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NATION NEEDS YOUNG MEN

Obligations of Official Life

SPEECH BY BEVERIDGE

Public Men Must Study Public Problems

STATESMEN NOT POLITICIANS

The Man Who Stopped Thinking Decades Ago Cannot Grasp the Meaning of Public Life To-Day.—Day is Dawning for Honest, Industrious Men.

Senator Beveridge addressed about seven hundred Harvard students the other evening on "The Obligations of Public Office." The Boston Transcript printed the following excerpts from his remarks:

The nation needs youthful statesmen, he declared, but it does not need the man who seeks office for his personal aggrandizement, or the man who, having acquired wealth, would round out his years in public office, thereby giving the country the fag ends of his waning strength. "To serve the people—this is the first obligation of public office. No man knows what is good for the people better than the people themselves. The common thought is truer than individual thought. He who thinks himself too good to mingle with the masses is in reality too bad to represent their republic.

"The present day American public man not only must study the nation's problems—he must master them. During the last generation the country developed the politician rather than the statesman; because, on the one hand, one of the best minds of the country was absorbed with the physical making of the nation, and because, on the other hand, the work our public men had to do was, chiefly, national housekeeping.

"The man who stopped thinking decades ago and who therefore believes that all questions are spurious except those about which he was thinking in his prime, but which have been settled long ago, cannot even grasp the meaning of public life to-day. Indeed, the latter is a real obstacle to the solving of our present-day problems.

"Such a public man forgets that every year a full million young men and young women come of age whose minds, fresh and strong, are thinking new thoughts today just as his now obsolete mind thought fresh thoughts in his day. Such a public man does not understand that the constantly renewed intellect of the nation is yeasting with new ideas, born of new conditions; and so he thinks that all new questions are really no questions at all and would dismiss them altogether if he could.

"Public men must take their stand on public questions while those questions are up for decision, not after they are decided. The public man who has no views is more dangerous than the demagogue. The man who utters pleasing generalities instead of taking definite positions on public questions is either a coward or a deceiver of the people, and usually he is both.

"Never in history was there such a day for young men in public life as that which has now dawned. There is so much more to be done than there ever was before, so many more hands needed for that work than ever before—clean hands, strong hands, trained hands. American public life is crying aloud for men who are honest, industrious and equipped. The call comes to every one of you. Answer it if you are willing to make the sacrifice; for to serve the nation means battle from start to finish."

In a German mine recently a bore was being sunk, and at a depth of almost a thousand feet the hardened end of the steel bit broke off. To get the broken piece of steel out a soft bar, five feet long and about three inches in diameter, was surrounded by a single winding of India rubber-covered wire. It was then magnetized and let down the hole, and raised the steel to the surface without further trouble.

The gold mine owners in South Africa have in three years spent over \$1,000,000 recruiting laborers from Central Africa. They only got 17,000 negroes, and few of them could stand the winter. Then 67,000 Chinese were brought, starting the labor troubles.

THINK HIGHLY OF HIM

A Japanese View of President Roosevelt

GOOD CONDUCT AND THE LAW

Intelligence and Principle Need No Statute.—America Not a Land of Tyranny.—One of the Most Illustrious Presidents.

"Nobody, no American at any rate, will be surprised at the report that President Roosevelt has formally announced his determination to decline a third term nomination," says the *Japan Times*. "We, for our part, are not only not surprised at the news, but have all along expected it. To abide by laws because laws exist is the business of but low mortals; for most people of intelligence and principle there is always something higher than statute laws to bind them to good conduct and honest dealing. Indeed, a man who makes effort to be within the laws is generally a man who seeks to evade them—in spirit if not in letter. So with nations as individuals. Every country possesses unwritten tenets of faith and aspiration that inspire and guide the hearts of its citizens, and when it disregards them that country is on the brink of a dire cataclysm if not ruin. And we have thought that, unless America had become a land of tyranny under heterogeneous elements of foreign extraction, there could be no setting aside the noble example set to the country by Washington, and that the Roosevelt boom would collapse of its own accord even if left alone. We have thought, too, that President Roosevelt is a man of loftier mind than to trample on the sanctified tradition of his country, and we have not been mistaken.

"Mr. Roosevelt is looked up to as one of the most illustrious Presidents the United States has ever had, blameless as a man and incomparable as the head of democracy. He stands up for all that is noble, just, and fair in America, and by his refusal of the third term nomination he upholds the highest of American ideals in politics. His action sets at rest the fears entertained in some quarters that America is developing an imperial tendency intolerant at home and aggressive abroad; he has put his foot on those who are seeking to turn their country into one ruled under personal sway instead of remaining to be governed by principles."

METHOD NOT APPROVED

The President's Success as a Trust Buster

CONGRESS WILL TAKE A HAND

Little Progress Made on Paper Trust Investigation.—Is It a Combination in Restraint of Trade?—An Answer Demanded.

It is reported that Congress is not satisfied with the President's success as a trust buster in the particular case of the paper trust. Speaker Cannon and other leaders of the House especially disapprove his methods. The International Paper Company has especially worried the leaders in Congress, or to put it more directly, the papers of the country are after Congress to suppress this trust and Congress would like to appear to heed the press. Attorney-General Bonaparte has been looking into the operations of the paper trust for several weeks and in reply to a resolution introduced by Speaker Cannon himself two weeks ago, the Attorney-General said that but little progress had been made with this investigation.

It was said this week that if the Attorney-General is not able to show that something has been done to prosecute the paper trust as a combination in restraint of trade, Congress will take a hand in the business itself. Speaker Cannon, Chairman Payne, Mr. Dalzell and others of course insist that the tariff has nothing to do with the high price of print paper and that the fault lies with the trust which, by combining factories and limiting output, holds prices at the highest possible point.

Consul James Johnston writes from Algiers that it is roughly estimated that there are 6,500,000 cultivated olive trees in the tree provinces of Algeria.

CHRONICLES OF EMMITSBURG

Series Of Entertaining Articles Concerning Town And People

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT EARLY TIMES

Customs and Amusements Now Almost Forgotten Recounted by Oldest Inhabitants

ANECDOTES ILLUSTRATIVE OF LIFE OF FORMER GENERATIONS

Continuation of the Baseball Articles.—The Girls Were Fascinated by Both the Game and Players.—Baltimore Lady Remembers the Incident of the Broken Nose.—She Tells of the Old Stage Coach, One-Armed Mr. Six, The Saturday Night Beaux, &c.—An Invalid, the Writer Loves to Tell of Emmitsburg, The Quaint Old Town She May Never Visit Again.

I am deeply interested in the "Chronicles of Emmitsburg," having spent some very happy summers in that quaint old village. While it has been a long time since, I still find some familiar names in your interesting paper. The circumstances connected with Marshall Hyder, "Bud's" broken nose, is indelibly stamped upon my memory as I happened to be a guest at his home at the time. His parents did not "swallow the story that he had fallen from a fence." If he proposed it, it was but a fleeting thought, for you, who know him best, must know that truthfulness was one of Marshall's chief charms that characterized his entire life, and it is a tribute to his memory that suggests these lines.

I need not eulogize—his praise has been heralded from East to West. Only yesterday I heard him spoken of as one of "God's noble men and a born gentleman." On this particular Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hyder were away and we were in charge of Mr. James Gelwicks, who usually stayed at the great house when the older members were away, that the girls might feel more secure having a man around. Good, faithful "Jim" he also, I hear has passed away. When Marshall came home with his bloody, swollen nose, he thought not so much of his suffering, as he did of his father's silent rebuke. I do not know if we called in Dr. James Eichelberger, but do know, we kept the boy awake nearly all night to keep the blood from running down his throat, and that his sisters and I were frightened nearly out of our wits.

I talked with Marshall a short time before his last illness, when he referred to the incident in his usual pleasing way, he said the blow had always affected his breathing and had been the cause of an operation. He loved the reminiscences of his old home and friends.

Speaking of baseball, I think the girls in those days were just as enthusiastic as the boys, a prospective match game was an event, particularly on a Saturday afternoon when we would don our best frocks, sit in the scorching hot sun back of the upper hotel for two hours or more, just to see our favorite run, if nothing more. To a city girl who had

seen little or nothing of country life and had a very crude conception of the customs and people—the *Saturday night* beaux; the old stage coach with its one arm driver (Mr. Six);—the old street pump; the handsome, gallant young men were all a pleasing, lasting revelation. Really I believed them to be something like "Aunt Polly Bassett's singing school."

In the good old times the girls were much more helpful and domestic than now-a-days; we were not out hatless all day, nor were we seen at all hours dressed in our Sunday gowns; and really I believe the boys liked us best because we were conspicuous by our absence until eventide, when we had earned our recreation.

There is one thrilling, as well as humorous circumstance my family enjoy hearing. It was the eve of Mr. Clem Guthrie's departure for the West. He and Marshall had gone to visit Mr. Paul Motter who was very ill, we were to wait up and say good-bye. Ten—eleven o'clock struck, when we were called to bed—an unusual hour but still we lingered. The bell rang, Zourie and I rushed to the door. I cannot describe the scene, but there lingers in my memory the spectacle of a great monster coming bustling in and I hear a frenzied voice calling to me to "run," which I did, with alacrity. We fairly flew to Mr. Hyder's room, we gave him no time to dress believing the thing, he, she or it, was at our heels. He grabbed a boot, my friend a hair brush, while I hid behind a chair—there were no fire-arms. The dog ran down stairs upsetting a pitcher of water, the greatest pandemonium reigned, when in walked Marshall and his mother smiling calmly, asking what was the matter? In all the confusion, we had failed to miss Mrs. Hyder, she, in a high buffalo robe was the monster. Finding no amount of persuasion could get us to bed, she was obliged to conjure some forcible means that would. We went. I am now an invalid a "shut in" for five years and may never see the old town again, but there will always remain a warm spot in my heart for Emmitsburg.

G. C. D.

"POP" CHADWICK DEAD

"Father of Baseball" Succumbs to Pneumonia

WAS EIGHTY-THREE YEARS OLD

Began Playing Baseball in 1847 and Was Interested in the Game Until Day of Death.—Was Life Member of National League.

Henry Chadwick, aged 83, who took so prominent a part in the development of baseball that he was called the "Father of Baseball," died of pneumonia and heart disease at his home in Brooklyn on Monday. He started playing baseball in 1847 on an amateur team which played where Hoboken, N. J., is now located. He was connected with the National Baseball Association from 1858 until 1870. In 1862 he joined the New York Herald as a baseball and cricket writer and afterward went to the New York Tribune. When the Civil War broke out Chadwick accepted a position as a war correspondent, and at its conclusion he joined the Brooklyn Eagle where he remained twenty-five years as a baseball and sporting expert. Chadwick edited the "Spalding Baseball Annual" since 1881. In 1891 the National Baseball League honored him by making him an honorary life member.

LOCAL PARCEL POST

Establishment Would Wipe Out Postal Deficit

\$15,000,000 ADDED TO REVENUE

Postmaster General Calls Congress' Attention to Important Facts.—Would Make Rural Free Delivery Self-Sustaining.

"The Postmaster General is calling the attention of Congress to the fact that the establishment of a special local parcel post on rural routes would wipe out the postal deficit," says a statement given out at the Post Office Department "and would tend to make the rural free delivery self-sustaining, besides being a boon to the farmer and the retail country merchant.

"There are now in operation 39,038 rural routes serving a population of 15,000,000 people," it continues, "and should an average of five 11-pound packages be carried on each trip throughout the year it is estimated that fifteen million dollars would be realized and the net return to the Government would be more than sufficient to equal the deficit."

The squirrel slaughter of Russia amounts to 25,000,000 animals per year.

NOW FEELS VIRTUOUS

Congress And Its Legislative Prerogative

THE PRESIDENT IS DISAPPOINTED

Twelve Million Saved on Warships Spent on Pensions.—Forebodings Ever Imminent in the Mind of President.

Congress having refused the President his four big war ships it is said now feeling extremely virtuous, not so much from having saved the country twelve million dollars, for this is precisely the amount now spent on the merry widows of the old soldiers in pensions; but Congress feels virtuous because it thinks it has recaptured its legislative prerogative and that it is once again in the law-making saddle and that the President is doubtless very much disappointed. As a statesman he has a keener and more extended foresight than most members of the House. He is a broader and deeper read historian than most of them. He is more intimately in touch with national and international movements and trends than all but a very few of them. It was perhaps a mistake for us to have planted our flag in the Philippines, especially as we are so vain and sensitive about removing it, but it would be very much better for us to take it down and away from that far off Oriental outpost, now and of our own accord, than to be compelled to surrender it after a disastrous war and untold loss of blood and treasure. It is doubtless this foreboding ever imminent in the mind of the President that impels him to ask for these iron clad pacificators. There is but one respect in which we are stronger than the strongest and most warlike people of the East. Our Navy is larger than that of Japan, but the Russian Navy was much larger than that of Japan. We believe that our Navy is better than was the Russian Navy but it is doubtless the desire of the President to make it so overwhelmingly superior to the Japanese navy that there will be no question of the outcome of a conflict. The Japanese army is a least fifteen times as strong as ours but there will be no need of our ever trying conclusions with the Japanese land force if we are able to overcome her at sea.

Roumania is the most illiterate country in Europe. The last census shows that in a population of about 6,000,000 nearly 4,000,000 neither write nor read.

ENTERTAIN JAPANESE

Yellow Noblemen Look Us Over At Close Range

TASTING CAPITAL HOSPITALITY

What They Think Deponent Saith Not.—Find the President Easier to Approach Than the Mikado.—One is Mrs. Longworth's Guest.

Instead of being at war with the little yellow fellows we are now entertaining in Washington a large number of wealthy Japanese tourists. They come from Tokio, Yokohama and Kioto. There is no doubt that our wealth and our wastefulness astound them more than our automobiles and skyscrapers. They will all be received by the President who will shake each one of them by the hand and talk to those who may be able to speak English but in their own Capital at Tokio they would not be allowed to approach within two hundred yards of one of the gates to the wall surrounding the thousand acre park that encloses the palace of the Mikado. The President's daughter, Mrs. Longworth, is entertaining at her home one of the ladies of the party whom she met, when, with the Taft party, she visited the Japanese Capital.

Swiss watchmakers are reported to be busy filling English and American orders for finger ring watches. The ring watch, though little seen, is no novelty. The manager of an old London watchmaking firm says that he saw them more than fourteen years ago. Queen Victoria had three or four. The simplest one—a plain gold ring with the watch inserted—costs about \$100, but with diamonds or other stones \$5,000 to \$10,000 may be paid.

The north star is estimated to shine with a light 190 times that of the sun.

JUDGE GRAY AS A CANDIDATE

What Various Papers Say

A CONSERVATIVE MAN

He Represents the Anti-Bryan Sentiment

APPEALS TO PUBLIC CONFIDENCE

His Candidacy Would Give The Republican Leader a Close Fight.—Demand of the Party Must be Considered In Selection.

In speaking of the action of the Delaware Democrats, who instructed their delegates to the national convention to vote for Judge Gray for the Democratic nomination for President, the *Philadelphia Press* (Rep.) says—"He is the one candidate who represents that sentiment which is opposed to Bryan on the ground of principle, because he has gone away and beyond those good old traditions that so much of the party is bound to. Judge Gray represents what is conservative and sane in the Democratic party. Governor Johnson does not stand for that sentiment in the same degree, or in any degree that greatly distinguishes his political beliefs from those of Mr. Bryan. Those who prefer the Governor of Minnesota do not prefer him because he is conservative, but because he has been twice elected Governor in a Republican State and has not been twice defeated as a Democratic nominee for President.

"With Judge Gray, it is altogether different. While he has always been a Democrat there is no Bryanism in his record. His presentation as a candidate by the Democracy of his own State makes a distinct line along party principles. If the elements opposed to Bryanism want to make a fight there is really nothing else for them to do but to support Judge Gray. There is no one else about whom they can rally, and if there were they could do no better, for there is no Democrat in the country more fit to be President than Judge Gray.

"But there is little prospect of much of a contest. No doubt there will be a strong protest against Bryan and what he stands for, but it is probably too late to prevent his nomination, and the strongest and most effective protest will be entered by tens of thousands of Democrats at the polls in November."

"Delaware," remarks the *Baltimore American*, another Republican paper, "is the small State with large men. Bayard's failure to get the Democratic nomination for the presidency was mainly due to the fact that Delaware had only three votes in the Electoral College. In other respects he was the most available Democrat for more than one presidential fight."

"Today Delaware has the one man who could give the Republican candidate a close race this fall. Judge George Gray is strong in every respect that appeals to public confidence and the popular support. His character is fine and flawless. His personality is charming. He is one of the ablest men of the country. He is the soul of honor. Not a word could be said against him except that he would not vote for Bryanism.

"But he comes from Delaware. It is a pity."

"To endorse a man for the Presidency against his wish is truly a rather new form of political pastime," says the *New York Post*. "Yet the Delaware Democrats could not deny themselves that pleasure, in spite of Judge (Continued on page 8.)

Since its establishment the Department of Agriculture has cost Uncle Sam more than \$200,000,000. It has given employment at different times to 57,500 separate and distinct experts, professors and muckrakers, and has issued 17,675 publications, varying in size from elegant three-volume, half-leopard, hand-tooled treatises on the boll weevil to puny six-page pamphlets on sheep ticks, barbed wire and horseradish.

The value of agricultural machines and implements annually imported by Siberia amounts to about 10,000,000 rubles (\$5,150,000). The imported articles are chiefly supplied by German and American manufacturers, being far superior to those made in Russia.

STATE JOURNAL

Paragraphs of Maryland
News for Hasty Reading

The Democrats of Allegany county think they have found a man who will make a strong fight against Congressman George A. Pearce this Fall and he is John W. Young, clerk of the Circuit Court, whose popularity is undoubted for he has carried Allegany county twice, defeating two of the most popular Republicans—John J. Bell and Lloyd L. Shaffer, the latter by 605 at the election last November.

The Cumberland Electric Railway, of which former United States Senator George L. Willington is president, had its first strike in its 17 years' service.

Mrs. Casper Swope, of Clearspring, Washington county, last Friday celebrated her ninety-seventh birthday. Five of her children are living. She has 24 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Judge Keedy drew the jury for the May term of the Circuit Court for Washington county, the drawing being under the new law, which provisions require that the selection of jurors be by numbered balls drawn from a box. Deputy Court Clerk Edward Oswald drew the numbered balls, one by one, from the box and handed them to Judge Keedy, who called out the numbers. Previously the court had selected 200 names, each numbered, from the poll and tax books, apportioned to the number of voters in each district.

While in Elkton last week, it is reliably reported, Governor Crothers completed negotiations for the purchase of a good slice of the capital stock of the National Bank of Elkton.

Representatives of various labor unions in Cumberland held a meeting in the Academy of Music in that city on Sunday and resolutions were passed protesting "against the indifference if not the actual hostility which Congress has shown toward the reasonable and righteous measures proposed by our national officers for the safe guarding of the rights and interests of the working-men of the country."

Talbot county has offered prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 for the best, second and third best roads built and repaired by the split-long drag, a device suggested by THE CHRONICLE two years ago. Twenty-two farmers are competing.

The famous "Old Mountain House," used as a hotel and tavern at Fairview, Washington county, was burned to the ground on Monday afternoon. In its day this famous old tavern sheltered many of the distinguished men in the early history of the country. Jackson, Clay, Harrison, Crockett, Polk, Taylor and others stopped there for rest and recreation on their trips East and West. The romantic beauty of the scenery made the Old Mountain House especially popular with travelers in stage coach days.

Declaring there was too much "nakedness" in the work of Giuseppe Donato, a Philadelphia sculptor, the Baltimore committee in charge of the exhibit of work by American sculptors at the Fifth Regiment Armory, have "turned him down."

Charles H. Grasty will become general manager of Frank A. Munsey's newspapers—the Baltimore News, the Boston Journal and the Washington Times. "A part of my purpose in the purchase of the Baltimore News," said Mr. Munsey, "was to add the man who built up that paper to my forces."

Under the general educational act passed by the Legislature, the salaries of teachers in Washington county may be raised \$15,000 a year. The law provides that white teachers holding first-class certificates and who have taught in the State for three years shall not receive less than \$350 a year; those who have taught five years shall not receive less than \$400 a year; those who have taught eight years shall not receive less than \$450 a year, and the teachers holding second-class certificates who have taught for eight years shall not receive less than \$350 a year. The County Commissioners are required to levy a sufficient sum to meet the increase.

At a congregational meeting of the Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick, the church consistory was authorized to dispose of the lower end of the old graveyard situated between West Church and Patrick streets immediately in the rear of the old German Reformed Church. Owing to the fact that the remains of some of the pioneer citizens of Frederick are interred there, considerable opposition to the action of the congregation was expressed.

Judge Keedy, of the Washington county court, has filed an order in the case of the Hagerstown and Williamsport Turnpike Co., confirming the report by the jury which found the pike in bad repair. The court directs that the gate on the pike shall be thrown open, and that no toll shall be collected by the company until the pike is repaired, and until the further order of the court. The pike is owned by the Hagerstown Street Railway Company, having been acquired when the trolley was extended to Williamsport.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Frederick county, held Wednesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. L. M. Keller; vice-president, Mrs. May E. Markell; treasurer, Miss L. Englebrecht; secretary, Miss L. Bartgis.

"Egypt and the Nile," May 5.

SONS OF THE ARGONAUTS

Two Years After Earthquake

A NEW SAN FRANCISCO

The Buildings Constructed Worth \$100,000,000

IRON SPIRIT OF THE PIONEER

An Appreciation of The Enterprise That Even Such a Calamity Could Not Balk—City Rebuilt With Little or No Borrowed Capital.

Last Saturday was the second anniversary of the San Francisco earthquake. The article printed below is an editorial from the New York Evening Post.

Two years after the earthquake and fire, San Francisco has been pausing for a moment from the chorus of pneumatic hammers and the dazzle of red-hot rivets to take stock. There has been a little introspection, too. Californians have read Dr. David Starr Jordan's analysis: "The essential source of Californianism lies in heredity. The Argonauts of '49 were buoyant, self-reliant, adequate, reckless, thoroughly individualistic, capable of all adjustments, careless of conventions." They have also read: "Its cosmopolitanism was conspicuous as a cause of bad government, wasted revenues, and vile environment of its children, rather than in its more romantic aspect. The San Francisco we loved was ours in spite of this, not because of it." Looking at the city from the other side of the continent, however, it is the iron spirit of the pioneer which gradually fills the eye, for the purely physical achievements of the past twenty months have been wholly admirable.

New building have gone up to the value of \$100,000,000, only a small 4 per cent. of this great sum having been borrowed in the East. Insurance paid after the fire amounted to about \$180,000,000, but much of it went directly to savings banks holding policies as security for loans, and was applied by them to the reduction of mortgages. San Francisco to-day claims a lower percentage of mortgage debt than any large city in the country. Savings bank deposits were little less last year than before the disaster, and greater than in 1904. The city has a lower percentage of municipal debt than any considerable town in the United States. There have been extremely few foreclosures of mortgages since the big fire, and no subsequent fire of any consequence, although for a year and a half business was done almost entirely in wooden shacks with a disrupted water system. Out of the first instalment of taxes on real estate and improvements, above \$3,000,000, the tax collector reported a discrepancy of only about \$50,000.

Looking down the streets in a series of photographs presented in the *Sunset Magazine*, one sees still the bare plots and waste spaces, even in the business district, but these are overshadowed by scores of tall buildings and steel skeletons. A new Chinatown has arisen, too, cleaner and loftier, with pagoda roofs here and there, a touch of Oriental persistence. Street cars are plenty, and sidewalks appear busy, for the population, which dropped almost by a quarter after April, 1906, is now back again to its old figure, a little less than Baltimore. But in these Western cities the resources of the country are often out of all proportion to population; hence their astonishing development. For instance, from the State last year were shipped fruit and salmon and wine to a value above \$70,000,000, the sale of 90 per cent. of which is credited to San Francisco houses and their branches.

The task set for the municipality was enormous and private enterprise seems to have been allowed the right of way. Replacement of streets, sewers, and municipal buildings called for an expenditure of more than \$25,000,000 and necessitated a bond issue which is now under way. A system of salt-water hill-top reservoirs is to be ready to flood any future fire. A city hall is to cost \$5,000,000; a courthouse another million. Ten new school buildings are now going up, and thirty-five more are projected to replace those burned. A new city hospital, it is realized, must not be left to the last. Nearly 30,000 buildings were destroyed, covering nearly five square miles. The city, at its heart, begins to look like a city again. Further out are blackened tracts, but these, it is believed, will be covered more rapidly, as business demands homes, for a frame dwelling is not such a complicated matter as a steel block when the latter's site is 3,000 miles west of the blast furnaces.

It may be that, with the upbuilding of the city manifest, there will also be permanent renovation of the inner San Francisco. Certainly, these sons of

ARE YOU AMENABLE?

Court Decision Concerning "Economy" Separator

RULING ALSO EFFECTS THE USER

Infringement of Patent Rights by Sears, Roebuck & Co.—Heavy Penalty Attached Besides the Liability To Injunction.

The following is taken from the *Taneytown Record*: The so-called "Economy" cream separators, in their various "Styles" and "Models" as they have been sold by Sears, Roebuck & Co., are swept from the market by a Court decision of vital interest to the people in general and to dairy farmers in particular. The catalogue house and all of its representatives, agents and associates have been forbidden not only to sell these machines, but also to use them.

This decision, with its far-reaching effect, was handed down November 21st, 1907, by the Hon. Charles M. Hough, Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York. It is the outcome of a suit brought against Sears, Roebuck & Co., for using or causing to be used, in the construction of their "Improved Economy" Cream Separators a patented device which is jointly owned and controlled by the Empire Cream Separator Co., Bloomfield, N. J., and the Vermont Farm Machine Co., of Bellows Falls, Vt., to wit, under Letters Patent of the United States No. 555,893, March 3rd, 1896.

The suit was bitterly contested, but in the final decision every claim of the complainant Companies was upheld and a perpetual injunction issued restraining Sears, Roebuck & Co., from making, selling or in any way disposing of a cream separator in which the patented device in question was used. The Court further ordered that Sears, Roebuck & Co., make an accounting to the complainant companies, specifying the number of infringing machines sold, at what price they were sold, and the damage done to the complainants thereby. This accounting is for the purpose of arriving at an equitable financial settlement in favor of the patent owners.

The point of most general interest in connection with this decision is the fact that under the law every individual user of these "Improved Economy" Cream Separators is personally liable to suit on the ground of infringement by us. In other words, the dairy farmers who have purchased this type of machine from the catalogue house must either abandon the use of them entirely or make arrangements to have radical changes made in the bowl. In either case the past use of the machine renders them liable to suit for infringement at the will of the owners of the patents, and the continued use of the machine renders them liable to injunction as well.

For National Park In This County

Under the terms of a bill introduced in the House by Mr. Keifer, of Ohio, the Secretary of War is authorized to purchase the farm known as Araby, in Frederick county on which farm the battle of Monocacy was fought. If purchased the farm is to be used as a national park, on which may be erected monuments and markers by the different organizations of either army which participated in the battle. The sum of \$25,000 is appropriated to carry out the provisions of the act.

At a recent tobacco exhibition in London some Havana cigars were shown which were quoted at \$5 each.

Argonauts have suffered much—earthquake, fire, looters, actual and political; Dick Turpins of union labor, famines of material, and last of all, plague. All these have been fought, some with and others without much outside help. Recently the moral spirit of the city seemed to lag in its struggle with grafters in high places. Motives of prosecutors have been assailed and issues befogged. There was grumbling in the clubs that "interests" were being injured, that "business" would suffer. New York knows how powerfully this kind of undercurrent may be felt. Possibly, the much-delayed bringing of "Abe" Ruef before a jury, which now seems imminent, despite the flood of pamphlets and printed affidavits which finds its way East, will clear the air there and make plainer the target which must be hit. At any rate, there has been a fight, and the people in at least one election have stood pretty solidly on the right side.

So, all in all, after two years, San Francisco is entitled to congratulations. The plague has been stamped out, \$150,000 having been subscribed to exterminate rats. The life of the city is moving as of old, with at least a powerful pressure in a cleaner direction. A fund of \$60,000 has been raised for the entertainment of the sailors of the fleet, and figures speak for themselves, when is remembered the picture of the homeless and hungry thousands in Golden Gate Park, dazed, and temporarily ruined, staring at the smoke and flames in the distance, and out from even the reports of wide-opened hearts and purses in every city of the Union.

BUTTONS NO PROOF OF AGE

Rattlesnakes May Have as Many as Six at End of First Year.

It is a very common fallacy concerning rattlesnakes that each segment of the rattles indicates a year of the serpent's existence, and it will probably be accepted until some one devises a safe method of examining the teeth.

A segment is added to the rattle each time the snake casts its skin and this may occur every month of the snake's active season, which in the northern states lasts from early May until the first severe storm of winter drives it to the den for its long hibernation. This casting of the skin, which is common to all serpents and many of the lizards, is a curious provision to protect the reptile from disease and discomfort and like most of nature's provisions, it is a wise one.—*Outing Magazine*.

The world's production of gold was \$425,000,000 last year and continues to climb. A hundred years ago the yield was \$12,000,000. Eight years ago it was \$262,000,000. The world's stock of gold has doubled since 1893. In recent years the line of profit in working gold ores has been lowered from \$14 to \$12.

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will command unusual attention this Spring. The makers have tried themselves and such an array of pretty stylish skirts you have never beheld. Blues, browns and fancies will be good, blacks are especially strong, and Voiles tastefully trimmed with ribbon and taffeta bands will be the vogue. Our range begins at \$2.95 and embraces all correct models up to \$15.00 Drop in. Our patrons say our Skirts always fit and wear.

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TANEYTOWN ITEMS.

Mr. Wm. Woods Crapster, who had been in ill health for some time, died last Wednesday morning. The funeral services were held at his home on Saturday morning, interment at Piney Creek. The following relatives from a distance were present: Mr. Mordecai Crapster, Howard county, Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal and daughter and the Misses Gilleland, Gettysburg, Mr. Scott Starr, Baltimore, Mrs. Haller, Frederick, Mr. Wm. and Motter Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Annan, Emmitsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Morrison, Thurmont, Mrs. Dorsey, Westminster, and Mrs. Mervin Barr, Chicago.

Mrs. Weikert, of Woodsboro, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Miller. Mr. Clyde Weikert, of Washington, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Amelia Birnie spent several days in Baltimore last week.

Miss Eileen Schwartz has returned from a visit to Baltimore and Frederick. Mr. and Mrs. John Hockensmith were in Baltimore and Frederick.

Miss Eliza Birnie is visiting in Baltimore.

Messrs. R. A. Stott and Harry Reindollar, of Baltimore, Jack Crapster, of the Maryland Agricultural College, Wallace Reindollar and Clyde Hesson, of Pennsylvania College, were home over Easter.

Mr. E. E. Reindollar was in Philadelphia several days.

Miss Clara Reindollar was in Westminster on Monday.

It is probable the entertainment "Union Depot," under the direction of Miss Hummel, will be given for the benefit of the Lutheran Sunday School on Thursday, April 30.

Dr. H. A. Goff and Mr. John Davidson are attending Presbytery in Baltimore.

Miss Gertrude Gardner spent a few days in Baltimore.

Mr. Brown, of the Theological Seminary, Westminster, was in town on Sunday.

Miss Mollie Fringer and Miss Alma Shriver, spent their Easter vacation at home.

Mr. John Crapster and daughters, Ellen and Elizabeth, were in Gettysburg on Tuesday, Miss Ellen remained for a visit.

HARNEY.

Mrs. M. R. Snider, who was taken suddenly ill last Thursday morning, is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Sarah Lightner is suffering with acute indigestion and her condition is quite serious.

Mrs. William Null and son, of Shenandoah, Va., are spending some time with friends in this place. Mrs. Null will move to Baltimore next week where her husband is employed.

Mrs. Dr. Wolf, and son, of Arendtsville, are visiting Mrs. Wolf's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Newcomer.

Mr. and Mrs. George I. Shriver took advantage of the excursion to Baltimore on Saturday last.

Mr. Smyth, Baltimore, is employed at the Eckenrode Union Cigar Factory in this place.

Mr. Leroy Null, our popular baseball pitcher, has signed a contract to pitch this season at Erie, Pa. Mr. Null expects to leave for that city, May 1st.

Mr. George Morelock has purchased a fine driving horse.

Mrs. Dr. Gardner and children, Catherine and Kenneth, of Westminster, are visiting Mrs. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Shoemaker.

Mrs. Irvin Hess spent a few days at Silver Run visiting her parents and some friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shriver spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Lambert, in Taneytown.

DETOUR ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Flohr and children, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Koons and son, of Hagerstown, were visitors at Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Kolb's on Easter.

Miss Mary Baughman, of Baltimore, visited Miss Vallie Shorb this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warren, Mr. Arthur Myrley, and Miss Myrtle Angle spent Easter with Mrs. A. Wagner, of near Meadford.

Miss Belva Clem, of Gracham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Welty.

Miss Fern Snook, of Rocky Ridge, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Shorb.

Messrs. P. David Koons and H. Barton Fogle are visiting in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Ed. Essick made a business trip to Thurmont on Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Saylor and her aunt, of Waynesboro, are spending a few days at Dr. C. H. Diller's.

Mr. Samuel Weybright and Rev. T. J. Kolb have entertained quite a number of visitors who are attending the District meeting of the G. B. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Miller, of near Loys, visited Mrs. Kathryn Dresher, on Tuesday.

A statistician, fond of odd figures, says that there is a daily loss of not less than \$300,000 in New York city through thefts and cheating.

"Egypt and the Nile," May 5.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

The Fairfield Baseball Club will play its opening game of the season of 1908 on the home grounds, Saturday, afternoon, April 25th, crossing bats with the Sophomore team of Gettysburg College. The game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock.

Miss Hazel Martin is spending a month at Reading and Womelsdorf, the guest of Miss Meta Shulley, of the latter place.

The indications at Fairfield are that we will have a large apple crop this season.

The grain fields in this vicinity are looking fine.

Mr. J. L. Hill will soon plant twenty or more acres of potatoes.

Mrs. D. B. Martin, of Fountain Dale, spent a couple of days with her aunt, Mrs. F. Shulley.

Mrs. Joseph Kittinger, who has been absent from Fairfield for sometime, has returned home.

Mrs. J. M. Musselman is on the sick list.

Mr. Samuel Walter visited his daughter, Mrs. James Musselman, in Harrisburg.

Mrs. William Izer, who sometime ago suffered a slight stroke, is very ill.

Miss Rose Sipes, who spent Easter at her home in this place, has returned to Philadelphia.

The lots along Centennial street will soon be enclosed by a wire fence. This will be a great improvement to this street.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. Rachel Marshall, aged 68 years, widow of James H. Marshall, met with a very painful accident which caused her death several hours later. It appears that Mrs. Marshall went to the stove to burn an old apron, and her clothes took fire and had burned her very badly before Mrs. Clark came to her assistance.

The latter was also burned in trying to extinguish the flames. Mrs. Marshall died Saturday night. The funeral was held Tuesday.

FRIENDS' CREEK ITEMS

Mrs. Rachel Hardman and son-in-law, Mr. Howard Clark of Fountain Dale, visited Mrs. Hardman's sister, Mrs. Catherine Hardman on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Kipe and family spent Easter with Mrs. Kipe's daughter, Mrs. Scott Eyler, of Cascade.

Miss Rhoda Kipe has returned after spending several weeks near Taneytown, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Eyler.

Mrs. Chas. Clark and children, Virgie and Maurice called on Mrs. Hardman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kipe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Duffy.

Mr. David Smith, of Slabtown, visited his grandmother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Naugle, of this place, were the recent guests of Mr. Naugle's parents.

Mr. C. A. W. Clark visited his sister, Mrs. L. P. McKissick, on Sunday. Several young ladies of near Zora spent Monday with Mrs. J. McClain.

Mr. W. H. Kipe, who recently dislocated his hip, is improving slowly.

Mr. Amos Furgerson, who is employed at Blue Ridge Summit, visited his parents recently.

Mr. E. C. Shriver is repairing the country roads at present.

Mrs. Howard Linebaugh made a business trip to Emmitsburg on Monday.

The farmers of this place are preparing for the sowing of their Spring crops.

The Misses May Gallion and Ruth Kipe made a business trip to Sabillasville on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Hardman, who met with a painful accident twelve weeks ago is very ill at this writing.

Rev. Mr. D. C. Eyler will hold services at the Church of God.

Elected Commander of K. T.

Last Monday, at a meeting of the Grand Commandery of K. T., of Maryland, when the installation of officers elect took place, Mr. C. C. Waters, was elected Eminent Commander of Jacques De Mola Commandery of K. T., of Frederick.

Hon. B. H. Warner, of Washington, D. C., will lecture on May 5, for the benefit of the Public Library, the interesting subject being Egypt and the Nile.

apr. 24-25

WARNING.

Mountain View Cemetery is private property and it is unlawful for children to enter it unaccompanied by parents or guardians.

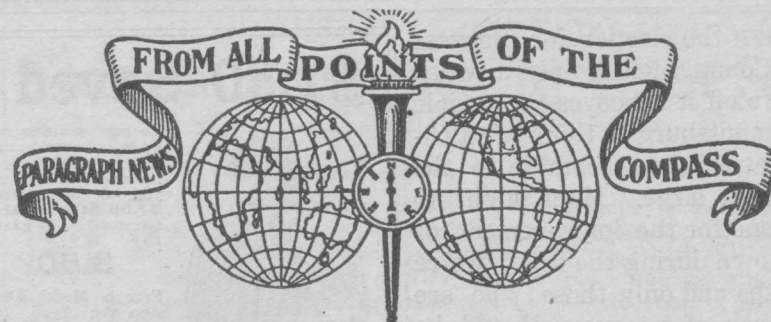
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Two thousand men were put to work on Wednesday in the steel mills at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will shortly issue \$40,000,000, forty-year, four per cent. bonds.

The congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution is meeting in Washington this week.

It is assured that the Senate will pass the House bill to restore the motto, "In God We Trust" to the coins.

Many Catholic prelates attended the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the diocese of Philadelphia.

Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, former British Premier, died on Wednesday morning after a long illness.

There is absolutely no foundation whatever for a report that the American Tobacco Company is about to be voluntarily dissolved.

To-morrow there will be gathered at the University of Pennsylvania's relay games 1200 athletes. This is the sixteenth meeting of this kind.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan declared in New York the other day that he had refused an offer of \$25,000 a year for his services as a corporation lawyer.

The convention of the Republicans of Arizona split, one side being in favor of Taft and the other of Foraker. The delegates elected were not instructed.

The first step in proceeding looking to the release of Harry K. Thaw from the State Asylum for the Criminal Insane, at Matteawan, was taken on Monday.

The threat to send their warships to Turkish waters was enough to make that country back down to the demands of Italy to be treated with the same courtesy as other countries.

A conference of the Governors of States and other prominent Americans will be held at the White House next month to confer upon the conservation of the country's natural resources.

More than 100,000 of the residents of Los Angeles, Cal., welcomed the American battleship fleet which steamed into San Pedro harbor, some twenty miles away from the city, last Saturday.

The House has passed the resolution of Speaker Cannon to investigate the Paper Trust. This, it is believed, will end all hope of the removal of wood pulp duty at this session of Congress.

Word comes from London that there is no truth in the report from the United States that the Prince of Wales will pay a visit to Washington after attending the tercentenary celebration at Quebec next August.

A news dispatch says that conditions are such under the Japanese rule in Mukden that it is not safe to be on the streets after dark. Drunken Japanese soldiers have repeatedly assaulted those who were foolish enough to be caught out.

The actual recounting of the ballots cast at the mayoralty election in New York city in 1905 began this week. It will decide whether George B. McClellan or William R. Hearst is the real mayor of the city.

President Roosevelt has signed the widows' pension bill, which adds approximately \$13,000,000 to the pension rolls. The bill grants pensions of \$12 a month to some 190,000, most of them widows of civil war veterans.

The doubts of Attorney-General Bonaparte in regard to the constitutionality of the employers' liability bill have been cleared away and it is announced from the White House that the President will sign the measure.

A bill has been introduced into Congress appropriating \$2,500,000 for the purchase of the several squares between the Capitol grounds and the Union Station in Washington, and to provide for the grading and parking of the tract.

Owing to protests filed with the District commissioners by the Washington Ministers' Union, the railways entering the District from the South have been requested to either remove or cover the so-called "Jim Crow" signs displayed in their cars.

The suggestion that, in view of his candidacy for the nomination on the Republican ticket for President, Mr. Taft should resign from the Cabinet has not been considered by the Secretary of War. He will continue as one of the President's advisers.

An alarming spread of what is declared to be bubonic plague continues to be reported unofficially from LaGuaira and others places in Venezuela. Whole families in LaGuaira are said to have been stricken and many deaths have resulted from the disease. Despite the efforts of the Government authorities to minimize the situation a reign of terror has seized the inhabitants, who are subsisting entirely upon fish.

The Easter offering on Sunday at Grace Church, New York, amounted to \$156,000. Of this amount \$40,000 was given in memory of Dorothea Wolfe Hoffman, by her mother and sister for the endowment of a home for old men, which forms a part of Grace Hospital.

Acting under orders of Gov. Willson, of Kentucky, Adjutant-General Johnson has formulated plans for a vigorous campaign against night riders. Troops will be assembled at Cadiz, Trigg county to gather in all offenders against whom warrants have been issued.

That railroad freight rates should be increased was the consensus of opinion at a conference of presidents of nearly all of the Eastern trunk lines held at the offices of the Trunk Line Association on Monday. No final action was taken in the matter, which will be further considered by the individual roads.

The House Judiciary Committee reported adversely the bill authorizing the Government to purchase large blocks of mountain lands, extending from New England to Georgia, along the Appalachian and White Mountain ranges, to be converted into a national forest reserve.

There is a persistent rumor on Wall street that two of New York's leading banks are to be merged. This consolidation of the National City Bank and the National Bank of Commerce would make one of the strongest and wealthiest institutions of its kind in the world and the greatest in this country.

Rumor has it that the Czarina will retire to the nunnery of Eternal Silence, for a time at least. The Nunnery of Eternal Silence is situated in the village of Dubovo, near Rubinsk. It is one of the most exclusive religious orders in Russia and no one except ladies belonging to the highest aristocracy are admitted.

A federation of all the employees of the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern Railroads who are union men was accomplished last week. They will fight the reduction in the new wage schedule. A similar action, it is said, may be taken by all of the American railroads and may mark the beginning of a struggle between the unions and the railways.

It has been decided definitely that the American fleet of battle-ships will not call at any European port on its way home, with the exception of certain points in the Mediterranean, where it is necessary to stop for coal. This information is conveyed in the American reply to the invitation extended by Great Britain that the fleet come to England.

The McCall campaign publicity bill introduced by the National Publicity Association, of which Perry Belmont is the Washington representative, was ordered reported favorably by the House Committee on Election of President, Vice-President and Representatives in Congress. This measure will undoubtedly be passed by the House. Whether it will go through the Senate is problematical.

A story is being told in the House of Representatives that somebody high in authority has sent Representative Richmond Hobson on a mission to the Pacific Coast that is expected to bring results that will cause Congress to see the necessity of authorizing the construction of four instead of two battle-ships. Mr. Hobson has left Washington, and it is said that he will join the battleship fleet at a California port.

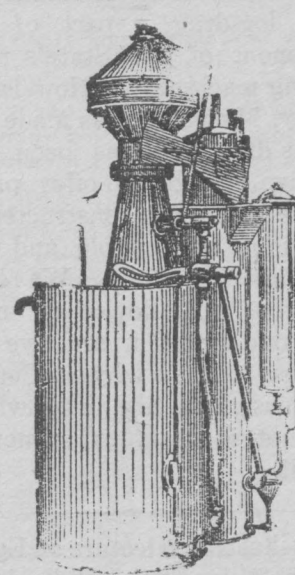
Senator Borah of Idaho, who conducted the prosecution of W. D. Haywood of the Western Federation of Miners on a charge of murdering former Governor Steunenberg, on Monday found opportunity in his maiden speech in the Senate to express his disapproval of any effort to obtain leniency for Harry Orchard, the self-confessed thrower of the bomb which caused Steunenberg's death, and declared Orchard should pay the death penalty.

From a number of conferences which Chairman Cullom, of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, has had recently with President Roosevelt and Secretary Root it is now probable that before the adjournment of the present session of Congress blanket authority will be voted to the President to proceed against Venezuela in such manner as subsequent events may require to uphold the dignity of the United States and protect the interests of American citizens.

Sharp criticism of lavish entertainment by rich American diplomats in order to establish a social standard abroad was heard in the House of Representatives in the course of consideration of the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. The occupation of Dorchester House, London, by Ambassador Reid and a similar display of wealth in Berlin by Ambassador Charlemagne Tower were particularly emphasized in that connection. As one means of counteracting the effect of this ostentation it was urged by many that America should own its legation buildings.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1908.

If the readers of THE CHRONICLE will be good enough to send to this office the names and addresses of former Emmitsburgians, or those identified with or interested in Emmitsburg and its people, the Editor will greatly appreciate the courtesy.

Now that both of the leading political parties of the various States have taken up Prohibition and have really carried it forward with much more rapidity and with a greater degree of success than even Dr. Swallow, the regular Prohibition candidate ever did, an independent party with this issue for its sole purpose would appear to be no longer necessary. This is the practical view taken by the New York *Evening Post*, which, with many another journal, looks with disfavor on the wasting of thousands of dollars and ballots that would otherwise be helpful in increasing the majority of one or the other of the bigger National candidates. It cannot be denied that every voter is entitled to his own opinion and that he has a perfect right to identify himself with whatever organization he pleases. He may become a socialist, a populist, or a prohibitionist, and cast his vote in favor of the principles which those parties espouse. But there is absolutely no hope of any of these organizations gaining success that will be national in scope. It looks like the greatest kind of folly to finance these separate presidential campaigns. As a national issue prohibition can never win; as a local State issue it has been very successful in many parts of the country. But, after all, the prevailing sentiment is for temperance and not prohibition, and a moral question of this kind, involving as it does the inherent rights of individuals, can be much better furthered by suasion rather than by legislative enactment.

It often happens that men who, in an unpretentious manner do the most good for their fellow men receive little or no commendation. This seems to have been the way of the world since time began. Unusual circumstances create heroes, and for every new occasion there arises some one to take the lead. In ordinary life, however, public benefactors are overlooked, they receive nothing for their ideas, although the public profits by them, and soon even their names are forgotten. Not so, however, with a man named King—he who conceived a simple plan by which the average country road could be made better at small cost to his county and State. This man, of ordinary common sense, yet practical and observant, contrived an implement, made from an average log, and he used it for the betterment of the roads near his own property. But so successful was he that the supervisors of the coun-

ty in which he lived adopted his idea and thereafter made the King log-drag a part of the equipment of the State's road-making machinery. Now Talbot county, Maryland, has made use of this drag and has been progressive enough to offer prizes for the best roads constructed by means of this simple and very inexpensive affair. We have spoken of this device on more than one occasion and we are at a loss to know why our County Commissioners and supervisors have not at least experimented with it.

The illustrated lecture on Egypt and the Nile which will be delivered in the Opera House on May 5, by Hon. B. H. Warner, of Washington, D. C., will undoubtedly bring out a very large audience from Emmitsburg and the surrounding country, especially when it is remembered that the proceeds derived from this educational and intensely interesting talk on the oldest country of the world will be devoted to the purchase of new volumes for our Public Library, an institution which from its very start has been a great success, and one which has afforded profitable pleasure to the whole town. Mr. Warner is so well known, not only in Washington but throughout the State of Maryland, that he hardly needs a special introduction to the people of this community. It might be said, however, that Mr. Warner is thoroughly in sympathy with public libraries and all institutions that have for their object the improvement of civic morals and that he has very graciously accepted the invitation to come to Emmitsburg and help her library to enlarge its scope of usefulness.

NOTWITHSTANDING Mr. Bryan's persistency in occupying the forefront of the Democratic stage there are others who, through no unusual effort on their part, are coming prominently before people. Judge Gray, against whose character, public or private nothing can be said, is very much in evidence, and the party of which he is so able an exponent would do well to nominate him for the presidency. There is nothing colorless about Judge Gray. He stands for principles that are high and broad; and moreover he has declared himself as being thoroughly in sympathy with those tenets upon which the Democratic party was founded. There is nothing of the dreamer about Judge Gray. He is a positive man with positive ideas, and possessing, as he does, the experience, the judicial temperament and the foresight and the poise of the true statesman he is in every way fitted to fill the high position to which the same element of his party would elevate him.

STEPS will shortly be taken to organize a baseball team to represent Emmitsburg on the diamond. No sport is quite as interesting as the national game and no other town shows more interest in it. But there is the practical side to be considered. Although the men who take part in it do so for the pure love of the diversion they cannot be expected to supply all the funds necessary to defray legitimate expenses. The public enjoy the sport—they patronize the matches and derive much pleasure therefrom; but unfortunately they do not always contribute their share toward the maintenance of the club. In another column a contributor to THE CHRONICLE has proposed a scheme for financing a nine, and it is to be hoped that those citizens of Emmitsburg who are devoted to the sport—and they are many—will be prompt in responding.

THE dinner given in New York the other day by a Miss Furniss was no doubt a very warm affair.

WITH the election for Burgess and Commissioners only a week or two off it behooves the people of Emmitsburg to think of a ticket that will be acceptable to the public at large. Much ought to be done for the improvement of our town during the next twelve months and only those who are in favor of progress should be nominated. Next week is the time for primaries to be held and on that occasion, let us suggest, all bias and factional feeling should be cast aside. The good of the town—and that alone—should be taken into consideration and only those who are fully qualified to fill the offices provided for by our charter should be considered.

A BOARDING-HOUSE keeper, in St. Louis committed suicide by taking carbolic acid, simply because one of her guests complained that her room was not properly kept. This is a reversal of the ordinary custom, the boarder usually getting a dose for kicking.

Now that Frank Gould has formally declared that wealth was the cause of all his misery, no doubt many will be magnanimous enough to offer to relieve him of at least some of that cause.

THE grand stand will now divide public attention with the Merry Widow hat. —*Baltimore News*.

And not a few men at Pimlico would like to divide the Merry Widow hat in order to see the track from the grand stand.

THERE have been lots of political high flyers but it remained for Milwaukee's retiring mayor who is an aspirant for gubernatorial honors to plan for a canvass in a balloon.

BLUE appears to be the fashionable color in laws as well as women's hats this Spring. —*Chicago Evening Post*.

And to remain, as heretofore, the prevailing tint for the second day of the week.

A MR. MEAL is running for Mayor of Harrisburg, Pa. If he is a square Meal, we can see no objection to him. —*Washington Herald*.

Neither can we. We always were in favor of a Meal ticket.

THREE women of Reikiavik, the capital of Iceland, were elected members of the town council thereby giving as many male nominees the lemon frappe.

THE New York *World* wants to know if a boss must be an ass. —*Philadelphia Press*.

No, he doesn't have to be, but he very frequently is.

COULD the hangman's rope be termed smart neckwear?

MARKET REPORTS.

The following market quotations, which are corrected every Friday morning, are subject to daily changes.

EMMITSBURG.	
Corrected by L. M. Zimmerman	
Wheat, (dry).....	86
Rye.....	70
Oats.....	55
Corn.....	78
Hay.....	\$5.00@9.00
Country Produce Etc.	
Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.	
Butter.....	20
Eggs.....	12
Chickens, per lb.....	10
Turkeys, per lb.....	12
Spring Chickens per lb.....	30
Ducks, per lb.....	12
Potatoes, per bushel.....	\$5.00
Dried Cherries, (seeded).....	12
Raspberries.....	15
Blackberries.....	15
Apples, (dried).....	5
Lard, per lb.....	10
Beef Hides.....	04

BALTIMORE, April. 22	
WHEAT:—Spot, 97½	
CORN:—Spot, 60½	
OATS:—White @ 50	
RYE:—Nearby @ 50	
HAY:—Timothy, \$. @ \$16.00; No. 1 Clover \$15.50@16.00; No. 2 Clover \$13.00@14.00.	
STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, \$12.00@ \$. No. 2, \$11.00@11.50; tangled rye, blocks \$9.50@10.50; wheat, blocks, \$8.00@8.50; oats \$9.00@9.50	
MILL FEED:—Spring bran, per ton, \$27.00@ \$27.50; 100lb. sacks, per ton, 27.50@28.00; mid dlings, 100lb. sacks, per ton, \$27.00@27.50	
POULTRY:—Old hens, @ 14½; young chickens, large, 17@20; small, @ 14; Spring chickens, large, 30@; @ Turkeys, 18@19	
PRODUCE:—Eggs, 16; butter, nearby, rolls 20@; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 20 @.	
POTATOES:—Per bu. 75@80; No. 2, per bu. 65@70 New potatoes, per bbl. \$. @ \$.	
CATTLE:—Steers, best, \$4.50@5.00; others \$3.50@4.00; Hefers, \$. @ \$. Cows, \$2. @ \$3.00; Bulls, \$3.00 @ \$4.00; Calves, 6½@7½	
Fall Lambs, 6½@7½; spring lambs, 9@9½; Pigs, \$1. @ \$1.50, Shoats, \$2. @ \$3. ; Fresh Cows, \$30.00 @ \$40.00 per head..	

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On Saturday, May 2nd, 1908, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., all that real estate situated in the Fifth Election District of Frederick County, in the State of Maryland, near St. Anthony's Church, on the southeast side of the Frederick and Emmitsburg Turnpike Road, about 2½ miles from the town of Emmitsburg, adjoining lands of Mt. St. Mary's College, the heirs of John T. Cretin and others, containing 1 ACRE, 3 ROODS AND 35 SQUARE PERCHES of land, more or less, less about 61 square perches thereof heretofore conveyed to one Frank J. Troxel, by the said mortgagor. The improvements are a good DWELLING HOUSE and STORE ROOM combined, stable and other outbuildings with a well of good water, and some fruit trees.

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Teacher (after explaining the character of the Pharisee)—And now what do we mean by a "hypocrite?" Pupil—Please, miss, a man wot says he is wot he isn't, but he ain't.—Punch.

A Bad Enemy.
Selfishness is the enemy of the home, religion and the state, and self sacrifice the door to the true spiritual life.—Rev. Carroll E. Harding, Episcopalian, Baltimore.

Forced Out.
She—Mr. Bloom does not pay his wife much attention, does he? He—No. The only time I ever knew of his going out with her was once when the gas exploded.

Today's Suggestion by Ellen Stan.

A BOY'S SUIT THAT IS EASILY MADE.

MANY mothers make boys' clothes, and perhaps many more would make them if they understood how to go about it. To cut, fit and finish the blouse and trousers is no more trouble than the making of an ordinary sailor suit for a schoolgirl. But, as with all garments, the final good appearance depends upon the execution of the details. It is right here that many women fail, either from the fact that they do not realize the importance of giving to each part the time necessary to do it properly or they do not care.

Serjes, flannels, linens or lightweight suitings may be effectively employed in making this suit. It is very plain and will require comparatively little work to finish it.



The directions on the pattern must be read before commencing to work with it. All the pieces are then laid on the goods according to the lengthwise rows of small perforations, which indicate the grain of the goods. After they are pinned in place and cut out the notches are cut, and the large perforations that indicate tucks, plaits, etc., are marked with tailor's chalk or a needle and thread.

The plaits in the blouse must be stitched before the waist is basted together. Then all the pieces are joined according to the notches. At this stage the garment is slipped on to see that it sits well. If the blouse is too long waisted, it is cut off at the lower edge. The trousers are shortened at the knees. The buttonholes are worked with heavy twist, and in order to prevent the buttons from pulling when buttoned and giving the material a drawn appearance they must be sewed on with a shank. To arrange for this a steel knitting needle should be placed between the buttons and the

cloth and the stitches taken over this. When the buttons are sewed on, the needle is removed and the thread wound round the shank several times and then fastened off on the wrong side.

This blouse suit is made with a removable collar. The pattern is cut in four sizes—from four to ten years of age. To make this garment for a boy eight years of age it requires 1 1/4 yards of goods 54 inches wide.

Any reader of this paper who desires to procure this pattern may do so by sending 10 cents to this office. Give the number, 3883, and size and write the full name and address plainly. Pattern will be forwarded promptly by mail.

THE DUCK SHOVER.

A Man Who Gets Things on the Bounce and the Nod.

An amusing dialogue occurred between Judge Willis, K. C., and a plaintiff who sued a man for the value of a quantity of grain supplied.

His honor said he had received a letter from the defendant, who said he could offer only half a crown a month. "That," continued his honor, "will take six years to get rid of the debt."

Plaintiff (emphatically)—I would willingly forgive a poor man, but when you find he is a "swanker" and doing every one in the neighborhood it puts your back up. [Laughter.] We have to cut things very fine in order to get a shilling or two, and then these gentry come "swanking" about the country as if they were toffs. I am told by others that he is nothing more than a "duck shover." [Laughter.]

His Honor—A what shover? [Loud laughter.]

Plaintiff—Duck shover, your honor, a man who gets things on the bounce and the nod. [Renewed laughter.]

His Honor—You mean a man who gets people to let him have things on credit by representations that are not correct? Is that what you mean to convey by your big phrases—duck shover and so forth? [Laughter.]

Plaintiff—That's it—duck shover and swanker. [Renewed laughter.]

An order to pay 5 shillings monthly was made.—London News.

Facetious Testators.

Will making often affords a man an unrivaled opportunity of paying off old scores and speaking his mind without any fear of unpleasant consequences to himself.

The great Duke of Marlborough evidently could not resist the temptation of a farewell slap at his duchess when he left her "£10,000 wherewith to spoil Blenheim in her own way and £15,000 to keep clean and go to law with."

There is also a distinct note of spitefulness in this extract from the testament of a Mr. Kerr who, after declaring that he would probably have left his widow £10,000 if she had allowed him to read his evening paper in peace, adds: "But you must remember, my dear, that whenever I commenced reading you started playing and singing. You must therefore take the consequences. I leave you £1,000."—Grand Magazine.

The Dolphin Violin.

The Dolphin violin was so named on account of the beauty of the wood, the back of the instrument resembling the color of a dolphin. It was made by Stradivarius in 1714, and it is considered the most beautiful violin in the world. It is owned by an Englishman and is valued at £5,000.—Musical Home Journal.

CHURCH TIME.

Quaint Ways of the Early Dutch Settlers in the New World.

As early as 1659 the Dutch settlers at Kingston, N. Y., erected with their own hands a little church building and dedicated it the following year. When a regular minister arrived from Holland the same year, writes Mrs. Nellie Urner Wallington in "Historic Churches of America," he found himself a domestic with a membership of but sixteen souls and a salary paid in wheat, which was then legal tender among these humble tillers of the soil.

In 1694 a bell was imported and gave such pleasure to the members of the little parish that they used it to announce the hours for meals for the farmers of the neighborhood.

The observance of one quaint custom was reminiscent of their former life in Holland—the announcement by the gray haired sexton between the ringing of the first and last church bells that the hour for service had arrived.

From door to door he traveled, rapped loudly and cried, "Church time!"

Notices of all kinds, whether of funerals, christenings, weddings or merry-makings, were handed first to the sexton, who in turn gave them to the clerk, who stuck them on the end of the bamboo pole which he kept for that purpose and reached them up to the dominie.

At the termination of the service, as in other Dutch churches, the deacons took up the collection with long poles having little velvet bags hung on the ends and a tinkling bell to wake the sleepers to the responsibilities of a contribution.

Town Drummers.

In Scotland the town drummer was an important personage and performed many duties. When beggars or suspicious characters could not give a satisfactory account of themselves on being brought before the bailies and were ordered to be placed in the pillory or in the jugs they were afterward drummed out of the town. The drummer would also make known after beating his drum to attract attention notices relating to town affairs, routings under judicial authority, etc.—London Notes and Queries.

Got His Wish.

At the height of their nightly quarrel the other day Mrs. Blank choked back a sob and said reproachfully: "I was reading one of your old letters today, James, and you said in it that you would rather live in endless torment with me than in bliss by yourself." "Well, I got my wish," Blank growled.

HERE AND THERE.

Hats Trimmed While You Wait—Cretonne For Evening Wraps.

For those who find the usual velvet and satin materials used for evening wraps beyond their means there is no better substitute or one more effective than a good quality of flowered crettonne. It is difficult to distinguish it from brocade unless very near at hand. A novelty offered this season is the hat trimmed while you wait without



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thread or needle. The most fascinating wings, plumes, birds, ribbon bows and bands are shown attached to sharp easily bent wires. To place them on the hat is the work of a moment, and the effect is really more graceful than if the old time method of needle and thread was used. To adjust these wings or plumes or any of the threadless trimming the pin is inserted in the hat where the trimming is to be placed and is then bent firmly against the inside of the hat.

French dresses are always attractive for small children. The one in the accompanying illustration is easily made and will be effective when finished. The material is tucked yoke depth both back and front. The full blouse waist is sewed to the skirt and the whole finished with a belt of the material.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Unintentional Sabbath Breaking.

In the early days of New England it was the custom to keep the Sabbath from sundown Saturday night until the same hour on Sunday. That this practice was attended by pitfalls is shown by an incident told in "The Papers of the Connecticut Valley Historical Society."

There lived in Ryefield a thrifty dame, an enterprising, driving woman and a notable housewife. The good woman was not willing to lose Sunday evenings out of her catalogue of housework, but she was pious withal and strictly kept the day to the sunset limit. As soon as the sun was fairly below the horizon she would begin her washing and get her clothes ready for drying bright and early on Monday morning.

One cloudy Sunday she, supposing the day was ended, changed her Sunday gown, rolled up her sleeves and went to work. As she was scrubbing away in the kitchen, her face toward the west window, the clouds suddenly broke, and the great round sun shone in full on the poor Sabbath breaker at work. She gave one cry of amazement and horror and fled the kitchen.

After that sinful day she never began her work on Sunday evening.

Lincoln's Rules.

On one occasion President Lincoln on entering the telegraph office of the war department, writes Mr. Bates in "Lincoln in the Telegraph Office," was heard to remark to Secretary Seward. "By jings, governor, we are here at last!" Turning to him in a reproving manner, Mr. Seward said, "Mr. President, where did you learn that inelegant expression?" Without replying to the secretary, Lincoln addressed the telegraph operators, saying:

"Young gentlemen, excuse me for swearing before you. 'By jings' is swearing, for my good old mother taught me that anything that had a 'by' before it was swearing."

One day Secretary Seward, who was not renowned as a joker, said he had been told that a short time before on a street crossing Lincoln had been seen to turn out in the mud to give a colored woman a chance to pass.

"Yes," said Lincoln, "It has been a rule of my life that if people would not turn out for me I would turn out for them. Then you avoid collisions."

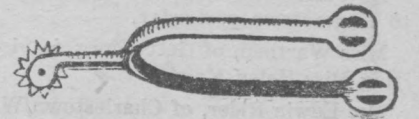
Chained Skeletons.

One of the most interesting episodes of the Greek revolution in 1825 is of a certain cavalry officer who surprised a detachment of Turks, routed them and captured their 20,000 sheep. Upon this a Turkish general marched over to them with 5,000 men and recaptured the sheep. The general posted his men behind low earthworks. One redoubt of their opponents was held by a young captain with 100 picked men, who tied their legs together and swore to hold the spot or die. They all fell at their posts but one, who fled, and long afterward a row of skeletons could be seen bleaching their bones, which were bound loosely together with shreds of girdles.

By a recent decision of the Postoffice Department publishers of newspapers are not allowed to continue sending their publications to subscribers who are in arrears for more than one year.

As this law affects ALL PUBLISHERS of newspapers in the United States, we regret that we are unable to deviate from the rule.

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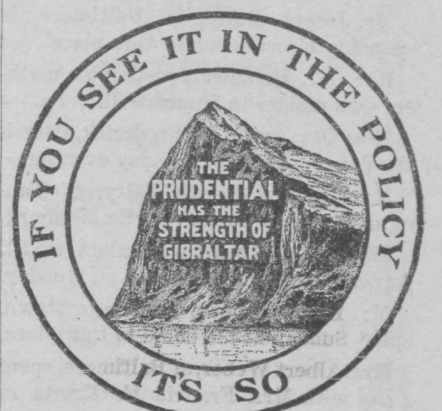


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PERSONALS.

THE CHRONICLE invites its readers to send in communications containing personals and items of news from their respective localities. Articles intended for insertion in the CHRONICLE should reach this office on Wednesday morning and they should, in every instance, be signed by the correspondent as an evidence of good faith. The name of the writer, however, will not be published unless there is a request to that effect.

Mr. Joseph R. Hoke visited in Carlisle.

Mr. Norbert Mullen spent Easter in this place.

Mr. John Murry spent a few days in this place.

Miss Elizabeth Horner spent a week in Baltimore.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Shulenberger went to Hagerstown yesterday.

Miss Warthen, of Gettysburg, is visiting Miss Helen Knode.

Mr. Edwin Rider, of Charlestown, W. Va., spent a day in town.

Miss Horner, of Gettysburg, was in Emmitsburg last Monday.

Masters Edgar and Samuel Annan are visiting in Westminster.

Miss Ann Codori, of Gettysburg, is visiting Dr. J. McC. Forman.

Mr. Edgar Rhodes spent his Easter vacation at his home near town.

Mrs. Kate Grinder, who spent the Winter in Baltimore, has returned.

Mrs. Downey, of New Market, visited her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Stone.

Mr. Joseph Rowe, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation in this place.

Rev. Mr. Reinewald visited his mother, who resides in Duncansville, Pa.

Miss Ora Smith, of Frederick, attended the dance given last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Welty, of Taneytown, spent Easter in Emmitsburg.

Miss Helen Knouff was taken to St. Agnes' Hospital, Baltimore, on Monday.

Mr. Harry Knode, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mrs. Albert Weber, of Baltimore, spent a day with Mrs. Francis E. Kreitz in this place.

Miss Agnes Taylor, of Baltimore, spent a few days at the home of Mr. J. Edwin Chrismer.

Mr. Fennell, of Baltimore, and Mr. Newcomer, of Frederick, spent Monday in this place.

Miss Mary Burns and Eva McCovett, of Washington, D. C., are stopping at Mr. Clark Shaffer's.

Rev. Mr. Kenneth M. Craig attended the meeting of Presbytery in Baltimore on Wednesday.

Mr. John Rosensteel has gone to Baltimore where he will engage in the baking business.

Misses Mame Zellers, Clara Shroeder and Mr. Charles Zellers, of Frederick, visited Miss Helen Knode.

Messrs. Charles Sebour and Daniel Gelwicks, both of St. Agnes' Hospital, Baltimore, spent a few days in this place.

Messrs. Babylon, of Westminster, Guy King, of Fairfield, Byron Horner, of Gettysburg, attended the dance given in the Opera House last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke and Miss Fanny Hoke left for Carlisle, Pa., on Sunday where they visited Mr. Hoke's daughter, Mrs. S. R. Minnich. Miss Hoke and her father returned on Monday.

Will Be Finished This Summer.

The Maryland Tuberculosis Sanitarium, near Sabillasville, will be finished and ready for use this Summer. About seventy-five men are employed on the main building, which will be under roof by the last of next week. Scarcity of labor at first delayed the contractors, but that difficulty has been overcome, and unless something goes wrong the sanitarium will be ready for patients by August 1.

NOTICE.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until May 6th, 1908, for the grading of Monocacy Hill on the Bull Frog Road in Frederick county. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Specifications can be had by calling on the committee.

John H. Ohler,
Walter W. Shoemaker,
Geo. S. Valentine.

April 24-25.

Spring and Summer Opening.

Helen K. Hoke announces the spring and summer opening and display of the very latest creations of Pattern Hats and all up-to-date Millinery Novelties, Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2, 1908, Emmitsburg, Maryland.

LUMBER SALE.

On Saturday, May 2, 1908, the County Commissioners will have a lumber sale at Wilson's Ford on the Keysville road.

April 24-25.

"Egypt and the Nile," May 5.

EMMITSBURG'S GRAND BALL.

The Most Notable And Charming Social Event of the Season Held in Opera House.

(Contributed.)

The ball given Monday evening by the young men of Emmitsburg was the social triumph of our pleasant village. The surroundings were well worthy this festive occasion, the hall being most tastefully decorated with Japanese lanterns, ferns, palms and flowers of almost tropical fragrance and beauty. While the well-known Braddock Heights Orchestra discoursed the soft alluring strains of the waltz and mazurka, fair maids and matrons vied with gallant cavaliers in curtsy and grace as the hours of happy revelry hastened on and the midnight hour had passed alas too swiftly.

Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames H. G. Beam, Brooke Boyle, S. L. Rowe, Luther Zimmerman, J. Stewart Annan, A. M. Patterson, T. E. Zimmerman, M. F. Shuff, Dr. and Mrs. Foreman; Mesdames, Downey, of New Market; D. E. Stone, A. E. Horner; Misses Grace Rowe, Louisa Sebold, Carrie, Eva and Anna Rowe, Lulu and Hazel Patterson, Elizabeth Horner, Estelle and Anna Codori, Joanna White, Madeline Frailey, Ora Smith, of Frederick; Horner, Gettysburg; Eva and Rachel Shulenberger, Bruce Morrison, Elizabeth Hoke, Helen Annan, Anna Gillelan, Nellie Eyster, Helen Hoke, Caroline Stone, Mount Pleasant; Helen and Mary Shuff, Barbara and Tabitha Beam, Sue and Lou Guthrie, Ruth and Rhoda Gillelan; Messrs. Edgar Annan, Robert Gillelan, Charles Rowe, Isaac Annan, Jr., Robert Annan, Herbert Gilling, Charles Stokes, Annan Horner, Joseph Shuff, George P. Rowe, Snider Babylon, Westminster; Guy King, Fairfield, Byron Horner, Gettysburg; Hugh Scott, Gettysburg; Fennell, Baltimore; Freeman Newcomer, Frederick; George Eyster, Robert Sellers, Joseph Rowe, R. M. Zacharias and Clarence Frailey.

Letter To The Editor.

To the Editor:

I would like to bring to the attention of the public through the columns of your valuable paper a proposition on the baseball question, and would feel gratified if you would publish the following:

To the People:

Our energetic Editor has sounded the "Baseball Bugle" and it is now up to the people. I would like to make a suggestion that Mr. Galt be made treasurer of a fund to be known as the "Baseball Fund," to be raised by popular subscription and augmented by a supper or some other such scheme that would meet with general approval.

Judging from the attendance at the games last year, I am sure the ladies would lend their valuable assistance, without which any thing of this nature must be a failure. Almost everybody would give something towards a supper and in my opinion quite a neat little sum could be realized for the support of the game.

I also would suggest the calling of a meeting, and that special invitations to attend be given Dr. Foreman, Messrs. Annan Horner, Sterling Galt, E. Lewis Higbee, Peter Burket, John Gelwicks, Joseph Rowe, Charles Rowe, Charles Rider, Harry Hopp and Dr. Brawnner. From the above named gentlemen committees could be appointed and the work apportioned out and in that way systematized. Let us hear from others on this subject. "FAN."

"Q. R. S." Entertained by Mrs. Zimmerman.

Last Tuesday night the "Q. R. S." met and was delightfully entertained by Mrs. E. E. Zimmerman. The programme was exceptionally good and the papers on Forestry, prepared by Mrs. J. H. Stokes and a Government expert, were most interesting. The subject was dealt with both from its aesthetic and practical side and as the subject is one of vital interest to the country at large, the papers were extremely timely. The subject for the next meeting of the society is the Sahara, when the members will be entertained by Mrs. M. F. Shuff.

EGYPT AND THE NILE.

An illustrated lecture by Hon. B. H. Warner, of Washington, will be given under the auspices of the Public Library, on the evening of May 5th in the Emmitsburg Opera House. The proceeds from the lecture are to be devoted to the purchase of new books for the local institution.

Messrs. Hogarth, Dinterman, Kefauver and J. Stewart Annan, members of the board of county commissioners spent Wednesday in this vicinity. From here they went to Westminster.

The Emmitsburg Public School baseball club opened the season by defeating a picked nine by the score of eight to six. Batteries, Cook and Sellers; O'Brien and Topper.

IMPORTANT CHURCH MEETING

General Synod of Reformed Church To Convene Next Month in York.

The sixteenth annual session of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States will open in York, Tuesday, May 19, and will continue for ten days.

The meeting will be held in the Trinity Reformed Church, of which Rev. H. H. Apple is pastor. He is chairman of the local committee of arrangements.

On account of the great volume of business that will be transacted the coming meeting of the Synod will be an important one. Questions of the greatest importance to the Reformed Church throughout the county will be discussed.

It is expected that upwards of 300 delegates will answer the roll call on the opening day. The General Synod of the Reformed Church of the United States is composed of eight district synods and sixty-eight classes.

DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN MAN.

Mr. Harry McNair, of Freedom Township, Succumbs To a Lingering Illness.—Funeral To-morrow.

Mr. Harry McNair, of Freedom township, Adams county, Pa., died at his late residence at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. Although living across the line, Emmitsburg claimed him as one of her citizens, and hardly a day passed when Mr. McNair was in full health that he was not to be seen in the community, where he was very popular and much esteemed by all. Mr. McNair conducted a very large and successful business, that of a dealer in live-stock, and was widely known not only in Pennsylvania and Maryland, but throughout Virginia and West Virginia where he dealt extensively. The deceased is survived by his wife formerly, Miss Alice Keilholtz; by nine children, Robert, Benjamin, Henry, Charles, Misses Maude, Carrie, Alice, Mary and Helen McNair, a sister, Miss Helen McNair, of Baltimore, and four brothers, Robert and Watson, living in the West, William B. McNair, of Fairplay, and Samuel McNair, of Emmitsburg. Funeral services will be held at the home of the deceased to-morrow, Saturday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Mr. Reinewald will officiate and the interment will be made in the Presbyterian Cemetery.

NOTICE.

There will be held at the Engine House in the town of Emmitsburg, Md., on Monday, May 4th, 1908, by the qualified voters of said town, an election for a Burgess and Six Commissioners to serve for the ensuing year. The Polls will open at 9 o'clock A.M. and close at 2 o'clock P. M.

T. E. ZIMMERMAN
Burgess.

A CARD.

The writer unable for lack of time to say "Good Bye" in person to his friends in Emmitsburg and vicinity, takes this opportunity to thank the good people of his native town for their hospitality and many kindnesses toward him, assuring them that he will always bear them in grateful recollection and carry with him his most sincere wishes for their happiness and prosperity.

GEORGE P. ROWE.

Killed a Large Fish Hawk.

On last Friday Mr. M. I. Harbaugh killed an American Osprey or Fish Hawk that was flying over the farm belonging to St. Joseph's Academy. The extent of the bird's wings was five feet, five and a half inches.

These birds are rarely seen so far from salt water and seldom are they so large as this specimen. The hawk was on exhibition last Saturday in THE CHRONICLE office and attracted not a little attention.

Aid the Emmitsburg Library by attending the illustrated lecture on Egypt and the Nile. The date is May 5. Don't forget. apr. 24-25.

The band gave a concert on the Square on Monday night that was appreciated by every one who heard it.

THERMOMETRIC READINGS.

Taken every week day from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer.

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EASTER IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES

Ceremonies and Special Services Drew Many People to Emmitsburg.—Decorations Particularly Beautiful.

The special religious services held in this place on Easter Sunday drew to the town a great many country folk. In all the churches that observe the festival the altar decorations and music were fitting to the occasion.

At the Reformed Church of The Incarnation, Rev. Mr. Gluck, pastor, the Sacrament of the Holy Communion was celebrated at the morning service. The congregation was unusually large on this occasion and the offering, which is to be devoted to benevolent purposes was most liberal. The altar decorated with lilies and other flowers was beautiful. In the evening special exercises significant of Easter were given by the Sunday School.

The congregation of St. Elias Lutheran Church celebrated the Lord's Supper on Easter morning. The church was decorated for the occasion and an augmented choir sang special music. Rev. Mr. Reinewald conducted the service. In the evening the Sunday School held its exercises which were very interesting. A large congregation was in attendance at all the Easter services.

The services at St. Joseph's Catholic Church began with Low Mass at 7 o'clock in the morning. Solemn High Mass was offered at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father J. O. Hayden, celebrant, Mr. Munster, of Mt. St. Mary's, deacon, and Mr. Stock also of the Seminary, sub-deacon. Father Eckels had charge of the vesper services. The music was of a special nature and was well sung. This is one of the most beautiful churches in State and on Easter Sunday with the special decorations, it is safe to say that in no other church was Easter more fittingly observed.

Celebrated 40th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fogle celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their marriage at their hospitable home in Detour, on April 18th. The interior of the house was beautifully decorated with ferns, evergreens, and potted plants. The guests were pleasantly entertained until noon when the dining room doors were thrown open and an elaborate dinner was served.

The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Fogle and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fogle and daughter, of Baltimore; Mr. S. A. Fogle, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Weybright and children, of Detour; and Mr. C. R. Fogle, of Annapolis. Mr. and Mrs. G. Fogle and children, of Thurmont, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fite, and children, of Motters; Mrs. Georgiana Mason, and daughter, Mrs. Carolina Melchor, Mrs. Louise Long, of Baltimore; Mrs. William Fogle and son, Miss Kathryn Appold and Mrs. Emma Powell, of Detour.

Attorneys at Law And In Fact.

The following is one of the laws approved by Governor Crothers:

Section 1. No person shall practice the profession or perform the services of an attorney at law within this State without being admitted to the bar as hereinafter directed; and any person who shall give any legal advice, represent any person in the trial of any case at law or in equity, or prepare any written instrument affecting the title to real estate, for pay or reward, shall be deemed an attorney at law for the purpose of this Article.

Section 2. Be it enacted. That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

DANCE AT HOTEL SPANGLER

On Monday night a delightful dance was given at Hotel Spangler. Some sixty of Emmitsburg's young people were there. This dance coming so soon after the Lenten season was considered by all one of the most pleasant functions of its kind that they had the pleasure of attending. The music was furnished by the Emmitt Cornet Band, and better music has seldom been heard in this place.

There will be a primary election held at Hotel Spangler on Tuesday evening April 28, to nominate candidates for burgess and commissioners, to be voted for at the election to be held on May 4, next.

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THE FOUNDER OF GETTYSBURG

Short Account of the Life of James Gettys, Frontiersman.—Gettystown Plotted as Early as 1780.

James Gettys, the founder of Gettysburg, is the subject of an extensive article in the *Gettysburg Compiler*. From that paper it is gathered that this gentleman was a "frontiersman, living an arduous life, doing things." His father was of Scotch-Irish descent, coming to this country in 1740 and settling in Lancaster county. "He stayed in the latter county about twenty-five years, and during this time, on August 4, 1759, a son, James Gettys, was born. The warrant for the 250 acres in the Manor of Maske, the site of the present town of Gettysburg to Samuel Gettys was dated in 1765, and the family moved to their new home about 1767. The nearest neighbor of the Gettys family is said to have been the Dobbin family, the former occupying the log house erected north of the Globe Hotel and the latter the old stone house standing on Steinwehr avenue in this place.

The idea that this place would measure up to the purpose of a site for a town must have occurred to the Gettys family soon after taking up the land. There is a record at Harrisburg indicating that a town was plotted as early as 1780. The various roads centering at this place evidently pointed to the future town to be built along those roads. The place is referred to in a marriage certificate given by Rev. Dobbin in 1787 as Gettystown and seems to have been better known by that name for the next decade than by its present name. 1783 is given as the date when the log house was built by the Gettys family. A trading store was opened by them and proved profitable and soon afterwards they built the first tavern on the site of the Globe Inn.

The old gentleman died in 1790 and his son, the subject of this article, developed the property handed to him by his father. The agitation for a new county began in 1790 and continued for ten years, and James Gettys won in the fight, when he was turning the fortieth year of his age. This was no child's fight, but an intense struggle between the Scotch Irish of the Great Conowingo and those of Marsh Creek, and arrayed with Gettys were the McPhersons, McCleams, McSherrys, Horners, Cobenes, Crawfords, Dunwoods and others, and against them a determined party in the Dicksons, Brinkerhoffs, Cassatts, Duncans, Kings, Longwells, Morrisons and others who were upholders of the claims of Hunterstown.

The two towns had been plotted and each had adopted methods of their own in furthering their campaign, to become the county seat. Hunterstown had been plotted, and if the county seat had been located at that point it is altogether likely the county seat would not have borne that name, but would have been called "Woodstock" for that is the name of the town as plotted. Citizens from many portions of the town became lot owners and presumably could then be depended upon to lend their voice to the selection of Woodstock as the county seat.

James Gettys was wide awake to what was going on and when things began to get warm, in 1799, he deeded to the Rev. Alexander Dobbin and David Moore, the commissioners, to select the county seat, 200 lots in Gettysburg with the quit rents, and also a lot for a "goal" and court house. This was a master stroke of Gettys and followed by promises of private citizens to subscribe several thousand dollars toward the building of a jail and court house, won the day for Gettysburg.

In 1815 Gettys died, being fifty-six years old, and his wife, Mary Todd, cousin of Abraham Lincoln's wife, survived him three days.

Examination of Rural Carriers.

There will be an examination of rural mail carriers in Frederick on May 16th, at the city postoffice. Those who pass the examination will be put on the eligible list for this county, and in case of illness or the retirement of old carriers their successors will be chosen from the eligible list. The Government has asked for six applicants from this district. Any person desiring to take the examination can get the application blanks at the Emmitsburg office. The examination will be on spelling, arithmetic, reading addresses and filling out of rural carrier's forms.

A Japanese Argument

The theory that the germs of tuberculosis get into the human system chiefly through the medium of cow's milk is discounted in Japan, where such milk is practically unknown, while the mortality from tuberculosis is nevertheless very great, being in Tokio about one-fifth of the total number of deaths.

For the second time somebody has broken the plate glass in the office door of Dr. Brawner's new dwelling on East Main street

"Egypt and the Nile," May 5.

WESTERN MARYLAND INSPECTED

German Bankers in Interest of Their Clients Are Looking Over Railroad Property Here.

Mr. Blinzig, a director of the Deutsche Bank of Germany, in the interest of that institution is in Baltimore. The Bank several years ago made a loan of about \$3,000,000 to the railroad, for which collateral to the amount of \$5,000,000 of Western Maryland first mortgage 4 per cent. bonds was given. At the time of the appointment of the receiver it was claimed that the Bank refused to extend the loan, which fell due April 1, and that this contributed greatly to the necessity for the naming of a receiver.

Mr. Blinzig reached Baltimore last Saturday, and in company with Vice-President Alexander Robertson and other officials of the Western Maryland went over the property and visited the Western Maryland terminals at Port Covington.

OUR SECURITY IS QUESTIONED

Battleship Appropriation Settled Wrong.—Fresh-Water Sailors And Their Peculiar Ideas.

It is idle, says the Providence Bulletin, to point out to those who pin their faith for our security to our "eighty millions of people" that Russia's one hundred and twenty millions did not prevent her being well trounced by Japan. Nor can we depend, in these days of quick transit by land and water, upon the isolation of our geographical position to bring us security. The matter is settled for the present, and settled wrong. We should congratulate ourselves that it is no worse, for even two ships are better than Mr. Tawney's one, or the none at all which would be a logical outcome if the ideas of such fresh-water sailors were carried to their legitimate conclusion.

THE APRIL "MOUNTAINEER"

The April number of *The Mountaineer* is a special edition devoted to the Purcell Lyceum, one of the leading societies at Mount St. Mary's College. The illustrations and typographical "get up" of the magazine are both excellent. In Mr. Cletus Keating's article on "The Spirit of the Drama" the author has brought out in very striking manner the good influence that can be exerted by the drama in that "theatre ruled by the principles of true art and Christian ethics." The "ministry of speech" and the necessity of thinking on your feet and giving proper expression to your ideas in speech and with eloquence are brought to the attention of the reader in "Oratory, the Demand of the Times," written by J. D. Victory.

"A Dream," by Mr. Keating, '10, and the sonnet by Mr. Walsh, '10 among the many poetical contributions seem the best. This is Mr. Walsh's sonnet:

See the glory of the tinted sunrise!
The sable clouds of night are put to flight,
And lose their terror in the gentle light
Which wakes the sleepy wild flower where it lies.
Now waves of color mount the pale blue sky.
On Heaven's cheek a deeper blush is seen,
And morning mists, which are to earth a screen,
Are melted by the warmth of Nature's eye.
Thus goes the good soul through this earthly round—
The dark cohorts of evil fly its light:
The purer souls from contact brighter grow—
It gleams more brightly where evil doth abound,
And in a gloomy fog of sin and blight,
Its rays light up the path to those below.

German Baptists in Convention

The German Baptist Brethren of the Eastern District of Maryland, met in convention at Rocky Ridge on Tuesday. The delegates attending the meeting are the representatives of twelve churches.

The contract for the Bull Frog road bridge was awarded to the York Bridge Company. Mr. Poffenberger, of Myersville got the contract for the mason work, his bid being \$3.49 per cubic yard.

A Dresden publishing house will issue post cards painted by royal artists. The German Emperor will probably contribute some of the series.

A cement pavement is being laid by Mr. Charles Gillelan in front of the property on West Main street owned by the Misses Motter.

Mr. Harry Harner is having a cement pavement laid in front of the properties he recently purchased on East Main Street.

Villanova defeated Mount St. Mary's at baseball on Wednesday in a loosely played game. The score was 9-3.

The services in the various churches on Easter Sunday were very largely attended.

Mr. Robert Patterson is having his house painted.

Mr. Lewis Mentzer has had his house painted.

RAILROAD EXPECTS PROSPERITY

Northern Pacific Preparing For Increased Business.—Near Future Will See Better Times.

C. M. Levy, third vice-president of the Northern Pacific Railroad, in charge of the operating department, says his company would spend \$1,500,000 in the next 60 days for freight cars in anticipation of increased business.

"Business has steadily increased since the first of the year," said Mr. Levy. "January was our lightest month, but there was a slight improvement in February. March was a great deal better than the preceding month, and the records for April indicate that traffic is continuing on the upward trend. The Northern Pacific will finish a great deal of line improvement work this year. Grades have been reduced and curves straightened out at various places."

THE BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION

Meeting Held in Gettysburg and Organization Effected and Officers Elected.

The Gettysburg Battlefield Memorial Commission met in Gettysburg on Monday and organized by selecting General St. Clair A. Mulholland, Philadelphia, chairman, and George P. Morgan, Philadelphia, secretary.

This commission was authorized by the State Legislature in 1901; when an appropriation of \$100,000 was made to erect a suitable memorial to the soldiers of the Keystone State who fought at Gettysburg. After organizing the commission went over the field and in the evening a joint meeting with citizens of Gettysburg was held. It was decided on Tuesday to place the memorial on or near Hancock Avenue in the vicinity of the High Water Mark Monument. The design for the memorial was not settled.

General St. Clair Mulholland, General H. S. Huidekoper and Judge Charles A. McKenna were appointed a committee to get designs and were authorized to offer three prizes to the three architects whose plans should be considered the best. The first prize will be \$500, the second \$250, and third \$100. The contest will close August 1.

ONE MAN THWARTS CONGRESS.

The representatives of 774 newspapers assembled in New York at their annual convention unanimously asked that Congress and President grant them "immediate relief from the exactions of combinations of paper-makers." At the same time, in Washington, one man was thwarting all prospects of aid at this session of Congress. Speaker Cannon was having his way by bringing about the adoption of a resolution for a special committee to investigate conditions in the paper trade. The obedient Republican majority voted as he wished, thereby putting an end to all hopes of any tariff change at this session of Congress. The "stand-patters" have won all along the line; the President, the great body of revisionists, the newspapers of the country have appealed in vain. The sacrosanct tariff is secure until immediately after the next election, when, if the Republicans control, it will promptly be safeguarded by postponing any revision for at least another year. The press might as well acknowledge its defeat cheerfully. It is mightier than the sword, but less powerful than the Speaker of the House—and the interests whose will he did yesterday.—*New York Post*.

All The Difference in The World

Dr. Stubbs, Bishop of Truro, states that when he was living in Liverpool he went to a wealthy merchant for a subscription. "They tell me you are a Socialist," the merchant said; "what is the meaning of that?" He replied by saying that there was political Socialism and there was Christian Socialism. The one said, "What is yours is mine," and the other said, "What is mine is yours." "I have met a good many of the first sort," said the merchant, "but never any of the second. Here is £20 for you."—*Sunday School Magazine*.

The total population of France (in Europe) is 38,350,788. The female sex exceeds the masculine in number, the figures being, respectively, 19,533,899 and 18,816,889. On the other hand, an excess in the number of the unmarried is shown on the masculine side, the respective figures being 9,917,178 and 9,114,356. There are 2,384,897 widows and divorced women as against 1,005,884 widowers and divorced men. France contains 207,218 square miles, being about one-fifth smaller than Texas, one-tenth smaller than the two Dakotas and Minnesota combined and almost exactly the same area as the New England and Middle States, with Ohio added.

It cost the city of New York \$551,304 to remove the snow that fell in that city last Winter.

In Australia there are nearly 247,000 more men than women.

LOCAL DEMOCRATS LIKE YOUNG

Frederick County Organization Urge Nomination of Allegany County Man to Oppose Pearre.

The Democratic organization of this county agrees with the action of the leaders in Allegany county in nominating John W. Young for Congress. The opinion prevails that an Allegany county Democrat could make a stronger fight against Congressman Pearre than a nominee from any other part of the Sixth district. The names of Senator Shannon and Mr. De Warren H. Reynolds have also been mentioned in connection with nomination.

County Chairman Charles H. Conley will call a meeting of the county central committee early in July, at which time a date will be set for the Congressional primaries.

GUINEAS USEFUL ON THE FARM.

The guinea is not a valuable fowl, says the *Farm and Fireside*, but it is exceedingly useful. Its carcass and eggs will not realize for the farmer as many dollars and cents in cash as other birds, but in usefulness it will save many more dollars than any other fowl or animal on the farm.

Unless the farmer has a large farm, and can allow these birds to run at large and forage, it is useless to attempt to raise them. They seem to prefer to go as far away from home during the day as they possibly can, always returning to their home in the evening. They prefer to seek their own food in the fields as long as they can procure it, but if they get hungry they will come home to feed.

These birds eat a great many worms, bugs and beetles, and on account of ability to fly to the high trees on the farm, they secure many insects and worms which would otherwise prey upon the leaves and fruits of those trees. Guinea partly keep down noxious weeds and plants. They are good watchers, and will set up a loud shrill to warn their comrades if a human being, dog or hawk attracts their attention.

Guinea eggs sell for less than other eggs, but as they are secured practically for nothing, the farmers should not complain. The guinea fowl has a very keen sense of odor, and if the eggs in a nest are removed by hand it will cause the hens to seek another place.

About twenty or thirty guineas will be found very useful on a farm of from fifty to one hundred acres, but they will not thrive on a small plot or in confinement.

THE LITTLE GENTLEMAN.

I knew him for a gentleman
By signs that never fail;
His coat was rough and rather worn,
His cheeks were thin and pale—
A lad who had his way to make,
With little time to play,
I knew him for a gentleman
By certain signs today.

He met his mother on the street,
Off came his little cap.
My door was shut, he waited there
Until I heard his rap.
He took his bundle from my hand,
And when I dropped my pen
He sprang to pick it up for me,
This little gentleman.

He does not push or crowd along,
His voice is gently pitched;
He does not fling his books about
As if he were bewitched,
He stands aside to let you pass;
He always shuts the door;
He runs on errands willingly;
To forge and mill and store.

He thinks of you before himself;
He serves you if he can.

For in whatever company,
The manners make the man.

At ten and forty 'tis the same;
The manner tells the tale,

And I discern the gentleman
By signs that never fail.

—Exchange.

WHAT ROOSEVELT MIGHT DO

Conceding that it is practically nobody's business but his own and his family's, what Mr. Roosevelt addresses himself to at the expiration of his term, but seeing that some of his strongest admirers have seen fit to raise the question, we venture the suggestion that he would be eminently desirable that he should secure an insight into actual business life, by engaging in almost any one of the common business careers, and in a place where he would have to assume both responsibility and risk. There would be a rather useful lesson for him in the experience.—*New Bedford Standard*.

Since 1902, when the Federal reclamation Act was passed the Government has added 5,000,000 acres to the country's habitable land, and these, with the 7,200,000 reclaimed from the desert before that year, make an increase of more than 12,000,000 acres in the country's habitable area.

Aid the Emmitsburg Library by attending the illustrated lecture on Egypt and the Nile. The date is May 5. Don't forget. apr. 24-25.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

The Holy Week services at St. Anthony's Church were most solemn and beautiful. A High Mass was celebrated on Thursday at 7.30 A. M., after mass followed the procession from the main altar to St. Anthony's altar where the repository was arranged. In the evening at 7.30 o'clock, there was a short instruction given by the pastor, after the instructions followed night prayers which concluded the service. On Good Friday the services began at 7.30 A. M., with a procession from the repository to the main altar where the service was concluded. Holy Saturday services began at 7 o'clock with the Blessings after this a High Mass was celebrated by the pastor. This mass was sung by the members of the senior and junior choirs. On Easter Sunday the first mass was celebrated by Rev. Father McSweeney, of Mt. St. Mary's College. The second mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. Father Tragesser, assisted by members of the College Seminary.

In the evening at 7 o'clock Vespers and a sermon concluded the services.

The programme of the music which was given in last week's issue of THE CHRONICLE for the late mass at St. Anthony's on Easter Sunday was given in full. All the solos were very well sung and much of the credit must be given to Miss Emma More.

The Easter vacation at the College which began Wednesday, April 15th, closed Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Messrs. Charles Warthen and George Shorb, who have been visiting their parents in this place, have returned to Waynesboro.

Miss Rose Weaver is visiting her parents in this place.

The play held at St. Anthony's Hall, on Wednesday evening, was a grand success.

On Saturday, April 25, Mt. St. Mary's baseball club is scheduled to play the strong Carlisle Indian team on the former's grounds.

Mr. John Rosensteel, of this place, has gone to Baltimore where he will work at his trade.

Mr. John Walters, son of Mr. Felix Walters, of Highfield, spent Easter with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Warthen.

The masons have begun work on the new Chapel at the College.

Mr. Samuel Hemler is improving his place by the erection of a new bank barn.

The S. A. A. team played a picked team on Sunday and won by a score of 12-19. On Sunday, April 26, the same team is scheduled to play the College juniors.

WANTED.

The names and addresses of people living in this District who make hickory or oak baskets. Apply at this office. tf

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, passed by said court on the 20th day of January, 1908, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Niles M. Wilhide, late of Frederick county, deceased, will sell at public sale

On Saturday, May 16th, 1908, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the farm of George N. Wilhide, situated on the Monocacy River near the mouth of Tom's Creek, about 5 miles East of Emmitsburg, in Frederick County, State of Maryland, all the following personal property, viz: ONE 12-HORSE POWER FRICK TRACTION ENGINE, 1 water wagon, 1 Huber Thresher, Machine Shop, 1 STEAM CHOPPING MILL, 2 sets single buggy harness, one nearly new, 1 Halter, 1 good Winter robe, 1 horse blanket, 1 Summer lap spread, 1 Edison Gem Phonograph with about 60 records, 1 Roller Organ with seven records, 1 telescope, 1 rifle, 1 pistol, 2 umbrellas, 1 nickel watch, 1 gold watch and chain, 1 safety razor, 1 combination awl and other property of the deceased.

Terms of sale prescribed by the Court:—Cash upon all sums of or under \$10; upon all sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes bearing interest from day of sale with good and sufficient security to be approved by the executor.

And at the same time and place by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, passed on March 23rd, 1908, and a power of sale in said will contained, the said executor will sell all that valuable timberland situated on the East side of the Mountains near Emmitsburg, in Frederick County, State of Maryland, in the Fifth Election District of said county, of which the said Niles M. Wilhide, died, seized and possessed. Said Mountain land is well timbered with chestnut, oak and other valuable timber and adjoins the lands of Geo. S. Springer, J. Stewart Annan, heirs of J. M. Stouter, deceased, and others. The same being described in a deed from Peter Baumgardner and wife to said Niles M. Wilhide dated May 1st, 1873, recorded in Liber C. M., No. 10, Folio 164, one of the land records of Frederick County.

Terms of sale prescribed by the court for said land:—One-half cash on day of sale, ratification thereof of the Orphans' Court, the balance in six months, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes, bearing interest from day of sale with good and sufficient security to be approved by the said executor for the deferred payment. All conveying at the expense of the purchaser or purchasers.

GEORGE N. WILHIDE, Executor.

Vincent Sebold, Attorney.

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MORTGAGE SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage from Adaline Shriner to Cornelius Shriner, dated the eight day of September in the year 1900, and duly recorded in the Land Records of Frederick County, in Liber D. H. No. 10, Folio 100, &c., the undersigned, assignee of the said Mortgage, will sell by public auction at the Hotel Spangler in the Town of Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland,

On Saturday, May 2nd, 1908, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., the Real Estate mentioned in said mortgage, consisting of all that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Friends Creek Valley, in the County of Frederick, State of Maryland, and containing 43 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, some of the land being in timber. The improvements are a 1 1/2 STORY DWELLING HOUSE, New 2 Story Store room, Barn, Hog Pen and Chicken house. There are some fruit trees and there is an abundance of good mountain water. This property is well located, near to a Mill, Church and School house.

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FARMER WHO THINKS

How many farmers who read this paper, says the *American Farmer*, can tell offhand how much it costs him to raise an acre of corn? He knows in a general way what his seed cost, knows how much he paid for labor, the time it took to do the plowing, seeding, cutting or gathering, but perhaps not one in a thousand calculated so closely as to be able to tell to a nicety the expense of the crop by the acre. Yet for really successful, up-to-date, scientific farming, it is necessary to know the items of cost in the production of every crop. As in every other business, an accurate knowledge of such cost is essential to economic production. Talk to a manufacturer and you will find that he can tell you every cent entering into his product, from the purchase of the raw material, through its various stages until it reaches the consumer. Consult a lumberman and you will be surprised how closely he keeps in touch with his expenditures. He is able to tell to a penny the cost of the timber, the labor and freight rates; what it cost him to haul and skid the logs, to put them over the saw, to stack and load the lumber, to deliver it to market, and what per cent of culls had to be reckoned upon. This method is the key to success and it is safe to say that no man has risen high in the industrial world who has not pursued it. It is not always the man who knows the most who makes the greatest success, but the man who thinks. It is necessary to read as well as observe and as a rule the one who reads most thinks the most.

The day of haphazard farming by plenty of brawn and no brains has gone by. No two farms are exactly alike. Every farm is a separate and distinct problem to be worked out by itself. Much depends upon the man. If he is a thinker, he is able to succeed. If his up-story does not work, "nothing doing up there," he may make a bare living, may get along "some way," but the chances favor a run-down farm, gradual accumulation of debt and eventually the sheriff. Ask yourself or any of your grown boys, if either can tell what it cost to grow corn last year; what it cost to plow the ground, to work it down, to cultivate it, and what, from a previous record, will be the probable expense of husking and delivering. Manifestly, it is necessary that the farmer keep accounts and know the cost of production that he may be able to figure out cheaper methods. At the end of the year he should know to a cent the actual amount of the outgo and the receipts. Only in this way can he tell whether he is making or losing money. The disgruntled man who says there is "no money in farming," and he is going to "quit," is usually one who does not think or fails to keep accounts. An intelligent Illinois farmer says it took him three years to figure out the cost of a horse's work. He found that the average price of farm horses was \$125, calculated that they would good for ten years' work and worth \$50 when fifteen years old. In order to find out the cost of the hay fed to a horse, he gave them the usual amount and then took it out of mangers and weighed it. The corn and oats used as feed were estimated in the same way. He made allowance for the horse's feed in the stalk field and pasture and finally reached the conclusion that the farm horse in Illinois cost about 22 cents a day. The horse includes the use of the harness and repair bills. Figuring the man at \$1.35, it will require \$1.80 per day for man and team. Of course this may vary some on different farms and under different conditions. It is almost impossible to get the exact cost, but if an effort is made to do so, the farmer will soon come a great deal nearer to it than by guessing. By running over the work book at the end of the season it will be easy to get the number of days spent in working each field, and with the price per man and horse figure the cost of the crop grown in that field. There is certain labor on the farm which must be charged to the place as general expense and not per acre to any crop. For instance, a forty-acre field of corn may have four sides fenced; this fence is not for the benefit of the corn, but for the purpose of keeping live stock, and should be charged to that department.

Based on actual experiments and careful bookkeeping, a table of costs for an acre of corn has been arrived at on one farm in Illinois, which it is thought would be the average on similar land in all parts of the state. As conditions are pretty much the same in Ohio, Indiana and other corn belt states, the sum total would not vary much, if close accounts were kept in any part of those sections. During three years the itemized expenditures included work with the stalks, plowing, working the ground, planting, seed, cultivating, husking, wear and repair and the net cost of one acre of corn each year was \$4.44. The highest expense (\$1.72) was for husking; the next highest (\$1.07) was for cultivating, and the other items ran from 80 cents for plowing to 12 cents for work with the stalks. Similar figures for a crop of wheat showed a net cost per acre of \$6.12, the highest (\$2.48) being for the threshing, the next highest (94 cents) for working the ground, 87 cents for drill-

BRYAN AND NEW YORK

Democrats Say He Can't Carry Empire State

HOW THEN CAN HE BE ELECTED

If He Gets the State's Delegates He Can't Get Its 39 Votes And Without That He Is Defeated.—His Selection Act of Lunacy.

The New York Democrats have served notice upon the Democrats of other States, says the *New York Times* (Dem.), that Mr. Bryan cannot carry this State. The majority against him in 1896 was 268,469, in 1900 the majority against him was 143,606. In the last eight years he has lost, not gained, in New York. His plea for the Government ownership of railroads finished him with the Democracy here.

Will anybody attempt to point out how Mr. Bryan can be elected President without the vote of New York? Such an attempt could proceed only from irresponsible lunacy or defiant ignorance. If the 39 votes of New York are lost, New Jersey with 12 and Illinois with 27 would just fill the gap in the Democratic column. He cannot carry either of those States, any more than he can carry Pennsylvania or Massachusetts. New Jersey, Connecticut, and Indiana together have but 34 votes in the Electoral College. In a year when New York goes Republican these three States, are absolutely sure to support that party. Nowhere in the Union can compensation be found for the loss of New York.

The opponents of Bryan in other States have now a solid basis for their work. His supporters might conceivably win over the New York delegation at Denver. That would not win the state with its 39 votes. The highest authoritative opinion has been given that those votes he cannot have, and he cannot be elected without them. His defeat is demonstrated three months before the convention meets.

AN OFFENSIVE DISTINCTION

If an enterprising burglar cracks your quiet little cot, And when interrupted shoots you in a very vital spot; If he fails to make a get-away his shrill is very short, And he gets a cold reception when he comes before the court, Then it's, "Stand forth, William Sykes! For the blood that you have shed You are sentenced to be dangled by the neck till you are dead!" A common malefactor, devoid of influence, He is guilty, proven guilty of a criminal offense.

If an enterprising banker plays a safer sort of game, If he takes your hard-earned money and juggles with the same— If he comes a sudden cropper, and appears before the court, The greeting that they give him is of quite another sort.

Then it's, "Howdy, Mr. Banker! You are looking well to-day!" And his honor waits indulgently to hear what he may say. And counsel for defendant pleads, in easy confidence, "Mr. Banker's merely guilty of a technical offense."

Puck.

A serious problem for the people of Canada to solve is the fuel supply of the future. No coal of any kind has ever been discovered in Ontario. In the older part of the province the timber is practically exhausted.

ing, 77 cents for the harvesting and so on. The interesting thing, however, is for each farmer to do all this for himself and not depend on experiment stations or the expert figuring of one or two individuals. Besides its economic value, a steady pursuit of this system of finding out the exact first cost of every crop on the farm will prove highly educational and a splendid mental drill. No course in high school or college would teach a farm boy anything of more practical value than to go through this process of finding out the cost of an acre of wheat, corn or other grain. It presents problems in arithmetic, bookkeeping, value of labor, and the still higher problem of mind training. Accurate knowledge on useful subjects is the best equipment for any man. While it brings pleasure, the pleasure of knowing to a certainty, it also brings profit and that success in life, which is the aim of every rational man. Some little extra trouble is involved, of course, but what does this amount to if it dispels darkness and keeps the farmer posted at every step as to what he is doing. It keeps the thinking machine at work and in good order all the time, and constitutes the difference between the well informed agriculturist and the cloverhopper, who leaves everything to chance and plods along in a happy-go-lucky way, not knowing whether his stock are eating their heads off or his crops costing more than they are worth.

JUDGE GRAY AS A CANDIDATE

(Continued from page 1.)

Gray's request that they abandon their preconceived plan. Of course, the Judge has not said that he would decline the nomination, and his will continue to be one of the names that men who want to see the Democratic party in the running next fall will continue to cite. The refusal of the Pennsylvania and New York Democrats to commit themselves to Mr. Bryan will somewhat encourage those who do not wish to see their party go down to disaster again. If the Southern delegates would but voice the true feeling in regard to Mr. Bryan, held by the best men in the South, his candidacy would receive but slight attention in the convention. But every rule of political common sense is apparently to be violated. A man is to be chosen whose mere selection will cause a formidable split in the party and will make utterly out of the question the allegiance of the Cleveland school of Democrats, or any recruiting from the ranks of the dissatisfied Republicans. This may be, in one sense, a pleasing reaction from the ordinary political opportunism, but when expediency, common sense, and considerations of principle all dictate the same course, it is surely the wrong time to disregard the question of seeking the most votes.

Table of Weights and Measures

Three teaspoonfuls of liquid equals one tablespoonful.
Four tablespoonfuls of liquid equals one-half gill, one-fourth cup or one wineglassful.
One tablespoonful of liquid equals one-half ounce.
One pint of liquid equals one pound.
Two gills of liquid equals one cup or one-half pint.
One kitchen cup of liquid equals one-half pint.
One heaping quart of sifted flour equals one pound.
Four cups of flour equal one quart or one pound.
One rounded tablespoonful of flour equals one-half ounce.
Three cups of corn meal equal one pound.
One and one-half pints of corn meal equal one pound.
One cup of butter equals one-half pound.
One pint of butter equals one pound.
One tablespoonful of butter equals one ounce.
Butter the size of an egg equals two ounces.
Butter the size of a walnut equals one ounce.
One solid pint of chopped meat equals one pound.
Ten eggs equal one pound.
A dash of pepper equals one-eighth teaspoonful or three good shakes.
Two cups of granulated sugar equals one pound.
One pint of granulated sugar equals one pound.
One pint of brown sugar equals thirteen ounces.
Two and one-half cups of powdered sugar equal one pound.

Electricity's Force

A weird story is told today by M. de Larmandie, a member of the French Authors' Society. M. de Larmandie declares that three doctors of his acquaintance—doctors whose names, he says, are famous in the scientific world, and whose veracity can in no way be questioned—succeeded recently in bringing the dead body of a young girl to life. The girl died in a hospital, and had been dead for three hours. The doctors affirm that she was dead. They worked at the body for three hours, electrified it, kneaded it in tepid water, burnt it with sulphuric acid, brought it to a semblance of life and made it speak. According to M. de Larmandie this is what the dead girl said: "I fell asleep last night at the hospital in a very weak condition. The priest had given me a solution, and as I fell asleep I felt that I was dying. Gradually I seemed to waken slightly, and I felt bitterly cold. All my life seemed to ebb into my heart, and my mind seemed to have got away into a far-off corner of my brain. Then my mind seemed to get away from my body. I saw my body lying pale and inert, and although I had left it I knew it was icy cold. Then I heard something like the sound of a distant organ. Suddenly something broke my mind away from my body. It was like an infinitesimal electric spark. I cannot describe it. Then my body became the battlefield of an army of monsters who were fighting for it. I cannot explain what I mean at all." M. de Larmandie says that the girl was in such a state of excitement when she was awakened that the doctors gave her morphine to calm her. They gave her too much, and she died a second time.—*London Express*.

An electric laboratory for the teaching of electric science has been established in Manila by the Jesuit Fathers. The course lasts five years.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

The discipline of the home has enabled many a man to stand firm where without it he would have fallen.—Rev. C. A. Langston, Unitarian, Atlanta, Ga.

What God Wants of Us.

The thing that God wants us to do is to stand as representatives of him and realize that what he would do we can do by the aid of his power in and through our lives.—Rev. D. W. Bartlett, Baptist, Los Angeles, Cal.

Limitations.

It is not God who puts the limitations upon our lives. We narrow them ourselves. The latent force modesty has hidden. The gifts of heroism we have crowded back by the commonplace of our routine.—Rev. F. M. North, Methodist, New York.

Guiding Star of Civic Virtue.

The happiness of the republic depends on the virtue of its citizens. Political health is as important as physical health. Religion is the guiding star of nations as well as of individuals. It alone can safeguard liberty.—Rev. T. J. Conaty, Roman Catholic, Worcester, Mass.

Unsurpassable Grandeur.

Let mental culture advance from less to more, let science increase in breadth and depth, let the human intellect expand as it may, it will never get beyond the moral grandeur of Jesus' teaching or rise above the beauty of his sinless life.—Rev. Dr. S. H. Woodrow, Congregationalist, Washington.

Need of Effort in Christianity.

Nothing is accomplished without effort in the physical world, and the same holds true in the supernatural world. As we labor to provide the food and drink to nourish our earthly bodies, so we must strive to be worthy of the spiritual food, which is Christ himself.—Rev. G. F. Seymour, Episcopalian, Chicago.

Soul Satisfier.

Wealth at a dying hour will not satisfy the soul; the past record of a moral life will not satisfy a soul; a good name in the hour of death will not satisfy it. There are only two ways upon which to build the fabric of our belief—that is, upon the rock Jesus Christ and with full confidence in his power to save.—Rev. Dr. Harrison, Methodist, Washington.

Prayer.

We pray on a low plain, while prayer is a resident of the hilltop. Prayer is not a substitute for work. It is the complement of endeavor. We are to go to God with clean hands and ask him for that help we have not in ourselves. And there on the hilltops the soul alone with its God can work out every problem and every difficulty that life brings as well as rightly interpret every success.—Rev. A. C. Grier, Universalist, Spokane, Wash.

A Mighty Force.

Enthusiasm is a glowing fire, the heat of which warms the heart and kindles in the soul noble impulses to worthy actions. It has burned for every successful man, diffusing its genial rays around his path, lighting the way to a life of doing and construction, of honest effort and faithful performance. There is an energy in every one, but it will lie latent, dormant, until kindled into life by this sacred fire of enthusiasm, and then it becomes a mighty force, a giant power that nothing can withstand. Energy is the lever that can raise the world, but enthusiasm is the fulcrum.—Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters, Baptist, New York.

Drilling the Tongue For Happiness.

Upon all those who are ambitious to make the world happier and better rests the obligation of drilling the tongue into lustrous kindness, purity and refinement. Not by spasmodic efforts, not with occasional hints and gleams of good cheer, are men to use the tongue in the interests of happiness. To daily drill the tongue as an instrument of happiness and influence is to enter into the fundamental conception of living. Nor is this law binding only upon those happy persons who are said to be good entertainers. Some there are who are so fortunately organized that they exhale benefactions upon any company into which they enter. Unconsciously and without any set purpose they oil the bearings of life, lessen friction, provoke laughter and good cheer as naturally as flowers, that do not struggle to throw off sweetness, as the cedarwood, that without thinking gives off fragrance. The law of happiness making, however, is not confined to the few gifted individuals; it is binding upon all, of every rank and station and temperament. The tongue hath its ministry of mercy and sympathy. Men cannot be scolded into love or scourged into goodness. Gentleness is the mightiest form of manhood, and the true man is he who imitates those knights who carried a sword indeed, but also bore the cross on shield and helmet and sword hilt. What lashings can never do soft words accomplish. Ministering happiness through mercy and sympathy, the tongue hath a ministry of instruction and inspiration and is the almoner of universal bounty. Fortunate indeed the community that has a few individuals who go through life curing sorrows, allaying discontents, healing enemies, sweetening bitter fountains, scattering happiness and good will. One such nature can influence an entire community just as one flower will crowd a room with sweet odors.—Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

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