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## GOVERNOR IS OPPOSED

### TOO MUCH ECONOMY

#### Against Continuing Appropriations Repeal

#### "OUTSIDE INFLUENCE" RESENTED

#### Marriott's Many Schemes to Cut Down Expenses and Tight Policy in Regard to Supplies Not Relished by Legislators.

One of Governor Crothers' pet measures, abolishing continuing appropriations, is not as popular among the legislators as Mr. Crothers might desire. The continuing appropriations amount in all to something over \$400,000 annually. Some of them have been running on year after year for more than a century. An annual appropriation of \$1200 for instance, has been granted to the Frederick County College and St. John's Literary Institute since 1798. Naturally, the recipients of such a bounty have come to look upon it as an assured thing, and will fight energetically to prevent its being repealed. Moreover, these appropriations go to institutions in every county of the State. Thus each individual Senator and Delegate will have pressure brought to bear upon him from home folks to vote against the bill.

The largest of the big continuing appropriations is one of \$200,000 to carry out the provisions of the Shoemaker road law. Then there is one of \$19,000 annually to the State Geological and Economic Survey and one of several thousand dollars to the State Board of Health. But by far the large majority constitute appropriations to educational institutions in various parts of the State.

There seems to be some little hesitation on the part of some of the members to oppose the Governor openly but there are some brave enough to speak out. It is said by one member that Mr. Crothers does not care particularly about providing "closer scrutiny of appropriations, but because he wants to cut down or cut out entirely some of these appropriations. And he wants this because he has staked his reputation on this matter of building good roads without increasing the tax rate. In other words he wants to make the educational institutions of the State pay for the good roads. Now, good roads are very desirable things, but the education of the people is a more desirable thing. It is of first importance that reasonable educational facilities be provided for the young men of the State, and if the appropriations are withdrawn many of these institutions will be seriously crippled.

"The question is thus not one of accounting or auditing or procedure, but simply whether or not the State's past policy concerning the encouragement of education is to be abandoned. Under these circumstances I am utterly opposed to the bill."

There is also a legal objection offered to the bill as introduced. It provides that all appropriations whatsoever made by an act passed by any preceding session of the Legislature be void at the

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## MEASURES FOR BETTERMENT OF FREDERICK PROPOSED

### Want Power to Issue Bonds, Increase Water Supply and Amend Paving Laws.

Three bills have been prepared for presentation to the Legislature by the attorney for Frederick and the mayor and aldermen. They are as follows:

First—A measure empowering the mayor and aldermen to issue bonds of 6 per cent., and it is proposed to issue bonded indebtedness of \$64,250. At present this amount is drawing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. and it is proposed to issue new bonds for not more than 4 per cent.

Second—Empowering the mayor and aldermen to increase the water supply of the city at a cost of not more than \$35,000. This amount together with the bonded indebtedness will aggregate a sum of about \$100,000, for which bonds may be issued at the rate of 4 per cent.

Third—Amending the street paving law to make it conform to the present street paving act of Baltimore city. The present law contains what is considered several irregularities, and to correct these it was decided to pattern a new measure after the present law of Baltimore city.

While the new laws will when passed go into effect at once, it is understood that the present board will not act upon all the measures.

H. C. Frick has bought \$2,000,000 worth of coal land in Pennsylvania.

## PATRIOTIC CENTENARY

### Important Meeting of Society of The War of 1812

#### WANT \$3,000,000 FROM BALTIMORE

#### Incorporated Organization Proposed to Have Charge of Celebration.—Soliciting Aid.

The Society of the War of 1812, at a meeting held in Baltimore decided to ask the Legislature for an enabling act permitting the city of Baltimore to issue \$3,000,000 of bonds, chiefly for the erection of appropriate and permanent memorials. These will include a "Key-Armistead Memorial Hall" in the heart of the city and a statue to Key, with several tablets at various historical sites.

They also decided to take immediate steps for an elaborate observance of the centenary of the Battle of North Point, the bombardment of Fort McHenry and the writing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by Francis Scott Key.

To prepare and conduct the celebration an organization will be incorporated to be known as the "Association for Celebrating the Centenary of the Battle of North Point and the Bombardment of Fort McHenry in 1814." Papers have been prepared by Mr. James Edward Carr, Jr., and the plan is in the hands of the executive committee.

Further than this the association will at once seek to enlist the material and moral assistance of the commercial, art, improvement and industrial organizations in Baltimore, together with the active sympathy of each citizen individually.

If this aid materializes as it should a statue of Francis Scott Key of heroic dimensions at Fort McHenry will be erected and suitable bronze tablets to commemorate the bastion in Fort McHenry in which Lieutenants Claggett and Clemm and others were killed, be designed and placed. Also that the place on the North Point battle field where Maj.-Gen. Robert Ross, the gallant Irish officer who commanded the British forces in action, fell be suitably marked.

The next meeting of the society at which further details of the proposed celebration will be discussed will be held in Baltimore on February 8.

## REV. PATRICK F. HEALY DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

### Former Resident of Georgetown University.—Became Novice at Frederick Sixty Years Ago.

After an illness lasting four years death came to the relief of Rev. Patrick F. Healy, S. J., former president of Georgetown University, on Monday. The end came at the Georgetown University infirmary at 11.45. Funeral services for the dead Jesuit were held Wednesday morning in the university chapel.

A native of Macon, Ga., where he was born 76 years ago, he became a novice at Frederick, Md., at the age of 16. He was then sent to Belgium to take an advanced course in theology and philosophy and was there ordained.

In 1872 he was appointed president of the university, and it was while he held the chair that the magnificent buildings of the university were completed. Healy Hall, one of the main buildings, is named for him.

Retiring from the presidency of the college, he engaged in parish work in New York, but the failure of his health forced his return to Georgetown.

## CARDINAL'S DAY AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

### Foreign Officials Gather in St. Patrick's Church to Honor Cardinal Gibbons.—Large Reception.

Sunday was "Cardinal's Day" in Washington. Ambassadors, ministers and other officials of the great world powers gathered in St. Patrick's Church to honor Cardinal Gibbons. The sermon was preached by Rev. Edward A. Pace, of the faculty of the Catholic University.

A reception was held at the rectory at noon, and those who attended and shook hands with the Cardinal numbered several thousand. Following the reception, which lasted for more than an hour, the prelate said that he had not become in the least fatigued. The Cardinal never lost his characteristic smile as the people filed before him.

## Woman's College Wins Suit.

The Frederick Woman's College won its case against the mayor and city council of Frederick, who sought to tax two houses adjoining the College building and which are used as residences for professors at the school. The Circuit Court upheld the College in the contention that the buildings were being used for educational purposes and were so exempt from taxation.

## NOW CITIZEN PINCHOT CAN SHOW

### WHAT CHIEF FORESTER PINCHOT COULD NOT

#### President Taft Constrained To Order Head of Forest Bureau to Step Out

#### PRESENT ADMINISTRATION FACES A MOST SERIOUS PROPOSITION

#### Conservation Problem Has Become a National Issue.—Congress Will Fight Over It and Party Conventions Take Sides and Finally the Ballot May Decide It.—Speaker Cannon Rebuked by Insurgents in Matter of Naming Committee in Ballinger Affair.

Special Correspondence to the Chronicle.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 13.—Pinchot actual controversy is concerned. It is simply more intense and dramatic. The lines are more sharply drawn.

Pinchot has great wealth. He has devoted his life to the study of the forestry problem and to the promotion of the idea that the natural resources of the nation should be conserved for the benefit of all the people. Perhaps no man living knows better all the technical and general aspects of the subject. He has been honored by Roosevelt and Taft and in the course of his work has met with approval throughout the country. He is a man of energy and ability and has the additional force of intense conviction. He will prove no mean antagonist.

Ballinger is for the time being a silent figure in the drama. Charges having been made against him, he says nothing and awaits trial. Hence the center of the fight shifts from the White House to the Capitol, where that trial will take place. Hence also the significance of the selection of the judges. Will they be imbued with the idea that the Administration should be upheld, or will they be entirely unprejudiced in their work?

The public is assured of thoroughness in the investigation and of open hearings. The question of whether the members of the joint committee selected to represent the House shall be appointed by the Speaker or elected by that body is not vital so far as the action of the committee is concerned. The Speaker's appointees would now endeavor to prove that their appointment did not mean a whitewash. But the question is vital in that its solution will determine whether the Insurgents have made a combination of real power with the Democrats. They have answered this in the affirmative. Their majority was only three votes, but it was a majority. It has encouraged them and increased their prestige, not only in the House of Representatives but throughout the country. If when the resolution again comes up, after having been amended by the Senate so as to provide for appointment by the Speaker, and the organization whips have gathered in all the absentees, they succeed in gaining a majority, their strength will be confirmed and permanent.

Since Cannon has been Speaker, the ruling organization in the House has been defeated on test votes, but only on particular measures under consideration, such as the ship subsidy bill. The Insurgents are fighting against the

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## TAFT'S SPECIAL MESSAGE DEALING WITH RAILROADS

### Recommends Creation Of Court Of Commerce.—Restrictions Certain Well Defined Suggested.

President Taft's special message delivered and read to the House last Friday, dealing with the subject of railroad legislation, recommended among other things, the creation of a court of commerce to consist of five judges designated from among the circuit judges of the United States; railroads are to be allowed to pool rates under certain restrictions, but, on the other hand, the choice of routes is to be guaranteed to the shipper; railroads may not acquire interest in competing corporations, and the watering of railroad securities is to be forbidden.

Careful reading of the bill will prove that President Taft was not greatly influenced by the visit of the six railroad presidents, who were at the White House last Monday at a conference arranged by Pierpont Morgan. As he pointed out himself on Monday, after the conference, Mr. Taft recognized the value of their suggestion that in the case of railroads already owing control of other roads, the prohibition to purchase further interests should not apply, lest the minority stockholders be thereby deprived of their only purchaser. The message carries out all the suggestions that have been made by President Taft within the past six months, either in formal addresses or in announcements authorized at the White House.

Four convicted weighers of the Sugar Trust were sentenced to a year apiece this week.

## POSTAL REVENUES ARE INCREASING RAPIDLY

### Retention of Fourth-Class Postmasters During Satisfactory Service Established Practice.

As a business institution the Post-office Department, next to the United States Treasury, is the greatest in the Government. According to figures submitted by Charles P. Grandfield, First Assistant Postmaster-General, made public in his annual report, the gross revenue of the postal service reached \$203,562,382, an increase of \$12,083,720, or 6.31 per cent. over the preceding year. There were 1,444 postoffices established during the year and 2,004 were discontinued, leaving a total of 60,144 postoffices in operation on June 30, 1909. During the year 1,626 postmasters were appointed at Presidential offices.

"The retention of fourth-class postmasters during satisfactory service has become the established practice of the department and the policy of recommending the reappointment of Presidential postmasters who have proved efficient has been followed consistently, with highly beneficial results," says Dr. Grandfield. "It is recommended that the law be so amended as to provide for the advancement of an office of the fourth class to the Presidential class whenever the compensation of the postmaster amounts to \$1,000 and the gross annual receipts to \$1,900 for four successive quarters."

Secretary Ballinger got busy this week and suspended four men who had charge of Indian schools in Oklahoma. "Disgraceful condition" at these schools was the cause.

## CONTROLLER'S REPORT

### Dr. Herring's Statement of Maryland's Finances

#### RETRENCHMENT IS NECESSARY

#### Expedient To Create Sinking Fund for State Roads Loan Without Increasing State Tax Rate.

The State Comptroller has submitted his annual report to the Legislature. It shows that the gross receipts of the Treasury proper were \$5,400,104.69 which plus the balance on hand October 1, 1908, of \$1,238,652.40, aggregates \$6,638,757.09.

The expenditures of the State, exclusive of the funds accounts and the acts of Assembly authorizing such payments, amounted to \$5,310,657.43, the largest sum ever disbursed by the State for a like period.

A statement shows the receipts and disbursements on account of the public school tax and free books, the total amount disbursed for these two funds being \$1,371,333.26.

The State tax for public schools for the year 1906 was 15 cents on each \$100, and for the year 1907 and 1908, 16 cents on each \$100, being the entire State tax for the two years last mentioned. Inasmuch as it became necessary to levy a tax sufficient to provide for the interest and create a sinking fund for the State roads loan, and the Legislature deeming it unwise to increase the State tax rate, but at the same time to provide against any diminution of the school fund, fixed the tax rate for the year 1909 at 14½ cents for public schools and at 1½ cents for State roads loan, and for the year 1910 at 12½ cents for public schools and at 3½ cents for State roads loan, aggregating for each year 16 cents, therefore to recoup this loss of revenue to the schools of 1½ cents, and 3½ cents, the Legislature of 1908 made a direct appropriation from the Treasury proper of \$75,000 for the year 1909 and \$206,250 for the year 1910 under Chapter 224, subtitle "Schools."

A new assessment it is thought would show a very large increase both in Baltimore and the counties, to the revenues of the State.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is being boomed for Congress.

## EARLY DECLARED A LEPER [BY MEDICAL SOCIETY]

### Celebrated Case Is Diagnosed Finally.—Victim Is Now Somewhere in State of West Virginia.

John R. Early, upon whose case medical men have been divided, is in reality a leper, according to a decision rendered Monday by a special committee of the Society of Medical Jurisprudence, meeting in New York.

The decision is in direct opposition to the views held by Dr. L. Duncan Bulkley, of that city, an eminent skin disease expert, who has championed Early's cause throughout the controversy, maintaining that the former soldier was improperly isolated at Washington and has been the subject of unjust persecution. Early came to New York not long ago from Washington in a box car.

Sections of Early's skin were shown at the meeting and under the microscope bacilli were revealed which the physicians present held to indicate leprosy. Dr. Buckley participated in the discussion.

Early, it is said, is now in West Virginia.

## RECORDS BEING MADE AT LOS ANGELES MEET

### Glenn H. Curtis Carries Passenger In Aeroplane And Speeds It Up To Fifty-Five Miles an Hour.

At the Los Angeles, Cal., aviation field, Glenn H. Curtis established a new world's record for speed for aeroplane carrying a passenger, flying 55 miles an hour with his manager, M. Fancuilli, beside him, and he set two other less important records.

One of the feats performed by this successful American aviator was starting from a marked square of 10 feet, flying about the field for two minutes and returning, landing exactly in the square from which he started.

The exhibition of Paulhan, the Frenchman, have been very spectacular. He sailed on Wednesday to an altitude of 4,600 feet, beating all records.

## Judge Motter Honored by Republicans.

That they may in a way do honor to the Republican leader in this county, Judge John C. Motter, the Republican members of the Legislature will hold a joint caucus in Annapolis next Monday and nominate him for the United States Senate. The election of a Senator will begin next Tuesday. Judge Motter desires that the vote be cast for Mr. Jackson.

## SATOLLI DEAD IN ROME

### LOVED BY AMERICANS

#### First Apostolic Delegate to United States

#### AN INCIDENT IN HIS SERVICE

#### A Difficulty That Threatened the Peace of the Church.—His "Fine Italian Hand" That Composed Turbid Elements.

Cardinal Francesco di Paola Satolli, Bishop of Frascati, Arch-Priest of the Lateran Arch-Basilica and Prefect of the Congregation of Studies, died on Saturday last at Rome. Death followed an illness that began with an attack of nephritis and atrophy of the right lung last June and was complicated recently with blood-poisoning. Cardinal Satolli was of Italian birth, and was born at Marsciano, July 21, 1839. His family was a noble one and of ancient lineage. He was created a cardinal in 1895. Hope for the ultimate recovery of the cardinal was abandoned several days ago and the end had been expected hourly. Soon after death the body was placed in state in the chapel of the Lateran palace. The Pope was greatly grieved over the cardinal's death, and recalled that it was the convincing argument of Satolli which had influenced him to accept the papacy at the last conclave.

Almost to the hour of his death the cardinal discussed with the few who were permitted to see him, the affairs of the church in the United States, in which country he had a profound interest, following his visits, which included his mission as first apostolic delegate from the Vatican in the United States in the fall of 1892. He remembered well the details of his stay here and recently related how, before his appointment as apostolic delegate, he had been instructed by Pope Leo to interrogate the American bishops concerning the advisability of creating an apostolic delegation at Washington. All opposed such a move with the exception of Archbishop Ireland. To a friend from America the dying man said: "Remember me to President Taft and tell him that I hope the day will come when the United States and Italy will be allied, Italy then being a republic."

The ecclesiastic's will is dated June 25 last and leaves all of his estate to a relative as the sole heir. This will protect the purpose of the will, in accordance with the laws of Italy, but private instructions were left for the heir, requesting that the property be divided among several ecclesiastical and benevolent institutions. The cardinal's wish was that as all he possessed had come from the church, it should return to the church with his demise.

Cardinal Satolli first visited this country in 1889 when he represented the Pope at the centenary of the Catholic hierarchy in the United States. At this time he was presented to President Harrison, Secretary Blaine and members of the cabinet. He was profoundly impressed by the quiet dignity of the president, and the simplicity with which an audience with the ruler of so great a nation was granted.

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## DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT DISCOVERED IN CHICAGO

### Chief Wilkie Has Issued Warning of Spurious One Dollar Note—Thousands in Circulation.

Notice that one of the most dangerous counterfeits of \$1 bills ever issued is in circulation was sent out by John E. Wilkie, chief of the Secret service.

The counterfeit is printed from retouched photomechanical plates on a good quality of bond paper, ink lines being used to imitate the silk fiber. The series is of 1890., the check letter is "C," the face plate number is 4,801. The number on the back is 2,598. The bill bears the facsimile signatures of W. T. Vernon, Register of the Treasury, and Charles H. Treat, Treasurer of the United States, with portraits of Lincoln and Grant. The number is R92786452.

A close examination of the note reveals defects in the portraits of Lincoln and Grant, a distinct white patch being made to represent Grant's nose. The periods after Charles H. Treat, over the "i" in United under the Treasurer's signature, after the "t" and after "Vernon" in the signature of the Register are omitted in the counterfeit. The small word "United" in the border of the note, and immediately to the right of Grant's portrait, is spelled "Usited."

Washington will fitly celebrate the opening of the Panama Canal.

Household Hints.

Economy In The Kitchen.

When baking potatoes, if after scrubbing them with a brush you will wipe them dry and rub them over with lard they will cook in less time and have a thin brittle skin.

When cooking cranberries, if a pinch of soda to each pint of berries is added and as soon as they come to a boil pour that water off, then put on fresh water they will not require nearly as much sugar.

If dried fruits are cleaned and covered with water the night before they are to be cooked, they will cook in much less time, be larger, and more like fresh fruit.

If one-half a cup of fine dried bread crumbs are added to a pound of pork sausage it improves it and also makes it go farther.

Mud Or Dust Stains.

The following is recommended for removing mud stains from white silk: Rub on the stain a little white soap, then cover with gasoline and let lie for some hours, then rub carefully between the hands, rinsing in clean gasoline to remove any streak or sediment, then hang to dry out of doors. The gasoline may be poured off of any settlings and bottled for use again, but is best to use it only for colored things.

For washing a white plume, or any feathers that are soiled, give a bath of gasoline, dipping up and down until clean, then rinse in clean gasoline, shake dry and leave out of doors until the fluid is evaporated. Gasoline must never be used where there is a particle of fire or flame. Shake the plume while drying.

A Grapefruit Novelty.

A rather unusual way to serve grapefruit is in the form of cocktails. The centre is scooped out and filled with clams, the pulp is freed from the fibre and a sauce made of tabasco, salt, pepper, and catsup is poured over all.

The fruit should be prepared at least an hour before using, and thoroughly chilled on ice.

Another delicious way to serve is in sherbet glasses with eight or ten large strawberries mixed with pieces of the grapefruit and covered with the juice, sugar, and a little maraschino or sherry.

Poultice Making.

Bread and Milk Poultice—Put one tablespoon of stale bread crumbs into a gill of milk and let boil up. Take from the fire and gradually stir in a little glycerine or sweet oil, so as to render the poultice pliable when applied.

Hop Poultice—Boil one handful of dried hops in half a pint of water until the half pint is reduced to a gill, then stir in enough Indian meal to thicken it.

Mustard Poultice—Equal parts of ground mustard and flour made into a paste with warm water. Spread a thin coat of sweet oil or lard, and put between two pieces of cloth.

Linseed Poultice—Take four ounces of ground linseed and mix with hot water to a paste. Spread between two cloths.

Ginger Poultice—Made the same as mustard, only substituting ginger instead of the mustard.

Pointers Worth While.

Ground ginger used for plasters instead of mustard is just as good to "draw," and it never blisters.

To prevent blue spotting the clothes, put some on a piece of white cloth, gather up the corners and tie together. Dip this bag in the water, and squeeze it until the water is blue enough. In this way the clothes will never become spotted.

A few drops of cider vinegar rubbed into the hands after washing clothes will keep them smooth, and take away the spongy feeling they always have after being in water for a good while.

Around The House.

When making a steamed or boiled pudding plect in the cloth at the top to allow the pudding to swell.

A teaspoonful of lemon juice to a quart of water will make the rice very white and keep the grains separate when boiled.

If threads draw hard and break easily when preparing a piece of fancy work, a little soap rubbed on the wrong side of the linen will be of advantage. It will not harm the linen.

If the seats of caned chairs are sagged down wash well on the bottom side, and when nearly dry rub the bottom over with water in which a little glue has been dissolved and let them dry bottom side up.

Never leave medicines, drink or food uncovered in a sick room. Better still, do not leave them in the room at all.

Any absent Emmitsburgian would appreciate a subscription to The Chronicle. 52 weeks \$1.00.

The hen's Winter diet is lacking in egg-making material. More of her food must be used in keeping her body warm. Egg production, naturally, falls off. Fairfield's Egg Producer supplies the egg-making material, increases egg production and prevents disease. Sold under written guarantee by C. R. Wachter & Sons, Sabillasville, E. L. Frizell, Emmitsburg.

Field And Garden

Satisfactory Piggery for Winter.—Somethings Necessary to Be Successful.

Every perfectly satisfactory piggery for winter use must be well lighted from the south, east and west. If from all three directions, so much the better. Direct sunlight, rather than diffused light, is what is required to insure health and aid in sanitation, says the New York Tribune Farmer. Warmth is another important feature of the satisfactory piggery. Walls such as described below will, under conditions being favorable, prove sufficiently non-conductive. Warmth must never be secured at the expense of pure air. If it is impossible to ventilate properly and maintain a sufficiently high temperature with the natural heat of animals, it might be found advantageous to use artificial heat. In any case, pure air is more to be sought than a high temperature in winter quarters.

Freedom from moisture on the walls and ceiling is another important requirement. This may be insured by proper construction of walls and ceiling and by perfect ventilation. The walls and ceiling should be built with a dead air space. This space should have building paper on both sides of it; that is, a wall, starting from the outside, should consist of matched inch lumber, tar paper, studding, tar paper, matched inch lumber. A similar construction should be called for in the ceiling. Another factor affecting the freedom of a piggery from moisture is the material used in construction of walls and floor. Wood, although not very durable, is quite likely the best suited for the walls. Cement blocks, or hollow cement walls, are likewise said to be very satisfactory. Wooden floors are a constant source of annoyance on account of the quickness with which they wear out and the practical impossibility of keeping them clean. Cement floors are said to be too damp, but a cement feeding floor, with a good, tight wood floored sleeping room is likely to prove satisfactory.

A sufficient and effective system of ventilation is another very important requirement of a good piggery. The air should be admitted in such a way as not to allow the cold air to come in direct contact with the pigs, and the foul air had better be removed from near the floor. Ventilation arrangements must not be neglected, however, and an outlet alone is not a perfect system. There are two well known, practical systems of ventilation in use, the King and the Rutherford. Either is good, and when properly established is sure to work well in a piggery as in any other building. The King system is well known throughout America for the last 15 years, being the design of Prof. King of Wisconsin Agricultural College. The Rutherford system is a Canadian design, the product of Director Rutherford of the Canadian animal industry department. It is simpler in construction than the King and works just as well. Drainage is one of the prime necessities of a good piggery. The pen floors should be built to slope either to or from the passage, two inches in the 12 feet will be found to be ample pitch. If it slopes to the passage a small drain will be necessary down each side of the passage. If it slopes from the passage a drain all along the back of the pens and under the beds will be necessary. The better plan is usually where it slopes to the passage and runs along it to some underground drain.

The question of partitions is of considerable importance. For the dividing partitions in pens there seems to be no doubt that wood is the most satisfactory material. For the partitions next the passage it is just possible that wire may have some advantages. Very strong wire, well stayed by numerous strong uprights, must be used. Wire partitions are of value in making a pen light and airy, but are a disadvantage in leaving the pigs more exposed to drafts which often cause serious troubles. The feed-room should be provided with a heater if much winter feeding is to be carried on. Around the walls should be feed bins, and a small root pulper should find a place on the floor. Under the feed-room should be a root cellar, and over it a loft for storing straw, with a chute leading therefrom into the passage.

Many and various are the stiles of wall and roof that are advocated. The roof plan, lighting and ventilation are so closely related that they should be considered at one and the same time. The common half pitch roof, with the windows placed as high as the eaves will allow on both sides and as low as safe from pigs, is good. Such a building should run north and south. A roof that has met considerable favor in many parts of America is the double shed roof. The two parts of the roof should have the same pitch and be of the same length. The wall on one side should be three or four feet higher than that on the other side, so that there may be a drop of three or four feet between the higher and lower parts of the roof at the center of the building. Such a building should be built to have the upper window face the south.

Secretary Dickinson reached Havana Saturday.

HOFFMAN ORPHANAGE

Unique Plan Formulated For Care of Children

RESULT OF HANOVER MEETING

State Experimental and Model Farm May Be Established In Connection With Industrial School.

The board of directors of the George W. and Agnes Hoffman Orphan and Industrial School, under the charge of the Potomac Synod of the Reformed church met last week in Hanover and had an interesting and important discussion of the affairs of the institution. It has been decided to stock the farm with horses, cattle, swine and poultry, repair buildings, procure furnishings and implements, and improve fences and surroundings, as soon as possible, and erect new buildings as needed.

The first improvement will be the remodeling and enlarging of the former home of the donor, and will be known as the "Hoffman cottage."

This "cottage plan" is an endeavor to have the children live under conditions similar to family life. The idea is that twelve or fifteen children will be allotted to each cottage under charge of a matron. At first the Hoffman cottage will be used and as necessary other units will be added to the community. With this policy in view plans are being arranged by a landscape gardener and architect, of the grounds for such future development.

The orphanage is located two miles northeast of Harney in the direction of Littlestown. Every effort is being made to have the State of Pennsylvania make the institution an experimental farm under charge of experts.

The Rev. Mr. J. Stewart Hartman, the superintendent, will move to the premises about Feb. 1st. This gentleman is eminently fitted for this work. He was born almost within sight of the location of the orphanage, and which it is expected will become the scene of the greatest work of his ministry. He is a graduate of Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, class of '85, and of the Theological Seminary at Lancaster. He had been pastor at New Holland and Harrisburg, Pa., Silver Run, Md., and Woodstock, Va., and was prominently identified with almost every interest of the Reformed Church.

The Rev. Mr. Hartman several years ago was appointed by the Governor as one of Maryland's delegates to the "Farmer's National Congress." He has done considerable work along the line of farm improvements under the direction of the Maryland State Experiment Station, and received special commendation.

The Hoffman Orphanage will unquestionably prove in the future one of the notable institutions of the country, and something of the man, and how he came to create it makes a very interesting story. George W. Hoffman was born in Mt. Pleasant township on Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22, 1838 and there seems to have been given him a spirit akin to that of the Father of his Country and while he was denied being the father of any children, yet he has made fatherly provision for many orphans. George W. Hoffman was not rich in worldly goods, nearly all he made was acquired by the slow process of hard labor.

He had not acquired much of the world's goods when the Civil War came on and in March 1865 he enlisted in Co. G. 101 Pa. Regiment and served until June of the same year, the end of the War. He was in no battles. He made the statement himself that his service to his country was largely on Roanoke Island, where he was engaged in daily drills, camp duties, guarding government property and guarding rebel prisoners captured at different points and shipped on the Island for safe keeping until transportation could be furnished them. They generally were pitiable objects and partly naked and apparently half starved. Mr. Hoffman never forgot his army experiences. He became a member of Corporal Skelly Post G. A. R. No. 9 and frequently attended the meetings of the Post.

Mr. Hoffman saved his wages while in service and shortly after the war bought the smaller of the two farms donated as an orphanage, containing 49 acres and 118 perches. Later his father died owning the adjoining farm of 142 acres and 78 perches and this farm George W. Hoffman bought from the heirs of his father.

These farms lie in Mt. Joy township, south of the Baltimore turnpike, about three miles from Two Taverns, and nearly six miles from Littlestown and are reached by Rural mail delivery No. 2, from the latter place. These farms adjoin the farms of Jacob Sheely, Solomon Miller, Henry Mummert, Smith Barr, John A. Collins, Daniel Trostle, David Rohrbaugh, Hezekiah Brinkerhoff, John Little, John Harner and Anna Stoner.

Mr. Hoffman made his money by a careful saving of what he made. He was an excellent manager and was cautious in all his bargaining. He spent very little on himself, but kept his properties in good condition.

Mr. Hoffman was a devout member of St. James Reformed Church of Mt. Joy township. He was superintendent of the Sunday school of this church for a period of thirty-nine years and his ex-

periences in this position had much to do with the final creation of the Hoffman Orphanage. He was always interested in children and especially those who were orphans.

Many years ago he became interested in an orphan at a Reformed Church institution in Japan and contributed \$1500 for the education of this child. The reports later received were somewhat discouraging, the education of the child being more or less of a failure. Mr. Hoffman was not, however, discouraged, and some years later he sent another \$1500 to Japan for the education of another child and this second child proved a success and a great credit to the education received. Still later the same Japanese institution wrote him saying that they contemplated erecting a girls hall and whether he would care to make a contribution toward it and Mr. Hoffman's reply was that he would send \$2000 if the new building was named Hoffman Hall. This was agreed to and in faraway Japan to-day stands such a hall perpetuating his memory. But Mr. Hoffman had a goodly estate left after these charities and as he realized that the end of his days was not far off a new idea came into his mind. This is now being realized.

SALE REGISTER

When the printing and advertising is done by this office, sale notices under this heading will be published free of charge until the date of sale. Under other conditions the rate will be as follows: Four insertions 50 cents; each additional insertion 10 cents, entire term \$1.00. March 12.—W. Fisher, executor, at Motter's Station A. M., Live Stock and Farming Implements. March 15.—John T. Joy, Graechem, Live stock and farming implements. March 16.—Samuel Sless, on the Ephraim Eckert farm 1 1/2 miles south of Motter's Station, at 10 o'clock, Live Stock and Farming Implements. March 17.—E. F. Kellholtz, 5 miles Southeast of Emmitsburg on Tom's Creek, Live stock and farming implements. March 18.—Cornelius Shriver, 2 1/2 miles south of Emmitsburg, near Maxwell's Mill, Live Stock and Farming Implements, Wm. P. Eyer, Auct. March 19.—James R. White, Liberty Township, Pa., Live Stock and farming implements.

MARKET REPORTS.

The following market quotations, which are corrected every Thursday morning, are subject to daily change.

EMMITSBURG, Jan. 13. Emmitsburg Grain Elevator Corrected by Boyle Brothers.

Wheat ..... 1.20 Rye ..... .70 Oats ..... .55 New Corn ..... .70

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers. Steers, per 100 lb. .... 4.50@5.30 Butcher Hefers, ..... 30@45% Fresh Cows, ..... 80@90 Fat Cows and Bulls, per lb. .... 8@4 Hogs, Fat per lb. .... 9@10 Sheep, Fat per lb. .... 5@6 Spring Lambs ..... 5@5 1/2 Lambs, per lb. .... 4@5 Calves, per lb. .... 6@7 Stock Cattle, ..... 5.50@6.40

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke. Butter ..... 26 Eggs, ..... 32 Chickens, per lb. .... 20 Turkeys, per lb. .... 20 Spring Chickens per lb. .... 12 Ducks, per lb. .... 12 Potatoes, per bushel, ..... 65 Dried Cherries, (seeded), ..... 12 Raspberries, ..... 15 Blackberries, ..... 4 Apples, (dried), ..... 3 Lard, per lb. .... 12 Beef Hides, ..... 09

BALTIMORE, Jan. 12

WHEAT—spot, @ \$1.25 CORN—Spot, 70 OATS—White 53 1/2@53 1/2 RYE—Nearby, 80@81 bag lots, 65@78. HAY—Timothy, \$22.00@24.00; No. 1 Clover 20.00@22.00; No. 2 Clover, 18.00@19.00. STRAW—Rye straw—fair to choice, \$ . @ \$17.00@20.00. 2 1/2 @ 3.00. tanged rye, blocks @10.50 @11.00. wheat, blocks, \$8.50@8.90; oats \$9.00@10.00. MILL FEED—Spring bran, per ton, \$27.00@ \$27.50 100b. sacks, per ton, \$26.50@27.00; middlings, 100b. sacks, per ton, \$28.00@30.00. POULTRY—Old hens, 16 1/2@17 young chickens, large, @ 18 @; small, @ Spring chickens, large, @ @ Turkeys, 24@ PRODUCE—Eggs, 35; butter, nearby, rolls @24; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 24. POTATOES—Per bu. 50@60; No. 2, per bu. New potatoes per bbl. \$ @ \$3.00@3.50; Hefers, \$ @ \$; Cows, \$2. @ \$2.50; Bulls, \$2.50 @ \$3.00; Calves, @10 1/2 Fall Lambs, @ 7.00; Spring lambs, 7 @ 8; Pig \$1.50@2.00. Shoats, \$2.50@3.00; Fresh Cows \$30.00@40.00 per head.

Taneytown Grain And Hay Market. Prices paid by Reindollar Co. No Report.

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The Westminster Nursery, Westminster, Md. Jan 14-3m

Four firemen were killed in Milwaukee on Monday.

The resignation of Oscar B. Murray as president of the B. and O. R. R., is confirmed.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick county, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

J. EDWARD BAKER,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 18th day of July, 1910; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 7th day of January, 1910.

JULIA C. BAKER, Administratrix.

PETER F. BURKET, Agt. Jan. 7-5t

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

No. 8501 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity. NOVEMBER TERM, 1909.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 22nd day of December, 1909. Milton G. Urner, Jr., Assignee of Mortgage of Catherine S. Dukehart and Isaac F. Dukehart, her husband, to F. J. Dukehart, on Petition.

ORDERED, That on the 15th day of January, 1910, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Milton G. Urner, Jr., Assignee of Mortgage in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$925.00

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1909.

HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True Copy—Test: HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk.

Urner & Urner, Sol's. dec 24-4ts.

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SPECIAL MEETING

County Commissioners

FREDERICK, Md., Dec. 20th 1909. The January Session of the County Commissioners will commence at their office in the Court House, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 3RD, 1910, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The first three days will be devoted to general business and the appointment of County Constables.

Road supervisors will be settled with and new appointments made in accordance with the following schedule:

Thursday, January 6—Johnsville District No. 17.

Friday, January 7—Woodville and Linganore Districts Nos. 18 and 19.

Saturday, January 8—Lewistown District No. 20.

SECOND WEEK.

Monday, January 10—Emmitsburg District No. 5.

Tuesday, January 11—Woodsboro District No. 11.

Wednesday, January 12—Petersville and Burkittsville Districts Nos. 12 & 22.

Thursday, January 13—Mt. Pleasant and Walkersville Districts Nos. 13 and 26.

Friday, January 14—Mechanicstown District No. 15.

Saturday, January 15—Jefferson District No. 14.

THIRD WEEK.

Monday, January 17—Jackson District No. 16.

Tuesday, January 18—New Market District No. 9.

Wednesday, January 19—Liberty and Havers Districts Nos. 8 and 10.

Thursday, January 20—Urbana District No. 7.

Friday, January 21—Tuscarora District No. 21.

Saturday, January 22—Middletown District No. 3.

FOURTH WEEK.

Monday, January 24—Creegerstown District No. 4.

Tuesday, January 25—Catoctin and Ballenger Districts Nos. 6 and 23.

Wednesday, January 26—Buckeystown District No. 1.

Thursday, January 27—Frederick, Braddock and Brunswick Districts Nos. 2, 24 and 25.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Supervisors are hereby notified not to bring in their accounts before the day assigned for their District. Also report all road machines, tools, lumber, tiling or other materials in their possession belonging to the County.

By order, WILLIAM H. HOGARTH, President.

MARKWOOD D. HARP, Clerk. dec 31-3t

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**IN GENERAL**  
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EMMITSBURG, MD.  
Apr. 30-09-1yr.

**ACROSS THE LINE**  
Fairfield.—The authorities have found it necessary to close the public schools on account of an epidemic of measles. Twenty families are now under quarantine.  
The first school closed was the primary in charge of Miss Bess Kittinger. This was closed the middle of the week and on Friday the other two rooms, taught by Prof. Landis and Miss Withers closed. All of the schools are situated in the same building and will remain closed until January 24 if not longer. During this period a heating plant will be installed in the building.  
The Board of Health has taken active steps to stamp out the disease but Fairfield has what is known as only a partial quarantine in getting rid of the annoying condition which confronts the town.  
Miss Carrie May Tressler, of near Fairfield and Mr. Marshall Baumgardner, of near Orttanna were secretly married in Harrisburg on December 16. The Saturday following they returned to their respective homes and nothing whatever was said to anyone about the marriage. Some of the friends finally got hold of a rumor about the secret and its truth was established.  
The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tressler and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baumgardner.  
Adams county hunters are much interested in the proposed gun tax which the State Game Commission will lay before the next Legislature. The tax proposed is one dollar for every man who hunts.  
Secretary Kalbfus, of the commission, said about the matter:  
"A tax of one dollar would maintain thirty game preserves such as the three now in the State, would pay a competent force of officers and would make possible a bigger bounty than ever enjoyed before in Pennsylvania.  
"It would also create a fund that would make possible the payment of farmers who would winter quail and and then open their farm land to hunters who are registered.  
"Such a tax would make a hunters' paradise of Pennsylvania and there would be ten times the amount of game in the State there is now. The tax would place the State in a position to restock its forests with game.  
"Hunting is a necessity as well as a sport," continued Dr. Kalbfus. "The State owes it to the boys of Pennsylvania that there be good hunting. There must be game if the boys are to become experts at shooting and if the State expects them to do duty as soldiers when called upon, they must be expert shooters.  
"I believe that boys under fourteen should not be taxed. A tax might be objected to by some of the farmers, but only by those who do not understand the working out of the tax. If there were a tax there would be a sure bounty; there would be no running out of bounty money. A farmer who pays the tax could get his dollar repaid if he killed but one weasel."  
Several cases of chicken pox have caused considerable trouble between the Arendtsville board of health and the school board.  
The advisory board of the State Department of Health has authorized Health Commissioner Dixon to institute a system of medical inspection of public schools in the rural districts throughout Pennsylvania.  
The board also decided to put hookworm, pellagra and infantile paralysis on the list of diseases to be reported to the health authorities by physicians and ruled that no public funeral should be held for a person dying of measles or whooping cough until the house had been disinfected.  
The extra vitality required to digest the cow's winter foods is drawn from her milk secreting organs weakening them and cutting down the milk supply. Fairfield's Milk Producer makes Winter foods digestible, strengthens all organs and increases milk in quantity and quality. Sold under written guarantee by C. R. Wachter & Sons, Sabillasville, E. L. Frizell, Emmitsburg.

**MIDDLEBURG**  
The citizens at the West end of town were greatly frightened Monday morning when it was discovered that the large dwelling on the square, owned by Mrs. Emily Lynn and tenanted by Mr. Arch Eyer and Mrs. Mary Miller, was on fire. About 10 o'clock that morning Mrs. Miller had occasion to go to her room. While there she lighted a match and supposed it to be extinguished she carelessly threw it down. A short while after Mrs. Miller detected the odor of burning rags and hastening to her room found it on fire. She severely burned her hands in a vain effort to smother the flames. She then called for help and the neighbors quickly responded, formed a bucket brigade and by heroic effort the fire was extinguished, but not until a cot, bedding and several rugs had been destroyed. Had it not been for the timely discovery of the fire and the valiant work of the fighters the fire would soon have been beyond control and the whole town would have been in danger as a high wind was blowing at the time and nearly all the houses have shingle roofs.  
We are grieved to chronicle the death of Miss Bessie Q. Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers, of near Mt. Union, which occurred last Friday night after a brief illness of pneumonia. Miss Myers had been an invalid for 12 years, having been afflicted with spinal trouble. Although she was unable to walk she bore her constant suffering with true Christian fortitude and was always pleasant and cheerful. A member of the Mt. Union Lutheran Church she will be greatly missed. Her funeral took place Monday morning, services being held at the house by her pastor, Rev. C. W. Baughman. Interment in Pipe Creek Cemetery.  
Miss Nora Bowman and Mr. Hays Grimes were quietly married last Wednesday at Ladiesburg by Elder David Grossnickle.

**BALTIMORE'S OLDEST PEOPLE**  
**A Russian 116 Years Old and Maryland Born Woman 104.**  
Baltimore has two remarkable centenarians among her residents—a man and a woman. The man is a tall heavy-set Russian, who is not only the oldest man in the Monumental city, but very likely the oldest in the United States; for Louis Abraham Kallinsky is nearing his 116th birthday. The other is Mrs. Susan Askey, a woman who was born in Maryland and who has spent her entire life of 104 years as a resident of the state. An interview with these old people brought forth many interesting reminiscences, for both of them still retain all their faculties and recall with amazing vividness the incidents of three-quarters of a century or more ago.  
Mrs. Askey spoke of the many changes in her native city and the growth of her chosen religion, for she is a devout Methodist Episcopalian and has been a member of that sect for 82 years. Up to her 98th year she was a regular attendant at church worship and took an active part in church work. To-day she can give you the names of her pastors for the last 75 years. Last year she was taken to church on her birthday in an automobile. She declared that she liked motoring and looked forward to a ride on her birthday this year.  
Mrs. Askey remembers nothing of the war of 1812, except that at its outbreak she was sent to Frederick, Md., where she remained with an uncle until it was over. She then returned to Baltimore and was educated at St. Patrick's Catholic school.  
**In The Olden Time**  
—when John Smith wanted to sell his wares he wrote out a big "bill" and paid the town crier to tack it on the board he carried in front of him, like a breastplate. The crier attracted attention by his calls and people stopped, read what the merchant had to say and then flocked to his shop and bought his goods.  
To-day John Smith advertises in newspapers that go right into the homes not only of John Smith's customers, but of many more people whom John Smith would like to have for customers. Yet even now some cling to the crier method. The majority, however, (that is the live ones) advertise in newspapers.  
THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE is a live paper and if YOU want customers you will find it to your advantage to advertise in its columns.  
**Recent Recorded Property Transfers.**  
The following is a partial list of property transfers on record in the court: G. Lloyd Palmer and wife to Fannie C. Himmel, 4 acres, 9 rods of land, \$200.  
Mary P. Gelwicks and husband to John Thomas Gelwicks, real estate in county, \$1,000.  
Josiah Eyer to Urilla G. Eyer, real estate in Thurmont, \$5.  
John M. Eyer et al to Charles P. Smith, real estate in Mechanicstown district, \$75.  
FOR SALE.—A small valuable farm. MRS. SARAH OVELMAN, Emmitsburg. 12-10-12ts

**LOST**—A gold locket containing the photograph of a child. Liberal reward if returned to Miss Grace Lansinger, Emmitsburg.  
FOR SALE.—A Chickering Piano in good condition. Reasonable terms. Apply to MISS GRACE LANSINGER. tf.  
FURS WANTED.—Highest prices paid. Communicate with George W. Roop, dec 11-11t. Route 1 York Road, Md.  
Any absent Emmitsburgian would appreciate a subscription to The Chronicle. 52 weeks \$1.00.  
Fitzgerald was elected mayor of Boston after a bitter fight.

**FRIENDS' CREEK**  
Miss Nellie Kipe and Master Carl Kipe, of Cascade, spent several days with relatives in this place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Eyer, of Franklinville, spent Sunday with Mrs. C. Hardman.  
Messrs. G. Foreman and Maurice Butler, of near Fairfield, spent Sunday here.  
Mr. Roscoe Eyer and family spent a few days with Mr. W. H. Kipe.  
Miss Mary Gallion, of Broadfording, is spending some time in this vicinity.  
Mr. John Hardman, of Waynesboro, is visiting relatives here.  
Mr. W. H. Kipe and Mr. Roscoe Eyer, spent Tuesday in Frederick.  
Miss Lena Stone has returned after the holidays and reopened the school on Monday.  
Miss Rhoda Kipe, Mrs. R. G. Eyer and Mr. John Hardman visited at the home of Mr. W. L. Miller on Tuesday.  
Master James Kipe spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jacob Turner.  
The Rev. Mr. D. C. Eyer and son, Frank, visited at the home of Mr. S. H. Duffy.  
Mr. N. Naugle and family visited at the home of Mr. Naugle's parents recently.

**DETOUR ITEMS.**  
Rev. T. J. Kolb was in Thurmont Wednesday on business.  
Mr. F. J. Shorb and daughter were visitors at Mr. M. A. Koons' in Taneytown on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Fogle, of near Rocky Hill, visited Mr. G. S. J. Fox on Tuesday.  
Mr. William Hollenbaugh is still suffering with rheumatism.  
Mr. Herbert Angell left last Thursday for Philadelphia, where he has secured a position.  
Mr. Martin L. Fogle expects to move to Baltimore in a few weeks.  
Mr. Lewis Birley, of Ladiesburg, spent several days with his cousin, Mr. P. D. Koons, Jr.  
Mr. Cornelius Eyer and family spent last Sunday with Mrs. Katherine Drescher.  
Rev. O. E. Bregenzler, of Union Bridge, called on Mrs. Maggie Fogle on Sunday.  
Quite a number of young folks attended the musical at M. C. I., Union Bridge, Tuesday evening.

**HARNEY.**  
Mr. Emory Sterner has been very ill for the past week and at this writing is not improving.  
Miss Fannie Null and nephew, Mr. Robert Null, of Baltimore, are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Null.  
Mr. Robert Shriner, of Gettysburg, and Mr. David Shriner, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. George L. Shriner and family.  
Miss Pauline Feezer, is assisting her sister Miss "Edna" Feezer, in teaching the lower grade of our school. The enrollment is sixty this year, being more than one person could teach.  
Mrs. Hill, who fell and broke her hip a few weeks ago, seems to be slowly improving.

**Paper Manufacturers Indicted.**  
Another paper association, formed by John H. Parks, who pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$4,000 for his connection with the so-called fiber and manila pool, was indicted by the federal grand jury in New York charged with being an illegal combination in restraint of trade. The federation is the Paper Board Association, comprising 140 prominent paper manufacturers, who are indicted individually in addition to the indictment returned against the association as such. A fine or imprisonment may be imposed on conviction.  
**New Big League Managers.**  
The major league baseball clubs this season will be headed by seven new managers, four in the American and three in the National league. Philadelphia, Boston and Brooklyn in the National league will have new bosses, in Doolin, Lake and Dahlen, respectively, while Chicago, Washington, St. Louis and Boston of the American league will have new managers in Hugh Duffy, McAleer, O'Connor and Donovan, respectively. One of the most conspicuous of the changes is that of Fred Lake, who goes from one Boston club to the other.  
Prof. James Barr Ames, dean of the Harvard Law School and formerly chairman of the athletic committee of the University died Saturday. Dean Ames was 63 years old. He died in Wilton, N. H., where he had been staying since last fall in the hope of regaining his health following a nervous breakdown.

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NOTICE.  
On November the 1st, 1909, this Bank increased its interest rate to Four (4%) per cent. per annum on all its special interest bearing deposits, said deposits to remain in all other respects subject to the provisions of the contracts under which they were made.  
Referring to the above notice, it is not necessary for any depositor to present his or her book to have any change made. The 4% rate, will, of course, also be paid on new deposits made of the same class.  
This bank offers first-class facilities for the transacting of your general banking business.  
July 3 '09-1y

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[Editorial from The Chronicle, June 8, 1906.]

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## MORE HOUSES AND BUILDINGS NEEDED.

It must not be forgotten in the plan for a greater Emmitsburg that in addition to electric light and power more dwellings and more business buildings are needed within the corporate limits. There are already several applications for dwellings this early in the season and within the past few days there have been inquiries from outside sources for rooms suitable for shop and factory purposes. It undoubtedly speaks well for the town that there are no vacant houses in it and no stores to let, but on the other hand it will turn out to Emmitsburg's decided disadvantage if when people from other places signify a desire to start industries here they can find neither houses for their families nor accommodations for their business. And if these conditions obtain at this time in anticipation of improvements that have been considered and that it is taken for granted will soon be accomplished, how much greater will be the demand when they are actualities? There is no safer investment to-day for local or outside capital than well located town houses for dwelling and store purposes and the men who first get alive to the situation are going to reap the profit.

## "NURSING A GRUDGE."

Almost every day one meets a person who "has it in" for somebody and is going to "get even" with him whether or no. In some instances one scarcely gets beyond the conventional greeting before he, or she as it may happen, starts a long, one-sided and always disagreeable tale about a grudge. Those who have had the experience will agree with the following from Everybody's Magazine:

Tending it, keeping it alive, nourishing it until it becomes a companion. What a foolish, reckless occupation. You know men right in your town who nurse grudges almost as big as they are, and show off the grinning, homely things on every possible occasion and apparently with great pride. Now a healthy soul can't keep a grudge over night. It forgets or forgives. \* \* \* A grudge doesn't hurt anybody but the man who harbors it. Recall the people who have exhibited their cherished grudge to you. You knew it for what it was instantly, and you didn't think any more highly of the exhibitor, did you?

Who could think highly of one whose make-up is so small, whose intelligence is so dwarfed, whose disposition is so contemptible that grudge nursing is to him a source of pleasure and pride?

If the public display of one's ignorance is the end sought, if flaunting before others' eyes one's lack of breeding is what one desires, then the person who nurses a grudge against another may enjoy his doubtful pleasure for a time, but in the long run he, himself, is going to be the loser. It is going to act like a boomerang and he is going to be the target struck. The man who nurses a grudge is about on the par with the man who throws ashes in his own eyes and then pleads for sympathy for himself in his discomfiture. Both may get a certain sort of sympathy, but it will be the kind with a contingent clause providing for lack of good sense on the part of the recipient of it.

That "a healthy soul can't keep a grudge over night" is positively true. A normal being's anatomy wouldn't hold it. A healthy man would no more let a grudge irritate him than he would a bit of indigestible food. He would take something to get it out of his system as quickly as possible. And, incidentally, the best alternative under the circumstances is a compound consisting of equal parts of good common sense and decency.

## MEMBERS NOT CHURCHES AT FAULT.

PEOPLE who are in the habit of making flippant and disparaging remarks about churches and claiming, as some do, that the churches are too often ruled by capitalists and do not take the initiative in and accomplish half the work they ought to accomplish, might bear in mind Bishop Lawrence's remarks that, "As the church is the power-house of spiritual effort, it is her members rather than the church in her official capacity who should take up the work. The dynamic spiritual force should show itself in the electric current of legislator, social reformer and public citizen." There is no disputing the fact that in some localities there are immensely rich congregations who think in terms of wealth and act accordingly and for this reason lay themselves open to comment, but it will be found the world over, as Bishop Lawrence indicates, that these laymen who are supporting and doing the telling work of the churches and who are representing them in opinion and character and example are self-respecting wage earners and small salaried people—people who obey the teachings of the churches and not the unbalanced, vacillating ones who attempt (and happily fail in their efforts) to dictate what the churches should or should not do.

We are not at all surprised at the discovery that peanut shells form the base for some breakfast foods. A little further probing would doubtless result in disclosing the use of prune juice, bird gravel and fodder. Indeed, as so many people insist on using such stuff (they don't seem to care what it is compounded of as long as it has a catchy name) we have been contemplating the manufacture of a new brand made of ground fish bones, excelsior, moth balls, punk and molasses.

So New York surgeons are going to form a union, their plea being that "New York City is becoming almost pauperized by the monstrous evil of the abuse of medical charity." Shades of Aesculapius! Abuse of charity among those Gotham knife wielders! Who, by the widest stretch of the imagination, could link together the words charity, and surgeon, and New York?

SQUARE meals are a close rival to the Ten Commandments in making good citizens.—New York Press.

There ought not to be any rivalry between them. The Ten Commandments are the very best things in the world to work by and as working always goes better on a full stomach we advocate the combination of both.

MR. TAFT's idea of cutting down national expenditures \$100,000,000 a year promises an interesting program of explanation to constituents for a number of statesmen.—Washington Star.

And Governor Crother's plan for cutting down legislative and State expenses bids fair to make a number of "statesmen" at Annapolis cut a few explanatory diodes also.

WHEN two battleships run aground in one day is looks as though the coast defenses of the country needed protection against collision.—New York World.

And when such things occur almost weekly it gives one a somewhat better insight into the reason for those increased appropriations that are being advocated.

A BROOKLYN minister notified his congregation that he had been getting too much nickel and copper in the contribution box and that thereafter such contributions would not be acceptable.—Kennebec Journal.

Unwise, unthankful man! If he had a charge in some places we know of he'd be shaking hands with himself on finding that none of the coins were plugged.

If bandits now use automobiles and rob people in the open and then make a get-away, how long will it be before second-story men will be utilizing aeroplanes when they go out to shake loose change from a sleeping millionaire's pockets?

COULD there be a more frank truthful acknowledgment on Mr. Cannon's part than his reference to Mr. Taft wherein he said, "I am not trying to run his business"?

THE Attorney General diagnoses the trouble with Mr. Glavis as "megalomania." What is the disease of those who have used Glavis to attack the administration?—New York Tribune.

Why, Pinchotaglavistitis, of course.

INSTEAD of asking for one more chance for the Trusts the President, if he don't watch out, will be put in the position of asking for one more chance for himself.

THE very latest cartoons reveal a Taft with teeth instead of a smile.—Springfield Republican.

And some even show a Big Stick peeping out from William's house coat.

OF course, the piece de resistance of Herr Hammer is the "Anvil Chorus."

## No Recommendation.

"Mary, after the week is out I shan't need your services," the boarding-house keeper told her cook; "your cooking doesn't suit me."

"But the boarders seem to like it ma'am!"

"Yes. That's why I must get another cook.—Bohemian.

## Questionable.

"Your tickets were complimentary, were they not?"

"Well," replied the man who had seen the painfully amateur entertainment, "I thought they were until I saw the show."—Twi-Bits.

## STATE MISCELLANY

## Interesting Paragraphic News From Various Sections of Maryland.

pany of Baltimore, which furnished the bond in both cases; is named as code-fendant.

The Knights of Pythias lodges of the Fifth district of Maryland held their annual district meeting in Laurel.

Eastport, a suburb of Annapolis, containing 2,500 inhabitants, will probably be annexed to the state capital.

Judge and Mrs. Martin L. Keedy, of Hagerstown, on last Friday night gave a reception in honor of their silver wedding anniversary.

Mayor Strange, of Annapolis, will appoint three delegates to a conference of those interested in a fort at the mouth of the Chesapeake.

Earl D. Wilson, the midshipman whose neck was broken in a football game last October, has continued to improve, and his complete recovery is now looked for.

A resolution was adopted by the teachers of Frederick county at the recent annual session of the Frederick County Teachers' Institute, declaring in favor of compulsory education.

The State Board of Health after examining samples of water taken from twenty-five of Cumberland's drinking water supply points, pronounced nine of them good and many of the others as very bad. Water from citywater spigots is reported "very bad."

According to telegrams and long-distance telephone messages received at Hagerstown, the indications are that Joseph H. Sharer, the young traveling salesman, of that city, who attempted suicide in a hotel at Canton, O., the result of a love affair, will recover.

John W. Stonebraker, paper manufacturer and former president of Hagerstown Fair Association, died at his home in Hagerstown, aged eighty-two years. His father was an officer in the American army in the war of 1812. A son and two daughters survive.

At Midlothian, Allegany county, the Juniata Lumber Company has completed a large, modern sawmill. The company has acquired almost 15,000,000 feet of timber and will build several miles of railway, operate a large hill climbing logging locomotive, and employ a large number of men.

The City Council of Annapolis, through Ridgely P. Melvin, city counselor, has entered suit against Jerry L. Smith and Charles H. Russell of J., city treasurers for the years 1903 and 1905, respectively. The city claims \$458.83 from Smith and \$548.03 from Russell for failure to collect taxes. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

Judge Keedy has appointed President Frank S. Barrick, Director Barclay E. Hollingsworth and Attorney Harry H. Keedy, Jr., receivers of the Hagerstown Spoke and Bending Company, the receivership being the result of application made to the court by Mrs. Charles W. Sebald and Mrs. Samuel H. Long, the latter of Baltimore, and both heavy stockholders. Their bonds were fixed at \$100,000.

Vandals broke into St. John's Episcopal Church Hagerstown, turned on the water at the boiler of the heating plant and when Sexton William Renner went to the church he discovered that water was running from all the radiators. The carpets and furniture were badly damaged. About two months ago Trinity Lutheran Church was flooded and damaged in the same manner by parties breaking into the boiler room and turning on the water.

On Saturday last at a meeting at the Courthouse at Cambridge, it was decided to ask the Legislature to pass an act authorizing the county to issue bonds to improve the Courthouse. Former Judge Henry Lloyd appointed a committee, with himself as chairman ex-officio, to ascertain what improvements are needed and the probable cost. He appointed Judge John R. Pattison, James S. Shepherd, Vernon S. Bradley, T. Sangster Insley, James Irwin Bowdley, William H. Hooper and D. H. LeCompte.

Attorney-General Isaac Lobe Straus has completed and delivered to Governor Crother the bills embracing the proposed constitutional amendments providing for increased representation for Baltimore city in the Legislature, in accordance with the pledge contained in the last Democratic State platform. He has also completed a bill to carry into effect the recommendation in the Governor's message that all annual and continuing appropriations be discontinued and repealed and that all appropriations of the State's money be made in the General Appropriation act instead of in separate acts.

The act of the General Assembly of 1908, generally known as the "Teachers Salary Law," of interest throughout the State, has been sustained by Judge Robley D. Jones in the Circuit Court, Snow Hill. The case will be taken to the Court of Appeals by the County Commissioners. The matter came before the court on a petition of the Board of School Commissioners for a madamus to compel the County Commissioners to levy a sum aggregating about \$12,000 which the School Commissioners allege is necessary, in addition to the amounts already levied by the County Commissioners, to pay the increased salaries, according to the scale set out in the act of 1908, for the school years 1908-09 and 1909-10.

## Discussion of Affairs in General from Leading Journals of The Country.

## Causes of High Prices.

(Wall Street Journal.)

Discussing what is, without qualification, the most important factor in our commercial and industrial situation to-day, the high cost of the necessities of life, a bank president of Palmyra, Wis., asks us two questions: "Have we not taken too large a percentage of our labor energy away from the production and distribution of the necessities of life, and encouraged them to become engaged in producing comforts and luxuries? Do we not face a situation that will compel us to go slow and to submit to a less easy existence?"

In discussing the general question there is a disposition to ignore the fact that the rise in the price of food-stuffs and other necessities of life has not been confined to the United States. Prices have advanced in Europe, although not to the same extent. Still they may fairly be said to have advanced in an equal ratio when the purchasing power of wages is considered. It is obvious, therefore, that when Congress starts out to inquire into the high cost of living, it must begin by defining the broad underlying causes for such an advance.

Certainly nothing could be more shallow than to assume that the advance is entirely due to "Trusts," the nefarious retailer, conspiracies in restraint of trade, or any one of a dozen reasons constantly offered in the popular press. Even the lower purchasing power of money caused by the increased production of gold would not be a solution in itself satisfactory to the thoughtful student.

After the crisis of 1907 we gave in this place upward of 50 contributory causes to a development which some of our greatest financiers, wincing under a laceration of the sensitive pocket nerve ascribed solely to Mr. Roosevelt. If Congress wishes to make an honest investigation of facts, always allowing that the members of the committee do not feel it necessary to make any preliminary study of political economy, it will still be able to make out a list of causes nearly as long.

When our correspondent asks if we have not too many people engaged in the production of comforts and luxuries, he places his finger on one of the most important causes of high prices. Our national, municipal and individual extravagance is positively terrifying, and in the second question our correspondent in some measure answers the first. We certainly do face a situation which will compel us to go slow. Commodities are high, therefore labor demands higher wages, therefore freight rates must advance, therefore commodities must advance again, therefore there can be no end to the advance. We all know that the proposition so stated involves an absurdity. There is a point where the edifice topples over, and the man who guesses that point correctly will have an accurate line, not only upon the future of the stock or commodity markets, but upon the conditions of business likely to obtain for some years to come.

## Will It Come to This.

(Aitchison Globe.)

After a man has made a failure of politics, he is pretty apt to try preaching or divine healing. Watch W. J. Bryan; see if he doesn't land in the pulpit.

## England's Sum In Arithmetic.

(Congregationalist.)

Everybody in England is figuring. The problem is one of mathematics. Expressing their currency in American money it may be stated thus: If 38,220,000 persons owning \$5,000,000,000 and working to earn their living pay \$200,000,000 in taxes, how much ought the remaining 680,000 persons to pay who have \$60,000,000,000? They are actually paying about \$190,000,000. Putting it roughly, the far more numerous poorer classes are annually assessed 5 per cent. on their property to provide funds for carrying on the government. The rich are assessed less than one-third of 1 per cent. on their possessions. Moreover, the taxes collected from the working classes are mainly paid out of their earnings. The taxes of the rich are paid out of their incomes, and of these a large portion comes from rents paid to landlords by the working classes. Now the House of Lords is a house of landlords. Its members hold titles to the greater part of the land in England. When the people get through figuring and have solved their problem, they will know whether their lords have the right to hold the land wholly for their own uses, whether they and those in their rank are paying their fair share of the taxes, whether it justly belongs to them to have the final word on the amount of the taxes to be raised and the proportion which they themselves shall pay. The people may or may not have figured out the answer to their problem before the elections for a new Parliament this month. If they shall have found the correct answer, the House of Lords will be differently constituted, with better defined functions, in coming years. If the work shall remain undone, they will have to return to school again.

## Both Sides Out For Scalps.

(Boston Globe.)

If, as is rumored, the opponents of Secretary Ballinger go into pre-convention politics there will be sensations enough. It is said that an attempt will be made to show that Mr. Ballinger was put in the cabinet as a reward for the work he did in securing Mr. Taft delegates to the national convention and that Postmaster-General Hitchcock can tell some things that will interest the country. How much of this is mere talk and how much fact it is not easy to determine at this time, but both sides are bitter, and both sides are out for scalps.

## The Two Definitions.

(The Commoner.)

According to the dictionary used by the beneficiaries of privilege he only is a statesman whose ear is turned to catch the slightest pulsations of a pocket book, while he is a demagogue who dares to listen to the heartbeat of humanity.

## Welcome The Reformer.

(New Bedford Standard.)

Whether a man betters a railway signal so that accidents will be fewer or invents a remedy for cancer, or effects an improvement in the housing of the poor, or takes a corrupt municipal administration and turns it into an honest one, he is in his line and in his way a reformer, call him whatever else you may. About everything this world has that is worth having is due to reformers. They have been the men who have said that conditions might be improved, and have done something toward improving them.

Everybody should be glad that there have been and are reformers, and anybody who is a reformer—we mean the real thing—should be proud of it. That is, if he knows it. Sometimes the world does not find it out until after he is dead.

## One Reason For Defeat.

(Kansas City Star.)

More than one hundred copies of Speaker Cannon's Kansas City speech, in which he denounced the insurgents are being sent out from Washington under the Congressional franking privilege. And yet Congress effects to wonder at the annual deficit in the Postoffice Department.

## Increase In Newspaper Influence.

(New York World.)

More newspapers are printed than ever before. More newspapers are read than ever before. If the public has lost confidence in newspapers, why does it read them in such vast numbers? Merely to amuse itself? Merely to pass away the time? Merely to acquire information which it distrusts and upon which it can place no reliance? The American people have never impressed us as a nation of idiots and lunatics. They must have some definite motive in reading the newspapers, and the average American is not the sort of a person who wastes his time on things in which he has no confidence.

We have observed, too, that the shrewd, practical gentlemen who manage the great corporations have detected no marked decline of public confidence in newspapers. Their desire to own newspapers, to influence newspapers, to shape the policy of newspapers was never so keen as it is now. They must believe that the public has confidence in what it reads in newspapers or they would not be so eager to control newspapers. What is commonly spoken of as a decline of newspaper influence is in reality only a change in newspaper influence and a change for the better. Newspapers are cheaper than they were, and few men are obliged to rely upon a single newspaper. They draw information and opinions not from one source, but from two or three or four sources, and their own opinion is the resultant of these various forces. This is having the excellent effect of teaching people to think for themselves. They are the surer in consequence to detect bad advice and the quicker to follow good advice. Their own opinions are clearer and saner and less prejudiced.

This does not mean a decline of newspaper influence. On the contrary, it is a manifestation of the best kind of influence that newspapers can exert.

## What Will Taft Do.

(Hartford Times.)

The business interests of the country require relief from the disastrous possibilities of the Sherman law, just as they required to be saved from the effect of that other vicious Sherman law, the silver purchase act under which came so near to abandoning the gold standard. If the muck rakers are to have their way the business of the country will be ere long in the same parlous condition in which it was while waiting for the repeal of the Sherman silver law and the adoption of the single gold standard in the period of 1893-97. Grover Cleveland bravely sacrificed all his personal comfort and his harmonious relations with the leaders of his party in order to carry through the repeal of that Sherman law in 1893. Will William H. Taft serve himself as badly and his country as well in 1910 as Grover Cleveland did sixteen years ago?

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**Short Sermons on the Decalogue**

THE SEVENTH COMMANDMENT.

"Thou shalt not commit adultery."  
 "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the spirit of God dwelleth in you. If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy, for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are."

In the light of this commandment, and in the face of the teaching of the Apostle Paul, every man ought to strive to be clean in body and soul. Under the impure fire of lust all the nobler graces of the higher life will wither and die. Nothing will sap and destroy the life like unchaste thoughts. They entwine themselves around the heart, like so many noxious weeds, at once destroying the higher aspirations of the soul. If we would not grieve the Holy Spirit all impure and ignoble thoughts must find no resting place in the temple of God.

How can any man approach a throne of Grace, how can he offer that heart to God in prayer if he has been wallowing in the mire of unclean practice or imagination? If we would but think, and think more seriously, of the holiness and purity of Almighty God; if we could but remember every day we rise that His Allseeing eye is upon all our actions, and our most secret thoughts, we should surely hesitate to dishonor Him by making the baser pleasures of the body our chief delight.

A wise philosopher said long ago, "A man who knows not the pleasures of the mind, will seek the pleasures of the body." "In order that all uncleanliness may be banished from our lives, and that an entire change of heart may take place, the Holy Spirit must come in and dwell with us, sanctifying and purifying and fitting us for the home reserved for the children of God.

Even the best of men may be tempted and tried. Joseph asks himself, "shall I do this evil and sin against God." David, after he had sinned, cried to God not only for cleansing, but for the re-creation of his whole manhood. "Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right Spirit within me."

It is essential that we endeavor to get weaned from all the grosser and more sensual desires, at least from those which are unlawful and immoderate. And much will be gained in this direction if we seek the company of the chaste and refined. Parents should see to it that their sons and daughters are chaste in the election of their companions. Especially should they guard the latter from all undue and dangerous familiarities. The young man whose actions are unchaste, whose words are impure should be shamed by every young woman who unchaste, high price on virtue, and the graces that noble women hold dear.

Were the searchlight suddenly turned on many of our larger cities at a midnight hour—what a revelation! It would be found that the sin of adultery is sapping the lives of many men in all walks of life. And they think the darkness will hide their iniquity. It cannot be hid. The darkness and the light are both alike to God. Their faces, their eyes, are open epistles known and read of all men. No man can debase his manhood, and hide it from his fellow men.

Slavery is a blot on any nation; and war has slain its thousands, but this vice of adultery is carrying its thousands, and its tens of thousands to untimely graves. The white slave traffic, and the brothel are in full blast in Christian America. And worst of all the officers of the law are protecting the traffic and fattening on the spoils of dishonor. A few more revelations from those in the higher walks of life, from our nobility and gentry, will surely open the eyes of the world to the glaring iniquity of adultery.

There is a marked difference between the clean-cut faces of the men who signed the Declaration of Independence, and the bleared eyed politicians of the present day. It would bring the blush to the cheek to go deeper into this subject. Let it from henceforth be our desire as a nation, and as individuals, to glorify God in our souls and in our bodies for they are His. We are the temples of the living God.

**Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.**

(Copyright 1909 by Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.)

January 16, 1910.

The Beginning of the Galilean Ministry. Matt. 4:12-25.

Golden Text. The People which sat in darkness saw great light. Matt. 4:16.

Verse 12.—Why did Jesus depart for Galilee when he heard John was imprisoned? Was it fear of personal arrest?

Why should a man not unnecessarily expose himself to danger?

Verse 13.—Describe, or point out on the map, the situation of Nazareth and Capernaum and state at least one thing for which these cities are noted?

Verses 14-16.—State your reasons for either theory that Jesus went to dwell in Capernaum purposely to fulfil the prophecy of Isaiah, or that his going there was an unconscious fulfilment of this prophecy?

Why, or why not, do any of the events which God says are going to happen, depend upon the help of man?

\* Why is it that the advent of Jesus into any heart, or into any community, is like a great light bursting out in dense darkness? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

What is the literal meaning of the figures of light and darkness, as used in verse sixteen?

Verse 17—What, if any, was the difference between John's preaching of repentance and that of Jesus? (See Chap. 3:2)

Compare say Abraham and Enoch of the Old Testament, with the Apostles John and Paul of the New Testament, and then compare the four with an equal number of like godly men now, and then say if there is any essential difference in the way that they each entered into the kingdom of God?

Verses 18-22—How can you explain that these fishermen so promptly gave up their business and followed Jesus?

What can be said for, or against, the idea, that they had heard Jesus frequently and had thoroughly convinced

themselves of his authority, and that then they took sufficient time to dispose of their business affairs.

Give a reason for your answer as to whether God in these days, or ever, calls upon men or women to do erratic things, such as neglecting their business, or their families, in order to do religious work?

How may a man of God recognize the call of God to new work, when it comes through the medium of another man?

Will a true Christian, at the command of God, give up the business in which he may be engaged in order to do gospel work?

When God calls a man to devote himself to gospel work, is it always to be presumed that it is a life long call?

Most people recognize that a special call is necessary for the gospel ministry, but if this is so, why is not a special call necessary for any occupation?

Why for example should not a Christian blacksmith have as clear cut conviction as that of a pastor of a church, that he is doing his divinely appointed work?

If you are not sure that you are where you ought to be, and are doing what God wants you to do, what reason is there to believe that you are not living in some degree separate from God?

Verse 23—Why is every Christian, to the extent of his opportunity, under as much obligation to minister to the spiritual, social, and physical needs of the people as Jesus was?

Verse 24.—Did Jesus heal all the sick people in the community?

Verse 25—Is a faithful man equally to be praised whether he is popular or unpopular?

Lesson for Sunday Jan. 23rd, 1910.—True Blessedness, Matt. 5:1-16.

\* This is the question to be answered in writing by members of the club in competition for the prizes. Every subscriber and members of subscriber's families belong to this club.

Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, is trying to form a \$50,000,000 tobacco trust to compete with the American Tobacco Company.

Hubert Latham, the French aviator, attained an altitude at Mourmelon, France, unofficially estimated at 3,280 feet.

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Weekly Deposits (Capital Stock).....\$ 25,000.00  
 Surplus and Profits, (net).....13,842.49  
 Dividends Unpaid.....85.70  
 Dividend No. 4.....500.00  
 Interest unclaimed for.....4,140.21  
 Deposits.....253,013.00

Total Liabilities.....\$296,581.40

State of Maryland, } To wit:  
 Frederick County, }  
 I, John L. Routzahn, Cashier of the above named Bank, do most solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN L. ROUTZAHN, Cashier.

Correct—Attest—  
 GEORGE W. GAYER, }  
 JOHN M. GROVE, } Directors.  
 WM. S. ROUTZAHN, }

Subscribed and sworn to, before me, this 1st day of January, 1910.

CHAS. B. T. HENDRICKSON,  
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Better sell or trade off things you don't want. Advertise them and you will find that there are people ready to take them and pay cash, or trade for them. You will find it easy through the Columns of

**THE CHRONICLE**

PERSONALS.

It is the aim of THE CHRONICLE to publish as many personal and social items as possible...

Mrs. Katherine Sellers, of York, Pa., and son, Mr. David Sellers, of Connecticut, are the guests of Mrs. Sellers, son, Mr. William H. Sellers.

Mr. Oscar Coblenz, of Frederick, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Gelwicks and daughters, Ethel and Pauline, are visiting friends and relatives in Frederick.

Dr. Jesse Downey, of Monrovia, spent several days here.

Mr. George L. Gillelan attended the banquet of the survivors of Cole's Cavalry in Baltimore this week.

Mr. Charles E. Slagle, of Hanover, was in town over Sunday.

The Misses Tabitha and Barbara Beam were in Washington and Baltimore this week.

Mr. Frederic J. Welty, of Philadelphia, was home on Monday.

Mr. E. C. Moser had a very pleasant visit to Frederick on Monday.

Miss Edith Dorsey after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Colliflower, of Gettysburg, and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dorsey, has returned to Irving College, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Miss Maude Dorsey, who spent the holidays with her parents has returned to Gettysburg, Pa., and is resuming her studies at Gettysburg College.

Bishop Murray of Baltimore, was in Emmitsburg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Bortner, of Hanover, and Mrs. Cenora Bortner, of Miller, Pa., who have been visiting Mr. Theodore Bortner, have returned home.

Mrs. Hannah Long has returned from a visit to Waynesboro.

MISS ELLEN M. SNIDER.

Miss Ellen M. Snider, formerly a resident of Emmitsburg, died at her home in Washington, D. C., on Jan. 7. Miss Snider was the daughter of Nicholas Snider who was United States marshal for the Western district of Maryland under President Van Buren.

Miss Snider was for many years a resident of Emmitsburg and was a sister of Mrs. Thomas Rudisil, wife of the brother of Mrs. Lewis M. Motter, Miss Snider and her sister, Miss Louisa, lived together in the house now occupied by Mr. Pius Felix.

Upon the death of her sister in 1889, Miss Ellen went to live with her niece, Mrs. George Motter, of Taneytown, and afterwards with Mrs. Motter's daughter, Mrs. Cunningham in Washington.

The funeral services were held in Washington on Sunday, and in the Presbyterian Church in Taneytown on Monday. Miss Snider was a member of this church for many years, having been born February 3, 1818, in a house scarcely more than 100 feet from the church, this house being the second oldest house in Taneytown, and memorable as the home of the Thomson family from the Revolutionary period, the original progenitor in America being William Thomson, who came from Magherin, Ireland, and said to be related to Charles Thomson, the secretary of the Continental Congress.

STEPHENS-JOHNSON.

Dr. M. Bates Stephens, state superintendent of public education, and Miss Nellie Rowena Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Purnell Johnson, of Denton, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday morning. Rev. Frank T. Benson, pastor of the Denton Methodist Protestant Church, of which Dr. Stephens and Miss Johnson are both prominent members, was the officiating clergyman.

Prof. Marion J. Woodford, of Baltimore, brother-in-law of the bride, rendered the wedding march. The marriage room was a bower of roses and potted plants. There were no groomsmen or bridesmaids.

Bruceville Station Too Cold.

A great many complaints are being heard about the heating arrangements in the railroad station at Bruceville. Passengers who have been forced to wait at this junction an hour or more, and also those who have not been subjected to quite so long a stop-over, say that the waiting room is more like an ice house than a place intended for the comfort of patrons of the Western Maryland and Northern Central roads. When asked what in their opinion was the cause of the failure of the large stove to throw out sufficient heat nearly every traveller (and they all seem to have given the matter some attention) has laid the blame on the quality of the coal used.

Any absent Emmitsburgian would appreciate a subscription to The Chronicle. 52 weeks \$1.00.

"Q. R. S." TEN YEARS OLD.

Event Celebrated at Meeting Entertained by Mrs. Helman.

The January meeting of the Q. R. S. was held at the home Mr. James A. Helman on Tuesday evening, and as this meeting marked the tenth year of the society's existence the subject for the evening was the tenth anniversary of the Q. R. S.

The parlor was beautifully decorated with black and orange pennants the colors of the society. All the programmes of the past ten year's meeting were on exhibition and displayed many artistic ideas and a wide range of subjects. An elaborate programme was prepared for the evening and ably rendered.

The meeting was called to order by the president; minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, after which the programme for the evening was taken up which consisted of a piano trio by Mrs. E. L. Higbee, Misses Eva and Rachel Shulenberger; cornet solo by Mr. H. M. Warrenfeltz, and solo by Miss Tabitha Beam; piano solos by Mrs. Higbee and Miss Eva Shulenberger.

The anniversary paper was prepared and read by Rev. Dr. Reinwald, as follows:

In the whirligig of time and in the evolution of events we come this evening to commemorate and celebrate this anniversary of our Q. R. S. Those ventures, in whatever realm, when crowned with some measure of satisfaction and success, are not undeserving of some measure of congratulation and praise.

Sometimes, this is signalized in some formal and elaborate way; on other days and seasons it is marked by a more spontaneous and extemporaneous fashion. It is not however within my province to predict or presume, in favor of either one of these two styles of this night's observance. The programs are limited. Advance copies usually sleep in the guarded tent of a vigilant Committee until the eve of action when they enter the official possession of our dignified, original and only president never absent from the chair and always on time, Mrs. Ehrehart.

Let your most vivid imagination frame a program, for this fair occasion. Then to-night about 12 o'clock when you seek your downy pillow for pleasant dreams you may compare imagery with reality, fancy with fact, performance with prospect.

My personal contribution to this celebration is presumed to be brief; otherwise the memory of past days might mould my talk into a medley and a mixture.

Charter membership in this choice and harmonious company was a determining factor in naming an individual to the honor of standing on the eminence of this Emmitsburg anniversary hill-top. Here we sit and listen, for a while to the Muse of memory. A few years have flown; a few songs have been sung; deft fingers have flitted with wizard skill across the keys thrilling soul and space with rapturous melody. Fireside cheer, brilliant lights, fragrant flowers, congenial friends instructive themes, hospitality's welcome, wit and wisdom to cheer and charm with sinless intoxication, man's higher nature, amid the delicate service of a choice menu. Did I say a few years? Oliver Wendell Holmes seemed to have parted company with the rule of his old Arithmetic, when he met around the festive board on anniversary occasion with the dear fellows of his college class. For he flung out the challenge "Old Time is a liar we're twenty to-night."

But perhaps, I am too fond of the function of the historian to forego mention of the fact that to-night we are assembled not only in anniversary role, but in the seventieth session.

Our school calls and breaks up once a month. Amid the crimson and russet and gold of October the bell rings and the scholars fall in line. There is too much glory in the course to graduate. We pay no tuition; we receive no medals nor prizes. We have no institutional equipment, no endowment, for library or laboratory, no material assets and no liabilities. You may remember the black and the oriole, symbol of chosen and distinctive color.

Before entering briefly upon a summary review of the character and scope of monthly subjects for study and presentation during the past, I desire to mention what is significant and suggestive about the month in which our organization began, viz, that which opens the year—January,—derived from the deity Janus.

Janus was popularly conceived of by the ancient Romans as the god of a "good beginning." The Latin poet Ovid makes Janus say: "Everything depends on the beginning." Janus opened and closed all things. He sat not only on the confines of earth but also at the gates of heaven. Air, sea, and land were in the hollow of his hand. In accordance with this conception he was represented seated with two heads,—one being that of youth to denote beginning, the other that of age indicating the end. In his left hand is a key, to show that he opens at the beginning and closes at the end.

This night of January we may regard with no stretch of fancy as facing the months and meetings that are in the cherished past; and also as fronting and greeting the good days in the future

with all its fond anticipations and possibilities.

To give an accurate record of all the subjects considered and discussed, would possess particular interest at least for the participants if not for others. Some of these topics have baffled my endeavor to furnish you in my imperfect sketch for the anniversary.

The first however, is not among those of certain later months, which have gone adrift. The key-note seemed to be fairly sounded in that early theme: Social Life in America.

In November '99 there was "A Trip to the Transvall," with Mrs. Stokes in the role of guide, a month later followed the debate as to the merit of Boor or Briton in the South African War.

In February 1900 we discussed Lincoln, Washington and St. Valentine. In the idea of March came a turn at the interpretation of Shakespeare's "Julius Cæsar."

Now follows a parenthesis in the record until Nov. 1900 when there is "An evening with Elizabeth Barrett Browning."

In January 1901, there was a rare evening with Longfellow, in February "An evening with the Scotts."

In March, was discussed "The Victorian Era;" in April 1901 was rendered the remarkable entertainment under the caption "Humanum Organum and Humanagraph."

In May, 1901, "An Evening with the Presidents;" in October "Celebrities by Ladies, in turn also by the Gentlemen."

In November (Musical Celebrities) Wagner and Handel.

There follows a debate in December, "Was Queen Elizabeth justifiable in the execution of Mary Queen of Scots?"

In succession we have: "Was Gladstone warranted in advocating Home Rule for Ireland?"

In February George Washington becomes the theme for the second time.

In April was considered and debated the Nicaragua Canal.

In May 1902, "May Customs" "An Excursion to Poplar Ridge to gather flowers."

In October "An Evening with Tennyson."

November, Selections from the Princess.

December, "Christmas Customs—night before and night after Xmas."

January 1903. "Poetry."

February, Samuel Johnston, LL. D. March, "She Stoops to Conquer."

April, George Elliott.

October, "The Apple."

November, "Manchuria in its different phases."

December, Race Problem.

January 1904, Herbert Spencer.

February, "Has immigration been a benefit to the U. S."

March, St. Patrick and the Irish.

April, Gold.

May, May Music and Flowers.

October, "Maryland—Its Geography, Colonization and its great Men."

November, "War of the Revolution,"

December, American History.

January, 1905, "The Ideal and the Real."

February, "National Songs and National Flowers."

April, Nathaniel Hawthorne.

October, Address of Welcome.

November, "Industrial Pursuits and Religion."

December, Robert Burns.

January 1906, Benjamin Franklin.

February "Westminster Abbey and its Memorials."

March, "Bismark His Life and Work."

April, "Scenic Wonders of America."

May, "The Natural Resources of our Country."

October, "The Jamestown Celebration and its Significance."

November, "The Trolley Systems and its Relation to Modern Civilization."

December, Sidney Lanier.

January, 1907—No meeting.

February, Charlotte Bronte.

March, "Shall the Japanese be Admitted to our Public Schools?"

May, "The Renaissance of Country Life."

October, The Hague Conference.

November, "Influence of the Crusades upon the History of the World."

December, "Christmas in Song and Story."

January, 1908, "Navies versus Armies of the leading Powers of the World and their Effect upon their Policies."

February, Whittier.

March, Egypt.

April, Forestry.

May, Great Sahara Desert.

October, Switzerland.

November, Woman's Suffrage.

December Charles Dickens.

January, 1909, The Sea.

February, Bells.

March, "The Century of Celebrities." (1809.)

April, "Customs and Costumes of the Nations of the Earth."

June, Superstition.

September, "The Rhine and its Associations."

November, "Trials and Triumphs of Transportation."

December, Christmas in Art.

At five different times meetings have been recalled and postponed owing to visitations of death and bereavement touching the households of our members. Twice the grim reaper has entered directly within the domain of our number and removed from our roll the well remembered and appreciated name and

presence of Mr. Ezra R. Zimmerman. We also miss the genial presence and really able cooperation of Dr. Riddle and Miss Sue Riddle, Rev. and Mrs. Craig, Prof. G. L. Palmer, Mrs. O. H. Horner, now in Illinois, and Mrs. R. L. Annan, sojourning for the winter on Nebraska's snow-swept plains. By some mysterious telepathy or wireless telegraph may our kindly thought be borne to all absent members through the winter space of this crisp January night. Yea more, in behalf of you each one and for you as well as on my own account I entrust with some modification this anniversary message to the wings of a petition that breathed from the poetic soul of the Breakfast Table who was the ideal Bard of Anniversary days.

Now here's to our youth, its gold and its gray, The stars of its youth, and dew of its May

And when we have quit with life's toil and its tests, Dear Father, take care of this circle, so best.

Poems of greeting were read also from Rev. M. Craig and Dr. D. H. Riddle former members of the society. A paper was read also by Mr. James A. Helman on the works and achievements of the society.

Many guests were present and after luncheon all returned to their homes having greatly enjoyed the evening. The February meeting will be held at the home of Rev. Mr. Shulenberger and the subject chosen is Alaska.

On account of the freezing up of the lighting plant of the Reformed Church on Sunday there was no service held in the evening.

A special meeting of the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church will be held in the Central Y. M. C. A. Building, Baltimore, on Monday, Jan. 24. Among the things that will be considered is the report of the committee on the organization of a congregation at Harmony, this county.

The mite Society of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. George L. Gillelan on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. An elaborate programme of vocal and instrumental music, readings and recitations was enjoyed by all present among whom were Rev. Mr. Hensley, Misses Gertrude Annan, Sue Guthrie, Lou Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Helman, Mrs. Colliflower, Mr. Thomas Hays, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. Samuel Rowe and Mr. Alexander Colliflower.

Rev. Dr. Spangler Keefer, of the Reformed Church in Hagerstown, has issued a volume of scholarly essays entitled "Head and Heart." In this work Dr. Keefer among other things writes of a so-called church problem as follows:

"Why should we be forced forever putting the hackneyed question, why the people do not go to church? Why should we not rather inquire why there are so many who do? Is it not after all a remarkable fact that great multitudes of people do regularly frequent the services of God's house and the preaching of God's Word, and with invincible obstinacy persist in doing so, Sunday after Sunday, year in and year out, from generation to generation? Is it not a significant circumstance that, in the 125 years men have worshiped in this particular church, no appointment for service was ever made at which a congregation was not present?"

The Social Help society of the Lutheran Church will meet to-night at the home of Mrs. Thaddeus Maxell.

Efficiency of Our Night Watchman. Mr. Cornelius Buckingham, who for the last six weeks has been Emmitsburg's efficient night watchman, has in that period notified five persons that their premises were not properly closed for the night, recovered several horses that had broken from stables and surprised one unknown party who was helping himself to coal.

BIG FARM WANTED. I want to buy and pay cash for a 400-acre farm within three miles of Emmitsburg. Must be a good stock farm. Address W. W. McNAIR, P. O. Box 193, Greeley, Colo.

No real estate men need communicate. Jan. 14-1f

LOST—REWARD. Pair young Fox Hounds, male and female; color, white and yellow. Small piece of the female's tail missing. Male is the larger and more distinctly spotted. Reward if returned to 1t BOYLE BROTHERS.

Mrs. Long's Painful Accident. Mrs. Hannah Long fell on Wednesday morning, dislocating her elbow. Dr. B. I. Jamison was called and now Mrs. Long, though suffering considerably, is improving rapidly.

Twins Born to Mrs. Eckenrode. On Wednesday night Mrs. Charles Eckenrode, of near Thurmont, presented her husband with two boys. The children and mother are doing splendidly.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Mr. Frank Stoner during 1909 sharpened just 332 saws. This number does not include those filed at St. Joseph's Academy, where Mr. Stoner is employed. If Mr. Stoner would like to double this number during 1910 let him advertise the fact through the columns of THE CHRONICLE.

The water pipes in the school house froze up last week.

Work is being rapidly carried on at the new fire-proof station at St. Joseph's Academy.

One of the prettiest signs in town is the new one that graces Dr. Riegle's office on East Main street. The lettering and whole design is tasteful and neat.

The town is being canvassed by a committee of gentlemen to find out to what extent our citizens are interested in electric lights. The number of those willing to take the lights will regulate the price of the same and of course influence those projecting the plant as to its feasibility.

The sales department of the Emmitsburg Home Bakery has been repaired. The building, which was badly damaged by fire last month, is now entirely repaired.

Mrs. Dallis A. Sharp, of Philadelphia, better known to many Emmitsburgians as Miss Hoover, in an appreciative letter to THE CHRONICLE says "I would rather go without my Saturday morning's breakfast than miss that paper."

Mrs. Sharp in speaking of our recent fire tells of the one in '63 when she was part of the bucket brigade.

Another friend of this town and reader of THE CHRONICLE, Mr. Joshua M. Wingerd, is now living in Nashua, New Hampshire. Mr. Wingerd, it is very gratifying to know, thinks THE CHRONICLE "is a paper that any town or county could feel most proud of."

They are cutting ice from the upper part of Kump's dam on Middle creek, fourteen inches thick and clear as a crystal. Every wagon load of ice that is brought to town it is hoped will take a slice off that seventy-five cents householders were obliged to pay last Summer.

The membership of the Business Men's Association is steadily being increased. Each meeting is well attended and a number of farmers in the community have signified their intention to join.

The Gelwicks building on East Main street is about completed. It consists of two dwelling houses.

Mr. Eugene L. Rowe was taken ill on Wednesday. He is much improved now.

JAMES H. RILEY. On Saturday, January 8th death carried off the oldest citizen of Freedom township, Mr. James H. Riley, aged eighty-seven years, one month and eighteen days. Mr. Riley has been a resident of Adams county almost all his life. For eight years he lived out of the State, moving back shortly after the civil war.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, this place. The interment was made in the churchyard. He is survived by three children: Vincent A., Margaret O., at home and Annie E., of Emmitsburg; six granddaughters, who resided with their grandfather, and two brothers, Barney, of Gettysburg, and Michael, of Reading, Pa.

Frederick Knights to Build. The Pythian Castle Association, composed of members of Frederick Knights of Pythias, of which Mr. D. Charles Winebrenner is president, will begin shortly to erect a handsome castle building at a cost, including furnishings, of \$25,000. The building will occupy a central site on North Market street, opposite the City Opera House, purchased by the association some time ago. It is expected that plans will be drawn in time to start the work by April 1.

Mechanic Commits Suicide. J. Albert Parks, of Hagerstown, hung himself in the garret of his home on Tuesday evening. He was an excellent mechanic but had failed to secure employment and this is thought to have led him to take his life.

Accident to Charles Harbaugh. Charles Harbaugh met with an accident while sliding on the ice. He fell and struck his head on a stone fence cutting a gash in his scalp four inches long. Dr. Jamison dressed the wound.

Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only neutralizes poisons produced by undigested foods fermenting in the intestines. It strengthens digestion, purifies the blood, perfecting the health and increasing the animal's working ability. Sold under written guarantee by C. R. Wachter & Sons, Sabillasville, E. L. Frizell, Emmitsburg.

COMING BACK TO SPEND IT

Former Emmitsburgian Wants a 400-Acre Farm Near His Old Home.

Contrary to the usual custom—that of leaving home, making money and spending it among adopted friends and amid new surroundings—Mr. W. W. McNair, formerly of this place but now of Greeley, Col., has a longing for the scenes of his childhood and, noting the progressive spirit of the people of his birthplace, is coming back to Emmitsburg to spend the fortune he has made. The following letter from Mr. McNair will be of interest to readers of THE CHRONICLE.

"I left the old town of Emmitsburg forty-two years ago a poor boy. I am now a rich man and worth over \$500,000. I made it in three colors, gold silver and copper, and I am going to spend it in the old town of Emmitsburg, if I can. I want a good big farm if I can get it near town, not farther than three miles. It must contain 400 acres and be well located for stock.

"Yours, "W. W. McNAIR."

MISS ANNIE DORSEY. On Wednesday evening Miss Annie Dorsey, late of Fountain Dale, died at the Church Home, Baltimore, immediately after an operation for throat trouble. The operation was performed at 5 P. M., and in half an hour she was dead. Hemorrhages set in and notwithstanding the efforts of surgeons she expired.

Miss Dorsey was a daughter of Mr. Singleton Dorsey and was well known and admired in this community. She was about thirty-seven years of age.

Lower Court Not Sustained in Gillelan Case. The Court of Appeals reversed the decision of the local court in the case of Edward H. Rowe, Charles E. Gillelan, appellants; vs. Virginia Gillelan et al. The lower court decreed that the land and premises, consisting of 48 acres of land adjoining the properties of John I. Slagle and E. Meade Fuss be sold and that Frank L. Stoner and Edward H. Rowe be appointed trustees to make said sales, etc. The Court of Appeals reversed the decree.

Diamonds Lead Basketball League. The Diamond Basketball Team of Frederick, is now leading the Cumberland Valley Tristate League. The game on Tuesday evening between the Diamonds and the Waynesboro team resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 57 to 13. Out of nine games played this season the Diamond team lost but one; to Waynesboro at Waynesboro.

Entertained By Master Charles Gillelan. Master Charles David Gillelan entertained a number of his young friends at his home in the East End on Tuesday evening last, the occasion being his twelfth birthday.

TELL THE PEOPLE —that you are going to make reductions in certain stocks you desire to close out. Name the original and the reduced price, you won't have those stocks long—if you ADVERTISE IN THE CHRONICLE.

Maryland fruit received another triumph at the Denver Fruit Show.

DIED. Regular death notices published one time free of charge. Obituary poetry and resolutions charged for at the rate of five cents a line.

RILEY—On Jan. 8, 1910, at his home in Freedom township, Pa., James H. Riley, aged 87 years, 1 month and 10 days. Funeral in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

SNIDER—On Jan. 7, 1910, at her home in Washington, D. C., Miss Ellen M. Snider, formerly of this place, aged 91 years, 9 months and 4 days. Funeral in Taneytown Monday. Interment was made in Reformed cemetery.

DORSEY.—On Jan. 12, 1910 at the Church Home, Baltimore, Annie Dorsey, aged about 37 years. Her remains will be brought here for interment.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE EMMITSBURG SAVINGS BANK AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31, 1909

RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts \$ 47,456.84 Bonds, Securities, Etc. 15,270.00 Furniture, Fixtures, Etc. 2,394.31 Due from Banks 12,192.33 Cash on hand 3,579.43 \$ 80,892.91

LIABILITIES. Weekly Deposits \$ 25,000.00 Profit and Loss 53.21 Contingent Interest 198.16 DEPOSITS 55,647.54 \$ 80,892.91

I, H. M. Warrenfeltz, Cashier of the above named Bank, do most solemnly declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of January, 1910. HENRY STOKES, J. P.

Correct—Attest:— WM. A. DEVLIN, STERLING GALT, JOHN C. MOTTER, I. J. LEWIS RHODES, J. R. OHLER, Committee. Jan 7-10

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**ODDS AND ENDS**  
 W. J. Bryan is now in South America.  
 A \$30,000,000 gas company is promised in Ohio.  
 South Carolina is thinking of State-wide prohibition.  
 The big aviation meet started at Los Angeles, Cal., on Monday.  
 Mayor Gaynor of New York, persists in forgetting Tammany in his appointments.  
 The recently elected treasurer of the State of Pennsylvania, Mr. Stober, died suddenly of heart disease.  
 Henry S. Graves has been appointed to take Gifford Pinchot place as head of the Forestry Department.  
 A bill to grant Mrs. Grover Cleveland a pension of \$5000 a year was introduced in the Senate by Mr. Root.  
 A clue to the identity of the man who murdered Lieut. Joseph Petrosino in Palermo, Sicily, last year is in the hands of the Central office, New York. A police officer of high rank says the department has hopes of making an arrest soon.  
 Karl Hau, one time member of the faculty of George Washington University, Washington, now under life imprisonment for the murder of his mother-in-law, made an unsuccessful attempt to escape from jail at Bruchsal Baden, last week.  
 Isaac Finkelstein, in attempting to tunnel under a New York bank and store of diamond merchant with the alleged purpose of robbery was buried under the falling walls of his excavation and there died. His body was recovered after 36 hours' work by the police.  
 The subject of the Army canteen was brought up in the House at Washington, Saturday, and an editorial from a Chicago paper was read into the record by the clerk. It denounced Congress as a "bigoted and hypocritical body" for not restoring the army canteen.  
 What is said to be the largest financial transaction in the world's history occurred at Washington, Saturday. It consisted in giving a receipt for \$1,260,134,946.88 2-3 by Lee McClung, the treasurer of the United States, to Charles H. Treat, who retired from that office October 31, and is an acknowledgment of the the money and securities in the office.

**BANK DIRECTORS ELECTED**  
 Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Thummont National Bank.  
 At the annual election of directors of the Thummont National Bank held on Wednesday the following were chosen: John Root, Col. John R. Rouzer, Lester S. Birely, Vincent Sebald, Major Chas. A. Damuth, J. Wesley Creager, Dr. Morris A. Birely, Peter N. Hammaker, William J. Stoner, George W. Stockdale, Chas. H. Brown, Dr. Chas. L. Wachter.  
 The board organized by electing John Root, president; Col. John R. Rouzer, vice-president; John G. Jones, cashier; Lester S. Birely, assistant cashier and Vincent Sebald, attorney.  
**STATUE OF GEN. WALLACE UNVEILED AT CAPITAL**  
 Indiana's Contribution to Statuary Hall Honoring One of Her Greatest Citizens and Soldiers.  
 The unveiling on Tuesday of the statue of General Lew Wallace, soldier, author and diplomat in the Capitol at Washington, was made the occasion of an imposing ceremony. Capt. John P. Megrew, who served as an officer in General Wallace's command in the Civil War and is president of the Lew Wallace Statue Commission, presided. The figure was unveiled by Lew Wallace, Jr., grandson of the general. Gov. Thomas R. Marshall accepted the statue on behalf of Indiana. He reviewed General Wallace's career.  
 Others who delivered eulogies were Senator Beveridge, Rustem Bey, Charge d'Affairs of the Turkish Embassy, and W. H. Andrews, Delegate from New Mexico.  
 A feature of the ceremony was the reading of an original poem by James Whitcomb Riley.  
 The statue was the work of Andrew O'Connor of Paris. It is seven feet in height. The figure is clad in the uniform of a major-general of the United States Army.

**NEIGHBORS FIGHT ONE SHOT**  
 Fight On Streets of Frederick Lands One In Jail and the Other In The Hospital.  
 Edward Stoner, who was shot twice Saturday afternoon with a revolver by his next-door neighbor, Michael Bowers on East South street, Frederick, following a quarrel, has rallied from the shock, and unless complications, such as blood poisoning, set in his physician thinks he will recover. Bowers, who is in jail, refuses to discuss the shooting and has retained Mr. H. Dorsey Etchison as counsel.  
 Yesterday afternoon both appeared on their front porches at the same time and lively words were hurled back and forth. Bowers then went into his home and a minute later appeared with a double-barrel shotgun. Leveling the weapon at his neighbor he fired across a short space; the load, however, went wide of its mark. He attempted to fire the other barrel, but it refused to go off. At the same time he drew a .22-caliber revolver and fired four shots at Stoner, one of which struck him in the right leg near the groin, one taking effect in the same leg near the knee and two going wide of their mark. Mrs. Dinterman, a neighbor, who was attracted by the noise fainted at the sight of the shooting.  
**"Pope of Presbyterian Church."**  
 Rev. Dr. William Henry Roberts, stated clerk and treasurer of the Presbyterian General Assembly is styled by enemies the "Pope of the Presbyterian Church," in that, besides, the positions named above, he holds nearly 60 other places of trust in the General Assembly. It is said that the Pittsburgh Presbytery is almost unanimous in indorsing the attack, which was started by the Blairsville Presbytery. The Presbyterian Banner insists on the dethronement of the treasurer, and carries in last week's issue a vigorous attack upon him, which will be sent all over the United States. They charge that he has tried to influence legislation, and used his position at the Denver convention to prevent a separation of the positions now held by him.  
**Prominent Democrat Dead.**  
 William H. Cromwell, 76 years old, formerly sheriff and one of the best Democrats of this county, died Wednesday morning at the home of his sister, Miss Mittie Cromwell, in Walkersville, of general debility. At the age of 14 years he became an apprentice at the carpenter trade. Some years after he became a prominent contractor, and under his direction was built nearly all the houses in Walkersville. He built the North Market Street Male High School Frederick and a large hospital in Chicago. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having been second lieutenant of Company E. Seventh Maryland Regiment. In 1891 he was nominated by his party for sheriff and won at the election. Since his administration he has lived a retired life, making his home principally with his daughter at Walkersville. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Edward Fink and Mrs. Charles Houck, and two sons, Robert Cromwell, of Walkersville, and Richard Clarke Cromwell, of Frederick. Two brothers and a sister also survive.

**FOR COMPULSORY EDUCATION**  
 Wertenbaker of Frederick County Has Bill Applicable for State.  
 Compulsory education for the entire State is proposed by a bill in the hands of Mr. Wertenbaker, of Frederick, applicable to all sections except Baltimore city and Allegany county, where such a law is already in force. Summarized, the bill provides:  
 Every parent or guardian of a child from 7 to 13 years old, inclusive, "shall be compelled" to send such child to "some day school, in which common English branches are taught." Children shall "attend continually during the entire time in which the public school is in session," unless excused by the board of school trustees or the county superintendent.  
 For children from 13 to 16 years, unless engaged at work, the board may reduce the time of attendance to a period not less than 75 per cent. of full time.  
 Any parent or guardian violating the law shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction before a justice of the peace shall be fined \$3 for first offense and \$5 for each subsequent conviction. Parents and guardians, however, shall be given four days' notice before action is taken, and shall be given three days' grace thereafter.  
 Any person encouraging truancy shall be liable to a fine of \$25.  
 The law shall be enforced by attendance officers, of whom there shall not be more than five to each county, their compensation to be fixed by the county school authorities. These may arrest, without warrant, children from 7 to 16 years old for truancy. The fines collected shall be paid to the treasuries of the county school departments.  
 "In preparing this bill," said Mr. Wertenbaker, "I hope to do my share toward reducing the white illiteracy in Maryland and advancing the State to the front rank in education. Study of the question will show that not 70 per cent. of the children of school age are attending school, while in some sections the attendance does not run over 30 per cent. In fact in arguing for the measure I shall present some interesting statistics.  
 "My bill in its present form may not be perfect, but my principle is sound and my intentions are good, and I hope the people of the State will demand the passage of a law which is absolutely essential to the welfare of the state."  
**A Surprise Social.**  
 (Special to the Chronicle.)  
 On Friday evening, Jan. 7th, a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. Harry Baker, and treated him to a complete surprise. The evening was spent in social games and music until a late hour when all were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served.  
 Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Naill, Mr. Augustus Ohler, of Hammond, Ill., Mr. James Harbaugh, Mr. P. Brown, of Hanover, N. D., Mrs. Oscar Steward, of Center, N. D., Misses Elsie Keilholtz, Grace Hockensmith, Maud Miller, Ruth and Naomi Harbaugh, Pauline Baker, Edith and Mary Ohler, Carrie Fuss, Messrs. Edgar Stansbury, Mervin Wantz, Edgar Miller, Harry and Charles Clutz, Frank Troxell, Chester Ohler, Charles and Elmer Fuss, Grier, Andrew and Samuel Keilholtz, Walter Ohler, Jones and Guy Baker.

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**FORMER SEC. GARFIELD PRAISES GIFFORD PINCHOT**  
 In Public Speech He Calls Him the Most Active Exponent of Theodore Roosevelt's Policies.  
 Gifford Pinchot was lauded in a public address delivered at Cleveland, Ohio, by former Secretary of the Interior James R. Garfield as the most active exponent of the Roosevelt policies.  
 "Gifford Pinchot, who has just left the service of the national Government, is the one man who perhaps worked the hardest for the Roosevelt doctrine of conservation of our natural resources and his principle of equal opportunities for all," said Mr. Garfield, speaking at Goodrich House, a social settlement, on "The Roosevelt Policies."  
 "His departure from the national service is one of the greatest losses the Government has sustained in recent years."  
 Mr. Garfield expressed the hope that Mr. Pinchot's activities as a friend of the conservation movement would be continued as a private citizen.

**SPEAKER PEEPLES NAMES COMMITTEES AND IS ROASTED**  
 His Appointments Very Distasteful and Are Said to Show the Helping Hand of an Outsider.  
 Mr. Peeples put his foot into it when he named the members of the various committees. "You will do well" said Mr. Benson addressing the chair after the appointments, "to govern the House yourself, even if it took two weeks longer to do it." This seems to be the sense of a large number of the representatives. Some appointees resigned and others spoke reflecting on the outside help apparent in the appointments.  
 Frederick county is represented on the following: Judiciary, Education, Ways and Means, Railroads and Canals, Corporations, Public Buildings, Roads and Highways, Insurance and Loans, Revaluation and Assessment of Property.  
**Watch Saves Man's Life.**  
 John Putman, while operating a circular saw, near Lewistown, miraculously escaped a horrible death, due largely to the fact that he carried a large watch in the watch pocket of his trousers. He was feeding wood on the saw and fell against the saw. The blade ripped into the watch pocket of his trousers and came into contact with his watch, throwing him from the saw. In falling backward his left leg struck the saw and it was cut to the bone. He was removed to Lewistown and his injuries were dressed by Dr. E. B. Neighbours.  
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**CONVINCING THE JURY.**  
 The recent press reports touching the use of whisky by juries in Tennessee, says a New York lawyer, according to Lippincott's Magazine, "reminds me of an amusing incident in connection with a trial I once witnessed in Arkansas.  
 "The defendant had been accused of selling adulterated liquor, and some whiskey was offered in evidence. This was given the jury as evidence to assist in the deliberations.  
 "When they finally filed into court his honor asked:  
 "Has the jury agreed on a verdict?"  
 "No, your honor," responded the foreman, "and before we do we should like to have more evidence."  
**SPECIAL NOTICE.**  
 The Chronicle invites to its columns communications on questions of public and local interest.  
 Letters must be signed by the writer, but the name will not be published unless a request to that effect is made.  
 Mr. Peter Weiland had his leg broken by being knocked down by a bicyclist on the streets of Cumberland. He sued the city for \$5,000 damages. The case went to the jury on Monday.

**Want \$90,000 for Sanitarium.**  
 The managers of the Maryland Tuberculosis Sanitarium, at Sabillasville, this county, at a meeting Saturday decided to ask the General Assembly for an annual appropriation of \$90,000 for the maintenance of the institution. Last year there were 402 patients at the sanitarium. At the meeting Saturday it was stated that in Maryland there are 10,000 persons suffering with tuberculosis. During last year there were 2,487 deaths in the State, due to this malady. Of these victims, 1,415 were white and 1,072 colored. In proportion to population the colored victims were three to one, as compared with white victims.  
**New Hotel For Washington.**  
 The latest "mammoth hotel" to be promised Washington among the many which have been reported "about to be constructed" during the last year is one said to be planned by a New York syndicate, which has obtained an option on a tract of land near Connecticut avenue and Superior street, the heart of Washington's social center. The building is expected to cost at least \$2,000,000 and to have a frontage of 200 feet and a depth of 250 feet.  
**Would Retain Judge.**  
 Every member of the Elkton bar has written a personal letter to chief Judge James Alfred Pearce, asking him to allow them to petition the Legislature to extend his time on the bench, which would expire the latter part of the present year on account of his reaching the age limit of 70 years.  
 Thurmont's Petition to Legislature.  
 Senator Matthias introduced the first local bill to be brought before the Legislature. It authorizes the town commissioners of Thurmont to issue bonds to the extent of \$18,000, to purchase the local electric light and power plant and conduct it as a municipal institution.

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**NEGROES AND FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT OBJECTED TO**  
 The People of Maryland Will Likely Have Submitted to Them the Bald Suffrage Question.  
 Intent upon submitting another disfranchising amendment to the people, the present Legislature has about decided to make it as bold and frank as possible. It will have no grandfather clause and in no way evade the issue to challenge the validity of the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution. It will in other words refuse the right of suffrage to Negroes as such.  
 This is another of Governor Crothers' ideas and is agreeable to a large number of the representatives of the lower counties.  
**The Moth.**  
 Checkers—"Years ago I had money to burn and I burned it!"  
 Neekers—"How?"  
 Checkers—"On an old flame."—Lippincott's.

**Judge President of Fire Company.**  
 Judge John C. Motter was again elected president of the Frederick Junior Fire Company. The election was held at the annual meeting when the treasurer's report was made. The indebtedness of the company has been decreased \$800.

**The Laugh is On Ma.**  
 "Willie, I'm surprised to hear you say 'udder' for 'other.'"  
 "When did I say that, ma?"  
 "Just now, I heard you through the window. You said, 'No I prefer the udder kind.'"  
 "Well, aint that all right? Tommy asked me if I liked condensed milk."  
**Removing the Cause.**  
 Tommy (during a temporary lull in the conversation)—"I say, Ma, isn't it a pity you haven't got the toothache instead of poor Jane?"  
 Ma—"Gracious me. Why, dear?"  
 Tommy—"Why, 'cos you can take yours out, and she can't."—The Sketch.

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NOW CITIZEN PINCHOT CAN SHOW

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Speaker himself, against his power as exemplified in what they term "Cannonism,"—and against the present rules of the House. They claim that their fight is entirely within the party.

Pinchot's contentions have been contrary to those of the Administration. Those of the Insurgents comprise much more than a fight on the power of the Speaker. They opposed the tariff indorsed by the President, and hence they are classed against the Administration.

Meanwhile a movement is going on beneath the surface of things here at the Capital which should not be lost sight of.

This has been made particularly evident during the past week by the perfection of an arrangement between the President and Senator Dick of Ohio, under which the latter will be left practically in charge of the forces of the Republican party in that state.

To those who understand the inner workings of politics here during the past year, these two political arrangements of the President have come as a surprise. Only a year ago Charles P. Taft, the President's wealthy half-brother, who spent a large sum of money to secure the success of the Taft campaign for the Presidency, was himself a candidate for the Senate from Ohio.

Ohio is in a turmoil otherwise. Judson Harmon, the Democratic governor, is considered to have increased his strength while in office. He will be a candidate to succeed himself next fall.

strength to the administration with the people of the country. But he is conceded to be the greatest organizer and most powerful man, purely as a politician, in the party at the present time.

He was formerly with Roosevelt, who finally criticised him severely during the campaign. Taft was also opposed to him for a time and seriously considered the advisability of leaving him out of his cabinet.

It will be seen, therefore, that the mechanical side of the Taft administration is ready for business. Dick is a good political mechanic. He was Hanna's principal lieutenant and the partner of Foraker in the Buckeye state.

GOVERNOR IS OPPOSED

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expiration of the fiscal year ending September 30, 1910. Some of the members contend that a blanket repeal of this nature is legal and that properly a separate act providing for the repeal of each of the acts providing annual appropriations is necessary.

But this is not the only point of difference between the Governor and the Assemblymen. The opposition came out boldly on Monday evening in the action taken by the House of Delegates in putting through the report of the Committee on Organization over the head of Speaker Peoples.

It is evident that the House does not propose to stand for too much economy in the conduct of its affairs. Mr. Marriott, of Baltimore, one of the most persistent advocates of strict economy, and therefore in league with the Governor, introduced a bill to amend the State Constitution, so that henceforth bills introduced in the Legislature will not have to be engrossed.

This and the strict observance of the law by Miss Shafer, the librarian, in regard to stationery furnished to the members, is the kind of economy very distasteful to the lawmaker. The code allows each member \$25 worth of stationery or the equivalent in money.

Thus far Mr. Marriott has been unsuccessful in his economic campaign, and of course the Governor is likewise disappointed.

SATOLLI DEAD IN ROME

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In 1892 he returned to this country in the capacity of appellant judge with extraordinary discretion. While here he acted as peacemaker between Dr. Edward McGlynn and Archbishop Corrigan of New York, when Dr. McGlynn was deposed from a rectorship because of his attitude on questions which were prominent then.

In speaking of this incident in Satolli's service the Springfield Republican editorially says: "It is enough to recall the fact that an eloquent, enthusiastic and devoted priest, Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn, had come out strongly in favor of Henry George's proposed reforms, had formed the 'anti-poverty' society, and joined non-Catholic agitators in addressing the people from a free platform; and when the doctrines he was preaching were condemned by Archbishop Corrigan, he defied the church and disobeyed his ordinary."

his freedom of speech, as when he denounced the 'Roman machine' and averred that 'the church will never be American until the Pope walks down Broadway under a stove-pipe hat.'

"When things were in this condition, Mgr. Satolli came from Rome, as the representative of the Pope, and heard and judged with that delegated authority. As he spoke no English, his estimate of situations was naturally colored by his informers and advisers, and it was feared by the majority of the clergy and the faithful generally that he had been unfortunately influenced when his first signal act of administration was the reinstatement of Rev. Dr. McGlynn in the priesthood.

"This will illustrate the wisdom with which Rome rules. Such masterly men as Satolli,—scholars, polished men of the world as well as of the church, are always at hand. The greatest diplomatic school in the world is that of the Roman prelate. Satolli was much beloved by Leo XIII; he was born in his archdiocese of Perugia, studied at his diocesan seminary, became a master of the philosophy of St. Thomas Aquinas, to which Leo attached so much importance, and when Joachim Pecci was called to the chair of St. Peter, he brought with him his friend and disciple, Satolli, advancing him steadily.

VISIT FROM SATOLLI RECALLED

Splendid Reception Given the Then Archbishop and Papal Delegate by Mount St. Mary's College.

In the issue of the "Mountaineer" for June 1893, appears a notice of the visit to Mount St. Mary's College of "the Papal Delegate, Archbishop Satolli, on April 17th, 18th and 19th."

During his stay he listened to a programme prepared for the occasion and given in the Study Hall. "Mgr. Satolli," continues the article, "seemed to be very much pleased with his reception, and in his affable and courteous manner returned his thanks and congratulations upon the excellency of the music, and the subtle and logical argumentation of the theses. On Wednesday the Archbishop delivered in Latin two of his wonderful lectures—one in the morning on 'The Origin and Dependence of Things, their Matter, Form and End' and the other in the afternoon on 'The Incarnation, Grace and the Sacraments.'"

During Monday and Tuesday evenings, the buildings and grounds were profusely decorated with lanterns and bright lights, and the Glee Club and Band serenaded his grace before retiring. On Tuesday evening a farewell address was delivered in Latin by one of the Seminarians, Mr. Peter A. Coad, after which the Archbishop, through Dr. Orban granted the boys two days of recreation. Mgr. Satolli was delighted with the beauty and picturesqueness of the scenery around the college, and on one of the mornings he climbed the mountain with several of the faculty, and obtained a view of the plains of Gettysburg from Indian Lookout.

Practically all the business interests of Westminister have joined in a movement for an annual agricultural fair similar to those held in this and Washington county. Much interest has been shown in the good roads' movement. Resolutions have been drafted which among other things, asks of the State that Carroll county's share of the "State Roads Loan" be given to the County Commissioners to be used as they see fit.

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