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ACHIEVEMENT OF CHURCHES

5 LEADING FEATURES

One Distinctively Protestant and One Catholic

MEN AND RELIGION MOVEMENT

Creation of American Cardinals, Unity Plans, Practical Christianity As Shown In Altruistic Service at Home and Abroad.

Five features stand out prominently in the record of christian achievement for 1911, according to the Washington Herald. One of these features was distinctively Protestant, another exclusively Catholic. The remaining three either affect or are common to both. All five were in preparation for larger work and so all project themselves into the year now opening.

The distinctively Protestant feature is the Men and Religion Forward Movement. Into this movement have entered the leaders and followers in all Protestant bodies in a way that would not have obtained five or even three years ago. Conventions thus far held have been attended by earnest men, most of them workers, numbering fully 50,000. What the old-fashioned people call orthodox, the movement has been direct in its statements and methods, and has proclaimed personal religion in plain terms and in forms that mean work for others.

The exclusively Catholic feature, now hardly completed, for the prelates most concerned have not yet reached home, is the elevation of two American archbishops, those of New York and Boston, to membership in the sacred college, and the recall of the apostolic delegate at Washington to Rome to undertake work in the general administration of his church, and his elevation also to the college.

The first of the three general features of 1911 are the unity plans. Some of these were started in 1910, but it was during 1911 that all principal Protestant bodies acted officially and made themselves parts of the coming together. While Roman and Eastern communions have not acted, there are in the common plans for world peace, for social service, the advancement of conditions of labor, even in education and church extension, not a few evidences of better feeling, in some degree of co-operation. Christian sentiment changed in more marked ways than during any year, at least of modern times. Points of agreement were emphasized and of differences forgotten.

Another general feature of 1911 in religious affairs in America is that of service to others. For years altruistic services on the part of a few for people far off have grown, but the striking history of 1911 was the more formal recognition of social obligation and the inauguration, in concrete forms, of service on the part of many for people next door—and neighbors. One day's rest in seven, sharing of medical knowledge in aid of health, ending of war by arbitration treaties, and the founding of a court for the nations of the world—in other words, a Christianity that is applied, and applied to men and women we know; a far more difficult task than abstract goodness expressed for us through missionaries in foreign fields.

Finally, 1911 saw Christian America put itself in shape for service to the rest of the world to an extent never before realized. Baptists made their world alliance a real alliance and set out to help Baptists of Europe, especially Russia. Presbyterians who speak the English tongue got together for evangelistic work in Europe. Catholics formed a foreign missionary society and established a seminary to train Catholic young men of America for service in China. Methodists held a general conference in Rome, to which came Methodists from all Europe, a larger and stronger body than even Methodists expected. Episcopalians and Eastern Catholics entered into comity plans in America. Lutherans started preparations for observing the Luther quadrennial. Disciples of Christ led the way in unity plans. Congregationalists became a compact body, agreed upon a form of leadership, and put themselves into shape to serve the world in larger ways which is saying much for 1911, when past Puritan services are remembered.

Baltimore Telephone Company Center.

The Bell Telephone Company has put in force its policy to redistrict the territory served by its lines. Under the plan Baltimore becomes the headquarters of all the service of the Chesapeake and Potomac lines operated in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

INTEREST GROWING IN GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS

Five Thousand Offices to Be Filled and Many of These Come Direct From the Governor's Office.

Much curiosity is manifest as to the Governor-Elect's appointments. There are some 5000 offices to be filled although the Governor has not the power to fill all of them, yet his share is large. He appoints in Baltimore city the following officials: Police Board, Liquor Board, Police Examiners, Election Supervisors, Coroners, Police Magistrates, Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public.

In the counties he makes the following appointments: School Boards, Election Supervisors, Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public.

For the whole State: Governor's staff, Secretary of State, Executive clerk, private secretary, stenographer and messenger, State Board of Education, Superintendent of Education, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Force, Adjutant General, Commissioner of the Land Office, State Librarian, index and cataloguer, Library Committee, Free Library Commission, State Roads Commission, Public Utilities Commission, Six members of the board of Maryland Agricultural College, Three trustees of the Maryland Workshop for the Blind, agent to collect claims, State Board of Barber Examiners, Electrical Commission, Examiners of Public Accountants, Board of Examiners of Stationary Engineers, Boiler Inspectors, Fire Marshal, Fish Commissioners, Game Warden, Chief of Industrial Bureau, Examiners of Horsehoers, four members of the State Board of Health, keepers of hay scales, State Board of Forestry, Board of Home and Infirmary of Western Maryland, Directors for Consumptives of Maryland, Managers for House of Correction, Managers of the House of Reformation, Directors of the Female House of Refuge, Managers of the Industrial Homes for Colored Girls, Managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, Managers of Springfield State Hospital, Bureau of Immigration, State Lunacy Commission Live Stock Sanitary Board, Managers for Maryland School for Boys, Examiners for Nurses, Directors of the Penitentiary, State Board of Pharmacy, Trustees of St. Mary's Industrial School Tuberculosis Sanitarium Commission, State Board of Undertakers, State Veterinary Board, Chief Veterinary Inspector, State Vaccine Agent, Tobacco Inspector, Board of State Aid and Charities, nine oyster inspectors, mine inspector for Garrett and Allegany.

GRUESOME FIGURES OF UNTIMELY DEATHS IN 1911

Death Toll by Homicide, Drowning, Lightning, Automobiles, Aeroplanes, Warfare, Etc.

A resume of events in 1911 shows that there were reported 8,272 deaths by personal violence; 5,020 persons died by drowning; 170 were killed by lightning; 784 by automobiles; 99 by aeroplanes; battle losses in actual warfare in round numbers 72,000 (this does not include massacres); by cholera 34,000; the plague 720,000 in China and India; by famine 1,100,000.

The number of lynchings in 1911 were 71. This figure is less by 4 than the total for 1910. In 1892 255 persons were lynched. The lowest figures are for 1906 when 60 were so murdered. Georgia leads in the number of lynchings, having 19 to her discredit. It is interesting to compare the figures of mortality in sports. Fourth of July celebrations head the list with 78 killed and 9,700 injured; baseball 31 killed and 79 injured; football 13 killed and 179 injured; bicycling and motor cycling 75 killed and 246 injured; wrestling 7 and 3; prizefighting 6 killed; tennis 3 killed; boxing 2 killed.

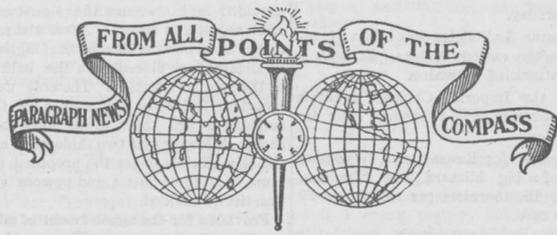
The number of legal executions in 1911 has fallen off considerably, as compared with the last few years, being 74 during this year, 104 last year and 107 in 1909. The record of suicides shows a total of 12,242.

Air Regiment for French Army.

France will soon possess the first aerial regiment called into existence by any country. By a decree of the Minister of War, M. Messimy, the scattered aviators in the service of the French Army are at length to be concentrated into a single organized body, and the public is congratulating itself upon this addition of a fourth arm to the national defenses.

Pennsylvania Negroes Own \$20,000,000.

In the annual report of Chief John L. Rocky, of the Pennsylvania Bureau of Industrial Statistics, it is stated that Negro men and women and organizations have title to real estate in Pennsylvania valued at \$20,000,000 and assessed at \$13,000,000.



Friday.

The medical school of the University of Pennsylvania and the Philadelphia Medico-Chirurgical College are to unite. The announcement of the amalgamation of the two institutions was made today.

A verdict against the Pennsylvania Railroad awarded \$44,323 to the Puritan Coal Mining Company of Clearfield. The charge was discrimination in the distribution of cars.

Plans were formulated at the Farmers' Week convention at the Pennsylvania State College by which it is expected to make that State the premier apple producer of the country.

Claiming that he cannot get a fair trial in Chester county (Pa.) the district attorney has asked for a change of venue for the Coatesville lynching cases.

By report published to-day 175,000 Christmas post cards were destroyed by the Post office Department for one reason or another.

"Rev." George J. S. Hunnicutt, known as the "Marrying Parson," is no longer authorized to solemnize marriage in the District of Columbia. Justice Barnard to-day signed an order revoking the license to marry awarded Mr. Hunnicutt October 28, 1910. All marriages performed by him heretofore are held by the Court to be valid.

Soldiers of Ecuador have proclaimed Pedro Montero as President of the Republic.

During the fighting at Tabriz, Persia, the "Stars and Stripes" over the United States consulate was shot down.

The millions of dollars' worth of machinery left at Panama by the French was sold for scrap for \$2,112,000.

Saturday.

Olaf A. Tveitmo, secretary-treasurer of the State Building Trades Council; J. E. Munsey, leader of the Salt Lake Union of Structural Iron Workers, and Anton Johannsen, organizer of the State Building Trades Council, were indicted to-day by the Federal Grand Jury in connection with the alleged nationwide dynamiting conspiracy. Their arrest followed.

Six lives were lost and thirteen persons injured in a railroad wreck near Finley, Oregon. Several bodies were cremated in the fire that followed.

The results of the official canvass of the first State election in New Mexico show a total of 60,842 votes.

President Taft spent several hours in Philadelphia where he made the dedicatory address at the ceremonies attending the completion of the new Wanamaker store.

The excitability of Paris are exercised over a "new plague" which they believe prevails in Berlin. It is styled "The Purple Death" and is expected to invade all Europe.

Sunday.

A negro who stole a locomotive, murdered a farmer and assaulted the farmer's wife, was lynched at Muldrow, Okla.

The report of the army medical officers who have examined the physical condition of Charles W. Morse has convinced President Taft that a pardon is not called for by his health.

President Taft signed an order placing 42,000 rural free delivery carriers wholly under the civil service rules and admonishing them to abstain from pernicious political activity.

At the stroke of midnight ushering in 1912, the British government took formal possession of the 600,000 telephones owned by the National Telephone Company, and thereby assumed actual operation of all public telephones in the United Kingdom.

Monday.

Whitman, the Philadelphia candy manufacturer of wide reputation, was run over and killed by a trolley car in that city.

The Persian rebels won a victory at Kermanshah.

Miss Lucy Buckler, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Buckler, of Baltimore, is planning to give up social life and accompany her parents on their expedition to Asia Minor, where Mr. Buckler will take part in the archaeological studies to be carried on at Sardis.

Nebraska Democratic editors in a poll for the Presidential nomination pick on

Wilson first, Clark second and Harmon third.

By virtue of being the private Secretary of Dr. Charles Penrose, brother, of United States Senator Penrose, Miss Marion L. Ivens has defied the United States Customs authorities, and has retained possession of a fur coat purchased in Montreal, Canada, and which the custom officials declare was smuggled into this country.

Two battles were fought in Ecuador over the selection of General Pedro Montero by the soldiers as President.

More persons were injured in Baltimore by the reckless handling of firearms on New Year's eve than on the Fourth of July, since the police enforced the safe and sane celebration.

For three hours President Taft stood in the Blue Room of the White House receiving the greetings and good wishes of his 8000 visitors.

The fertilizer works at the Union Abattoir in West Baltimore were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

A dispatch from Odessa says that the effort of the Zemstvo there to organize a boycott of American goods is meeting with small success owing to the popularity of American machinery.

The large sum of \$14,500,000 was spent last year throughout the country in the war against tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. This is practically the same as last year's total, but the percentage of money received from Federal, State, city, or county funds—66 per cent. for 1911—shows a marked increase over the percentage of public money appropriated in 1910.

Tuesday.

According to the statement of a prison warden at the Atlantic Federal penitentiary Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker, offered him a bribe.

Eight Persians were hanged by the Russians now occupying parts of that country, another eight were similarly executed a few hours after.

A Finn, Kolehmainen, won the professional Marathon race at Edinburgh, Scotland, doing the 26 miles 385 yards in two hours, 32 minutes and 56 1/2 seconds. This is a world record.

Northern Illinois experienced an earthquake of such strength that dishes were broken and doors thrown open.

Formal application will probably be made to the Maryland Public Service Commission within the next few months by the Maryland Telephone Company for permission to discontinue service in Baltimore. This statement was made today by C. E. Bryan, vice-president of the Maryland Company.

Dr. Sun Yat Sun took the oath of office as provisional President of the Republic of China.

Alfred Tennyson Dickens, eldest surviving son of Charles Dickens, the novelist, died in Hotel Astor, New York to-day of acute indigestion.

Four petitions filed by the Morris Iron Company, Gilmer Schley Lime Company, Economy Silo and Tank Company and the Farmer's Supply Company of Frederick, have been sent to the Interstate Commerce Commission asking for a reciprocal switching arrangement between the three railroads entering Frederick.

Wednesday.

P. M. During, implicated with his father, cashier of the closed Albion National Bank of Battle Creek, in the alleged forgery of over \$100,000 worth of notes has confessed.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, died suddenly at his home in Washington. He was ill less than two hours. He was born in 1847 and was a Virginian.

Pennsylvania Democrats are out after Col. James M. Guffey's scalp. A statement was sent out to-day to the members of the national committee by the opposition to Colonel Guffey, signed by George W. Guthrie and James I. Blakelee, chairman and secretary, respectively, of the Democratic State Central Committee of Pennsylvania, and by Representative A. Mitchell Palmer, as member of the national committee. The statement accuses Guffey and his friends of having "a close partnership between

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OHIO PROGRESSIVES WILL NOT SUPPORT LA FOLLETTE

They Are Open For Roosevelt.—Pinchot and Garfield Lead Opposition to Indorsement of Wisconsinite.

At a meeting of the Progressives of Ohio at Columbus a permanent organization was effected and a declaration of principles adopted. By a vote of 52 to 32 it was decided not to indorse Robert M. La Follette as a candidate for the Presidential nomination.

Gifford Pinchot, who declared that he spoke only for himself and in no way for Colonel Roosevelt, and former Secretary of the Interior Garfield were the leaders in the debate against giving any candidate an indorsement. Senator Works, of California, and later Senator Clapp, of Minnesota, were equally vigorous in urging that the Ohio Progressives concentrate their efforts in working for the election of Senator La Follette. Nearly every delegate expressed himself repeatedly in the debate.

It was reported to the conference just after Senator Works had made an address urging the delegates to follow the example of California and to centralize their campaigning for one man.

"Colonel Roosevelt should declare himself," he said, "both as to his candidacy and to his stand on the principles that are accepted as progressive. If this movement attempts to centre itself around its principles and not around a candidate, it will lessen its chances of success.

"If Roosevelt should declare himself I would not hesitate to support him and neither would Senator La Follette. La Follette has made the principles for which he stands an issue. California has indorsed him and felt that an attempt to evade it would have been cowardly."

PROGRESS OF STATE ROAD WORK RAPID AND CONSISTENT

In Three Years 280 Miles Were Built and 196 Miles Purchased.—Governor Urges a Bond Issue.

Since the beginning of actual road building by the State Roads Commission, in 1909, there have been built approximately 280 miles and 196 miles of toll roads have been purchased, a total of 476 miles of the general system in actual use in the counties. This has been done with a disbursement of \$2,978,547.69.

Governor Crothers is urging another bond issue of \$7,500,000 to complete the system as outlined. Of this \$5,000,000 will go to the counties which, with the approximate million and a half now on hand for county work, will, it is thought, go far toward completing the State system, if not entirely finishing it. The balance of the proposed loan, \$2,500,000, will be applied to paving the streets of Baltimore. Governor Crothers is also in favor of a special loan of \$300,000 to be used in Southern Maryland, supplementary to its share of the general fund.

Under the roads legislation passed at the session of 1908 a bond issue for \$5,000,000 was authorized, of which \$4,000,000 was to be used in the counties and \$1,000,000 in Baltimore city. The legislature of 1910 authorized an additional issue of \$1,000,000, to be used for building or purchasing bridges and for constructing the Baltimore and Annapolis boulevard, any balance of the amount to be credited to the general road fund and apportioned to the counties upon the basis of distribution followed with the \$4,000,000.

Middies in New Year Row.

Arrested on a technical charge of disorderly conduct, at Annapolis, Midshipman Bainbridge Reynolds, of New York and Allan W. Ashbrook, of Kentucky, celebrated New Year's Day by appearing in court and hearing Misses Cassie Tucker, Annie Holland and Ruby Crandall tell of having been insulted by them during the celebration in honor of the dying old year. Before appealing to the law the girls had called on Miss Tucker's brother, Charles Tucker, for protection from annoyance, with the result that a street row, resulting in a black eye for Ashbrook, was in progress when the police arrived.

Key House to Be Torn Down.

Some time ago the Key Memorial Association undertook to raise sufficient funds to purchase the house in which Francis Scott Key lived while a resident of Georgetown. They failed to collect the amount, \$15,000, and the house will be torn down to make place for a store property.

Against Taft Tariff Board.

The House Committee on Appropriations has decided to put President Taft's Tariff Board and Economy Commission out of existence and to stop his annual appropriation of \$25,000 for traveling expenses.

WORK DONE BY MAN IN 1911

FIVE GREATEST DEEDS

According to the Pope, Taft, King Victor and Others

QUEEN OF ROUMANIA LAMENTS

Various Answers to Question: "What Are the Five Most Notable Achievements of 1911?" As Propounded by New York Times.

The New York Times sent to various prominent persons the question "What are the five greatest achievements of 1911?" We give below a few of the replies:

It is an invariable rule that the Pope must not be quoted in any formal interview. But from a member of his household, to whom was shown the message from the New York Times, and who brought it to the attention of His Holiness with a request for an answer, the following statement of the Pope's views was obtained:

Pius X. believes the greatest achievements of 1911 were the Eucharistic Congress at Madrid and the entrance of America into the comity of the great Catholic powers through the creation of the three new American Cardinals.

From President Taft.

1. The new treaty with Japan.
2. The demonstration of the complete success of the prophylactic in typhoid fever as shown by the fact that in the mobilization of 15,000 troops in Texas for three months there was only one case of typhoid.
3. The negotiation of general arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France. (Note—The President regards the mere negotiation of these treaties as of very great importance, whether they are finally ratified or not. The fact that it was possible to conclude such treaties with two of the great European Powers he holds to be an achievement of great value.)
4. The progress of the Panama Canal.
5. The final settlement of the construction of the anti-trust law in the Supreme Court decisions in the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases.

WILLIAM H. TAFT.

The King of United Italy.

The King of Italy, like the Pope, cannot give interviews or statements over his own signature. But I am authorized to say that King Victor Emmanuel, to whom the cable message from the New York Times was shown, prefers to limit his survey of the year 1911 to his own country. Considering Italy alone, he thinks the greatest events of the year were:

1. The jubilee of Italian unity.
2. The aeroplane race from Paris to Rome, won by Beaumont.
3. The inauguration of the monument to Victor Emmanuel I., the largest monument in the world.
4. The installment of wireless telegraphy between Italy and America.
5. The first demonstration of the practical use of the aeroplane in war, as given by the Italian troops in Tripoli.

From the Queen of Roumania.

The achievements of 1911? There has been no soul progress at all in that year, for there has been no abatement in the cruelty of man to man.

CARMEN SYLVA.

Ambassador Bryce, first of all a historian, said that he could not well express a definite opinion—a study of history indicates that the greatness of the greatest events has seldom been realized at the time when they happened.

Outside Spain, the discovery of America made no considerable sensation. In modern times most of the events of the highest ultimate significance have been discoveries in the realm of nature or inventions in the realm of industry; and their magnitude is seldom known at first.

Richest Town in the World.

The Brookline (Mass.) Assessors' report for the year shows that their town is still holding its reputation of being the richest town in the world and of being richer by far than thousands of cities. The total valuation of real estate and personal property is \$112,270,000, an increase of \$3,636,600 over last year's valuation. The total tax receipts of this year will amount to \$1,385,389.86, of which \$1,369,705.30 is on real estate and personal property.

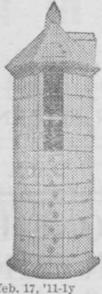
Seven Thousand National Banks.

The year 1911 closed with 7,340 National banks in existence with a capitalization of \$1,033,302,135. The total amount of national bank circulation outstanding on December 31 was \$740,603,187.

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PARAGRAPH NEWS.

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the Democratic State organization and the Penrose machine."

Detective William J. Burns before leaving Indianapolis today for Philadelphia openly charged former Mayor Charles A. Bookwalter, of that city with negligence in not having prosecuted John J. McNamara two years ago on evidence in his possession indicating that officials of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron workers had caused dynamite explosions there.

Thursday.

Senator LaFollette was taken ill today after eating oysters. It was a mild attack of ptomaine.

All the Imperial Chinese generals have been ordered to resume war on Saturday.

Reports for Kansas and Wyoming tell of a big blizzard. At Sheridan, Wyo., the thermometer registered 29 below zero.

The police of the Fifth district of Anne Arundel county, which includes Brooklyn, Curtis Bay, Fairfield and Wagner's Point, have been summoned to Annapolis to appear before the County Commissioners at Annapolis tomorrow, and it is rumored that a shakeup in the force is due as a result of the lynching of the Negro King Johnson on Christmas morning.

Word was sent broadcast today to supporters of President Taft that under no circumstances would the President countenance attacks on Col. Theodore Roosevelt, no matter what the ultimate intention of Mr. Roosevelt in regard to the Republican Presidential nomination might be.

FREDERICK'S BUILDING

RECORD DURING 1911

Estimated That Over \$1,250,000 Were Spent in Permanent Improvements.

The year just closed, according to the Frederick News, will go down in the history of the city as the one that marked the greatest improvement ever reached. While the exact amount spent can only be estimated, a conservative statement shows that over a million dollars were spent on permanent improvements.

To the influence and labors of Mr. E. L. Coblenz, much of this progress is due. He with others connected with the Frederick Railroad, has been untiring in his efforts for the welfare of the city and county.

Among the important improvements spoken of by the News are mentioned the High School, City Water Works, grandstand on fair grounds, City Abattoir, Morris Iron Works, Central National Bank building and B. & O. improvements.

New Hagerstown Depot.

The Western Maryland Railroad Company has purchased a whole block of land in Hagerstown and prepared plans for the erection of a new passenger station in that city, which with the connecting train sheds, will take up the whole new space acquired.

The station is to be in a new location and the old depot completely done away with; the land for the purpose was picked up peacefully about a year ago. The front of the new station will be on the east side of Washington street and will extend through to Franklin street, whereas the old structure is on the west side of Washington street.

Frederick Clearing House Growth.

The monthly report of the Frederick Clearing House Association shows a decided increase over the business of the corresponding month last year. The amount that passed through the Clearing House for December, 1911, was \$1,222,465.01; that for December, 1910, \$1,052,327.51, showing an increase of \$170,137.50. The amount of business handled for the year 1911, was \$14,383,735.23; the amount for the year 1910, \$12,995,539.76, showing an increase for the year of \$1,388,195.47.

Entirely New Pension Bill.

The Senate Pension Committee will not attempt to amend the Sherwood Pension bill which was passed in the House. An entirely new bill will be reported, and Senator McCumber probably will offer it as an amendment to the McCumber law of 1907, which recognizes the age of 62 years as total disability, and makes certain recognition of veterans entitled to its benefits.

Gompers' Regard For Flag.

The War Department has in its possession photographs showing Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and John A. Kelly, supervisor of San Francisco and president of the Building Trades Council, standing on the American flag and addressing audiences therefrom. The photographs are official and duly authenticated.

Charmian Smelter Fires Lighted.

Seventy-six stockholders of the Eagle Metallic Copper Company and others from Allentown, Pa., on Friday arrived at the company's copper mines at Charmian, near Blue Ridge Summit, when the fires were lighted under the new smelter.

FREDERICK'S NEW CHARTER SUBMITTED TO CITIZENS

Provides for Commission Form of Government, Initiative, Referendum and Modified Recall.

Frederick's new charter submitted to the charter revision committee and later to be placed before the citizens, will be sent to the Legislature if favorably received.

The most important change is the introduction of the commission form of government. Primaries for city elections are provided for and any candidate may enter his name for any office provided he can secure the signatures of 25 registered voters. After the primary a certain number of the highest candidates are placed upon the ballots at the regular election. The only designations following the names of the candidates are those of the office they seek. A Mayor and two Aldermen are the city officials under the proposed regime, and their duties and powers are practically divided.

Provision for the appointment of minor officers is also made. They are left to the various heads of the departments of the city work. The initiative, referendum and recall are also embodied, the last having been changed by the revision committee. The revised form states that the recall is operative only after two years of the four-year terms have been served.

CITIZENS' PEACE BANQUET A PERFECT SUCCESS

Dissensions That Threatened the Tranquility of the Feast Failed to Materialize on Saturday.

So exercised were those in charge of the Citizens' Peace Banquet held in New York on Saturday night that thirty strong arm men of the New York police mingled with the statesmen and guests at the tables, but nothing interrupted the harmony of the occasion.

President Taft, who was the guest of honor and chief speaker, while arguing for the pending arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and France, as he has done previously at similar gatherings, went further than in other addresses and replied specifically to some criticisms recently made against the principles embodied in those treaties. He also made answer to the charge of inconsistency lodged against advocates of the arbitration treaties who did not favor arbitration in the difficulty between the United States and Russia.

Blair Wants Nomination.

Gist Blair, Esq., of Montgomery county, in all probability will try for the Republican Congressional nomination in this district to succeed Representative David J. Lewis, and his friends are already at work planning to put up a vigorous fight in his behalf.

Blair sought the nomination two years ago, but was defeated by Brainard H. Warner, also of Montgomery county. In that contest Blair beat Warner in four of the five counties of the district, but the tremendous vote rolled up for Warner in Frederick county more than wiped out the advantage in favor of Blair in the other counties. It is understood that Warner will not be a candidate for nomination this time.

The books for sale dates have been opened at this office. Those contemplating sales in the Winter or Spring can have their date registered and avoid the conflicting of time and changes thereby made necessary. Previous seasons, especially the last, when our sale list was unusually large, this proved to be a convenience and obviated the annoyance so often felt when such a book is not opened.

ODDS AND ENDS

A bankrupt's books are not his property was the decision of the Court of Appeals, District of Columbia.

Governor Mann of Virginia asked for Federal troops to keep foreigners in order at a sawmill strike.

Four thousand five hundred coke ovens in the vicinity of Pittsburgh are to resume operations.

The Empress Dowager of China has given \$2,000,000 to continue the campaign against the rebels.

The census of Belgium shows a population of 7,423,784, an increase of 730,236 since 1900.

The President's next message to Congress to be delivered in a few days will contain plans of economy that are expected to put even the Democrats to blush.

Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, of Washington, will organize the housewives into a consumers' club to lessen the cost of living.

The banks of this country lost \$15,000,000 in 1911 from forgeries.

Lina Cavaleri has been granted a divorce from R. W. Chanler.

Gov. Foss of Massachusetts is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President.

Mme. Curie is seriously ill.

Red, Green, Blue and Golden Brown blotters—embossed—10 cts. a sheet at THE CHRONICLE Office.

ANNUAL REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF EMMITSBURG PUBLIC LIBRARY.

In submitting the following report the Executive Committee of the Emmitsburg Public Library earnestly requests a greater practical interest in this institution on the part of the public. The growth of the Library has been steady and the present membership has been most loyal in its patronage and support, but in order to meet the demand for new books more funds are needed. These can readily be gotten if a systematic campaign for new members is made by those who are already supporting this good work. The Executive Committee therefore appeals to every member to urge others to join, and at as early a date as possible.

There is no charity feature in this library. It does not ask for contributions. It exists for the benefit, improvement, and enjoyment of the public and it gives full value for the nominal membership fee charged. Moreover, every cent received is spent for books, rent and minor necessary expenses, and no compensation, gratuity or special privilege is enjoyed by any officer or member of any committee.

The Emmitsburg Public Library has, as stated in a previous report, been classed as one having the best selection of books for its size in the State. These features and the further fact that the influence of this little institution is broadening and educational should appeal directly and very favorably to every family in the community.

STERLING GALT, President.

Report of Librarian for Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Number of volumes in Library, classified as follows:

Fiction.....	420
Reference.....	25
Juvenile.....	67
History and Biography.....	47
Essays, Travels and Belles-lettres.....	97
Total.....	656

55 volumes were added during the year, as follows:

Fiction.....	53
Juvenile.....	1
Essays.....	1
Total.....	55

Of this number 35 volumes were purchased out of the library funds and 20 volumes were donated.

No. of annual subscribers...44
No. of monthly subscribers...79

Total.....	123
Average weekly circulation..36	

Mrs. J. H. STOKES, Librarian.

Report of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Emmitsburg Public Library.

Received:—

Brought forward from 1910.....	\$18.38
From subscriptions.....	60.13
From fines.....	3.55
From special contributions.....	2.78
By overdraft for books.....	2.27
Total.....	\$87.11

Paid Out:—

For Books.....	37.54
Rent and Oil.....	20.97
Magazines.....	12.80
Care of Library.....	5.95
Express.....	1.10
Printing.....	4.75
Total.....	\$83.11

Balance on hand Dec. 30th, 1911.....\$4.00

REV. A. M. GLUCK, Sec. and Treas.

At the annual election Miss Madeline Frailey and Mr. E. L. Higbee were elected to fill the vacancies in the Executive Committee.

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For Hospital and Jail Supplies.

The Commissioners of Charities and Correction awarded contracts for supplies to Montevue Hospital and the jail for three months to Markell & Ford, Ira Biser, Newton M. Zentz, Charles F. Knock, Burke & Zacharias, George K. Birely & Sons, the Abattoir Company, Thomas H. Haller and B. Rosenour & Sons.

Joseph and Mary and Christmas.

By a singular coincidence Joseph Hoffman, of Baltimore, who was born on Christmas Day 1856, and Mary Kreh, of Frederick, also born Christmas Day two years before her husband, were married in 1884. Both are well known in Frederick.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

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BLAIR LEE AGAIN REJECTED BY POLITICAL MACHINE

Ring Democrats Name Price for President of Senate and Trippe, of Baltimore, For Speaker.

At the Democratic caucuses of Senators and Representatives held separately at Annapolis on Tuesday Senator Price of Wicomico, was nominated for president of the Senate, and James McC. Trippe, of the third district, Baltimore, for speaker of the House. Price won over Lee, the progressive candidate by three votes, the count being 11 to 8.

The list of nominations contains the following names:

Secretary—John R. Sullivan, Anne Arundel.

Assistant Secretary—George K. Houck, Cecil.

Journal Clerk—J. M. George, Queen Anne's.

Reading Clerk—Michael J. Fahey, Harford.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Philip H. Cannon, Dorchester.

Chief Engrossing Clerk—Frank O. Smith, Calvert.

Assistant Engrossing Clerk—F. B. Beall, Allegany.

Postmaster—James Bradley, Talbot.

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ORDER NISI ON SALES.

No. 8756 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.
JANUARY TERM, 1912.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 2nd day of January, 1912.

Edgar G. Stansbury vs. Mary A. Stansbury, widow, et al.

ORDERED, That on the 27th day of January, 1912, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Eugene L. Rowe, Trustee 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 \$4,396.00

Dated this 2nd day of January, 1912.

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

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

Eugene L. Rowe Sol'r. 1-5-12

ORDER NISI ON AUDIT

No. 8773 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.
NOVEMBER TERM, 1911.

In the matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 23rd day of December, 1911.

Edgar L. Annan, Mortgagee of Clara V. Cline and Samuel F. Cline, her husband, on Petition.

Ordered, That on the 13th day of January, 1912, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid, in the above cause, 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 two successive weeks prior to said day.

Dated 23rd day of December, 1911.

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

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

E. L. Rowe, Sol'r. 12-29-11

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Special Meeting
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Frederick, Md., Dec. 18th, 1911.
The January session of the County Commissioners will commence at their office in the Court House, on
TUESDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1912.
The first three days will be devoted to general business and appointment of County Constables.

Road Supervisors will be settled with and new appointments made in accordance with the following schedule.

Friday, January 5th, Linganore District, No. 19.

Saturday, January 6th, Ballenger District, No. 23.

SECOND WEEK.

Monday, January 8th,—Woodsboro District, No. 11.

Tuesday, January 9th,—Burkittsville District, No. 22.

Wednesday, January 10th,—Mt. Pleasant and Walkersville Districts, Nos. 13 and 26.

Thursday, January 11th,—Mechanics-town District, No. 15.

Friday, January 12th,—Jefferson District, No. 14.

Saturday, January 13th,—Jackson District, No. 16.

THIRD WEEK.

Monday, January 15th,—New Market District, No. 9.

Tuesday, January 16th,—Urbana District, No. 7.

Wednesday, January 17th,—Emmitsburg District, No. 5.

Thursday, January 18th,—Middletown District, No. 3.

Friday, January 19th,—Creagerstown District, No. 4.

Saturday, January 20th,—Catoctin District, No. 6.

FOURTH WEEK.

Monday, January 22nd,—Woodville District, No. 18.

Tuesday, January 23rd,—Johnsville District, No. 17.

Wednesday, January 24th,—Petersville District, No. 12.

Thursday, January 25th,—Hauvers District, No. 10.

Friday, January 26th,—Lewistown District, No. 20.

Saturday, January 27th,—Tuscarora District, No. 21.

FIFTH WEEK.

Monday, January 29th—Buckeystown District, No. 1.

Tuesday, January 30th—Frederick and Braddock Districts, Nos. 2 and 24.

Wednesday, January 31st—Liberty District No. 8.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

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

By order,

LINCOLN G. DINTERMAN,

President.

MARKWOOD D. HARP, Clerk.

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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 cts.; each additional insertion 10 cts.; entire term \$1.00.

T. A. MAXELL,
AUCTIONEER

Book Your Dates with me for Future Sales.

Jan. 16, at 12 o'clock on Jacob Waybright farm, near Fairplay, Adams county, Pa., Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods.

Feb. 7, Harry D. Spangler, one mile South of Moritz's on Bull Frog Road, Live Stock, Farming Implements, and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Feb. 28, G. G. Ecker.

March 1, at 12 o'clock, Wm. E. Koons, on the Neely farm, midway between Emmitsburg and Harney, on Little-town road, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 4, at 12 o'clock, W. Tyson Linsinger on Welty farm 1-4 mile Northeast of Emmitsburg, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 5, John A. Matthews, about one mile Northeast of Emmitsburg, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 6, Samuel Boyd, midway between Taneytown and Bruceville, Live Stock, and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 7, at 12 o'clock, Martin Spyer, half mile North of Zentz's Mill, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 8, at 11 o'clock, Henry Hiltz, 2 miles South of Taneytown on Middleburg road, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 9, at 10 A. M. Sharp, Wm. T. Smith, at Bridgeport., Live Stock and Farming Implements. Jno. Smith, Auct.

March 11, at 10 A. M., Anthony Wyvill, on Track Road about 4 miles North of Emmitsburg, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 12, 9 A. M., Wash. Shoemaker, 1 1/2 miles South of Harney, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 13, at 9 A. M., Wm. Fox, at Myers' Mill, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 14, at 10 A. M., Harold Null, about 2 miles South of Bridgeport, on the Samuel Null farm, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 15, 9 A. M., Noah Frounfelder, 2 miles North of Harney, in Mt. Joy Township, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 16, James W. Sheeley, on Andrew Annan farm near Close farm, Live Stock and Farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 18, Charles McCarren, one mile South of Town on Keysville Road. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 19, at 10 A. M., Denton Wachter, between Rocky Ridge and Graceham, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 20 at 10 A. M., Charles Clabaugh, between Rocky Ridge and Detour, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 21, at 10 A. M. Grant Herring, on the Annan farm, along Tom's Creek, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 22, at 12 o'clock, Mrs. Ike Reifsnider, on Bruceville road, 2 miles South of Taneytown, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 23, at 11 A. M., Ed. Shriver, half way between Harney and Bethel Church, Live Stock and Farming Implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 25, at 1 o'clock, John Ecker, on Plank Road, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 26, at 1 o'clock, Frank Palmer, Palmer's Mill, South of Harney, Various Articles. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 27, at 10 A. M., Ambrose Fisher, close to Chews' Station on Littlestown road, Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

March 28th, at 1 o'clock, David Staley, Between Bridgeport and Harney, Live Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Mrs. Jack's Elopement

By Louise Merrifield

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The Percival Kinneys started the rumor. They had motored out to Edgemere to surprise Mrs. Jack, who was going through one of her periodical grass widowhoods.

Jack had taken a sudden notion he wanted to have a fling at fall shooting in Saskatchewan.

"Or was it Kamchatka?" mused Mrs. Kinney, telling of the whole tragedy later. "I'm not sure. But he went two weeks ago, and I knew Lenore, poor dear, would be lonely. So Percival said we'd run down and stay the weekend with her. The Clinton Hasleighs had been at Edgemere a week and over and I knew Lenore would be half dead entertaining them. And the Jameses from New Orleans said they were going down for Thanksgiving. Well, that's really all there is to tell. We arrived. The house was in utter desolation—servants gone, Lenore gone! Only the stables intact, and the house-keeper left. The large touring car was gone, too. No one knows the truth. In the dead of night a message arrived by A. D. T. Lenore rose, dressed for traveling, acted excitedly, took her jewel case and furs and the touring car, chauffeur and maid."

"But even so, my dear," protested Kinney mildly. "She may have been summoned to a deathbed."

"A deathbed? Percival, why do you seek to protect the guilty merely because they happen to be social acquaintances? It is a positive fact that Lenore met a man at the Castlewood inn, half way to New York, and they went away together in her car. Poor Jack! And there's no getting word to him, for we're not sure whether it is Kamchatka or Saskatchewan. But I'm really surprised at Lenore. Married two years, and so young."

"Whom do you suspect, Mrs. Kinney?" smiled Carey Roberts, Jack Barton's close pal.

"I would not dare to say," Mrs. Kenney's brows lifted.

"Wouldn't you? Somehow I can't feel bothered over it. Lenore's a

mighty straight little girl, and Jack's a prince, I think I shall wire Saskatchewan."

He did, but there was no response. The rumor grew into alarming reports. Mrs. Jack had been seen abroad with a thin, fair man, reported to be the Baron Gritz Somebody. Mrs. Jack had been observed at Palm Beach pacing the promenade with a short, stout man, undoubtedly senator from a certain western state. Mrs. Jack had occupied a box at the opening opera season in London, and behind her sat the well-known Italian Marquis So-and-So. Edgemere remained closed. The tall, ivy covered uptown house, that had been Jack's wedding present to his bride, was closely boarded up. Rumor stated that several bodies had been found resembling Jack at various points of the compass.

It was late in November when Carey Roberts, whirling around Paris with his fiancée, Diane Boileau, caught sight of a face in a passing taxi. It surely was Mrs. Jack, looking more beautiful than ever, in a stunning black and white get up, and beside her was a man. His head was turned away, but Carey gave a startled exclamation.

"Diane! You've got to trust me. See that taxi. I've got to follow it. Come with me, and don't ask questions."

Diane was American bred and French born. She smiled and stepped into another taxi, fresh for the chase. Through the streets and boulevards they trailed the first one, and finally it drew up before a very modest house in a pretty outlying suburb. There was a high wall inclosing a garden. Vines rambled over the house. The windows were discreetly curtained in soft lace, with silk beyond, and little window boxes of winter greens fronted them.

Carey bounded up the few marble steps, and pressed the electric button. The first taxi was just vanishing around the corner on its way back to town.

"Now, Diane dear, listen, no matter what we stumble on leave it to me. I'm Jack's friend, and it must be managed with diplomacy, the whole affair. It's bad enough as it is. But if I can get a chance to speak to

Lenore alone, perhaps I may be able to help her for his sake."

He paused. The door opened. A discreet little French maid regarded them demurely. Was madame at home? But yes, surely! They entered the narrow hall just in time to face Lenore herself. But not a penitent Lenore. Standing before the oval Louis Seize mirror, she was happy, care-free and frankly amused when she saw her guests.

"Why, Carey, you dear old fellow, I'm so glad to see you. And Diane—oh, I have heard."

She started to kiss Diane's cheek, and noticed the touch of hauteur as the girl slightly drew away from her. "What is it?" she asked quickly. "Come in and tell me. Are you in trouble?"

Were they in trouble? Carey could have grinned at her for her coolness, but he didn't. It was a delicate situation.

"Have you heard from Jack?" he asked, gravely, thinking to startle her.

"Jack? Of course." She dimpled amiably. "Why?"

"Why? Oh, say, Mrs. Jack, forgive me if I speak plainly, but I'm the boy's friend, you know, and we can't find a trace of him. It looks as if he had taken this thing to heart and made away with himself."

"What thing?" Her eyes were very bright now.

"Why—er—why—"

"Your elopement," Diane put in, boldly.

"My elopement?" repeated Lenore, slowly. "Is that what you are all saying of me? How very, very kind." She hesitated, while Carey tried not to look sympathetic.

Diane was gazing out of the window coldly. It was almost too much, the way Lenore regarded her escape. Suddenly she began to laugh, her old, gay little ripple of amusement, and rose.

"I want you to meet my partner in guilt," she said, and crossing the room she pushed back the glass doors and disclosed Jack himself at his desk in a snug library.

"Why did we do it?" he laughed, after the storm of greetings. "Because we were going too fast a pace, and we couldn't pay up. I knew if we could get away for a few months, I could get on my feet; but keeping up Edgemere, and running a steady hotel for one crowd after another, was putting us altogether on the financial blink, to tell the plain truth, and so we eloped. Didn't we, sweetheart?"

"Biggest scandal this year," Carey returned. "I shall spread it broadcast. When a man elopes with his own wife, the rights of bachelors must be protected. Diane, this is no place for an engaged couple. You'll be eloping with me directly after the honeymoon, and by Jove, if we could find a nest like this, Jack, I'd do it."

"You may have this after Christmas," said Jack. "We're going home."

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RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts.....\$146,914.01
Overdrafts..... 63.72
Bonds, Securities, etc..... 57,915.00
Furniture and Fixtures..... 1,600.00
Cash on hand and in Banks..... 12,313.46
Total.....\$218,806.19

LIABILITIES. Weekly Deposits.....\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund..... 2,000.00
Undivided Profits..... 2,244.56
Dividend Number One..... 750.00
Contingent Interest..... 2,793.60
Due to Banks..... 1,322.98
Interest Deposits..... 150,159.24
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STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF FREDERICK, SS.
I, H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier of the above-named Institution do solemnly swear 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, 1912.
P. F. BURKET, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned committee of the Weekly-Deposit Holders, appointed by the Board of Directors of the Emmitsburg Savings Bank, of Emmitsburg, Frederick county, Maryland, respectfully report that we have examined the foregoing statement, compared it with the books and vouchers of the Bank and find same correct.
We further report that we have examined the Securities held by the Bank, and believe the funds are safely invested.

WM. A. DEVILBISS
J. C. ROSENSTEEL
E. R. SHRIVER
J. LEWIS RHODES
J. R. OHLER
Committee

Under Supervision of the State Banking Department.

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

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FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county. In the fertility and productiveness of its lands it ranks among the first in the Union, and especially in the production of wheat. The area of this great county is 633 square miles. The great body of the people are of German, English and Scotch-Irish descent, the progeny mostly of the early settlers. The land is mostly of fine limestone quality, and the greater part of the county is a valley of rolling lands lying between the Linganore Hills and the Catoctin Mountain. This splendid valley is drained by the Monocacy river, and is one of the best farmed and most highly improved and productive areas of the Union. The great crops are wheat and corn.—Maryland Manual issued by Board of Public Works.

THE LEGISLATURE.

"Cy" Cummings, of Montgomery, and one or two other followers of Senator Lee in the Legislature warned the Machine of the inevitable results of the policy thus far outlined by that organization and among other things foretold the fate of Maryland Democracy if steam roller methods were used at the beginning of and throughout the session.

From the very start signs of a prolonged fight are in the legislative atmosphere and it is quite apparent, unless a decided change occurs very soon, that the line-up will show the Progressive Democrats and a number of Republicans, upholding the people, as against the Machine and its cohorts, representing personal preference and patronage.

But the people are watching every move. Their eyes are focussed on Annapolis and every measure introduced or passed will have its effect on elections that are to come.

The majority party has it in its power to make a most creditable record. It has a chance at this session to pass some very important laws. If it heeds public sentiment it will act wisely—in the interest of the taxpayers, but if it disregards the counsel of its ablest men—men like Senator Lee—it will not only forfeit the

confidence of the people but also the advantage it now possesses. Let us hope for the best.

THEY ALL COME BACK.

No matter where they live; no matter what their profession or employment may be; no matter how busy they are, every Emmitsburgian comes back home for the Holidays. Emmitsburg and home are synonymous to all who have ever lived here. Even to the sojourner of a few months the old town is a magnet. It draws people to it as if by magic.

There is an old tradition to the effect that all who tasted water from "the old pump on the Square" became inoculated with a desire to return to Emmitsburg. That is no doubt true, for many an old timer anchors his craft in this snug harbor and comes ashore, as it were, for as long a stay as possible.

The old pump is long since a thing of the past, but the mountain water is still here—just as sweet and pure as ever. And "mountain dew" is also here. It, too, seems to have its admirers, and also a peculiarly friendly tang that invites another draught and a recounting of the times of long ago. But it takes a reunion or an Old Home Week to bring out all the chronicles of bygone days. Get a few of the old "Boys" together on one of these occasions—pass the pickle essence around and hand out a few hayvanas and the legends and tales and by-gone happenings that follow would make the stories of the late Mr. Dickens or our old friend Munchausen read like an address to the infant class of a Quaker Sunday School.

But, as the ad-writer says, "there's a reason," a good reason why every one comes back to old Emmitsburg, a reason not found in the water or "dew"—it is because Emmitsburg is made up of good, solid, open-hearted, open-handed people and the prettiest and best dressed women in the State. It is not the metropolis of Maryland, but it is a place where considerably more business is done than the stranger would think, and when things get a little dull or when too much money has accumulated in one place we have a safe-cracking episode and let the outsider take a little change.

There is only one Emmitsburg. It is the best town ever and—well, that's one reason why they all come back.

HERE'S TO HIM.

Oh, here's to the man who makes it a point of minding his own affairs; who paddles his own canoe in life and lets men paddle theirs; whose "yes" means yes, whose "no" is no, whose word is as true as steel; whose heart beats warm for all mankind, whose feelings are broad and real; who is quick to acknowledge a fault of his own and is slow to pick flaws in another; who sticks by his friend when he needs his help and treats that friend as a brother; who, when he is right, merely clings to his point in a dignified, manly way; who makes no show of the virtues he has, as he passes us day by day.

AFTER Monday and Tuesday's preliminary agreement or disagreement as to referees etc., the first round of the ninety-day all-counties slugging match was pulled off on Wednesday in the State House at Annapolis. When

the gong sounded and the principals went to their corners the odds were slightly in favor of Lee who, notwithstanding the fact that his opponent's gloves have been loaded with pig iron and red pepper by the Mahon-Kelly backers, has generalship and staying power enough to either win out or have the fight declared a draw at the end of the final round.

"FIGHTING BOB" EVANS, Rear Admiral U. S. Navy, has made his last stand, and in an unequal battle with Death has laid down his life. Admiral Evans will be mourned by the Navy in which he played a brave and conspicuous part and by the Nation in whose service he won merit and distinction.

The licensed gasoline, steam and electric juggernauts of New York City only killed 423 and maimed 2,004 persons during 1911. Which proves that very few, if any, of New York's chauffeurs are in the undertakers' trust.

WE'VE had the snake story, the "biggest fish" tale, the huntsman's fable and the goose bone prediction, and now comes the end of the world forecast and the prognostication of the panic howler.

THERE is nothing like being resourceful. At the last session of the Legislature the suffragettes argued and reasoned with our law-makers. This time it looks as though they intend to sing them into submission.

MRS. HAZEL CONKLIN, of Denver, is a great-grandmother at the age of 47. T. Roosevelt, Esq., national chairman of the anti-race-suicide association, please take notice.

HE on the First declared that he would never get a jag on, and then he straightway took a fall from off the water wagon.

YUAN is all for fight, but Mr. Sun has taken oath, and old China'll have a time paying taxes for them both.

DIET AND HEALTH HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN
Food Specialist

IS ANIMAL EXPERIENCE A SAFE GUIDE?

"Is it true that those animals that eat flesh are more vigorous and enduring than the vegetable eaters, and is animal experience a safe guide for man?" a reader asks. Most of our knowledge of physiology has been obtained by experiments upon animals—and humane vivisection, properly restricted, is just as justifiable as dental or surgical work, properly restricted—and as the general principles of nutrition apply throughout the animal kingdom, comparative physiology is helpful as a guide in nutrition. No animal is more efficient, mentally and physically, within the scope of its advancement, than the gorilla, man's nearest relative among the lower animals, and Huxley says ("Man's Place in Nature") that the gorilla is strictly frugivorous. The elephant is not less vigorous or less intelligent than the lion. One writer advocating vegetarianism, says that the dog suffers much from cancer and lives a short life because of his flesh diet; another says his life is cut short by eating cereals. Flesh is the natural food of the dog and he is probably injured by a mixed diet as much as man, and is more subject to cancer than any other animal, but he is affected by unnatural living otherwise, especially by lack of sufficient exercise. We have much to learn from animals, but careful, unprejudiced, correct reasoning is necessary.

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RATTLER CAVE IN MONTANA

People of Neighborhood Kill 290 Snakes in Their Efforts at Extermination.

A posse of extermination was organized and at least 290 rattlesnakes of all sizes were killed in Rattlesnake Gulch, near Three Forks, yesterday.

The source of the hundreds of the reptiles, from which the gulch takes its name, was found in the shape of a small cave, discovered by accident by Amos Smith. Mr. Smith notified his friends in Three Forks and nearly a hundred men and boys proceeded to the scene, armed with all variety of weapons.

For three hours the battle raged and at its close 290 rattlers were counted strewn on the ground, and not a man had been bitten. The reptiles were slightly dormant, owing to the coolness, but when aroused would sally forth from the cave. Clubs, shotguns and rifles were used in the slaughter. When no more snakes emerged from the cave a repeating shotgun was discharged into it and about fifty more were dragged forth.

Some of the specimens killed measured more than three feet long, while others were only a few inches in length. Some of the larger ones will be stuffed and placed on exhibition. For years the farmers in the neighborhood have been bothered by the great number of rattlesnakes. The gulch of that name was literally alive with them. The den discovered by Mr. Smith is on the People's ranch. After cleaning out this den it was decided to continue the crusade and there are a number of men and boys scouring the community for more snakes.—Bozeman correspondence Anacanda Standard.

LIGHTS UP DARK PLACES

New Illuminating Pistol Has Advantages Over Searchlight for Night Attacks.

During the recent extended maneuvers of the German army there were many night attacks, in which use was made of the newly introduced illuminating pistols.

According to the new regulations, these are to be employed wherever the configuration of the land makes their use preferable to that of the ordinary searchlight. The machinery necessary for the use of the latter device is very inconvenient, and especially in rolling and otherwise difficult country, where the main maneuver takes place, it cannot be used to advantage. The illuminating pistols have not this disadvantage, as they are easily transported.

Further, the searchlight is useless in valleys and deep-lying plains, as their rays shoot over these and leave them apparently in still deeper shadow. For this reason, such valleys serve as excellent covers at night against the searchlights. The illuminating pistols have done away with this advantage of shelter, as the cartridges which they throw light up the deepest and darkest gullies.

There are two different sorts of cartridges, producing respectively white and red light. The white ones serve for signaling purposes between widely separated commands or divisions, even where the distance between them is several kilometers. The illuminating cartridges develops a light that makes everything within 200 meters (650 feet) visible, and lasts eight to ten seconds.—Scientific American.

Substitute for the Potato.

The scarcity of the Irish potato in the United States calls attention to its Asiatic substitute, the dasheen. For all practical purposes, the dasheen, which is seldom larger than a hen's egg, though more prolific than the potato, may be regarded as a species of Irish potato. For ages this tuber in various forms has been cultivated in Japan and China. Planted in the spring, it is gathered six months later and flourishes best in lands like those of our southern states upon the gulf. The United States government has been conducting experiments in South Carolina, with the new tuber, and our agents report that it yields from twelve to fifteen tons to the acre, while its edible protein averages 86 per cent. of the whole root, as against the 80 per cent. of the potato. It is not improbable that the next few years will see the cultivation of the new tuber in this country to a large extent, especially throughout the south.

Prevent Flirting.

Dr. Robert C. Fall, an oculist, has another new explanation for the popularity of the large library spectacles now worn by a great many men.

"Primarily they appeal to men because of the comfort and the real rest they give the eyes," said Dr. Fall, but it remained for a young married woman to give another reason.

"I'm glad John wears those big glasses," she said to a friend, "even though they look ugly as sin. Don't you know, there isn't a woman in the world who would flirt with a man wearing them?"

Sure Thing.

Sparkle—Your sister is wearing one of Miss Pinkie's rings. I wish you'd get it for me. I want to take the measure. Going to buy an engagement ring, you know.

Barkle—Eh? Has Miss Pinkie accepted you?

Sparkle—She will, when I propose. Last night she asked me how I liked her mother?—New York Weekly.

GOOD THINGS OF RICE

MUFFINS, PANCAKES, WAFFLES AND BAKED PUDDING.

Recipes for Marshmallow Filling, Exposition Cake and Vanilla Sauce, All of Which Are Very Delectable Eating.

Rice Muffins.—Two cups of cold boiled rice, a pint of flour, one teaspoon salt, one tablespoon sugar, one and one-half teaspoons baking powder, one-half pint milk and three eggs. Free rice from lumps and stir into milk and beaten eggs. Sift together flour, salt, sugar and powder. Add rice, milk and eggs and mix into a firm batter. Bake in hot oven for 15 minutes.

Rice Pancakes.—Mix two cups rice with one quart of milk, the yolks of two eggs, two cups of flour, two teaspoons baking powder and a pinch of salt. Beat the whites of eggs to a froth and add last. Fry on a gridle.

Rice Waffles.—Sift together one cup flour and one teaspoon baking powder; take one cup rice, one teaspoon melted butter, one teaspoon salt, two cups milk, three beaten eggs. Mash the rice, add the butter, then the milk with the flour, and then the eggs. Beat well, grease waffle irons with butter and brown both sides of waffles nicely.

Rice Pudding With Vanilla Sauce.—Two cups of rice, one and one-half pints of milk, one-half cup sugar, a large pinch of salt, and vanilla to flavor. Bake in a moderate oven until the pudding is set and the top nicely browned. Serve with vanilla sauce.

Marshmallow Filling.—Boil one cup water and one and one-half cups sugar together until it threads; cut one-half pound marshmallows into little pieces and add this to syrup just before taking from the stove. Pour this mixture into the beaten whites of two eggs and beat until cold.

Exposition Cake.—One cup sugar, one-half cup melted butter, one-half cup milk, one and one-half cups flour, two well beaten eggs, one teaspoon baking powder; mix into batter. Take six large tablespoons chocolate, three teaspoons sugar, two teaspoons of milk; let this come to a boil, then cool and add to cake batter and bake in two layers. For filling use marshmallow icing and chopped nuts.

Vanilla Sauce.—Scald one-half pint of milk, add beaten yolks of three eggs, stir until as thick as boiled custard; when cool add one tablespoon vanilla extract and stiffly beaten whites of eggs.

Brownie Salad.

Boil eggs hard, when cold remove shells and cut off small ends about one-third down. With a small spoon scoop out the yolks, wash, add chopped olives, salad oil, salt and pepper. Then refill the cavities with the same. Replace the ends which have been cut off, moistening with uncooked white of egg to cause to adhere. Set aside a short time to dry then with a toothpick which has been dipped in grape juice, melted chocolate or some other material, draw eyes, mouth and necktie, and buttons down lower part to indicate waistcoat. (A small water-color brush is better, of course, if you chance to have one.) Use toothpicks for arms and legs, or, if you prefer, the toothpicks can be concealed by small carrots or green bean pods. Drape a leaf of lettuce around the shoulders for a cape. The end of a cucumber hollowed out will serve for a cap.

A Safety Device.

The housewife who has had to choose between a good maid with a dizzy head or uncleaned windows on the outside will welcome a new mop for just such purposes. It is provided with a handle, in which it works at right angles, and can be manipulated on the outside of a window without putting as much as a hand over the sash.

It may be harder to get the exact amount of polish produced by perching perilously on a narrow ledge, but with practice glass can be kept clear without risk to the cleaner.

For Luncheon.

Take a pound of bread dough and mix into it a tablespoonful of shortening, two tablespoonfuls of sugar; roll out into a thin sheet; cut in two and spread one-half with a cupful of currants, half a cupful of raisins, half an ounce each of lemon and citron peel, chopped fine. Cover with the other half, press down with rolling pin and then cut in rounds or diamonds; brush with white of egg. Let stand half an hour; then bake in a hot oven for fifteen minutes.

Mulled Buttermilk.

Make sure that the buttermilk is fresh. Put a pint of the milk in a double boiler and stir it constantly until it reaches the boiling point. Add the yolk of an egg beaten to a stiff froth and take from the fire immediately. This will be found an excellent drink for feverish patients, allaying both thirst and hunger.

Grape Conserve.

Two quarts grape juice, boil ½ hour, add equal amount heated sugar and 6 oranges (cut off white) remove seeds, cut in small pieces the yellow of the orange. Use navel oranges and that will save removing seeds; 1 pound seeded raisins cut in halves. Boil until the consistency of jelly.

COLD STORAGE AS RESERVOIR

Idea of the Large Field Occupied by Business Shown in Commodities Stored.

A somewhat intelligent idea of the large field occupied by the cold storage business can be gained from the following commodities stored in a Boston warehouse: Poultry, oysters, apples, berries, dates, evaporated apples, spinach, lettuce, squash, butter, flour, peanuts, bulbs, fruit juices, apple waste, preserves, maple sirup, skins, leeks, crabs, buckwheat, hams, sauerkraut, caviare, pickled fish, holly, pineapples, string beans, sponges, pickled meats, game, fresh meats, California fruits, prunes, citron, confectionery, potatoes, turnips, parsnips, cheese, cereals, beer, condensed milk, yarn, cider, salad dressing, maple sugar, furs, shrimp, lobsters, chestnuts, hops, sausage, casings, cherries, dried fish, smilax leaves, radishes, sweetbreads, candied fruits, smoked meats, fresh fish, oranges, cranberries, raisins, apricots, currants, beans, carrots, onions, horseradish, eggs, rice, ferns, canned goods, gutta percha, pickles, oleomargarine, oils, parsley, scallions, honey, cream, lard, anchovies, smoked fish, egg plant, laurel leaves, rhubarb, olive oil, wines, dried meats, fish for bait, lemons, grapes, figs, evaporated peaches, nuts, peas, cabbage, melons, provisions, macaroni, plants sirups, asparagus, jellies, cauliflower, grape fruit, woolens, shallots, clams, bananas, mushrooms, olives and herbs

BIG MOUNTAIN OF MONEY

Philadelphia Sporting Man Couldn't Sleep With His Roll Under the Pillow.

Mrs. "Gus" Ruhlin, the eloquent and energetic convert to the suffragist cause, said in a recent address in Brooklyn:

"The sporting man, too, would be better off if his wife had a vote—if she had more say in affairs of state, and in home affairs as well.

"What wife, if she had more say, would approve of the senseless way the sporting man flaunts his money? What is the good of carrying a roll of twenties as big as a horse collar? Nobody but the sporting man dreams of doing such a thing, but he—"

Mrs. Ruhlin made a hopeless gesture. Then she went on:

"There's a Philadelphia sporting man who is famous for the roll he always carries. My husband said to him one night:

"I suppose, in strange hotels, you always put your roll under your pillow, eh?"

"No; oh, no," said the Philadelphia. I couldn't sleep with my head so high."

Bees in Traveler's Pocket.

L. F. Crathorne of Kanopolis, Kan., is the first man in several moons to come through the depot carrying a whole hive of real live bees. In addition to the several hundred bees in a portable hive Mr. Crathorne carried an extra queen bee in his pocket, enclosed in a small contrivance of wire and wood that also contained a piece of candy and two ordinary working bees. The working bees were there to feed the candy to the queen. Queen bees won't feed themselves, Mr. Crathorne said. The only things they do are lay eggs, lead revolutions and get killed.

Mr. Crathorne said he had no difficulty handling bees without gloves or netting and that the small swelling under his right eye represented the only sting he received last night after sorting out three hives at twilight, the time when bees are most irritable.—Kansas City Star.

Education Outside of Books.

Actual travel, and the seeing of rare objects in nature and art, are gradually taking the place of book study," declares a prominent official of the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art, in pointing out the important part which that institution plays in the school life of the community. The Brooklyn Institute bulletins tell the same story. In fact, there is not to day a museum of any importance, either of art or of science, in all the country, that is not offering inducements to teachers to make use of its collections. The teachers are not slow in taking the opportunity, and the galleries become a place of recreation and painless instruction for the children. It is the tendency of the age, in all directions.

Boy Fought an Eagle.

Elmer Peterson, fifteen years old, and living four miles west of Little Falls, Minn., had a hard battle with a large eagle and was saved from serious injury only by the timely arrival of a brother.

The boy had shot the bird, which was in a tree. The eagle fell to the ground and immediately went at the boy with its talons. The bird's claws became fastened in the boy's clothing and the lad was unable to free himself. Elmer was badly frightened and his strength was giving out when his brother arrived and killed the eagle with a club.

The bird measured five feet across the wings.

Nothing to Do With the Case.

"I suppose you can give references," said the woman.

"I can. Everybody I ever worked for says I sure know how to cook."

"But as to your character?"

"I never let my character interfere with my cooking, mum, so I don't see as that's any concern of yours."

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**A FEW
LITTLE
SMILES**

Wedding Bells.
"Judge," said the old colored citi-
zen, "how much fer a license ter get
married?"
"Want it for yourself?"
"Yes, sah; you see, I's gittin' mighty
old now."
"That's evident. Then why do you
want to get married?"
"Well, jedge, ter tell de truth, some-
body gimme a long coat, a linen collar
an' a walkin' cape, en I knows a
'oman what says she kin make a liv-
in' fer me, en I feels des like a honey-
moon!"

He Had His Suspicion.
One day a farmer member of the
Ohio house displayed, inadvertently, a
large roll of bills in the Neil house
lobby. A fellow member gazed in awe
at the show of wealth.
"I just sold a drove of hogs," ex-
plained the farmer member rather has-
tily and confusedly.
The observing one was thoughtful.
He did not reply for the half-minute
usually essential to the full-measured
beat of his mental process. And then—
"Yaas," he drawled, "and I'll bet
I'm one o' them hawks."—Success.

Getting Even.
Our friend who in taking us for a
ride in his aeroplane startles us by
dropping a heavy wrench so that it
narrowly misses a man in the road.
"Why did you do that?" we ask, see-
ing him chuckle over the man's fright.
"That's a country justice of the
peace," he says, scooting the machine
up. "He used to fine me every Sun-
day for fast driving in my auto."—
Woman's World.

Confused Narrative.
"Bliggins is the most careless fisher-
man I ever saw."
"Doesn't he have any luck?"
"Certainly not. Why, in fixing up
stories to tell his friends he doesn't
even take the trouble to find out what
kind of fish swim in the waters he
visits."

ALAS! HE WAS HENPECKED.

Miss Gusher—I understand, profes-
sor, that you have mastered all the
modern tongues.
Professor Wise—All but my wife's.
Quite So.
Upon a wide and weary world
'Tis wasting time to look,
When one at ease may lie unperiled
With some good story-book.
The Old Story.
"Had every cent taken last night.
Woke up hearing some one in the
room. Reached under my pillow for
my revolver, but didn't shoot."
"Why didn't you?"
"I'd probably be a widower if I had."
—Judge.
What He Wanted to Know.
He—At last, Miss Millie, I can say
something that I have been burning to
ask you for some time.
She—What is it? What is it?
He—Has your cousin Erma enough
money to marry on?—Ulk.
Off "To the Barn."
A Washington county (Kansas) pa-
per tells of a farmer who came to
Kansas City a few weeks ago and got
so lonesome that when he saw a car
marked "To the barn" he took it.
Good Ones.
"What grounds have you for suing
the manager because he gave your
part to another member of the com-
pany?"
"He took away my character, didn't
he?"
Mean Insinuation.
"Did you notice how Mabel changed
color the other day?"
"Well, I suppose the kind she was
using before didn't suit her com-
plexion."

On
Their Way

"There's a man on earth whom I'm
hoping to meet some day," mused
the girl who likes to talk. "He's the
president of a railroad. I don't care
so much about merely seeing him as
I do about conversing with him. I
should be satisfied with saying a
few things to him over the telephone
if I couldn't do any better!"
"It isn't that I want to rage at him.
I want merely to assure him that I
am filled with the deepest admiration
for any human being with a nerve as
colossal and a contempt for his fellow
man as sublime as are his!"
"He runs the railroad which is the
only means of getting out of my sum-
mer resort. All during the season I
heard vague rumors and rumblings
of discontent from the floating popu-
lation at the inn, who, of course, were
obliged to escape by rail. In an in-
dolent fashion I learned that nothing
ever occurred on that road in the
way that it should. People rather
inferred that the train crews sat up
nights planning new and ingenious
ways to upset the schedule and keep
people waiting.
"To be sure, it was annoying to
have to take a train at 11 o'clock at
night, but we got to the village by
dark and had our dinner. The bus
left at 8 for the station a mile away,
so we went in it. Three of us could
kill time easily, we said. We sur-
vived the blighting depression of the
village station for half an hour and
then we took a walk. It began to
rain.
"On going back we heard the bag-
gage man saying that the train was
forty minutes late, but that a sleeper
would run down from somewhere else
earlier and we could get aboard that
and be picked up later by the train.
In half an hour the report was that
the sleeper was delayed by a sand-
slide on the track. We had talked all
we knew and were getting to the
point where we eyed each other with
growing dislike.
"A woman with five small childrer
added to the joys of the evening be-
cause if one child cried all the rest
piped up, and if they all stopped I
think she must have pinched them to
start them up again.
"Then Harry Gilfist burst in upon
his wife and me to report a lunch-
room a block away. We fled to it
and started in on ham sandwiches to
kill time. We ate sandwiches with
deadly seriousness, and then we be-
gan on the caged apple pie and the
petrified doughnuts. Harry reported
that the main train was two hours
late now, because of a washout.
"The rain poured down. The sta-
tion agent slept on the table. The
baggage man said terrible things out
loud to himself and demanded to
know how any man could live on four
hours' sleep a day and why was a
railroad anyhow? Mrs. Gilfist and I
sat hunched up in a dry corner and
yawned and straightened our hair
irritably. "Whadyu say?"
"Down the track two men were
carrying lanterns close to the ground
in a wavering way. "Wha-they doing-
Mrs. Gilfist demanded, crossly
"They're searching for the train, my
dear," I told her soothingly. "They
think maybe they'll find it slipped
down a crack where the rails join."
"Don't be silly!" she snapped. "I shall
die if I can't go to sleep!" And the
rain poured down in the miserable
black silence. We could hear the
agent snore.
"There isn't any train, there never
was a train and there never will be a
train on this line," Harry Gilfist
chanted mournfully. "They put up
this station just as an ornament and
added the ticket agent for a touch of
realism. If he had a Gothic nose
now—
"The sleeper'll get here at 2
o'clock, they report," said the desper-
ate baggage man. "I'll resign tomor-
row!"
"And we have to get up at 6!" said
Mrs. Gilfist, hollowly. "Oh, how those
ham sandwiches made me feel!"
"At 10 minutes after 2 a train am-
bled in from somewhere, and, reeling
from weariness, we dashed to the
sleeper end of it. "I wish I owned
this road!" I confided to the Pull-
man conductor. "I'd like to hack it
up with a little hatchet and use it for
kindling." "Huh!" he retorted. "If I
owned it I wouldn't take so much
trouble with it! I'd just step on it
and exterminate it!"
"After hurling umbrellas and suit-
cases into our section and finding
without doubt that it wasn't out sec-
tion at all, because there was a man
in the lower berth, who was annoyed
because the corner of a suitcase land-
ed against his stomach, we finally got
adjusted and snatched about two min-
utes of sleep, I think, in the midst of
the switching and bumping and back-
ing up.
"When I woke up in the morning
at daylight I looked at the scenery a
long time before I addressed Louise
Gilfist in a shrill whisper. She looked
out and said we weren't in Chicago,
where we were supposed to be, but
at the junction twenty-five miles from
where we had started. There was a
wreck ahead of us, the porter told us
cordially, and maybe he could pro-
ceed in about five hours.
"That was when my desire to meet
the president of the road came into
existence—and I'm still living on
hope!"

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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.
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PERSONALS.

It is the aim of THE CHRONICLE to publish as many personal and social items as possible, but it frequently happens that those who have guests visiting them, and those who entertain, fail to send a list of their friends, or an account of these events, to this office. Readers who live at a distance are always interested in what is going on "at home," and for that reason, if for no other, this column should be filled every week. It is of course understood that anonymous contributions will not be published. Names of persons furnishing items will be withheld.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. McLaughlin, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Rider last Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Mr. A. M. Gluck spent several days last week in Hagerstown.

Mr. Robert E. Creager, of Thurmont, was in town on Monday.

Mr. B. S. Jenkins, of Harford county, spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

Judge John C. Motter attended a meeting of the Emmitsburg Railroad Company held in Emmitsburg on Monday.

Mr. Thomas Seltzer, of Baltimore, was in town several days this week.

Mr. F. Harry Gross left Emmitsburg this week for a 40-days' trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adams and daughter, Mary, spent Tuesday with Mr. John Case, of Taneytown.

Miss Noia G. Chipley, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. M. Morrison.

Miss Naomi Harbaugh has gone to Hagerstown, where she will take a course at the Columbia Business College.

Mr. Fritz Jones, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. A. Horner.

Mrs. C. E. Walter and daughters, Irene and Margaret, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. William J. Topper.

Mr. Romanus Florence and his sister, Mrs. Dillon, of Baltimore, spent New Year's evening with Mr. and Mrs. William J. Topper.

Mr. Ward Kerrigan spent several days in Baltimore.

Miss Madeline Frailey returned on Thursday from New York City, where she spent several days visiting friends.

Mrs. E. L. Annan visited in Taneytown one day last week.

Mr. William D. Morrison spent Saturday in Gettysburg.

Messrs. Robert and Isaac Cook, who have been visiting in Emmitsburg, returned to their home in Hammonton, N. J., on Monday.

Mr. Eugene L. Rowe made a business trip to Westminster on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Babylon, of Williamsport, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John A. Matthews.

Messrs. Felix Adams and Joseph Elder spent Thursday in Hagerstown.

Misses Estelle Codori and May Connelly and Mr. Clarence G. Frailey spent Tuesday in Gettysburg.

Miss Madeline Frailey visited in Idaville, Pa., on Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Houck, who has been visiting Miss Madeline Frailey, has returned to New York.

Mr. M. F. Shuff made a business trip to Baltimore on Tuesday.

Misses Maude Derr and Mary Ellen Eyster spent a day in Frederick this week.

Dr. Carson P. Frailey spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar D. Frailey.

Misses Clara M., Frances, Carrie, Eva and Anna Rowe are attending the Institute in Frederick this week.

Messrs. Charles and Robert Sellers have returned to Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Rowe spent a few days with the former's mother, Mrs. Cora Rowe.

Mr. Clarence Hoke, who spent his vacation here, returned on Wednesday to the University of Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krise, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Edwin W. Sours, of Mexico City, general manager for R. G. Dunn and Company in that country, spent Monday here visiting at the College and at the home of Mr. F. Harry Gross.

Mr. Jack Sundheim, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Burton left on Tuesday on an extended trip.

Mr. Robert Horner spent a few days at his home.

Mr. J. Henry Stokes was in Frederick Thursday.

Mr. J. W. Winegardner went to Baltimore for a two days' visit.

Misses Helen and Elizabeth Hoke spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grimes, of Baltimore, spent Friday with Mrs. Ida S. Gillelan.

Mr. E. F. Ohler returned to Pittsburgh, after spending a few weeks here.

Mr. Clarence Seabrook has returned to Washington, D. C., where he is taking a course in the Bliss Electrical School.

Miss Jennie Sanders, of McKeesport, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Grinder.

Miss Grace Warner, who spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Isaiah Ohler, has returned home.

Mrs. Daniel Shorb and Miss Baker spent Sunday with Mrs. Isaiah Ohler.

Mrs. Isaiah Ohler entertained Mrs. Daniel Shorb and the Misses Shorb last week.

Miss Susan Shorb, who spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shorb, has returned to her school in Franklin county, Pa.

Master Charles Miller is visiting in Waynesboro.

Miss Grace Plank visited Miss Emma Shorb.

Miss Florence Dicken entertained Miss Emma Shorb.

TRAIL OF YEGGMEN GROWING COLD INSTEAD OF WARM

No Clue as Far as Public Knows.—Inspector and Detectives Not Talking for Publication.

The trail of the yeggmens who cracked the postoffice safe last week is not any too warm. Inspectors and detectives as a rule are not the most communicative men and while rumors of clues are thick nothing real has taken place that could be told to the public.

One report that persists is that a Taneytown man, known to the authorities of this county, worked the trick with the help of an expert.

EICHELBERGER WELTY.

Mr. Eichelberger Welty died suddenly at his home Bella Vista, near Emmitsburg on Sunday, Dec. 31st, at 2 P. M.

Mr. Welty, was born in Emmitsburg, May 6, 1833. He was a man of remarkable physique, which seemed to promise many years of life and health. His sudden death caused a thrill of sorrow and regret to his many friends and relatives.

In his early life he was forman in the yards of Col. Robert Annan, of Annandale, then the largest tannery in this part of the State. His uncle, Mr. George M. Eichelberger was at one time clerk of Frederick county. Mr. Welty was a student at Mount Saint Mary's College. He was connected for a number of years with the DeFord Company, afterwards with Hoffman Brothers, in the leather business. The late Alexis Granger was a nephew of Mr. Welty. He was a son-in-law of the late John Aler, of Baltimore and an uncle of Rev. Charles Wheeler, of Washington, D. C. He is survived by his widow, his son, Joseph Welty, of Emmitsburg, and his sister, Mrs. Sophia Granger, of Baltimore. The interment was made in Druid Hill Cemetery, Pikesville.

W. S. GUTHRIE.

W. S. Guthrie, aged 74 years, died December 29, 1911, at his home in St. Joseph, Mo. The funeral was held on Sunday, December 31. He is survived by three sons, Lewis, William M., and Charles M.; one daughter, Mrs. H. H. Hutchison, all of St. Joseph; two sisters, Misses Lou and Sue Guthrie, of Emmitsburg, and one brother, A. C. Guthrie, of Spokane, Wash.

Mr. Guthrie for many years resided in Emmitsburg where he has many friends and relatives. He survived his wife's death but a short time.

FLORENCE ALICE FISHER.

Florence Alice, infant daughter of Joseph and Laura Fisher, of near Motter's passed away on Friday last after a lingering illness, aged six months and seven days.

Midnight Service in Lutheran Church.

On Sunday night last at 10.30 o'clock there was a special watch-service in the Lutheran Church to usher in the New Year. There was special music by an augmented choir, including a beautifully rendered duet by Miss Rebecca Houck and Dr. Carson Frailey. Dr. Reinwald's sermon was very impressive and particularly fitting to the occasion. A few minutes before midnight Mr. James Hospelhorn, as has been his custom for thirty-nine years past, tolled the bell and on the stroke of twelve rang in nineteen twelve.

KELLY—WILLS.

Mr. Wm. H. Kelly son of Mr. Jerome Kelly and Miss Edith G. Wills, daughter of Mr. McClellan Wills, both of near Washington School (Mud College) were quietly married at St. Anthony's Church, near Mt. St. Mary's on Tuesday Jan. 2nd.

Band in Fantastic Uniforms.

On Monday the Emmitt Cornet band, on cognito, gave a street concert. The costumes were so fantastic and deceiving that for a time it was thought to be a strange band. The occasion was particularly appreciated by the younger citizens.

A Brooklyn man stumbled over something on the beach at Nantasket and found that it was a lump of ambergis worth \$19,200.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Readings from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday Jan. 5.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	—	32	36
Saturday	34	38	40
Monday	33	37	37
Tuesday	23	36	38
Wednesday	34	36	35
Thursday	27	33	34
Friday	8	—	—

Readings from The CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending January 6, 1911.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	—	38	32
Saturday	20	34	36
Monday	40	45	46
Tuesday	39	39	39
Wednesday	20	25	27
Thursday	24	29	29
Friday	28	—	—

Mr. John T. Gelwicks has purchased the livery property belonging to Mr. John T. Long.

Mr. John A. Matthews recently sold his farm, "Point View," about one mile north of Emmitsburg, to his son-in-law, Mr. William H. Babylon, of Williamsport. Mr. James Peters will become tenant in April. Mr. Babylon has put out 800 peach trees and intends to develop his place into a fruit farm.

The Emmitsburg Savings Bank declared a dividend of 3 per cent. to its stockholders.

The Emmitt Cornet Band celebrated the birth of the New Year by a short concert on the Square from a few minutes before twelve until after the bells had announced the dawning of nineteen twelve. The numbers played were: "Onward, Christian Soldiers," "Adeste Fideles," "The Ensign," "Maryland, My Maryland."

The younger element of the community inaugurated the New Year by exploding innumerable cannon crackers and shooting revolvers and guns.

St. Euphemia's School was the first of the local institutions to resume studies after the holidays. The doors were opened yesterday for 1912.

Mount St. Mary's College and St. Joseph's College will re-open to-day. The High School and the public schools will open on Monday next.

Mr. Charles Seiss, who renewed his subscription to THE CHRONICLE a few days ago, was good enough to say that "nothing gives me as much pleasure as THE CHRONICLE."

Surprised By His Friends.

On Friday evening of last week a pleasant surprise was given Mr. F. Harry Gross by a number of his friends. Mrs. Gross, who planned the party, arranged it that Mr. Gross was out of the house when the guests assembled. An original travel game was played, when, for score cards, mileage books were used. Each of these was numbered 42, (Mr. Gross' age), and valid during 1911 on the G. S. P. R. R. (Gross Surprise Party Railroad). The decorations were holly, and the favors were birds of paradise in each of whose bills was a hand painted card bearing the name of the guest. The refreshments salads, ices, etc., were served in three courses.

Emeralds Give Dance.

On Wednesday evening the members of the Emerald Society of this place, gave a delightful dance in their new home on Frederick street. A string orchestra from Middleburg furnished excellent music for the occasion.

Some fifty guests many from out of town enjoyed the dance. Refreshments were served and all together it was a tremendous success. The committee in charge are to be congratulated especially Mr. Robert Kerrigan, one of its members.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

All communications intended for publication in this paper and all business letters should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE, or to STERLING GALT, EDITOR, otherwise they will be considered personal and in the absence of the Editor will remain unopened.

Engle May Play For Washington.

Mr. Joseph Engle, student at Mount St. Mary's, and a star baseball pitcher, may be given a chance to show his class in fast company. Manager Griffith, of the Washington American League club, is willing to give him a chance to make good at any time he cares to give up his place on the college team.

Examines Bank.

Mr. John C. Motter of I, assistant State Bank Commissioner was in town Monday on an official visit—the examination of the Emmitsburg Savings Bank.

LEGISLATURE OPENS WITH PROGRESSIVE VICTORY

Senator Blair Lee and Friends Strip President Price of Power to Appoint Senate Employees.

The two branches of the Maryland Assembly are in full swing. At the opening session Senator Price of Wilcomico, was elected president of the Senate, and Mr. James McC. Trippe of Baltimore, was elected speaker of the House.

Senator Blair Lee was out for the nomination as president of the Senate but failed in the caucus. On Wednesday he with his following of Democrats and Republicans, by a vote of 16 to 11, stripped President Price of his power to appoint the employees of the Senate. The fight lasted five hours and it was a battle between the Lee and Smith interests.

Senator Lee and his friends both in the Senate and House are jubilant over the victory, while the regulars are much chagrined.

It was the first show-down and the Lee forces won.

They have shown their strength, and if the Republicans continue to vote with them, as it is believed they will, then the Lee forces will be in control of the Senate.

The House organized without a fight. William T. Warburton, of Cecil county, is Republican floor leader.

Mr. Henry A. Osborn, of Harford county, defeated candidate for Speaker, introduced an order providing that all employees of the House be elected by the House in open session and that no extra compensation be given to any of them.

Speaker Trippe referred the order to the Committee on Rules, which will not be appointed until next week. This under ordinary conditions would prevent any action on the order until after the Committee on Organization, which will be appointed to-morrow, outlines the number of employees to be put on the payroll at the opening of the session. The success of the progressives in the Senate, however, has emboldened the House insurgents and they are now ready for the contest.

LEAP YEAR DANCE.

Returning the compliment shown them last week the young ladies of this town gave a leap year dance in Emerald Hall on New Year's night, inviting all the gentlemen who had been their hosts on the former occasion. This was one of the most enjoyable dances ever given.

The ladies with rare taste had the ballroom handsomely decorated and this with their beautiful gowns made a most brilliant scene. The music for the occasion was furnished by the Lansinger Orchestra.

Those present were: Chaperones—Mr. and Mrs. F. Harry Gross, Dr. and Mrs. J. McC. Foreman and Dr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Rowe. Guests—Misses May Connolly, of Johnstown; Jessie and Gertrude Fitzgerald, Baltimore; Rebecca Houck, Baltimore; Helen Hoke, Elizabeth Hoke, Carrie, Eva, Anna Elizabeth, Frances, Clara, Grace and Nellie Rowe, Anne and Estelle Codori, Louise Beam, Helen Sellers. Messrs. J. William and Charles Rowe, Clarence and William Frailey, Charles Sellers, Robert Taney, Charles Eichelberger, Alexander Colliflow, Herbert Gingell, Merle Moritz, Clarence Hoke, Hugh Scott, Gettysburg, Pa.; J. Byron Horner, Knoxlyn, Pa., E. L. Annan, Jr.

Double Celebration For Mr. Hoke.

Mr. Michael Hoke, who was 69 years old on the 31st of December, and who celebrated his 45th wedding anniversary on December 26th, was delightfully entertained by his two sons, Cleveland and Joseph, at their homes. Mr. Joseph Hoke also had as a guest his father-in-law, whose birthday came on the 31st.

Physician Dies at Home of Patient.

Dr. William E. Gaver, 48 years old, of Mount Airy, died Sunday night of heart trouble. He was stricken at the home of a patient and died instantly. He was a son of the late Tilghmann Gaver, of Middletown, and son-in-law of Milton G. Urner, of Frederick.

State's Attorney Lewis Takes Oath.

Samuel A. Lewis, the Democratic State's Attorney-elect, took the oath of office before Judge John C. Motter, succeeding Arthur D. Williard, Republican. The new State's Attorney is a native of Havers district.

Appointed Wire Chief.

Mr. Park W. T. Loy, of Thurmont, has been appointed Wire Chief of the Frederick District of the C. & P. Telephone Co. with supervision over installation, line and instrument maintenance, the appointment becoming effective January 1.

Thurmont Teachers in Georgia.

Professors Guy and Thomas Firor, of Thurmont, are now members of the faculty of the University of Georgia, at Athens. The former in the extension department and the latter as an instructor in horticulture.

Miss Mary K. Krise, of near Emmitsburg, and John H. Wilhide, of Thurmont, were married at the latter place by Rev. William L. Martin, pastor of the United Brethren Church.

CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC
Mass, Sunday 7 and 10 a. m.
Mass, Daily 6 a. m.
Vespers, Sunday 7 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN
Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN
Sunday, 10 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Sunday School, 9.00 a. m.
Junior Christian Endeavor, 1:45 p. m.
Senior " " 6:45 p. m.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Saturday, Catechetical instruction 2 p. m.

REFORMED
Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday Service, 7:30 p. m.
Saturday Catechetical Instruction at 2:30 p. m.

METHODIST
Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.
Service, 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League, 6.30 p. m.

Rev. Dr. John A. Hoffheins, for the past 36 years pastor of Christ Reformed Church, Martinsburg, W. Va., died at the parsonage, following a brief illness of cancer of the stomach. He was 71 years of age.

The following is the programme for the Week of Prayer:
Sunday, Jan. 7th, at 7 o'clock, in the Reformed Church—Subject, "The Kingdom of God," Rev. L. B. Hensley.

Monday, Jan. 8th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Reformed Church—Subject, "Personal Faithfulness" Rev. Charles Reinwald, D. D.

Tuesday, Jan. 9th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Lutheran Church—Subject "The Church of Christ," Rev. A. M. Gluck.

Wednesday, Jan. 10th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Lutheran Church—Subject, "Foreign Missions," Rev. L. B. Hensley.

Thursday, Jan. 11th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Methodist Church—Subject, "Home Missions," Rev. Charles Reinwald, D. D.

Friday, Jan. 12th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Presbyterian Church—Subject, "Interests Domestic and Educational," Rev. A. M. Gluck.

Sunday, Jan. 14th, at 7 o'clock, in the Presbyterian Church—Subject, "The Kingdom's Triumph," Rev. Jas. W. Hammersley.

Insurance Company Sues Citizens.
Suit was brought Saturday by the Grangers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Middletown against 18 citizens of this county who were former policy holders in the company. It is claimed that they left the company several years ago without paying the last assessment levied against them and still owe the company.

Married Thirty-Five Years.
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Matthews, of "Point View" farm, near Emmitsburg, celebrated the 36th anniversary of their wedding on December 23rd. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews had as their guests on this occasion and over the holidays Mr. David N. Myers and son, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. William H. Babylon, of Williamsport, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Weber and daughter, of Baltimore.

Three feet of snow fell in Montana this week.

SPECIAL NOTICE!
All business letters, and all communications intended for this paper should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE. Mail addressed to Sterling Galt will be considered PERSONAL and in his absence will remain unopened.

WAYNESBORO STEAM LAUNDRY.
The Branch Office of the Waynesboro Steam Laundry, Mr. R. M. Zacharias, agent, solicits your patronage. Perfect satisfaction at reasonable rates. Dyeing, Cleaning, Clothes Pressed and Scoured. Quick returns. 12-15 4t

FOR RENT.
An eight-room dwelling house, and garden, 1/2 mile north of Emmitsburg. Possession after April 1, 1912. Apply to 12-22-3t CATHERINE M. WELTY.

FOR RENT.
Six-room dwelling house and garden two miles east of Emmitsburg. Apply to 1-5-3t MISS RUTH B. GILLELAN.

A reduction in price of all wares during the holidays. A Christmas Gift For All. 12-8-5ts J. M. ADELSBERGER & SON.

Will pay \$15.00 for Emmitsburg Savings Bank shares. Apply CHRONICLE OFFICE.

If you want apples phone or write 12-8-tf D. H. GUISE.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE SESSIONS AT FREDERICK

Reception Tendered Members by School Board and Teachers Association.

The Frederick County Teachers' Institute met this week in Frederick. About 240 teachers of the county were in attendance. The sessions were held at the Woman's College beginning on Tuesday.

School Examiner John T. White called the meeting to order and an address was delivered by John S. Newman, president of the School Commissioners.

Addresses were also made by Prof. Apple, president of the Woman's College; Dr. H. C. Gardiner, of the Normal School, at Millersville, Pa.; Prof. R. E. Keeney, Middletown, and Prof. J. A. Jaquith, of the State Normal School.

The School Board and County Teachers Association gave a reception to the teachers some 150 attending. This was an innovation that was greatly appreciated by all. Prof. John T. White, Roger Harley, president of the County Teachers' Association, Misses Margaret Duvall, Pearl A. Eader, Mary C. Ott, Daniel O. Metz and J. Harry Kefauver received the guests.

Many of the teachers availed themselves of the privilege, granted them by invitation of the Frederick Ministerial Association, of hearing Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education, who gave a lecture in the Lutheran Church. The institute closed to-day.

Emmitsburg Savings Bank Election.

At the annual election of officers for the Emmitsburg Savings Bank, on January 2nd, 2091 shares voted with the following result: President, Dr. D. E. Stone, Jr.; vice-president, J. Lewis Rhodes; directors, Guy K. Motter, J. Rowe Ohler, Peter F. Burket, Ernest R. Shriver, Sterling Galt, J. C. Rosensteel, William A. Devilbiss, Dr. D. E. Stone and J. Lewis Rhodes.

It was decided at the meeting to declare a 3 per cent. dividend on stock and the bank is now paying out the \$750 to its stockholders. A handsome statement in book form has been drawn up by the directors and is being distributed.

House of Correction Needs Cleaning.

The report on the Maryland House of Correction by Dr. Whitin, declares that the institution suffers for want of soap and water, plumbing and general disinfection.

The form of commitments to the institution is criticised. "It seems an admitted fact," continues the report, "that habeas corpus proceedings would release a large number. It is stated that \$500 if spent for legal aid for the convicts would produce a jail delivery." The report then criticises the commitment to the institution of young boys and says the practice should stop.

Division of School Fund.

The total appropriation of the school tax as announced by Comptroller Stanley is \$250,000, book fund \$37,500 and approved high school fund \$27,625, a total of \$315,125. The amount apportioned to this and adjoining counties is as follows: Frederick, school tax, \$10,493.31; book tax, \$1,771.58; approved high schools, \$1,625. Carroll county for same funds in order above named, \$6,494.83; \$1,089.96; \$575. Washington county, \$9,655.98; \$1,606; \$1,150.

Roy Harbaugh Killed at Hagerstown.

Roy N. Harbaugh died Tuesday night at the hospital at Hagerstown from injuries sustained that afternoon when he fell from the top of a box car in the yards of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company. He was a brakeman and had been in the employ of the company for seven months. Harbaugh was helping to make up a train when he fell. Four cars and an engine passed over him, crushing his legs and body. His widow survives.

MARRIED.

CROUSE—HARBAUGH.—On January 3, 1912 by Rev. Mr. Gluck, Miss Anna Harbaugh, of this place and Mr. Walter J. Crouse, of Fairfield.

KELLY—WILLS.—On January 2nd, 1912 by Rev. Fr. Traggesser at St. Anthony's Church, Miss Edith G. Wills, daughter of Mr. McClellan Wills, and Mr. William H. Kelly, son of Jerome Kelley, both of near Washington School.

TOPPER—STALEY.—On January 4, 1912, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church Miss Frances Staley, daughter of Mr. William Staley, and Mr. Clarence Topper, son of Mr. Frank Topper, both of Liberty township, Pa.

DIED.

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

GUTHRIE.—At St. Joseph, Mo., on December 29, 1911, W. S. Guthrie, aged 74 years. Funeral Dec. 31; interment at St. Joseph.

MITCHELL.—On January 1, 1912, at Pasadena, Cal., Carrie May Mitchell, aged 36, wife of H. T. Mitchell. Funeral January 3, at Pasadena.

FISHER.—On December 29, 1911, at the home of her parents, Florence Alice, infant daughter of Joseph and Laura Fisher, near Motter's Station, aged 6 months and 7 days.

WELTY.—On Dec. 31, 1911, at his home near town, Eichelberger Welty, aged 78 years, 7 months and 25 days. Interment in Druid Hill Cemetery, Pikesville, Md.

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GETTYSBURG

Monday all the officers elected at the November election, were sworn into office and the old officials retired.

The new Board of County Commissioners organized by electing Noah R. Beamer, President; S. McC. Eicholtz, Secretary; J. Donald Swope, Attorney; Dr. J. P. Dalbey, Physician at Jail; George W. Baker, clerk to the county commissioners and Isaac Carter Janitor at the Court House.

All of the retiring Court House officials will be retained as deputies for the first few months of the new terms while George Fissel, deputy sheriff under the administration of his father, Elias Fissel, will be G. R. Thompson's deputy for several months.

Monday afternoon the new Town Council reorganized by reelecting all the old officers. The newly elected members were sworn in, President Trostle and J. L. Butt the re-elected members and John D. Keith, the new member. All the old appointments remain the same with the exception of street commissioner which was held over with a view of securing, a civil engineer for street commissioner.

Friday evening the town council met and settled up all the business of the past year so as to give the newly organized council clear field when it takes up its duties.

Ruth Leech, daughter of Harry Leech, W. Middle street, who lived with Mr. and Mrs. John Ziegler, Chambersburg street, was seriously burned Tuesday morning. As Miss Leech was passing a gas stove her apron caught fire. The fire spread rapidly over her dress and in her fright she ran into the pool room with her clothes all a flame, Harry Rhine, who clerks for Mr. Ziegler threw a gum blanket used for covering the pool tables around the unfortunate girl and smothered the flames. Dr. J. B. Dalby was called and found her chest and right arm seriously burned.

C. D. Stallsmith, who is employed by his brother, Frances Stallsmith, met with a serious accident Tuesday morning while at work on the house in course of erection by John W. Mealy on Carlisle street.

Mr. Stallsmith was working at the dormer window on the third floor when the scaffold on which he was standing broke causing him to fall to the ground a distance of about twenty-five feet.

Drs. Hartman and Dickson were summoned and he was removed to his home on North Stratton St. His left arm is broken above the wrist and his left wrist dislocated. He also received a compound fracture of the right arm above the elbow and is badly bruised about the face and head. He was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital on the Reading accompanied by Dr. H. M. Hartman.

The new Board of Poor Directors organized on Tuesday, when the following officers were elected and appointments made: President, Jacob Goodenberger; Secretary, Harry Stambaugh; Abbottstown, Treasurer, W. F. Weaver; Attorney, C. E. Stahl; Physician, Dr. H. M. Hartman; Steward, Harry Sheely; Matron, Mrs. Harry Sheely; Old Men, Frank Sheely and wife; Old Ladies' Mrs. Conrad Smith; 1st Teamster, Conrad Smith; 2 Teamster, Benjamin Stoops; Day Nurse, George Patterson and wife; Night Nurse, C. B. Strausbaugh and wife, Janitor, James McGingan.

MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

Mr. Michael Manley is still on the sick list.

Miss Jennie Sanders, of McKeesport, who visited relatives here, has returned home.

Mr. William Seltzer has returned from a visit to Hagerstown.

Messrs. Ernest Seltzer and Wetzel spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. Ross Eyer.

The news of the sudden death of Mr. Eichelberger Welty came as a shocking surprise to his many relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Columbus Wetzel and daughter, Sophia, have returned home after spending some time in Johnstown, Pa.

Mr. Paul Corry, of Dunmore, Pa., spent New Year's Day with his mother and sisters.

Sunday night marked a new visit for Larry Dielman and his flute. This famous flutist made a fourth journey to the Mountain side this year. Just fifteen minutes before midnight Larry and his flute were heard on the hillside, playing the "Adeste" for the last time in the passing year.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Miss Nellie Reynolds spent several days with Miss Laura Beard.

Mrs. Hettie Baker and Miss Lottie Reed are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Overholzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dicken entertained on New Year's night the following persons: Mr. and Mrs. George Rohrbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stultz and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Overholzer, Mrs. Hettie Baker, Miss Lottie Reed, Miss Agnes Rohrbaugh and Mr. Edgar Rohrbaugh.

MIDDLEBURG.

A very pretty home wedding took place Monday Jan. 1st. The contracting parties were Miss Maud, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Devilbiss, and Mr. Elmer Krise, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krise, of near Rocky Ridge. Promptly at 6 P. M., to the sweet strains of the Lohengrin Wedding march rendered by Miss Bessie Harbaugh, the bridal party entered the parlor where, under an arch of evergreens, Rev. C. H. Hastings in the brief but beautiful service of the M. E. Church, united them in marriage. The bride was attired in a gown of white Japanese silk trimmed in valencine and beaded fringe and carried a bouquet of pink and white Chrysanthemums and ferns tied with white ribbon. The groom wore the conventional black. Little Miss Pauline Devilbiss and Laura Lescalet, nieces of the bride, dressed in white and carrying rare blossoms and Smilax, acted as flower girls. Immediately after the ceremony a handsome collation was served consisting of ice cream, cake, coffee, fruit and confections. The bride received many beautiful and useful presents of silver, china and cut glass ware, bed and table linen and a nice sum of money. Her traveling suit was a dark blue serge with hat and gloves to match. Later in the evening the calathumpian band tendered them a serenade.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Krise, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Devilbiss, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Warthen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Angell, Mrs. Louisa Buffington, Mrs. Annie Dern, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sharretts, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Devilbiss, Mrs. Oliver Grossnickle, Mr. and Mrs. John Buffington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buffington, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moser, Mrs. Sally Adelsberger, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Devilbiss, Misses Carrie and Bessie Harbaugh, Nettie Krise, Beulah Clem, Ruby Crouse, Grace Grosnickle, Florence Collins, Edith and Mary Buffington, Pauline and Helen Devilbiss, Bessie Angell, Mable Buffington, Laura Lescalet, Clara Mackley, Edna Airing, Edna Devilbiss, Messrs. Bruce Late, Wilfred Crouse, Clarence and Harry Buffington, Harry and Luther Devilbiss, Edward Rinehart, Guy Johnson and Frank Angell.

Miss Clara Mackley spent the holidays with friends in Frederick and Thurmont.

Miss Mable Mackley and brother Bertram, of Frederick, spent part of the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mackley.

Mr. Hayden Lynn and Miss Gertrude Straw, of Baltimore, spent Christmas with Mrs. Emily Teyun.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde and Miss Edwina McKinney spent Christmas day with Mr. Hyde's parents at New Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison McKinney and daughter, Elizabeth, visited Wm. Johnson and wife, of near Beaver Dam, on New Year's day.

John Wagner, of New Midway, is spending sometime with his aunt, Mrs. Jacob Snare.

The mumps are still prevalent here among the young people.

AROUND BRIDGEPORT

Mr. and Mrs. William Naill and son, Wilmer, recently visited in Reading, Pa., the guests of Mr. George Schully.

Miss Pauline Baker has returned home after spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Grace Cornell, of near New Windsor. Miss Baker was accompanied by Miss Ruth Ohler who visited her the first of the week.

A surprise party was given Mr. Raymond Ohler on Friday evening Dec. 29, in honor of his 17th birthday. About 75 guests were delightfully entertained.

Mrs. William Hockensmith and daughters visited Mr. Harry Stonesifer, of Harover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith spent Saturday afternoon in Taneytown.

Mrs. Harry Baker and Mrs. Mary Hockensmith are spending several days in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Angel, of Keymar, spent New Year day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staub.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Veant entertained a number of their friends on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ohler, of Hanover, were visitors at "Meadow Brook Farm" on Monday afternoon.

Prof. P. F. Strauss, of Emmitsburg, and Miss Clara Hibley were recent callers at the home of Mr. H. M. Baker.

Mrs. Shanabrook is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Aaron Veant.

Miss Edith Ohler visited near Loys, the guest of Miss Hazel Boller.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

All business letters, and all communications intended for this paper should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE. Mail addressed to Sterling Galt will be considered PERSONAL and in his absence will remain unopened.

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ACROSS THE LINE

Fairfield.—Burgess Waddle permitted the young bloods to hold running races within the borough limits. Tom Gingell's horse was the whole show. Every now and then some one would produce a steed that "could not be beat" but Gingell always led the race. There were more horses in town and more horse talk than for many years.

The second county school rally will be held at Fairfield on Friday evening and Saturday, January 12th and 13th, 1912.

The music will be in charge of local talent and prominent speakers will be employed for the meeting.

Teachers will please not fail to inform Prof. Charles A. Lanids of their intention to be in attendance.

GRACEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Groshon and child, of Union Bridge, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crawford.

Miss Emma Fisher, of near Loys, visited Miss Sylvia Crawford.

Miss Mary Colliflower, of Baltimore, spent New Year with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Colliflower.

Misses Blanche, May and Mary Creeger spent Tuesday with their aunt, Mrs. Henry Fleagle, of near Thurmont.

Miss Ada Lambert, of New Windsor; Misses Lottie and Bertie Troxell, Sarah and Rhoda Dotterer; Messrs. Bruce Dotterer, Russell Troxell, of Philadelphia, spent New Year's eve with Mr. and Mrs. John Pittenger.

Mr. John Joy killed two hogs Wednesday which weighed 368 and 450 pounds respectively.

Mr. Samuel Newcomer who has been very ill continues the same.

Alice Florence Fisher, aged 6 months daughter of Joseph and Laura Fisher, was buried on Sunday.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Mrs. Baker spent Friday evening with Mrs. Aaron Stull.

Mrs. Samuel Dewees and son, Ralph, and Miss Lula Dewees spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Harvey Finneyfrock, who is ill at this writing.

Miss Lillie Baker is spending the week with friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Ruth Finneyfrock spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Mary and Edith Brown.

Miss Esther Shindledecker spent Monday with Miss Nerva Willhide.

Mr. Samuel Dewees and Miss Lula Dewees spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Shindledecker.

Sues For Pay as Sister of Charity.

Suit has been brought in New York by Mary Lehan, who demands \$24,045 from the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul for alleged injuries to her health and as compensation for services rendered. She alleges she joined the order in 1891 and remained until 1904 as a Sister, teaching. Her health, she declares, was ruined, but she alleges she was forced to continue her work.

MARKET REPORTS.

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

EMMITSBURG, Jan. 5.	
Country Produce Etc.	
Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.	
Butter	25
Eggs	22
Chickens, per lb.	10
Spring Chickens per lb.	10
Turkeys per lb.	15
Ducks, per lb.	10
Potatoes, per bushel	\$1.00
Potatoes, (seeded)	12
Dried Cherries, (seeded)	11
Raspberries	11
Blackberries	4
Apples, (dried)	4
Lard, per lb.	6c
Beef Hides	8@1

BALTIMORE, Jan. 5.	
LIVE STOCK.	
Corrected by Patterson Brothers.	
Steers, per 100 lb.	4.50@6.25
Butcher Heifers	4 1/2@4 3/4
Fresh Cows	30.00@30.00
Fat Cows and Bulls, per lb.	2 1/2 @ 4
Hogs, Fat per lb.	6 1/2 @ 7
Sheep, Fat per lb.	2 1/2 @ 3
Spring Lambs	4@5
Calves, per lb.	7 1/2 @ 7 1/2
Stock Cattle	3 1/2 @ 4 1/2

WHEAT:—spot, @91 1/2	
CORN:—Spot, @67 1/2	
OATS:—White 53@53 1/2	
RYE:—Nearby, \$.92@\$. 93 bag lots, . . .	
HAY:—Timothy, \$23.50@24.00; No. 1 Clover @ . . . \$22.00; No. 2 Clover, \$19.00@21.00.	
STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, @18.00	
. . . No. 2, \$16.50@17.50; tangled rye blocks \$13.50	
\$14.00@ . . . wheat blocks, \$10.00@11.00; oats \$11.50@12.00	
POULTRY:—Old hens, 14@15; young chickens, large, @15; small, @ Spring chickens, Turkeys, @17.	
PRODUCE:—Eggs, 28 ; butter, nearby, rolls 20 @ 23 Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 20@23	
POTATOES:—Per bu. \$9.00@10.00 No. 2, per bu. New potatoes per bbl. \$. . .	
CATTLE:—Steers, best, \$. . . @ \$; others \$. . . @ \$; Hefers, \$ @ \$; Cows, \$ @ \$; Bulls, \$. . . @ \$. . . ; Calves, @ \$; Fall Lambs, @ c. spring lambs, 4 1/2 @ 5; Pig 75@81.50, Shoats, \$1.75@2.75 Fresh Cows \$. . . @ \$ 9 per head.	

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FARM AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT



HOW TO MAKE DRIVEWAY

Telford's Method Was to Use Large Stones for Foundation With Smaller Ones on Top.

While there are any number of methods of driveway building, only one, practically, is followed to any extent, and this is usually called "macadamizing." As a matter of fact it

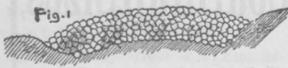


Fig. 1—What MacAdam Advocated.

is not macadamizing at all, but "telfordizing," for what is commonly thought to be a macadam road is built after the method advocated by Telford, says the Country Gentleman. MacAdam advocated the use of stones of uniform size all the way through the roadway (see Fig. 1), while Telford advocated the use of larger stones at the bottom of the roadbed with smaller ones on top of this foundation, still smaller ones above that and finally pulverized stone, or breaker dust, as a top dressing (see Fig. 2), and it is this Telford practice that is usually followed in constructing what are commonly called macadam roads.

Now to build a good driveway one must begin with a dry, hard bed on which to lay the foundation. Should the ground be marshy or damp, some means of drainage must be installed and a solid, dry sub-grade established. Having secured a proper sub-grade, the next step is to select proper material for the driveway building. The stone used must be a hard stone that will break angularly and not have



Fig. 2—Telford's Idea.

rounded edges. The best for the purpose has been found to be what is commonly called trap rock. This trap rock is very hard and tough and breaks angularly. Such a stone wedges in tightly between its neighbors, and if properly wedged will not work loose as a round stone would. A round stone will rock like a cradle if pressure is brought to bear on either end and this will soon disintegrate the driveway. Rolling stones will also occur if any soft material is used in building up the driveway. For the best results, and this is following MacAdam's teachings, stones of about one-inch cube should be used all the way from the foundation to the bed. These should be put down in layers and each layer rolled with a light roller. No sand, breaker dust or soft material whatever should be used in building up the driveway.

In the rolling, one of the most serious mistakes in roadway building is usually made. To get a good driveway made quickly a heavy roller is used and, apparently, this method produces a good driveway if first appearances only are considered. But it is penny wise and pound foolish. Light rolling, of course, requires a greater length of time than heavy rolling and therefore those who are having driveways built will generally insist on the use of the heavy roller. No greater mistake could be made. No matter how well a driveway has been built, a heavy roller is almost sure to crush the stone and spoil it, thus nullifying the benefit of any good practice that may have been followed up to this stage. Light rolling, on the other hand, will gradually pack the whole mass into a solid concrete structure with each stone so wedged in as to be practically immune against displacement.

Pieplant Easy to Grow.

Pieplant is easily produced in a commercial way, yields immensely, and is easily gathered and put into shape for the market. It can be shipped almost any distance. Then, too, the demand for it on the market makes it one of the two best vegetables for commercial use. Pieplant is usually set in rows four feet and two and one-half feet in the rows. Like asparagus it should be carefully tended and heavily manured. It should be fertilized every winter. No pieplant should be pulled for the market for the first year, no matter how healthy and vigorous it may seem. After the first year it may be pulled for the market at any time as soon as frost is gone.

Pumpkins for Fattening.

Pumpkins will soon be close rivals of silage crops as a ration for fattening purposes. They contain a large amount of protein and albumen and a fair amount of ash and potash. Their composition is so well balanced in comparison with other feeds for young animals, that strength is imparted by the ash and potash to the bones of the stock, and the protein builds the flesh. Eighty per cent. of the mature pumpkin can be utilized for feeding purposes.

POULTRY

WINTER CARE OF CHICKENS

Breeders and Promising Pullets Separated From Utility Stock—Warm Meal Fed at Noon.

November 1 finds me busy looking to my houses, the window sashes, etc., spreading dry earth in the pens, so that my pets may be comfortable during the winter. By this time I have culled and arranged my stock for the winter so that I have birds of about the same age, together with my breeders and promising pullets, separated from my utility stock, the cockerels, of course, by themselves, says a writer in the Orange Judd Farmer. The morning meal, thrown in the litter, for the utility pullets is made up of wheat one ounce, oats and barley one-fourth ounce each. Three noons of each week they are fed one ounce of green cut bone each, and the remaining noon a mash of one-half chopped feed, oats and corn, and one-half bran at the rate of one ounce each, dry weight. The evening meal consists of one-half ounce each of wheat, cracked corn and barley, except in extreme cold weather, when nothing but cracked corn is fed.

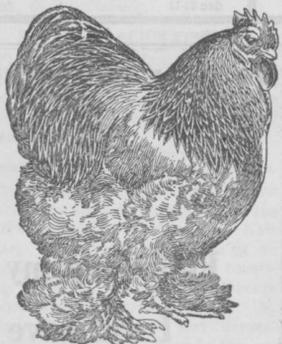
Male birds and breeding pen females get for breakfast one-half ounce each of wheat, corn and oats; at noon, raw vegetables; at night, one-half ounce each of corn and oats, again substituting corn in very cold weather. These fowls get one ounce of green cut bone once a week, and all stock get raw cabbage and mangels every day. The ration for the utility stock I consider a forcing ration; in the two winters I have used it I have obtained a little more than a dozen eggs each during December, January and February. March is usually a banner month for eggs. The mash is not a good one, but is the best I can use at noons with the short time at my disposal. Noon is the time I wish my birds to have a warm meal.

I keep down vermin by whitewashing twice a year, giving the birds road dust for a bath, and putting tobacco stems in the nests. The male birds I dust frequently with a good louse powder. My plan of feeding I realize is not ideal, it is criticised by local poultrymen, but I give it, as it may be of use to someone else.

MERITS OF COCHIN VARIETY

Excellent Producers of Eggs in Winter and Young Chickens Are Fairly Good on the Table.

Cochins have certainly the merit of laying well in winter, due probably to their profuse feathering, which prevents undue evaporation of heat. Young chickens are fairly good on the table, but when older they cannot be regarded as even passable in that respect. The flesh is at all times very yellow, and more largely developed on the thighs than the breast. This is due to the fact that Cochins are not flyers; they have only small wings, whilst very large ones would be needed to support such a heavy frame. The weight which Cochins attain is very good indeed. Adult cocks range from twelve to fifteen pounds, hens eight to eleven pounds, and cockerels and pullets two to three pounds less. They are very hardy, and can stand almost any place and soil, but they do best on short, level grass, for the foot feather is broken and spoiled when on long grass or rough ground. The partridge Cochin possesses a great variety and brilliancy of color,



Partridge Cochin.

the admixture in parts of glossy metallic black, rich dark red, bay and orange giving a very striking effect. The breast, coverts, wing butt, underparts, tail and leg feathers are black, and the saddle and hackle golden red or orange. This refers to cocks, and the hens are equally effective, as the light brown plumage is distinctly pencilled with a darker shade.

Feeding for Result.

In feeding the hen we must use our best judgment to a certain extent. If we are to feed for the egg production, we must give those foods necessary to make those elements which go to make up the egg as well as those that will keep up the hen in the best condition for that purpose.

Introducing New Breeds.

In introducing a new breed, the originators quite frequently advertise the "juiciness" of the flesh, as though it was peculiar to that breed. The truth is, that this juiciness, or the lack of it, lies chiefly with the work of the cook. The flesh of fowls is judged by the flavor and tenderness, and these are largely in the hands of the cook.

Practical Fashions

SIMPLE AND DRESSY WAIST.



The entire effect of this waist depends upon the yoke and standing collar and the additional bertha collar and corresponding cuffs.

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The pattern (5603) is cut in sizes 32 to 42 inches bust measure. Medium size requires 2 1/2 yards of 36-inch material.

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The dress has the fashionable seamless shoulder and closes at one side of the front.

The pattern (5620) is cut in sizes for dolls from 14 to 26 inches in length. To make these garments for an 18-inch doll requires for the rompers 1 yard of 27-inch material; for the dress 3/4 of a yard of 36-inch fabric and for the hat 1/2 yard of 18-inch goods.

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Generous Grocer.

Little Millicent—Please, sir, here's some coal dust mamma found in that pepper you sent up today, and she said for me to bring it back and tell you—

Grocer—Thank you, my fair child. Run home and tell your mamma that we only throw in the coal dust to our oldest customers. Tell her that this once we shall make no extra charge for it, even though she did ask me why the pepper wasn't as hot as it used to be.

At the Provision Merchant's.

Little Girl—Quarter of a pound of margarine, please.

Shopman—Anything else, my dear? Little Girl—Mother said would you stamp a cow on it, 'cause we've got company coming to tea this afternoon.

Working the Growler.

"Henry, I want 50 cents."
"What for?"
"I need a new hat."
"Huh! You can't buy a decent hat for 50 cents."
"Very well; I want \$1, then."

The KITCHEN CABINET



KNOWLEDGE of food is the foundation of housekeeping.

Good food means good health. Variety in food appetite induces appetitive and good digestion.

BUTTERMILK DISHES.

To keep up the interest in living every little while some new specific for prolonging life, renewing the tissues and preserving beauty springs into popular favor. Buttermilk and sour milk have both been highly praised, and science is experimenting to prove the wonderful tales. For years buttermilk has been recommended by physicians for people troubled with gout, rheumatism or liver troubles. Many times those who cannot retain sweet milk find buttermilk most satisfactory. A glass of iced buttermilk with a sandwich makes a most satisfying and wholesome luncheon. Buttermilk may be used in place of sour milk in cookery, making a richer and finer-grained product. For those fond of buttermilk, the buttermilk soup is a great delicacy. Heat a quart of buttermilk until nearly boiling; do not let it boil or it will curdle. Pour over three well-beaten eggs, season with salt and sugar and serve with a grating of nutmeg on top of each soup plate.

Buttermilk Ginger Cake.—Take a cup of molasses, one well-beaten egg, two-thirds of a cup of buttermilk, a third of a cup of melted shortening, two teaspoonfuls of soda, spices to taste and flour enough to make a batter not too stiff, when it drops like a veil from the spoon it is sufficiently thick.

Buttermilk Spice Cake.—Take two cups of light brown sugar, one-half cup of butter, two cups of buttermilk, two teaspoonfuls of soda, teaspoonful of cinnamon, half a teaspoon of cloves, a pinch of ginger and a grating of nutmeg, two eggs, a cupful each of raisins and currants and sufficient fruit will cause it to fall if it is not stiff enough.

Buttermilk Cookies.—Cream one cup of butter, add two cups of sugar, a cup of buttermilk, a teaspoonful of soda, nutmeg to taste, and sufficient flour to roll. Roll very thin and bake in a hot oven.

Buttermilk heated hot, and adding noodles is another favorite soup.

Nellie Maxwell.

The KITCHEN CABINET



HOW many things by season seasoned are To their right praise and true perfection.

But hark! the chiming clocks to dinner call.

A FEW ENTREES.

Entree is a French word meaning "between," so it is a dish coming between courses. It usually follows the heavy meat course, and is a dish prepared in so many ways and of such a variety of materials that he is indeed particular who cannot find one to his liking. There are those entrees which are fritters of all kinds. The following is one often served and generally liked:

Gnocchi a la Romana.—Melt a fourth of a cup of butter, and when bubbling hot add the same amount of flour and the same amount of cornstarch, half a teaspoonful of salt and two cups of hot milk. Cook five minutes, then add the yolks of two eggs slightly beaten and one-half of a cup of grated cheese. Pour into a buttered pan and cool. When cold, turn onto a board, cut in squares or any desired shape, sprinkle with a fourth of a cup of cheese and brown in the oven. Mushrooms are a great favorite as an entree.

Deviled Mushrooms.—Mix one teaspoonful of mustard, a dash of cayenne, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, and half a teaspoon of paprika. Cover broiled mushrooms with this mixture and serve on slices of toast.

Chestnut Croquettes.—Take a cup of well-cooked and mashed chestnuts, add two tablespoonfuls of thick cream, the yolks of two eggs, a teaspoonful of sugar and a fourth of a teaspoon of vanilla. Shape in balls and roll in egg and crumbs, fry in hot fat.

Bananas, cut in halves and seasoned with salt and lemon juice, then dipped in egg and crumbs and fried make another delightful entree. Garnish with lemon slices and sprigs of parsley. Croquettes of all kinds, fritters of fruit, fish, lobster and clam and vegetable fritters are all served as entrees.

Nellie Maxwell.

If nobody will lead a man into temptation he thinks it's up to him to but in.

The Struggle for Arthur

It dawned on Miss Violet Mills in a surge of regret that there were disadvantages connected with being 16 years old.

For example, if one were displeased with a friend one could not make up a face and say "Smarty! You think you're smart, don't you?" And no other method of procedure really seemed to fit the present case.

There was not a particle of doubt that Elsie Wangness had deliberately set out to trap Arthur. He had come to visit in the Mills residence, displaying the full glory of his gray summer suit, hellebore silk socks and tie, and with a businesslike assortment of golf clubs and tennis rackets and accompanied by Speckle, the sportiest looking Boston bullpup that ever was seen on that street. Since Arthur was tall and architecturally designed after the pattern of the young man who makes modern clothes advertisements things of beauty, it is easily seen that there was nothing for any girl in the neighborhood to do but fall desperately in love with him.

After Arthur's arrival there began a perfect surge of girls toward the Mills residence. It appeared that they all loved Violet half to death and were sitting up nights planning entertainments for her to show their devotion—entertainments to which she was requested to "bring along your brother John—and his guest."

But Elsie Wangness was the most devoted of them all, for she took to bringing over her fancy work and sitting on the porch with her dear friend Violet. Of course, she could not help it if she was there when John and Arthur happened to be there also.

Violet recalled, when she thought it over, that Elsie most generally had been sitting there on the porch when the young men were around. It was no wonder, then, that she actually began wearing Arthur's fraternity pin—no doubt she had wrested it from him by main force! Violet had observed that pin two seconds after Arthur's arrival and instantly wild hopes of wearing it herself before his departure seized upon her. Only a week of Arthur's visit had gone by before Elsie ostentatiously displayed the pin and also a maddening air of ownership of Arthur before Violet's very eyes. Any one can see, therefore, that Violet was justified in longing to say "Smarty!" and wrinkle up her nose.

The unwritten laws of girlhood frown upon one girl's flirting with a young man to whom another girl has a prior right. As Violet told herself hotly, if she had used one-sixteenth of the artful wiles of Elsie she could have beaten Elsie in the first inning.

That was what came of being reserved and modest—it wasn't true that men wanted to do the chasing themselves. Hereafter—Violet set her lips in a way that presaged ill for any helpless and unsuspecting masculine individual that fate henceforth threw in her path.

"Arthur says he just loves brown eyes," Elsie would confide to her. Violet's eyes were blue. Or "Arthur says he much prefers smooth hair like mine." Violet's hair was naturally wavy. After these little episodes Violet would retire to weep in rage and meditate revenge.

If only in some way she could get even with Elsie it would assuage the bitterness rankling within her. That she should have been such a simple ton as to let another girl get ahead of her was a dreadful reflection.

In the last week of Arthur's stay, when Elsie dropped frequent remarks that were calculated to show Violet that Elsie expected to hear from Arthur frequently Violet broke six embroidery needles. Arthur had said nothing about writing to her!

The day the visitor was to leave Arthur and John came home to luncheon and Elsie, who had the chair nearest the porch steps, bestowed her sweetest, most bewildering smile upon them. It was as though she said to Violet: "See how Arthur rejoices at my welcome!"

Then Arthur paused instead of going indoors. He smiled down at Elsie and for an awful instant Violet wondered if he was going to make love to her before Violet's anguished eyes! Then he spoke:

"Say, small girl," he said from the height of his 22 years, "don't forget that I'm going today and want my pin back that you borrowed. You see, there's a lady back east that I've given that pin to—she's going to be Mrs. Arthur some day. She just loaned me the pin to wear on this trip! Thanks!" Fastening on the pin, which Elsie had torn from her dress feverishly, Arthur went whistling into the house.

Violet drew a long breath as she recovered from the shock. She smiled happily now, for she saw her revenge. "Why, how surprised you seem to be to hear that Arthur's engaged!" she murmured, languidly. "I knew it—all the time!"

ADVERTISING IN THE SMALL TOWNS

By BERT ST. CLAIR.

The average country merchant advertises in his home weekly newspaper because he feels that he should give the editor some encouragement.

Hence, because he takes little or no interest in what his advertisement says, he seldom changes it, and still more seldom does he have anything in the announcement that grips the reader, and thereby brings him trade.

The average advertisement in a weekly newspaper reads like a label. The majority of them state that the advertiser is "still at the same old stand," or handles the best goods in town. Few of them deal in anything but generalities.

Such advertisements probably are not worth anywhere near what they cost. About all they do is to keep the name of the merchant before the reader. But in a small community, practically everyone knows a merchant who has been in business any length of time, so simply having one's name before the public can be of but little benefit under such conditions.

Many country merchants leave the writing of their advertisements to the editor. They order their space, sometimes amounting to a page, and tell him to write them a "good announcement." They do not furnish him with a single price or a selling argument of any kind. All he gets is orders to fill the space.

At one time, while I was struggling in a small town to get a start as an advertisement writer, I asked the largest advertiser there to permit me to do some work for him, free.

"All right," he replied, "write me a two page advertisement and bring it around in a couple of hours."

Then he hurried into his store, seated himself on a counter and lighted a cigar. He never thought it necessary that I have something upon which to base my selling argument.

It used to be the custom in a country town I often visited to hold a county fair every fall. Just prior to the holding of the last one, several years ago, a liveryman placed in his home paper this advertisement: "When you come to the county fair feed your horses at Blank's stable." The fair was a financial failure and no attempt has since been made to hold another in that town. Yet two years after the first insertion of the liveryman's advertisement it was still running exactly as it was originally set up.

Curious to know what benefit, if any he thought he derived from it, I asked him one day why he did not change his advertisement.

"O," he replied, "advertising doesn't pay, anyhow, and I might as well have that announcement as any other in the paper."

In that particularly case advertising certainly did not pay.

An insurance agent in that same town changes his advertisement every week. Recently I congratulated him upon his enterprise.

"Yes," he responded, "I do change it every week; but I have to watch it pretty closely. If I don't change it the editor won't."

When the country merchant learns to write snappy advertising, filled with good selling argument and prices, then will he have less cause to sit by the stove in the rear of his store and assail the mail order houses and the men who are behind the parcels post bill.

Modern business men in all lines have come to the realization that newspaper advertising is not expensive, but an investment, and a mighty good one.

Praiseworthy Seamanship.

A remarkable rescue was effected recently when a sailor fell overboard from the steamship Baron Minto during a voyage from Japan to Hong Kong. When about midway between the ports the vessel was struck by a typhoon and took very heavy seas on board, and during the storm a Lascar seaman was washed from the bridge deck. The sea was too high to launch a boat, so Captain Baillie turned the vessel round, and steaming back, picked the man up by means of a rope, none the worse for his 15 minutes' immersion. Considering the large size of the vessel (4,537 tons gross) this was an exceedingly creditable piece of seamanship.

Fallacy of Cheapness.

If a man buys junk, it's a cinch he sells junk. It is also a cinch that silks are never bought at rag prices. But almost invariably when a man buys junk he tries to fool himself into believing he has bought a first-water diamond. He thinks by some miraculous means the junkdealer has a short cut to perfection, that the rags have been mercerized at least to near-silk.—Lucas News.

The Yellow Peril.

The Advertising Manager—Shall I run your ad next to pure reading matter?

The Advertiser—Yes; if you can find any reading matter in your paper that could be considered pure.

Exceptional.

"The boast of the west is that one can rise there very rapidly."
"Yes, but often on the end of a rope."