplies.

For each of the past fifteen years the farmers, the Postoffice Department, and the United States Department of Agriculture have co-operated in making these surveys a success. Farmers who receive cards this year are urged to fill them out promptly in order that they may be collected by the rural carriers and forwarded to the Maryland Crop Reporting Service for use in making the State report. Other States will make similar surveys at the same time. Reports from all States will be sent to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in Washington where they will be combined for the United States report. A report for both Maryland and the United States will be mailed to every farmer filling out a card. Farmers who are not solicited on the surveys may obtain a copy of the report by writing to the Maryland Crop Reporting Service at College Park.

## HE KNEW WHAT AILED HIM!

When a man knows what is wrong with him, he knows something of great importance. Arthur G. Staples, the veteran Maine editor, who is one of our most likable friends, spends his summers on Squirrel Island, near Boothbay harbor. On the boat plying between the islands, Mr. Staples encountered a youngster who had a market basket full of candies, chewing gum, and other products which tourists buy.

The youngster showed no signs of energy. Mr. Staples had to wake him up. When the sale was completed the lad settled back on the cushions ready for another nap.

"Out late last night?" asked Mr. Staples.

"No," said he. "I don't go out nights none."

"Got business worries?"

"No, I ain't got no business worries."

"Don't you work this boat as candy salesman?"

"Yes," said the boy, "but that don't worry me none."

Further questions failed to reveal any hookworm, or other disease. He never had been sick in his life. His appetite was good.

"Why don't you work?" asked Mr. Staples. "There must be many among the 40 or 50 passengers who might want to buy." The boy had his answer. "Do you know why I don't work this boat?" he asked, suddenly showing some interest in the talk. "Then I'll tell you. It's because I'm too d— lazy." And with that he turned over and went to sleep again.

He has plenty of fraternity brothers in all business organizations. The trouble with them is that they don't know they are lazy. Most of them are sure they are being overworked. They waste themselves uttering complaints. They cry, "The world is against me!" And they get what they attract.—Shining Lines. Mergenthaler Linotype Company.

## PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S PROCLAMATION.

I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, hereby designate Thursday, the 25th. day of November, 1937, as a day of National Thanksgiving.

The custom of observing a day of public thanksgiving began in Colonial times and has been given the sanction of national observance through many years. It is in keeping with all our traditions that we, even as our fathers in olden days, give humble and hearty thanks for the bounty and goodness of divine providence.

The harvest of our fields have been abundant, and many men and women have been given the blessing of stable employment.

A period unhappily marked in many parts of the world by strife and threats of war finds our people enjoying the blessings of peace. We have no selfish designs against other nations.

We have been fortunate in devoting our energies and our resources to constructive purposes and useful works. We have sought to fulfill our obligation to use our national heritage by common effort for common good.

Let us, therefore, on the day appointed forego our usual occupations and, in our accustomed places of worship, each in his own way, humbly acknowledge the mercy of God, from Whom comes every good and perfect gift.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this ninth day of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and sixty-second.

By the President,  
FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.  
Washington, D. C.

The price of gasoline in Italy, at last report, was 66 cents per gallon. This price resulted from a 40% government tax increase.

Barber—Wet or dry, Sir?  
Chubbitt—Finish cutting my hair, please, and never mind my personal habits.

## MY MARY ANN DON'T SMOKE.

Said my Ma to my Aunt Lucy,  
In gossip the other day,  
I do declare to goodness,  
I don't know what to say.  
My Mary Ann seems normal  
In every other way;  
But when the young folks gather  
To gossip and to joke,  
She will always sulk and shun them,  
For my Mary Ann don't smoke.

When the Bridge Club was assembled  
At our house the other night,  
And every one was jolly  
And all seemed gay and bright,  
Mary Ann seemed all a-quiver,  
And she soon ran out of sight,  
She refused then to acknowledge  
Any one who to her spoke,  
And the reason for her fidgets  
Is, that Mary Ann don't smoke.

Mary Ann is so old fashioned,  
And at times she seems so queer;  
She does not believe that Camels  
Make the complexion clear;  
And for Chesterfields to help her  
Win her score at basket-ball,  
She refuses to believe it,  
And she says Old Gold's a joke.  
The truth of the whole matter is  
That Mary Ann don't smoke.

When the party it has vanished,  
And the room is full of litter,  
Stumps of cigarettes and ashes  
All around the floor a flitter,  
And holes are in the carpet,  
Tables, chairs and settees burned,  
You may see why she don't like it,  
And why cigarettes she's spurned.  
Mary Ann says she could stand it,  
If each one was an Old Soak,  
Now you know why she don't like it,  
For, my Mary Ann don't smoke.

W. J. H. Nov. 17, '37.

## INTERESTING BROADCAST.

Over the Columbia Broadcasting system M. L. Wilson, under secretary of agriculture and Senator James P. Pope, of Idaho, will speak on Sunday afternoon, November 28, between 2:00 and 2:30 o'clock on Agriculture and World Economic Cooperation.

## MEAT PRICES DOWN.

Newspaper reports are that Chicago prices on meats have dropped from the highest peaks of several months ago, as much as 30 to 48 per cent on pork, and 13 to 30 per cent on beef cuts. Also, as compared with two weeks ago, the price of lamb is down 10 per cent.

The "General Sherman" tree in Sequoia National Park is said to be the largest and oldest tree in the United States. It is 280 feet high and has a diameter of 36.5 feet.

So many varied uses have been found for cotton that the cotton products now go to the retail market in more than 10,000 different forms.

## PUBLIC SALE. — OF VALUABLE — REAL ESTATE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1937 at 1:30 o'clock, P. M. All that lot or parcel of land of 23½ Acres, more or less, situated about one mile east of Taneytown, Carroll County, Maryland and a short distance North of the Taneytown-Westminster State highway and adjoining the land of Otto M. Smith, William Sowers, Lewis Reifsnider and others.

This property is improved with a five room, log and weatherboarded dwelling, a large ground floor barn with two mows and sheds attached and other necessary outbuildings.

There are never-failing wells of water both at the house and at the barn and an abundance of fruit on the place.

At the same time and place and immediately following the sale of the above property I will offer that small property located immediately South of and adjoining the above place containing about ¾ an acre of land, more or less and improved with a 5 room log and weatherboarded house.

These properties are ideally located for persons desiring a small country home, near to churches, schools and markets.

TERMS OF SALE—A deposit of \$300. will be required of the purchaser on the day of the sale and the balance on terms to be arranged on the day of sale.

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## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, will have public sale, in Keysville, Md., on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1937,** at 1:00 o'clock, the following Household Goods of the late Mrs. David Ohler, to-wit:

4 IRON BEDS, 2 WOODEN BEDS, bed springs, single and double; 2 dressers, chest, spool stand, other stands of all kinds; 10 cane-seated chairs, 5 rocking chairs, picture frames, small oil heater, books, clothes rack, 5-piece parlor suit, organ, leather couch, Queen sewing machine, round-top table, extension table, drop-leaf table, tables of all kinds; lamps, wash bowl, clock, mirrors, 2 kitchen cupboard, 4 solid bottom chairs, Home Lehigh range, knives, forks and spoons, dishes of all kinds; pots, pans of all kinds; jars, iron kettle, 6-qt. sausage stuffer and grinder, dog tray, large cupboard, stone jars, washer and wringer, tables, 3-shovel drag, wire, rakes, crosscut saw, block and falls, single trees, single row corn planter, mattock, sledge hammer, shovels, forks, chicken coop, 1-horse wagon, and a lot of things too numerous to mention.

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## TRUSTEE'S SALE — OF VALUABLE — REAL ESTATE

IN TANEYTOWN, CARROLL  
COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting in Equity, passed on November 11, 1937, in cause No. 6840 Equity, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction on the premises on

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1937,** at 1:00 o'clock, P. M., all that lot or parcel of land situate on West Frederick Street, in Taneytown, Carroll County, Maryland, and known as lot No. 23 on the plat of said town, and being the same land that was conveyed unto Emanuel Harner and Agnes S. Harner, his wife, (she having predeceased him) by Mary Gertrude Gardner, by deed, dated April 8, 1920, and recorded among the Land Records of said County in Liber E. O. C. No. 136, Folio 125, etc.

This property adjoins the land of Edward Feeser and Sherman Gilds, and is improved with a frame metal roof dwelling house of 16 rooms with electricity. There are wash house, stable, large shed and blacksmith shop on the property. The dwelling house is suitable for renting to three families.

TERMS OF SALE. One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale or upon ratification thereof by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting in Equity, and the residue in two equal payments of one and two years, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers. The credit payments to be secured by the note of the purchaser or purchasers with sufficient security bearing interest from the day of sale. A deposit of \$500.00 will be required of the purchaser or purchasers on the day of sale.

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## Notice Stockholders Meeting.

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CHAS. E. H. SHRINER, Pres.  
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