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EMMITSBURG'S BIG CARNIVAL A MONSTER SUCCESS

Thirty Distinctive Floats and Five Hundred Persons In Line.---Hosts of People From Nearby Towns Witnessed and Took Part In The Celebration.---Many Automobiles in Parade.---Plenty of Music and Fireworks.---Houses Gaily Decorated.---Beautiful Floats Evoke Much Favorable Comment.---Everybody Jolly.---Perfect Order

They came from everywhere--those jolly, enthusiastic pleasure-loving people that helped to make Tuesday night's carnival in Emmitsburg a huge success. They came by automobile, they came by train, and those who did not drive came on foot. And what a gathering it was!

As soon as darkness fell, light after light appeared in the windows of the citizens of this progressive little town--a town small in population, perhaps--but progressive in spirit and ever desirous of doing the right thing, and doing it generously--and torch upon torch appeared upon the busy streets.

Street Decorations.

On Monday bunting floated from house top and store front. On Tuesday more elaborate decoration in original design, draped the exterior of many buildings, and lanterns galore, lined the curb from tree to tree until every street loomed up in brilliancy, equal almost to the flare of the "Great White Way."

From posts at regular intervals large gasoline torches shed light in all directions, brightening the color of the costumes of the hundreds of passers by and intensifying the beauty of the pageant as it moved along between throngs of applauding spectators.

From Neighboring Towns.

Early in the evening the sidewalks were lively with pedestrians--men, women and children--and by dusk the streets were filled with decorated teams, ready to fall in line when the bugle blew for the Big Parade to form.

Delegations arrived early from Gettysburg and points between Gettysburg and Emmitsburg. A little later the Fairfield contingent came. Then Thurmont and Taneytown and Harney and Bridgeport arrived with their welcome quota. From down the line came Woodsboro's detachment, and squads from Creagerstown, Le Gore, Detour, Rocky Ridge and Motter's, Zora and communities beyond and this side of Zora sent representatives as did also every settlement within miles of Emmitsburg. People came, indeed, "from everywhere."

Divisions and Line.

The First Division headed by Marshal John H. Rosensteel, of J., formed on Frederick street, the division extending far out the Pike, and the Second Division on Gettysburg Street the rear continuing out the Gettysburg road.

The line of march was as follows: Up Frederick Street to the Fountain, thence east on Main Street, and North to Green Street; then to Gettysburg Street to Main Street, and West to the Emmitt House, returning to the Square where the parade disbanded.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

A God-fearing nation, like ours, owes to its inborn and sincere sense of moral duty to testify its devout gratitude to the All-Giver for the countless benefits it has enjoyed. For many years it has been customary at the close of the year for the national Executive to call upon his fellow countrymen to offer praise and thanks to God for the manifold blessings vouchsafed to them in the past and to unite in earnest supplication for their continuance.

The year now drawing to a close has been notably favorable to our fortunate land. At peace within and without, free from the perturbations and calamities that have afflicted other peoples, rich in harvests so abundant and in industries so productive that the overflow of our prosperity has advantaged the whole world, strong in the steadfast conservation of the heritage of self-government bequeathed to us by the wisdom of our fathers, and firm in the resolve to transmit that heritage unimpaired, but rather improved by good use, to our children and our children's children, for all time to come, the people of this country have abounding cause for contented gratitude.

Wherefore I, William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America, in pursuance of long-established usage and in response to the wish of the American people, invite my countrymen, wheresoever they may sojourn, to join on Thursday, the 28th day of this month of November, in appropriate ascription of praise and thanks to God for the good gifts that have been our portion, and in humble prayer that His great mercies toward us may endure.

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

Done at the City of Washington this 7th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-seventh.

WILLIAM H. TAFT.



A FLASHLIGHT OF A SECTION OF THE CROWD ON THE SQUARE TUESDAY NIGHT.

The Parade.

Precisely at 7.45 the bugle blew and the monster parade started. John Rosensteel was chief marshal of the parade, and headed the first division. He was followed by 20 aides, then came Chief of police Frederick Dukehart, mounted, followed by the Emmitt Cornet Band. Then came the burgess and commissioners in automobiles and behind them a broom squad of 40.

Francis Kreitz, who 20 years ago carried a flag in the demonstration in Emmitsburg, in honor of the Democratic victory then, carried the Flag Tuesday night. Then began the floats. The first one contained 50 very pretty girls who were dressed as Indian squaws representing Tammany Hall. Joseph E. Elder, who, perhaps, more closely resembles President Wilson than any man in Maryland, rode in a coach attired in an academic cap and gown.

Robert Payne had a gayly decorated float on which a large bell had been placed so it could be rung, and on the side was a banner saying "Ring in Good Times." The Democratic donkey and a high kicker, was ridden by Quinn Florence, and this proved to be one of

the most interesting features of the whole parade.

The large float representing "Prosperity," was undoubtedly the most elaborate in the procession. On a beautiful throne was seated Miss Mary Welty who wore a queenly gown and a crown of purest gold. She was profusely decorated with costly jewels while seated about her, on the float were Misses Mary Neck, Mazie Dukehart, Alice and Frances Kerrigan, Mary Chrismer, Lillian Long, Alice Dukehart, and Mary Eckenrode. The float was bountifully supplied with all kinds of grains and fruits and the young ladies carried cornucopias.

"Uncle Sam" There.

Frank Shuff, representing an old English whip, followed in a dog cart, 10 dogs being used. Clay Shuff then came in a barouche, dressed to impersonate Uncle Sam, and upon his carriage was a banner saying "I Am Perfectly Satisfied."

Arthur Stokes occupied a position within an office on the next float, and a banner said "Apply within for postmasterhips, rural carrier positions, postal mail clerkships, ambassadorships, etc."

A plantation scene came next with the log cabin as the center of attraction. Four or five persons were gathered around the cabin, playing banjos and fiddles, and a big sign was inscribed "Hard Times Come No More."

Gordon Proff impersonated Roosevelt. He was on a float representing a jungle scene, palms, pines and vines being used in profusion. Mr. Proff showed the prominent teeth, the big spectacles, the characteristic hat and in fact the entire make-up of the former president. In the jungle was a huge grizzly bear and on the side of the float was the inscription, "I helped some."

For Trip Up Salt River.

Edgar Dukehart followed with a float on which was piled stoves, tables, kitchen utensils and almost everything of a like nature and on the wagon was the sign "We will need these up Salt River."

The Democratic billygoat, richly caparisoned, was driven by George Wagerman.

A number of automobiles, a six-horse team, etc., ended the first division.

The Second Division.

Marshal Harry S. Boyle led the second division, and was followed by 20 aides. The aides were followed by the Monocacy Valley band, and a number of automobiles containing visitors and others.

The first float contained a ticket office, inside of which was Norman E. Hoke and above the window was the inscription "Get Your Tickets for Salt River."

Then came a large canoe on wheels,

and on it were palms, ferns and flowers. It contained two little boys dressed as sailors, and was drawn by six little boys dressed also like sailors, while one dressed as a policeman guarded the canoe.

Charles Reeder had the Parcels Post float. On it were coops of chickens, bird cages, milk cans, bricks and vegetables of all sorts, in fact all kinds of produce, etc., showing the wide range of articles which may be sent by Parcels Post. From the rear of the wagon Alexis Riley was holding the largest Democratic rooster in Frederick county.

Joe Meyers had a float on which was a gilded cage and in it the Tammy tiger.

Another plantation float was shown containing an orchestra, with others singing and dancing and the banner, "We Are Happy."

Col. Cornelius Buckingham followed wheeling a baby carriage and carrying a banner on which was "The New Party."

Fred Brown rode in an open barouche drawn by six black horses and impersonated Mr. Taft.

Mark Harting on a float impersonated a suffragette. The float was driven by Edward Harner.

Other Attractive Floats.

Another gayly decorated float was that of local dairyman, Robert Long, who had in his wagon one small can bearing the inscription "5 Cents Then," and a large one to which was attached the sign "5 Cents Now."

Another float represented a market scene. One side were vegetables of ordinary size and the sign, "The kind we had then," and on the other side were vegetables of monstrous size and the inscription, "What we will get now."

"Looking for a Republican" was another float in which one man had a telescope gazing skyward and another had a lantern hunting about the float.

A large and beautiful float was that of "Responsibility." This contained a young lady seated on a pyramid as justice, blindfolded and holding the scales. Boys seated about the float represented the constitution, art, literature, agriculture, manufacturing industries, a colored man and a business man.

Then followed a catafalque of white, draped in black, and upon it an elephant with his feet in the air. On the float was the local grave digger with his pick and shovel, and on either side of the float were the letters G. O. P.

Taneytown had a gayly decorated float as did also Woodsboro and LeGore. There were 20 clowns or more along the line of parade and over 200 horsemen rode in the procession.

After The Parade.

When the Parade disbanded, many of the floats were driven up and down the

streets, their occupants exchanging greetings with their friends. Those who impersonated the different characters promenaded in costume and the local host and the out of town guest walked arm in arm engaged in friendly converse.

On the Square the musical organizations, alternating, played continuously for an hour, and here the bulk of the people congregated to listen to the splendid concert which was concluded by several brilliant productions rendered by massed bands.

An Orderly Crowd.

Although everybody was in a good humor and here on pleasure bent, law and order prevailed. Ten "Special officers" had been "sworn in" for the occasion--more to direct than to arrest--but their services were needed in only a few instances. Nor could a crowd of two thousand have been expected to behave with better decorum than did this jolly crowd that came to Emmitsburg Tuesday evening. All were happy and enjoyment reigned supreme.

Comment of Visitors.

From all sides came kindly and congratulatory comment about Emmitsburg and Emmitsburg's successful efforts.

"I've been in many a large city where parades of this kind have been held, but I've never seen a better one than this," said one visitor, a Baltimorean. "Your parade was better than ours--three to one," said a man from Gettysburg. "The people of Emmitsburg ought to feel proud that a town of its size can pull off an affair as creditable as this," was the remark of an experienced traveling man. "It was the best thing I ever saw in the way of a political parade," declared another. "We always like to come to Emmitsburg; you people, when you do a thing, do it right," was the gracious way it was put by one who is used to big demonstrations.

Expressions of a similar tenor were uttered by many another--all showing that Emmitsburg is well thought of everywhere and by everyone.

The Music.

The Emmitt Cornet Band did itself proud. It never played better nor did it ever make a better appearance. The Monocacy Valley Band, as usual, was "there with the goods" and everyone enjoyed the selections it played. And the Drum Corps from Taneytown--that was a decided hit. All who march love the drum and fife and the martial airs played by this splendid organization had folks doing the shuffle all evening.

There is plenty of musical talent in Emmitsburg and a lot of it was in evidence on Tuesday night. Prof. Bowling's orchestra, including Prof. John Chase, was on deck--on a float to be more precise--keeping the crowd in a good humor with its excellent selections, and Prof. Joe Krietz and Prof. Redmond, ably assisted by Prof. Joe Mentzer, furnished good music, the A. I. kind, right "up to the handle." And go where you will no better bugler than Tom Frailey can be found anywhere. An artillery or a cavalry officer would have sworn he was a "regular."

Lights Visible At Distance.

From Mount St. Mary's and far below, the lights and fireworks were visible in all directions. Way out the Gettysburg road and in the direction of Fairfield the sky was aglow, the pink tint of the distant lights resembling a Summer's sunset. Down Taneytown way, too, could be seen the yellow balls spurring from hundreds of Roman candles, and from many places nearby could be heard the strains of martial music and the roll of many drums.

The Ladies Assist.

It is a well known fact that when ladies assist in an affair of this nature everything they undertake is accomplished "to the queen's taste." So it was with Tuesday's carnival. The more

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MY THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Heavenly Father, instead of bringing to Thee merely empty words of thanks for the many blessings that have come to me throughout the year, help me to show my heart's deep gratitude by doing all the useful things I can in Thy name to-day.

Let me try to find every lonely heart within my reach, and freely share my portion of cheer with all.

Let me remember to speak the tardy words of honest praise and appreciation my selfish lips have unwittingly withheld, and prayerfully leave unsaid the little things that hurt and sting.

Let me fully test the tender magic that lies in smiles, kind words and little acts of thoughtfulness, and see how many sad, discouraged souls I can make glad.

And grant, O Father, that the eventide may find nothing in my humble power left undone or unsaid that would help some one in need, or make the world better and brighter.

AMEN.

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BIG CARNIVAL MONSTROUS SUCCESS

(Continued from page 1.)

pretentious floats were their creation, and more finished productions would have been impossible. Every detail was considered. Every streamer was in place, every flower and fern and every costume was arranged with greatest care and with a view to making the ensemble perfect. The applause that greeted these, the most beautiful features of the parade, testified beyond a doubt that the exquisite taste and the good judgment of gracious and unselfish femininity were fully appreciated. The beauty and grace of the young ladies who so completely assumed their different roles made a picture long to be remembered, the manly attitude and behavior of the handsome boys who took part will not soon be forgotten.

Clowns From Woodsboro.

Up and down the line of the parade pranced about twenty clowns in every conceivable make up. Some were short and fat; others thin and tall. They hopped into wagons, spread themselves out on auto front, and went through all kinds of ridiculous antics, provoking mirth and generally livening up the carnival. They came from Woodsboro and Legore. So adept were they and so fine was their make up that had an agent of the Barnum and Bailey Show been in Emmitsburg that night these fun makers would certainly have been asked to sign up with that show.

Very Novel Feature.

One of Zora's entries, originated and managed by Tom Gingell and Harry Wagaman, was a 1913 model Buggymobile. The shafts were attached behind the vehicle and the horse pushed instead of pulled it. A window light was used for a wind shield and a gig lamp for a search light. The usual auto horn, goggles, etc., completed this very novel and much appreciated feature.

Over World for Autographs.

The autographs of 939 noted men and women are in a little book brought into this country Saturday by Louis Barth, of Arad, Hungary, who arrived on the steamship Campania. Barth, who is reported a millionaire, says the collection has cost him \$70,000, and that he thinks so much of the volume he sleeps with it under his pillow that no one may steal it. The autographs of Kings, Presidents, inventors, authors and others are in the book, the celebrities including Thomas A. Edison, President Taft, Woodrow Wilson, President elect; King Edward VII., Pope Leo XIII. and Pope Pius X. Barth says his one aim in life is to collect the autographs of celebrities, and as soon as he hears of a new one springing up anywhere he hastens to Europe, India, Hoboken, or wherever else the celebrity may be, and thrusts the book before him.

Mine Disasters Claim 1,453.

There were 1,453 men killed in coal mine accidents during the first eight months of this year, 660 of whom were in Pennsylvania and 273 in West Virginia, according to an announcement from the Bureau of Mines. Unless there are exceptional disasters before January 1 the death rate this year will be lower than last, when 2,719 were killed.

MARKET REPORTS.

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

EMMITSBURG, Nov. 22.

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.

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| Butter | 22 |
| Eggs | 33 |
| Chickens, per lb. | 10 |
| Spring Chickens per lb. | 10 |
| Turkeys per lb. | 17 |
| Ducks, per lb. | 10 |
| Potatoes, per bushel | 50 |
| Dried Cherries, (seeded) | 10 |
| Raspberries | 15 |
| Blackberries | 4 |
| Apples, (dried) | 10 |
| Lard, per lb. | 10 |
| Beef Hides | 8@10 |

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers.

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| Steers, per 100 lb. | 6.00@7.00 |
| Butcher Hefers | 6.50 |
| Fresh Cows | 30.00@50.00 |
| Fat Cows per lb. | 2@5 |
| Bulls, per lb. | 4@5 |
| Hogs, Fat per lb. | 8@8.5 |
| Sheep, Fat per lb. | 2@3 |
| Spring Lambs | 5@6 |
| Calves, per lb. | 7@8 |
| Stock Cattle | 4.50@5 |

BALTIMORE, Nov. 22.

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| WHEAT:—spot, | @88½ |
| CORN:—spot, | @80 |
| OATS:—White, | @28 |
| RYE:—Nearby, | \$. 79@80 \$ bag lots, 65@75 |
| HAY:—Timothy, \$20.00 | @30.50; No. 1 Clover \$16.00 @16.50 No. 2 Clover, \$13.50@14.50. |
| STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, | @13.50 |
| \$. No. 2, \$16.00@16.50; tangled rye blocks \$11.00 | \$. @ . wheat blocks, 88.00@ . : oats \$9.00@10.00 |

POULTRY:—Old hens, @13; young chickens, large, @14; small, Spring chickens, @ Turkeys, @19

PRODUCE:—Eggs, 34; butter, nearby, rolls 23@25 Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 21@21½

POTATOES:—Per bu. \$. 65@70 \$ No. 2, per bu. 45@50 New potatoes* per bbl. \$. @5

CATTLE:—Steers, best, 5½@6 ; others 4½@5 \$. ; Hefers, 4@5 ; Cows, \$. 4@5

\$; Bulls, 3@3½ \$. ; Calves, 10½

Fall Lambs, @ c. spring lambs, @6½;

@ \$. Shoats, @ Fresh Cows

\$ @ \$ per head.

EXTRA SESSION TO BE CALLED

MEET ABOUT APRIL 15

President-Elect Wilson Says
So Before He Sailed

TO REDEEM THE PARTY PLEDGE

Sentiment in Favor of the Extra Session Widespread.—Wilson Desires Remove any Uncertainty Injurious to Business.

"I shall call Congress together in extraordinary session not later than April 15. I shall do this not because I think the pledges of the party ought to be redeemed as promptly as possible, but also because I know it to be in the interest of business that all uncertainty as to what the particular items of tariff revision are to be should be removed as soon as possible."

With these words President-elect Wilson removed all doubt concerning the extra session of Congress, and took the first important step toward carrying out his pledges to the people when he announced his purpose of calling an extra session of Congress not later than April 15, instead of waiting six months after he assumes the Presidency on March 4 for the regular session to convene.

As he issued his statement the President-elect remarked:

"The list of members of Congress and prominent Democrats throughout the country who had expressed themselves on the subject, showed that the sentiment in favor of the calling of an extra session was widespread—I might say almost unanimous. The extra session will have the advantage of giving us an early start toward effecting the reforms to which the Democratic party is pledged."

The President-elect gave out his statement before embarking on his vacation for two reasons. First, as declared in his statement, he desired to remove any uncertainty that might be injurious to the business interests of the country. The second reason was purely selfish, as he himself remarked. He wants to spend his vacation in quiet and peace. He realized, he said, that unless the question was settled at this time he would be besieged continually for a definite statement on the subject.

Millions Profit In Carbide.

Reports from Chicago say that Charles K. G. Billings, formerly of Chicago but now of New York and a group of Chicago and New York friends, have made a profit of \$25,000,000 by investments in the stock of the Union Carbide Company whose stock is setting a sensational pace.

Shares which they bought for \$30 advanced to \$324 and brought them profits of \$22,229,880. A stock melon of \$1,098,780 was cut in May making the total number of outstanding shares 119,860. On recent quotations this stock has an aggregate value of \$23,472,250.

These huge indicated profits of Mr. Billings and his friends are made the more interesting by a story which was current at the time the company was organized to the effect that \$318,000 realized from the sale of bonds represented practically the sole cash investment in the business.

Correct Balkan Pronunciation.

The New York Sun says: Little difficulties of pronunciation will be worrying most people as the war goes on and they want to talk about it. A few early hints may be useful. Here is a list which a Slavonic scholar says may be relied on:

Cettinje—Tse-tin-yeh.
Scutari—Skoo-to-ri.
Uskub—Oos-kyub.
Salonica—Sa-lo-nic-a.
Branje—Bra-neyeh.
Tirnov—Teer-no-vo.
Prishtina—Prish-tin-ah.
Podgoritz—Pod-go-ritza.
Mitrovitz—Mit-ro-vitza.
Constantinople in Russian and Bulgarian is Czargrad, which means "Emperor's Town."

Fifty-Two Per Cent. Dividend.

"Dissolution" of the Standard Oil trust has been a great money-making proposition for the security holders, and has made the public pay much more for oil and gasoline. With the dividend just declared, the old parent company, short legally of its one-time subsidiaries, has paid in one year 20 per cent, or just half what it did under the old regime, when all profits distributed passed through its treasury.

All the family companies will have paid dividends for the year footing up \$52,252,000, or nearly 52½ per cent, to compare with the old 40 per cent.

Stadium For Central Park.

If the ideas of James E. Sullivan, secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, are put into effect, a \$5,000,000 athletic stadium will be erected in Central Park, New York. According to the plans the stadium would be of white marble, and almost the exact duplicate of the famous stadium at Athens, Greece. At the present time New York has no large athletic field where games of national, international, or even local importance may be held.

PEACE IN SIGHT AT LAST

FIGHTING IS STOPPED

Commander-In-Chief Negotiating Terms Of Peace

AN ARMED TRUCE IS MAINTAINED

Contending Armies Are Holding Their Respective Positions While General Savoff Representing The Allies Spoils Bone of Contention.

The Balkan war is considered as definitely ordered. Small skirmishes by detachments of troops in remote corners of Turkey might occur, it is thought but no more real battles.

A deadlock between Turkey's and the allies representatives was deemed impossible. They were believed certain to arrive at some sort of a peace agreement.

Condition of Turks Frightful.

Messages from Constantinople said the condition of the Turkish army is frightful. Between losses in battle and the ravages of disease the number of the Sultan's troops has been cut in two since the war began, it was stated. The cholera epidemic terrors are more serious daily.

The sweeping terms which the allies were said to have demanded yesterday as a basis for the armistice appear not to have been advanced, but the plenipotentiaries may not know the levels of the platform until they meet for its discussion, and it is almost certain that it will be on the basis of the Balkan States holding all the conquered country until a permanent treaty of peace is signed.

In the meanwhile the two armies will hold their respective positions. How long this armed truce will be maintained however, will depend on the terms of peace offered by the league of the Balkan nations and on whether the hitherto futile attacks by the Bulgarians on the Tchatalja lines have inspired the Turks with hopes that the fortunes of war may yet turn in their favor.

The Balkan war has been one of the shortest, bloodiest, and most decisive in history.

Arranged on one side were Bulgaria, Serbia, Montenegro and Greece; on the other side Turkey.

Montenegro began hostilities October 4, Bulgaria, Serbia and Greece had invaded Turkey within a week.

The Turks won not a single important engagement unless their defense of Constantinople may be considered one.

Of European Turkey every square foot has fallen into the allies' hands except Constantinople and a 30-mile square patch adjoining it, and the towns of Adrianople and Scutari.

Few figures concerning casualties have been obtainable, but competent authorities estimated them Saturday night as follows:

| | Killed | Wounded |
|------------|--------|---------|
| Turkey | 20,000 | 100,000 |
| Bulgaria | 10,000 | 40,000 |
| Servia | 3,500 | 16,500 |
| Montenegro | 800 | 5,200 |
| Greece | 300 | 2,000 |

Above the cost of maintaining their usual establishments it is estimated that the warring States have spent \$150,000, 000 on the struggle, not counting injury to trade, the destruction of property, or the lost services of the killed and maimed.

Rheumatism Neuralgia Sprains

MISS C. MAHONEY, of 2708 K. St., W. Washington, D. C., writes: "I suffered with Rheumatism for five years and I have just got hold of your Liniment, and it has done me so much good. My knees do not pain and the swelling has gone."

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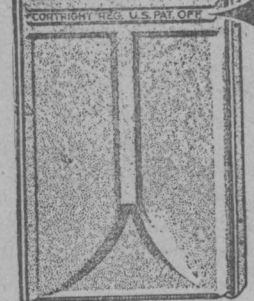
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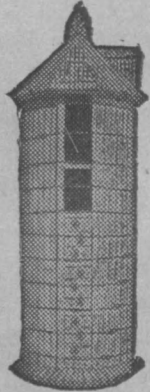
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Friday.

United States Senator Isidor Rayner, of Maryland, who is critically ill at his Washington home, 1320 Eighteenth St. northwest, was weaker, according to a statement issued by his son, Mr. William B. Rayner.

War between China and the Czar was considered a serious possibility. President Yuan Shi Kai opposes it, but messages from Wuchang said that Vice President Li Yuan Hung, who is as strong and influential a man as Yuan, was insisting on war. Backing Li are the provincial governors almost to a man, the army, the cabinet and national assembly.

The Bulgarian cabinet rejected Turkey's plea for an immediate armistice. The Porte was officially notified that the other members of the Balkan League will have to be consulted and that the final negotiations will have to be made by the opposing commanders.

Two girls and five men were rescued from the Horn Silver mine at Frisco, Utah, after 14 hours entombment 300 feet below the surface of the ground.

The taking of testimony began Friday in the suit brought by the federal government against the Prince Line and other steamship companies engaged in the trade between the United States and Brazil.

El Imparcial of Mexico City announced that Woodrow Wilson would appoint John Barrett, now director of the Pan-American Union, ambassador to Mexico to succeed Henry Lane Wilson.

A "gentlemen's agreement" between Russia and the United States in place of the Russian passport and trade treaty, canceled last winter by President Taft, has been temporarily reached.

Tony Janmus, who is attempting to fly from Omaha, Neb., to New Orleans in a hydroaeroplane, following the rivers, landed in Glasgow, Mo., after having covered 80 miles. He also flew from Kansas City to Waverly, 125 miles, in 97 minutes.

The Government has brought suit at New York against J. B. Haggin of that city to recover \$2,512,954, representing the value of 1,395,474 cords of wood alleged to have been cut wrongfully by the Anaconda Company from national lands in Montana, between August, 1884, and January, 1896.

With the death of Cardinal Capece-latro at Capua attention was called at the Vatican to the fact that Cardinal Gibbons is now third in point of seniority among the members of the Sacred College.

Women are becoming the heaviest drinkers of intoxicants in Washington, according to Albert E. Shoemaker, attorney of the Anti-Saloon League, in an address before the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Saturday.

Lieutenant de Mannerfelt, of the Royal Hussars of Sweden, and a member of the last Swedish Olympic team, committed suicide at Tampa, Florida, Saturday. He was the son of Major Mannerfelt, a member of the personal staff of King Oscar. No cause for the suicide is known.

President Yuan Shi Kai of Peking, China, was deluged with telegrams from prominent Chinese demanding war on Russia in defense of outer Mongolia.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the plant of the Vancamp Packing Company, in Indianapolis causing an estimated loss of \$350,000.

The Congressional committee which is visiting the Isthmus to inspect the Panama Canal arrived at Panama on the steamer Cristobal. Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of War, and Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the President are due on Wednesday next.

Poisoned cider slipped through a straw caused the death of Lewis Gussenmeyer, aged 64, of Yorkana, and the serious illness of a number of others. The authorities are investigating the case.

Students flirting with girls who pass the college will hereafter be subject to dismissal from the Medico-Chirurgical Hospital, in Philadelphia, according to an order of the faculty.

The R. T. Crane Company, manufacturers of Iron products, will build a new plant at the intersection of Kedzie and Archer avenues. It will be a consolidation of several plants now in operation in Chicago, and will cost \$10,000,000 and employ 15,000 men.

As a result of being given carbolic acid by mistake, little Philip William Dupree, of Little Rock, Ark., eight months old, is dead and a cousin of his father will inherit a \$4,000,000 estate left to the child. The poison is said to have been given the child by a nurse. A coroner's jury found that it was administered accidentally instead of wine, which had been prescribed by a physician.

Tremendous excitement was caused at Berlin by the publication of a report

that in arranging for European Turkey's partition the Balkan allies have provided concessions to the Triple Entente—England, France and Russia—and left the Triple Alliance—Germany, Austria, and Italy—entirely out of consideration.

Sunday.

Fire destroyed the plant of the Manchester Board and Paper Company at Hull and Canal streets, Richmond, Va. The main factory building with smaller structures and the entire stock of paper boxes and material, was a total loss, estimated at \$75,000, covered by insurance. A fireman and a spectator were slightly injured.

Now that the question of an extra session of Congress has been settled by Governor Wilson's announcement, public men at Washington and elsewhere are again mindful of the fact that another session of the present Congress is yet to be held and that important work may be done by it.

A girdle of wireless around the world—this is the work that the Marconi Company, of London is carrying out with all dispatch, and within a year it will be a commercial possibility to send a wireless message from London to Australia and receive an answer within an hour.

Some time next summer or fall, no exact date being specified, a vessel will pass from the Atlantic to the Pacific across what is now the Isthmus of Panama, which, consequently, must disappear from the world's geography, and by the same human agency the Western Hemisphere will be divided into two continents.

After a quarrel with her fiancé Charlotte F. Westland, a young widow, committed suicide by plunging 150 feet into the East River from the Manhattan Bridge early Sunday.

Catapulted into the air from the tonneau of an automobile and hurled under the trucks of a trolley car with which it collided, Mrs. W. Richard Lyle and her two-year-old daughter, Margaret, were killed in Atlanta, Ga., Sunday afternoon.

Seven persons, including two little girls, were injured when an automobile turned turtle about 12 miles from Camden, N. J., after the driver had fainted at the wheel.

Former United States Senator Joseph M. Terrell, twice Governor of Georgia, died at his home in Atlanta, Ga. He was stricken with paralysis in February 1911, a few months after he had been appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late United States Senator A. S. Clay. His illness made it necessary for him to retire from public life, but his condition did not become critical until a week ago. Senator Terrell was born in Merriweather county, Georgia, in 1861.

Monday.

Independent coal operators at Pottsville, Pa., believe that the first severe cold wave of this winter will cause a big rush for coal which none of the coal companies will be able to supply.

President-elect Wilson and his family arrived in Bermuda shortly before 9 o'clock Monday on the liner Bermudian. The party went directly to the cottage which had been engaged at Salt Kettle, across the bay from Hamilton.

The Chinese army was preparing to proceed north to preserve Mongolia for the Republic. The merchant militia will take the place of the regulars while the latter are away.

In the presence of her six little children Mrs. Frank Ryder, of Rawlins, W., was beheaded by her brother, Melvin Davis, a 21-year-old miner, who was jailed Monday.

Girl students at the Camden High School of Philadelphia, are now prohibited from adorning themselves with more than one bracelet on each arm. This is in accordance with an edict issued by the principal, Miss Clara Burroughs, and violation of the rule will result in the offending miss being sent home for the day. Many of the girls have been wearing three or four bracelets on each arm.

Thousands of Chinese were enrolling themselves at all important cities as volunteers for service against Russia in the event of a war to prevent the Czar from grabbing outer Mongolia.

The first thing that William Zeigler, Jr., the \$30,000,000-boy, did after attaining his majority was to order a steam yacht for a honeymoon trip around the world.

Gen. Nazim, Pasha, Turkish commander-in-chief, officially reported a victory over the Bulgarians to the government. He sent a dispatch saying that the Turks had reached Kavakli, having killed or wounded 1,000 Bulgarians and taken three battalions prisoners.

Trouble has arisen over the recent convention between Russia and Mongolia by which Russia recognizes and guarantees the independence of Mongolia.

Tuesday.

Six persons were killed and nearly a dozen injured in a head-on collision of two Seaboard Air Line fast express trains near Granite, N. C., early Tuesday.

The first direct step toward a suspension of hostilities was taken by the Balkan League. Premier Guechoff, acting for the Bulgarian government, informed the Turkish government that Bulgaria has appointed plenipotentiaries to represent the government in negotiations for an armistice, preparatory to the opening of a peace parley.

A severe earthquake shock, which caused heavy damage, occurred at Mexico City at 7:17 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Three persons lost their lives and more than a score are suffering severe injuries and burns as the result of a \$100,000 fire which destroyed the six-story St. George's Hotel at Los Angeles, Cal. The fire started from crossed wires in a linen closet.

Fire has destroyed the large plant of the American Car Foundry Company at Terre Haute, Ind., with a loss of \$100,000.

The First National Bank Building of Centralia, a theater, a hotel and two dwellings were destroyed by fire early Tuesday, entailing a loss of \$150,000. Many of the hotel guests and occupants of the dwellings fled to the street in their night clothing.

The British cruiser Minotaur was ordered to put to sea and search for the English steamer Lord Curzon, 45 days out from Seattle, which is believed to have been wrecked or to be helpless at sea.

In the biggest raid in the history of the local police 200 women, residents of the red light district of Wheeling, W. Va., were arrested by a squad of officers. That so many women are denizens of the underworld in this city was a surprise to the officers of the various civic association.

E. C. Rosentell, the man arrested in Buffalo in connection with the Josephs murder, was released Tuesday afternoon.

Yeggmen blew open the safe in the Munn Bank at Portage, early Tuesday with five blasts of dynamite and escaped with \$4,000. Armed confederates stood guard outside the bank.

The four young gunmen charged with the assassination of Herman Rosenthal on the morning of July 16 last were found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court Tuesday afternoon. The jury was out just one hour, having retired at 1:35 and returning at 2:35 o'clock. At 2:25 the jury notified the court that it had reached a verdict, but Justice Goff could not be found right away.

Wednesday.

President-elect Wilson is thoroughly enjoying his sojourn at Hamilton Bermuda. He spends much of his time driving and exploring the islands.

Ismael Kemal Bey arrived in Trieste, from Vienna and sailed on the Lloyd steamer Bruenn for Durazzo, with a numerous suite and fine horses. He hopes to reach Durazzo before the Servians, and will have himself proclaimed King of Albania. He is convinced all the Powers will support him if he succeeds in nominating a provisional Government before the Servians' arrival.

Prof. George T. Dippold, former instructor in Johns Hopkins and Harvard Universities and for the last 18 years a professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, died in Chicago at the home of his brother-in-law of arterial poisoning. Professor Dippold was born and educated in Germany.

Ten thousand sovereigns have been stolen from a consignment of 200,000 shipped to Alexandria November 12. When the boxes were opened on arrival two were found to be filled with lead.

The Bulgarian troops operating before the line of fortifications defending Constantinople at Tchatalja have received orders to cease fighting and merely to hold the positions they have won, as negotiations have been begun for the conclusion of an armistice at the request of Turkey.

Heavy gun firing was audible at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the direction of Biyuk Chekmedye, at the Sea of Marmora end of the Tchatalja fortifications. It is believed that a Turkish warship was firing at the Bulgarians.

Thursday.

Though Herbert S. Hockin, secretary-treasurer of the Ironworkers at Indianapolis and accused "captain of the dynamite squad," insists he will take the stand in his own behalf in the dynamite conspiracy trial, it was said Thursday that the defense was inclined not to permit him to go. Hockin, as usual, distributed the mail and messages among the defendants in the courtroom.

The sudden halting of the Federal grand jury investigation to determine whether the 25-year agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway and New Haven system was a combination in restraint of trade and designed to stifle competition remained without explanation in New York.

Peace negotiations between General Savoff and Nazim Pasha, commander-in-

chief, respectively, of the Bulgarian Turkish armies, began at the village of Hademkeui, within the Tchatalja defenses and about 18 miles outside Constantinople.

From the north, east, south and west suffragists, both men and women, flocked to Philadelphia to attend the forty-fourth annual convention of the National American Women Suffrage Association.

Government dispatches, delayed by broken wires, indicate that the loss of life in Tuesday's earthquake at Mexico City was heavy. At least 100 persons were killed at Acamby.

The Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington began an investigation into the rates and practices of express companies relating to the transportation of bread and bakery products. The probe was called forth by complaints that no specific rates are in force on these products nor for the return of empty containers.

"Sam" Schepps of New York was the first of the State's "material witnesses in the prosecutions growing out of the Rosenthal murder to be granted his liberty.

ORDERS FOR TRANSFERS OF

1,200 OFFICERS OF THE ARMY

Largest Military Shake Up Ever Issued By War Department.—Enacted At The Last Session of Congress.

Orders for the transfer of nearly 1,200 officers of the army have been prepared at the War Department, and their issuance to the service started. This inaugurates the greatest shakeup ever known in the history of the United States military service, especially as all changes of posts of the officers concerned must have been accomplished by December 15 next.

The general shifting which is causing hundreds of officers to pack their grips is due to legislation enacted at the last session of Congress. A drastic provision was inserted in the army appropriation bill requiring that all officers who had not spent at least two years out of the last six on duty with troops, must be with their regiments not later than December 15. After careful scrutiny of this provision, it was found that the law included as detached service such duties as military attaches, regimental staff officers, students at the service schools, instructors at West Point, and the service schools, and officers attending foreign military schools, officers on duty with militia in the various States, and serving at educational institutions. With this interpretation of the law, 585 officers were found who had to be transferred in order that the Secretary of War might comply with the law. To take their places, 585 more had to be moved, making a total of 1,170 officers affected by the upheaval. The estimated cost of this quick shift is from \$50,000 to \$100,000 for traveling expenses alone. In addition, it is felt that the forced shifting will work harm, especially at the schools, where the plans for the year's work have been seriously interfered with.

ODDS AND ENDS

The Dover (England) harbor board's flotilla of tugs have been fitted with wireless telegraphy installations, with a range of 100 miles.

In southern Spain there is a movement to eliminate the commission brokers by dealing directly with the owners of vineyards.

There are 287 gas lighted buoys located on the waters of the United States.

Newfoundland's total catch of cod-fish last year was worth over \$7,000,000.

Intensive cultivation has doubled the size of sweet peas within a decade.

Of the total capital stock outstanding against railroads of the country, \$2,740,467,285, or 32.36 per cent., paid no dividends in 1911.

An English lecturer on food referred to a widow in London who lived with her three children on 54 cents a week.

France last year imported coal valued at \$16,250,000. This is the largest coal importing country.

Last year the Russian forest revenues exceeded \$42,522,000.

The first legal autopsy was performed in China a few months ago.

The Italian city of Leghorn, the present population of which is about 100,000 at last has an ample supply of good water.

Leaders of thought in Britain are saying that hope for relief from labor difficulties lies not in settling disputes, but in preventive measures.

The fish Paratilapia multicolor hatches her eggs in pockets in her mouth.

The Smallest Dynamo Ever Built.

The smallest dynamo ever built was exhibited a few weeks ago before the French Academy of Sciences. It is half an inch high and weighs one-fifth of an ounce. It is a complete machine and runs perfectly. The electric current it produces is about two amperes, at a voltage of something over two volts.

The Latest Discovery.

Secretary—A tribe of white Eskimo has just been discovered.

Candidate—Give out a statement saying I favor suffrage for them, and that some of my ancestors belonged to them.

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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 Lingansville Hills and the Catoclin 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.*

A GALA NIGHT IN TOWN.

Many say that Emmitsburg never had a bigger crowd than the one which congregated here on Tuesday night. One thing is certain—Emmitsburg never held an assemblage more jolly and at the same time more orderly.

One of the pleasantest features of the occasion was the thorough good feeling shown and the co-operative spirit manifested by Emmitsburg's citizens.

Although the event was in celebration of a Democratic victory, party lines seemed to be obliterated and everybody joined in to make the Carnival a town affair.

The "Welcome" sign was out, the greeting of host and hostess was evidenced by a gracious smile, and all who came were made to feel that by their presence they were paying a compliment to Emmitsburg and its cordial, friendly people.

That the celebration was a success none can gainsay. It was a big affair; the floats were beautiful, and the various features distinctive and to the point. Nor was there—as is unfortunately so often the case—anything in the parade designed to give offense. Innocent, good natured railery was the theme, and the good natured spirit in which it was received bears out the statement.

In no better way can a town keep its name on the map than by showing its progressive spirit in this holiday manner, and surely no town in Frederick county has come to the front more liberally in this respect than has the good old town of Emmitsburg.

THANKSGIVING.

"What have I to be thankful for?" This question may be asked and should be asked by each individual next Thursday, the day set apart for general thanksgiving. Sometimes, it is only by self-inquiry that we begin to appreciate for how much we really have to be thankful.

Have we health? This is by long odds one of the greatest boons in life. A person in good health is surely under a deep obligation to his Maker. What an advantage he has! How much he can accomplish! Many a man with millions and bad health would gladly exchange his gold for a sound body and the opportunity for hard work. At this very moment hundreds of mortals linked to disease would give their last farthing for even a respite and a hope.

What of friends and mental faculties unimpaired? True friendship cannot be bought and no amount of money can compensate one for the loss of reason or for the decay of one's intellect. Are you normal? Have you reason? Have you counsel and sympathy of even one true friend? Thankful should you be if you have.

If opportunity and hope are yours; if health is yours and your faculties are normal, you are a king among men. Yet with all these blessings there goes an obligation of thankfulness to Him who gave them.

For national peace, for rich harvests, for business prosperity, for personal freedom, good laws and unbounded opportunity, this country should give thanks to God, and we, each and every one of us should embrace the privilege of acknowledging our debt of gratitude to Him. Ingrates will be if we fail to accept this privilege which is also a duty.

"UNCLE SAM'S BLUEJACKETS AND 'SEA SOLDIERS' ARE ORDERED TO WEAR PAJAMAS."

From the "Big Noise" of the Navy—(shades of Jones' Locker, "Davy")—comes an order that all "jackies" must obey. On dry land or on the ocean, nevertheless can his pet notion individual or otherwise have sway. Every bos'on, every sailor, (makes no difference who's his tailor) must conform to rigid rule when falls the night. When he crawls into his bunk, feeling fine or feeling "punk," he must don apparel that's considered right. Time and thought and many shekels—(tariff wrung from firms like Sprekels) have been spent to bring this great reform around. And about it naught's alarming, the whole scheme is simply charming, and with common sense and taste it does abound. This great innovation means that amid whatever scenes Uncle Sam's good sailor finds that he is led. E'en if in the great Bahamas he must put on white pajamas ere he in his hammock dares to lay his head.

SINGULAR, isn't it, that the first ones to stand under the political plum tree with a basket are those who have done the

least toward aiding that very tree to live and grow and bear fruit?

THE "Bathtub Trust" has finally been dissolved, but there is no evidence at hand to prove that any conscience-cleaning process has been adopted by those composing the erstwhile combine.

THE Baltimore American asks: "What has become of Armageddon?" Just deserted for a time while he who stood there—as some one said of him in another connection—is Outlooking backward.

As soon as you order your Thanksgiving turkey begin to make out your Christmas list.

Editorials From Maryland Exchanges.

Reporting Disease.

While the danger from the spread of disease is reduced in rural districts, it is nevertheless urgent that every case of a contagious disease whenever it occurs, should be promptly reported to the health authorities. It is often carelessness and indifference in such matters which lead to a serious outbreak of disease in smaller communities, and it is important that every person, physician or layman, should not only respect the law, which is plain on this subject, but should feel it his bounden duty to make a report of every contagious disease of which he has knowledge. When once this is done, the proper authorities are in a position to understand what dangers there are; while, with no such report, the health of a whole district may be endangered. We do not live apart whether our homes are in a town or in the country. The health and happiness of many others may be jeopardized by indifference and carelessness in not safeguarding neighbors and friends by the proper precautions. In matters of health too much care cannot be exercised.—*Frederick Daily News.*

Real Economy in The House.

An official summary of the amounts of money appropriated by the last Congress has been compiled and given out by the clerks of the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations.

The statement shows that the first Democratic Congress made a good start in checking the extravagant growth of appropriations, which under Republican rule had leaped from \$479,932,000 to \$1,027,901,629 in 14 years.

The grand total for the last Congress was \$1,019,412,710.91, which represents a reduction of \$7,270,170.81, compared with the last preceding Republican Congress. The last Democratic Congress spent just \$479,000,000.

Under Republican rule for 14 years appropriations have increased \$600,000,000 or 133 per cent. While the 1912 reduction is not a large one compared with the total amount of appropriations, it clearly shows the Democratic tendency to redeem the party pledge to economize.

Excluding the increase of \$12,500,000 made under the new pension law, the Democratic pruning knife chopped off nearly \$20,000,000 from the figures of the preceding Congress. Estimates by the departments were reduced \$21,000,000.

The Democratic House, in order to at least get a start toward economy in governmental expenditures, had a hard tussle with the Republican Senate, which added \$66,223,000 to the House figures, but Chairman Fitzgerald of the House Committee held out in conference for the application of the pruning knife and made the upper chamber yield.

It is the determination of the House Democrats in the next Congress to extend the economy program and an effort will be made to reduce the amounts below the billion-dollar mark.

The appropriations are distributed as follows among the governmental departments:

Agriculture \$16,651,496.00, Army \$90,958,712.98, Diplomatic and consular \$3,638,017.41, District of Columbia \$10,670,733.00, Fortification \$4,036,235.00, Indian \$8,920,970.66, Legislative, executive and judicial \$34,216,463.38, Military Academy \$1,064,668.26, Navy \$123,225,007.76, Pension \$165,146,145.84, Postoffice \$271,429,599.00, River and harbor \$31,059,370.50, Sundry civil \$112,039,184.40, Deficiency appropriations \$9,700,939.67, Miscellaneous appropriations \$3,448,712.93, Permanent appropriations \$133,206,424.12. Total \$1,019,412,710.91.

These figures show that the army bill was reduced \$2,416,042.29, the naval bill \$3,253,330.48, the District of Columbia bill \$1,386,053.50, the fortification bill \$1,437,472, the legislative, executive and judicial bill \$1,161,686.47, and the sundry civil bill \$30,225,859.74.

Increases were made in the postal service bill of \$12,295,136, in the river

and harbor bill of \$7,204,028.50, and the pension bill of \$11,464,145.84.—*Rockville Sentinel.*

Not a "Hair Trigger" Politician.

The very weakness of Gov. Wilson before the election, is making him strong after it; at least, all classes and parties will give him respectful attention, and will be glad to cheer all of his efforts to make a wise and broad-minded ruler of the destinies of the country, so far as they are placed in his hands. The shouters and political enthusiasts admire a practical politician—which Gov. Wilson is not—but the thoughtful and business classes prefer the deliberate statesman, which he does seem to be.

What the country does not want, as a whole, is "one man rule." This country is not Russia, nor Mexico; and while the American people came near giving their first positive exhibition of "losing their head," they have been saved from what we think would have been an unhappy experience; and after all the hubbub we have passed through has finally subsided, we think it would be a difficult matter for circumstances to so centre themselves as to produce in the future another like exhibition.

There is no existing good reason why the precedent against the third term should be ever broken in this country. There is also no sane reason why President Taft, and men like him, should ever be accorded the positive contempt of any considerable number of honest, levelheaded voters; nor is it ever wise for our people to be misled and swayed by trifles to the extent of seriously trying the strength of our form of government.

Government has already stated in a brief but plainly understood form of speech, that he is no "hair trigger" type of politician. His statement is both a rebuke and a warning. By it, we understand that he does not mean to be either an impatient reformer, nor one with such personally fixed opinions that he feels that he "knows it all" and needs no advisers.

Whether after March 4 he will be able to steer clear of the harsh criticism which has, for the past four years, been heaped on President Taft—as we think largely without justification—and whether he will be able to satisfy the elements in his party likely to become almost as discordant as those in the Republican party; are at present unknown problems; but the whole country, irrespective of party, feels that he is an honorable, high-toned, intellectual and well meaning gentleman and public sentiment will be slow to condemn him.

Reasons for an Extra Session.

The reasons why an extra session of Congress should be called to dispose of the tariff are easily stated. If there be no such session called by President Wilson when he takes his seat in March, the country will be kept in more or less uncertainty for nearly two years, and that obviously enough is not a thing to be desired. The members of the present Congress might indeed render action of the kind in question unnecessary were they to re-pass the bills which President Taft vetoed, upon intimation being received from the White House that no further opposition would be offered to them.

The result would be undoubtedly a great relief, but we anticipate no such acquiescence in the decision of the people by Mr. Taft. The men who have most influence over him are evidently bent upon maintaining an attitude of uncompromising obstruction, despite the evidence furnished by the election of the desire of the country. With Taft still at the helm and call of the standpaters, it is clear that the choice of the new Administration must lie between an extra session, and a delay which cannot be other than a hindrance to the recovery of general prosperity. If the new Congress does not come together until the law requires it to assemble in December of next year, it will have so many other things to attend to in its first session that it will be quite at variance with experience if any revision of the tariff is effected, as already said, before the summer of 1914.

This is a fact which must be taken into account by Democrats who doubt the expediency of the special session movement. It does not seem to The Argus that there can be much ground for hesitancy in view of this state of affairs. Moreover, it is almost as inexpedient from a party point of view, as from that of business interests involved to adopt a course which would make the Congressional elections of 1914 turn upon a tariff bill so recently passed as to be subject to easy misrepresentation by the opposition party or parties. Good party policy requires that a year at least should be interposed between the passage of a tariff bill and the taking of the public judgment upon it, for it is a matter of experience that the first effect of such legislation, however wise in itself, is always more productive of resentment than of satisfaction.

The interests, in other words, which may have felt the edge of the pruning knife are always more in evidence for a time, than the public interests which have been promoted. But apart from the party consideration, the general business conditions of the country forbid any unnecessary delay, and this the more so when the policy of the party in power is well defined as it is in the present instance.—*Catoonsville Argus.*

CURRENT COMMENT FROM LEADING JOURNALS.

An Extra Session in April.

The chief reasons, the convincing reasons, for summoning Congress to begin at the earliest moment the revision of the tariff are concisely stated by Mr. Wilson. He thinks that "the pledges of the party ought to be redeemed as promptly as possible," and he knows "it to be in the interest of business that all uncertainty as to what the particular items of tariff revision are to be should be removed as soon as possible." That is the whole case. It would be superfluous to adduce other reasons when these two are sufficient. They are indeed, compelling. We observe that our neighbor The Tribune is of the opinion that "the sooner the uncertainty as to schedules is ended the better" since it "would be irksome and injurious, and agitation would be sure to continue."

According to Mr. Wilson's present intention, Congress will be called together not later than April 15. The chief business of the session, possibly the only business, will be the reduction of tariff duties. An approximate measure of the reductions the Democrats will make or attempt to make is to be found in the bills that have been passed revising the duties of the wool, cotton, and metals schedules in the present Congress. There has been no change in industrial, economic, or political conditions to warrant a belief that the new schedules will be materially higher or lower than those reported by Chairman Underwood, passed by the Senate, and afterward vetoed by the President.

The Democratic leaders in the House will have to reckon with opposition in their own ranks. That was to be expected. It is amusing to read that six of the Democratic Congressmen elected in Massachusetts have reached an agreement to "stand pat" against the reduction or removal of the 10 per cent. duty on boots and shoes. We find it difficult to believe that the Brockton manufacturers of footwear are apprehensive that the country would be flooded with the foreign product if that duty should be taken off. It would take a much more effective inducement than that to persuade the American people to wear the boots and shoes made in England, France or Germany. But these Massachusetts Democrats will not be alone in their opposition to downward revision. It has been said a thousand times since 1880, and is now generally conceded that Gen. Hancock was right when he said that the tariff was a local issue. The Massachusetts men stand up for the boot and shoe duties; the Louisiana Democrats will rally around the cane-sugar duties, those of Michigan, Nebraska, Kansas, and Colorado will resist tariff changes that would threaten the beet-sugar industry. Revision of the cotton goods schedule will find opponents among the members of Congress from South Carolina and Georgia. Alabama will watch with jealous eye the process of revising the steel and iron duties. Any tariff prophet of downward revision who took full account of the local interests in the various States, and of the probable action of the defenders of those interests in the Democratic House, might reach the conclusion that there would be no revision at all.

But there is a broader and a controlling consideration. The demand of the country, clearly manifested, and the pledges of the party cannot be overlooked. Democrats who oppose the revising process will have to explain to their constituents in great detail the motives of their conduct. Much water has run under the bridges since the attempt of the Democrats to revise the tariff in 1894 was thwarted in some schedules by the "Senators from Haverly." The country understands the tariff question better, its temper is different. Democrats in the House or Senate who should be so rash as to attempt a policy of obstruction would find themselves involved in a good deal of trouble with their constituents.—*New York Times.*

Noble Prize in Surgery.

The work of Dr. Carrel, this year's Noble prize winner in medicine and surgery, is discussed in the Lancet. He is recognized as having worthily followed in the path which the achievements of Lister opened to the world, and as having accomplished that which already bestowed benefit upon the human race and which will continue to bestow more. Much of his work is, of course, too technical for lay understanding.

His first important demonstrations were in the surgery of the vascular system. It had been supposed to be impossible to sew or otherwise to join the ends of a severed artery, or even to close, with a suture, a cut or puncture in the side of one, except by exposing a ligament. Less than ten years ago it was argued before surgical societies, that any attempt to sew together the cut ends of a blood vessel was doomed to failure. Dr. Carrel has successfully demonstrated the practicability of the operation, the requisite conditions being perfect asepsis and skillful, delicate technique. From that he proceeded to demonstrate the practicability of replacing an injured or lost section of an artery or vein with a piece of another vessel, and this remarkable operation is now recognized in practice.

The practicability of thus transplanting portions of the vascular system suggested to him the possibility of performing the same marvelous process with other organs, and his experiments in that direction met with gratifying success. Several of the vital organs, especially the kidneys, have been transplanted from one animal to another of the same species, and they have performed their natural functions as perfectly as though they had always belonged there. It has been shown also that a section of a blood vessel may be removed from one animal, be kept for some days or even weeks in cold storage and then be successfully implanted in another animal, even in one of another species and in another part of the circulatory system. Where these operations were performed on human subjects a success equal to that in the case of animals has been attained. The possibilities of such practice are great indeed, and they proclaim discoverer their a benefactor to the race.—*Washington Herald.*

The Law's Revenge.

The most cruel and indefensible crime committed within a decade by backwoodsmen suffering from the exaggerated ego was the killing of Judge Thornton L. Massie and others at Hillsville last March. The tragedy occurred in a remote and primitive Virginia county. The murderers took to the woods in a section in which the roads are bad at all times, but at their worst in March, with a good start and local sympathy in their favor the members of the "Allen gang" felt that they had a fair chance to elude their pursuers. But little more than a half year has passed and a decision of the Supreme Court of Virginia confirming the death sentences of Claude Swanson Allen and Floyd Allen has been handed down. That settles these two cases. Sida Allen was recently captured after a long chase.

Of course, the Governor of Virginia will not interfere, and the Allens who have been convicted and such others as may be convicted and fail to get new trials will be electrocuted in the reasonably near future.

The Hillsville killings were spoken of at the time as a "disgrace to Virginia." No outlaw, or gang of outlaws, has the power to disgrace a State or to reflect in any way upon the success of the existing social organization. The disgrace of a State lies not in an outburst of savagery upon the part of undisciplined citizens, but in the State's failure—if there is a failure—to prove the usefulness of the law by enforcing it rigidly. Civilization cannot always civilize every unit in the entire population, but it civilizes the majority, so that if government governs and the law punishes lawlessness, it succeeds, and its vindication is beyond cavil.

The State of Virginia enjoys undiminished dignity. The law will be of newly proven value when the first of the Allen gang takes his seat in the electric chair. The Allens were puffed up with their view of their importance in their community, and their ability to "do as they damn pleased," to use the phraseology of a late Kentucky feudist. Assuredly the Old Dominion has read their kind a lesson. The only regret is that when the law has had its revenge and several rather useless lives have been brought to an end there will remain Virginia's bereavement. The loss of a public servant of Judge Massie's type—a man who declined to violate the law by carrying weapons when he was told that he was in danger—is not a loss easily forgotten.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

Jailing Joy Riders.

"Owners of automobiles, and the trade especially, and the public in general will feel a glow of gratitude over the fact that the law is at last imposing a heavy hand on persons who take joy rides in motor cars without permission of the owners," the Philadelphia Press comments upon the fact that three men in that city have lately been sent up for ninety days to reflect on the "delights of their stolen pleasures."

Two of these fellows belong to a party who played a good joke on the owner and chauffeur of a car. They summoned the car by a false telephone message. When the chauffeur left the machine to investigate the call, the party took possession of it and started off recklessly. Two of these joy riders were arrested, and will now do penance behind the bars. The third joy rider who is reflecting in prison was a chauffeur who took out his employer's automobile without permission. He damaged the car recklessly, and then he was brought to time.

Automobilists have suffered much for the sins of the speed fiend and the joy rider. They constitute only a small per cent of the motorists, but their fault is laid at the door of all. Most of the serious accidents are attributable to the speed maniac and the joy rider. The latter usually borrow machines without the knowledge of the owners. In New York and some other States this "borrowing" is a serious crime, punishable as a felony. Punishment from one to five years imprisonment has been inflicted in some cases.

Jail sentences give joy riders time for reflection. Also, they give those who are tempted to take joy rides something to think about before they yield to temptation.—*Richmond Times Dispatch.*

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MONSTER WHALES.

A Dozen Men Might Stand Upright In
the Blue's Big Mouth.

Specimens of the blue or sulphur
bottom whale weighing seventy-five
tons and measuring eighty-seven feet
have been known. The mouth is suffi-
ciently large to permit ten or twelve
men to stand upright in it, but the
throat measures only about nine
inches in diameter.

The "finback," closely related to the
blue whale, has been called the "grey-
hound of the sea," for its long, slender
body is built on the lines of a racing
yacht, and the animal can equal the
speed of the fastest steamship.

The "humpback" is the most inter-
esting of our large whales, because of
the fact that its habits are more easily
studied than are those of other mem-
bers of the family.

But most extraordinary of all is the
square nosed sperm whale. Instead
of having plates of baleen, this whale
carries a row of twenty to twenty-five
heavy teeth on each side of the lower
jaw. These fit into sockets in the roof
of the mouth and assist in holding the
giant squid and cuttlefish on which
the enormous animal feeds. The squid
seldom gets away from the warm cur-
rents; hence the sperm usually re-
mains in the tropics and in the gulf of
Japan streams.—London Family Her-
ald.

VALUE OF A PASSPORT.

The Odd Experience of a Stranded
Tourist in Paris.

"Until you go broke in a foreign
country you never can realize just
what a useful thing a passport is,"
said the returned traveler. "It not
only enables you to get into a country;
it also helps you to get out, sometimes
in a most unexpected way. Every-
body abroad thinks well of a pass-
port, but nobody sets quite so high a
value on it as a pawnbroker.

"Owing to a delayed remittance I
had occasion to visit one of those men
in Paris. The article I offered for se-
curity was worth many times the loan
requested, but he refused an advance
on account of unsatisfactory refer-
ences. My temporary address in Paris
and my permanent address in Wash-
ington were not sufficient guarantee of
my honesty.

"Just as the case assumed a desper-
ate complexion the broker suggested
a solution of the difficulty.

"Have you a passport?" he asked.

"I had, at the hotel.

"Fetch it," he said. "If that looks
all right, I'll let you have the money."

"Up to that time my passport had
been a useless piece of luggage; then I
blessed the foresight that had bidden
me secure it."—Washington Star.

His Conquest.

He was a simon pure, edition de
luxe lady killer. The girl in the seat
opposite him was easy to look at.
Further, she looked demure and shy
and impressionable. It wasn't long
before he had things going right—he
thought. He had raised the window
for her and readjusted the blind; he
had fished her bag from under the
seat, where the porter had shoved it;
he had placed her pillow in a better
position for her; he had handed her a
magazine; he had looked after her
comfort in every way he possibly
could, and she had been very sweet
about it besides. He thought he was
coming along splendidly. She started
to get off the train before he expected
her to leave, but he carried her lug-
gage to the platform for her. Then
she turned and handed him a nickel
with a sweet smile and the remark.
"I think it is so nice of the railway
company to furnish an assistant por-
ter."—Argonaut.

How the Katydid Sings.

Everybody is familiar with the rasp-
ing notes known as the katydid's
"song." It is the male only that is ca-
pable of emitting the well known
sounds, and he does it in a most pec-
uliar manner. His "vocal organs" are
at the base of his wings and consist of
two flat excrescences of thin, dry mem-
brane. It is the rubbing of these two
membranous plates together which pro-
duces the "song." If your shoulder
blades were so loosely put together
that one could be slipped under the
other and the underside of one and the
upper side of the other were so
rough that the operation of slipping
them past each other would cause a
rasping sound you could imitate the
katydid's musical efforts very nicely.

Setting Her Right.

A newly married woman made a plea
for dinner. "I am afraid," the bride
said, "that I left something out, and
that it's not very good."

The husband tried it and said:
"There is nothing you could leave out
that would make a pie taste like that.
It's something you've put in."—Argo-
naut.

Matthew Arnold.

"Matthew Arnold had a curious way
of telling little stories against him-
self," writes Sir H. W. Lucy in the
Cornhill.

"Talking about Mrs. Arnold, he said:
"Ah, you should know my wife!
She has all my charm of manner and
none of my conceit."—

Badly Smitten.

"I wish there were ten days in the
week," sighed Gladys.
"Why?" asked Grace.
"Jack could call oftener then."—Lon-
don Answers.

When our hatred is too bitter it
places us below those whom we hate.—
La Rochefoucauld.

ROLLING GOLD PIECES

By TERENCE J. O'TOOLE

"Mike, ye poor divil, why don't ye go
to Ameriky?"

The words were spoken by a country
squire in Tipperary county, Ireland, to
Mike Doolan, one of his poorest ten-
ants.

"What would I go there for?" in-
quired Mike.

"Why, man, don't ye know that in
that country the gold pieces are
rollin' around everywhere?"

Mike scratched his head. "Well,"
he said presently, "if that's so I'll go.
Lind me the money for the voyage
and as soon as I get to Ameriky I'll
pick up enough gold pieces rollin'
around to sink back the loan."

The squire laughed.

"Mike," he said more seriously, "all
as smart a man as you needs is a
chance. I'll pay the passage of ye and
Bridget and the kids, and ye needn't
send it back at all."

Mike accepted the offer and went to
America. The squire heard nothing
from him and had forgotten him when
one morning while sitting at his desk
writing he looked up and saw a man
dressed in a fur coat and with a soli-
taire diamond stickpin in his scarf
standing looking down on him.

"What can I do for you, sir?" asked
the squire.

"Nothing. You done it long ago."

He pulled a wallet from his pocket,
counted out a number of gold pieces
and laid them on the desk.

"What's that?" asked the squire.

"Didn't ye lind it to me to take me
to Ameriky? And didn't ye tell me
I'd find gold pieces rollin' around
there? Well, I did. I kem back to
return the loan."

"You don't mean to say that you're
Mike Doolan?"

"I do."

"And found gold pieces rolling around
in Ameriky?"

"I did that same."

"Tut, Mike, ye're funnin'. Sit down
and tell me how ye got rich."

Mike took a chair and told his story.

"Ye remember, sir, that me trade
was a mason. Well, as soon as I got
to Ameriky I got a job and went to
work. I didn't see any gold pieces roll-
in' around, but I thought me time for
that hadn't come yet. I found a shanty
on a road near a city and used to go
in every day to work.

"Well, one evenin' I was walkin'
home covered with mortar whin a rag-
ged, dirty lookin' filly stopped me and
says, says he:

"'Are ye a mason?"

"Faith I am," says I.

"If ye'll let me blindfold ye I'll give
ye a job."

"For how much pay?"

"Somethin' more valuable than
money."

"Go on."

"He blindfolded me and led me along
for awhile. I counted my steps. Thin
he turned me to the right and went on.
I beginnin' to count me steps ag'in.
Then he led to the right, I still count-
in' till he stopped, and turned me
round and round and took me into a
house and down into the cellar. He
showed me a little room about 6 by
9, with no door to it. All there was
in it was a coffin shaped box. Brick
and mortar was handy, and the seedy
man tould me to wall up the openin'.
I done it and put one o' the bricks—the
fifth from the floor on me left—a little
further in than the rest, so I'd know
it again.

"When finished the seedy man blind-
folded me again and took me around
and, leaving me, says:

"Stand till ye hear a shot, then take
off the bandage and ye'll find the pay
for the job at your feet."

"When I hears the shot I took off the
bandage, and there at me feet was me
pay shure enough. It was a paper
with writin' on it: 'Only a fool
works for nothin'.'

"I went home and wrote down the
figures of me steps, and of a Sunda
I blindfolded meself and wint over
the ground, countin' me steps. I
found a house standin' above with no
body in it, and in the cellar I knowed
me job by the brick out of place. Me
curiosity bein' satisfied, I thought no
more about it, but long after, when
me lease expired, I remembered this
house and rented it.

"Like a fool, I tould Bridget that
there was a corpse in the cellar, and
she wouldn't let me rest till I'd pulled
down the brick wall I'd put up and
taken the coffin out. While we was
carryin' it somethin' dropped on the
cellar floor.

"Mike," says Bridget, 'look at the
yellow boys rollin' on the floor.'

"Shure, me toime's come," I says.

"The squire was right. The coffin was
full of 'em."

"I hunted for the man that had
beaten me out of the pay for me job
and found that he was a miser. I con-
cluded to take me pay out of the box
and give him the rent when he come
home. I bought all the property round
about, and they built a railroad through
it, and I'm rich."

The squire sat with eyes and mouth
wide open till Mike had finished, then
burst into a laugh.

"But suppose the miser returns?" he
suggested.

"What do I care? The gold I found
in the coffin is nothin' to what I made
speculatin' But I reckon he's dead, or
he wouldn't leave his money so long.
Like enough he put it in there to be
gone on a journey, and I don't think
he'll come back."

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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 not course understood that anonymous contributions will not be published. Names of persons furnishing items will be withheld.

Miss Columbia Winter has returned home from a visit to Mrs. S. A. Winter, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Ehrhart, is visiting in Williamsport.

Mrs. Horner returned from Baltimore Saturday evening.

Mr. Robert Horner was here on Saturday.

Mr. Curtis Flohr, of Fountaindale, and Mr. Meade Bell, of Zora, were in Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

Miss Valerie Welty is visiting in Hagerstown.

Mrs. E. C. W. Schubel has returned from a two weeks visit to Washington.

Miss Marion Cotilus spent Saturday in Baltimore.

Mr. Maurice Stansbury, of Gettysburg, was here on Tuesday.

Mr. John R. Lagarde, of Annetstown, Ala., was here this week.

Colonel E. Austin Baughman, of Frederick, was in Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

Dr. Granville, President of Gettysburg College, was in Emmitsburg, on Tuesday.

Mr. Huber, of Gettysburg, was in town on Tuesday.

Misses Ruth and Rhoda Gillelan are visiting in Baltimore.

Miss E. Jordan spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

Mrs. W. White was in Emmitsburg on Wednesday.

Misses Carrie and Eva Rowe, Mary Shuff and Madeline Frailey were in Baltimore on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoke and Mrs. Sallie Rowe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kreis, of Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed Scott, of Gettysburg, spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slemmer, of Norristown, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker.

Mr. Mimins, of Baltimore, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew A. Annan and Miss Lullia Annan have returned from a few week's stay in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac M. Annan, who spent several weeks in Atlantic City, have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ziegler and two children and Miss Katie Stevens, of Frederick, returned to their home Sunday.

Misses Gertrude and Sarah Lawrence, Rosella Burdner, Jeanette Topper and Fannie Hoke, and Messrs. George Mentzer, Robert Burdner and Joseph Elder attended the dance in Xavier Hall, Gettysburg, on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Harry J. Rowe is spending a week with her sisters, Mrs. Eugene Spalding and Mrs. Charles Eckenrode, at Littlestown.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Harbaugh, Miss Ruth Harbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Mentzer and Mr. John Troxell visited in Waynesboro on Sunday.

The following out of town guests were in town on Tuesday evening: Mr. Robert Creeger, of Thurmont, Mrs. Mahlon Brown, of Taneytown, Mrs. Grace Eckert, of Zora, Mrs. Emma Biggs of Rocky Bidge, Mrs. J. Horner and Mrs. S. Horner, Mr. and Mrs. W. Maxell and Mr. Roy Maxell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slemmer, of Norristown, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, of Bridgeport, Mrs. Herbert Kooztz, Mrs. Harry Wagaman, Mrs. J. Wagaman, Mrs. J. Warthen, Dr. and Mrs. Sefton, and Mrs. Firor, of Thurmont, Mr. and Mrs. F. Topper, Mr. and Mrs. William Troxell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. P. Eyler.

Skin From Dog is Grafted on Woman.

Announcement was made at a South side hospital, Chicago, of the successful outcome of a case of skin grafting in which a large piece of the skin of a skye terrier was placed over a wound on the arm of Mrs. H. W. Johnson, of Menominee, Wisconsin.

The operation, said to be the first of its kind ever performed, took place about 10 days ago and on Wednesday Mrs. Johnson returned to her home, taking with her the dog, which had contributed to her convalescence.

Allens to Electric Chair.

Finding no merit in the appeals of Floyd Allen and Charles Swanson Allen from the judgment of the Circuit Court of Wythe County, the Supreme Court of Appeals, Va., denied them a writ of error. They must die in the electric chair for the murder of William M. Foster, late attorney for the Commonwealth in Carroll County.

No ship is allowed to pass through the Suez Canal without a searchlight of a particular type. If the vessel has not one of her own she must borrow one.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Readings from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, November 22, 1912.

| | 8 A. M. | 12 M. | 4 P. M. |
|-----------|---------|-------|---------|
| Friday | — | 48 | 46 |
| Saturday | 40 | 46 | — |
| Monday | 42 | 44 | 46 |
| Tuesday | 36 | 50 | 54 |
| Wednesday | 52 | 62 | 60 |
| Thursday | 40 | 64 | 52 |
| Friday | 57 | — | — |

Readings from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, Nov. 24, 1911.

| | 8 A. M. | 12 M. | 4 P. M. |
|-----------|---------|-------|---------|
| Friday | — | 44 | 48 |
| Saturday | 53 | 49 | 50 |
| Monday | 38 | 49 | 55 |
| Tuesday | 39 | 42 | 41 |
| Wednesday | 33 | 41 | 44 |
| Thursday | 30 | 44 | 48 |
| Friday | 46 | — | — |

Prof. John Glass on his way to Harney University fell just beyond Mrs. C. Welty's barn on the Gettysburg road and from there to Mr. George Shorb, the road has been strewn with glass large enough to cut automobile tires and horses feet.

Mr. John Adelsberger brought to the Chronicle Office this week several ears of corn from the farm of Mr. George Warner. The corn is perfectly filled and is known as the "Warner's Pride."

The recently remodeled house of Mr. A. M. Patterson is being repainted.

A large touring car driven by a young boy who lost control of it ran into Dr. B. I. Jamison's residence knocking out a window pane and several bricks.

Mr. E. L. Higbee is having his residence on West Main street repainted.

On Saturday morning a party of motorists while turning around backed into the gutter in front of the land owned by Harry C. Harner. The car could not be removed until further assistance was given.

Big Metal Shingle Business.

The Cortright Metal Roofing Company, of Philadelphia, Pa., whose advertisements of Cortright Metal Shingles have been running regularly in the CHRONICLE for nearly a year past, advises us that 1912 will show an immense volume of business in their line. It is gratifying to feel that THE CHRONICLE has had some part in creating such success. Any of our readers interested in roofing should call upon the Company's local representative, James G. Bishop.

MARY ESTELLE WINEGARDNER.

Mary Estelle Winegardner, wife of Mr. George F. Winegardner and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Trout died Friday, November 15 at her home near Emmitsburg. The funeral services were held on Sunday at her home, Rev. Dr. Reinwald officiating. Interment in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Winegardner was born in Adams county, Pa., and is survived by her husband, Geo. F. Winegardner, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Trout and four children, two sons and two daughters.

The earliest mention of coal is said to have been made by Theophrastus.

THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE TO HAVE A MONTHLY MAGAZINE SECTION.

The December issue of the magazine section, which will accompany this paper December 6th, will be by far the most interesting of any number of the magazine section. It will be filled with a variety of stories of interest to each member of the family.

Louise Parks Bell for fifteen years has been trying to write magazine stories that would sell. In "The Confession of a Literary Aspirant" she relates her experiences. According to Miss Bell, the first story she ever sold was her confession, which is to be used in the magazine section. Frank L. Hubbard illustrates the story with three of his delightful comic drawings.

Eli Moffett Millen, a regular contributor to the Munsey publications, in "A Matter of Ownership" tells a corking good business story. In it the captain of finance has the tables turned on him by a clerk. Do not miss this story. It is illustrated by Edward Gruening, whose work has not been seen previously in the magazine section.

Gladys Hyatt Sinclair contributes the final number of "The Fairy Godmother." It is illustrated by Frank L. Hubbard.

James H. Moody begins a remarkable series of articles which he has called "The Real Temperance." Mr. Moody's previous articles on temperance and reform have provoked a tremendous amount of interest. In his new series Mr. Moody handles the problem of temperance with the gloves off. Anyone interested in this tremendous question should not fail to get and keep every copy of the magazine section in which these articles appear.

There will be the usual page of patterns and book reviews and a beautiful cover in red and black by Glen Tracy.

REPUBLICANS GO UP SALT RIVER ON MONDAY NIGHT

Gaily Decorated Automobiles, Fire-works and Transparent Banners Bearing Hopeful Mottos.

Anticipating the coming parade of Tuesday night the Republicans decided to take themselves up Salt River instead of waiting to be taken. So with drums, horns and gaily lighted and decorated automobiles, which formed a pleasing sight, they paraded the streets amidst the surprised looks of the spectators.

Each automobile was illumined by transparent signs with the following inscriptions: "We'll be Back in 1916," "Don't Forget 1916," and "We Have Had 16 Years of Prosperity."

Installs Modern Dental Machinery.

In order to keep abreast with the progress of his profession and that he might be enabled to give his patients the benefit of that progress, Dr. J. McC. Foreman has installed in his dental parlors, on East Main street, a Sims Hydraulic Engine—the last word in the construction of dental appliances. This particular type of machinery surpasses even electricity in its facilities for accomplishing work quickly and thoroughly. Its installation shows that Dr. Foreman is progressive and that he is alive to the improvements that make for the benefit and comfort of his patients.

League Closes Hagerstown Office.

The Anti-Saloon League announces that in the interest of efficiency and economy in administration it will on January 1 consolidate the Western and Central districts, closing the office at Hagerstown, and administer the work direct from the Baltimore office. The expenses of maintaining a separate office and District Superintendent, which absorbed more than 95 per cent. of the actual cash receipts from the district, was as fully warranted while the local option issue was being defined and the League organization perfected. But in view of the expansion and increased efficiency of the Baltimore office its further continuance would be extravagance. Therefore, the Baltimore working force which was completed last spring will assume the administrative responsibilities of the district and the other part of the work will be done at a great saving.

The Very Latest in Hogs.

A breed of handsome blue hogs has been developed by George C. Griffith, a lawyer and amateur farmer, formerly of West Virginia. The general bearing of the animals, even at maturity, is sprightly and vivacious, in contrast to the dull, heavy, loggy appearance of the older breeds. They are quiet and gentle and in certain cases even display affection for their keepers.

To specify exactly wherein the blue hog is different:

Its color is blue; it is more leggy than the old breeds; its litters run so large that some of the little piggies have to be raised by foster mothers, and it is stockily built, with heavier hams and quarters.

Athletic Director M. J. Thompson of Mt. St. Mary's College left here to-day for West Point, New York, where he will referee the game between the Army and the University of Syracuse to-morrow.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. George F. Winegardner desires to thank his many friends for the kindness shown him during the illness and death of his wife.

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 7:30 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 7:00 p. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday Service, 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST

Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.
Service, 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

Rev. M. L. Beard, of Thurmont, will preach the Thanksgiving sermon in the Reformed Church on Thursday, November 28.

Paralysis Cured in Baltimore.

It is seldom that a well-developed case of infantile paralysis is cured, but physicians at the Mercy Hospital recently accomplished the seemingly impossible task by giving back to a child placed in their care the use of her limbs and curing her. Veta Hildebrandt, seven years old, daughter of Mrs. Frank Hildebrandt, 15 East Hill street, Baltimore, Md., was admitted to the hospital on September 15 last after physicians had diagnosed her case as infantile paralysis. Drs. William E. Lockwood, M. W. Kuhlman, Edgar B. Friedenwald and J. Andrew Anderson paid particular attention to the case. As a result of their efforts the child was snatched from the hand of death which was hovering over her and a week ago was able to move one of her legs.

Improvement was rapid after this, and now the little girl is walking about, assisted by a nurse, although she can support herself more and more every day. Dr. Kuhlman said he was unable to tell now just what the permanent results of the case would be, but that the child had a wonderful clearing up of the disease. "The paralysis in her case was complete when she was received at the institution," he said.

The World in Baltimore.

Special excursion rate from Emmitsburg and Motter's on Tuesday Nov. 26 1912. One fare round trip over Emmitsburg road. Train leaves Emmitsburg 7:55 A. M., Motter's 8:05 P. M. Returning leaves Hillen Station 9:30.

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FOOD SALE.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Reformed Church will hold its Annual Food Sale in the Reformed Parsonage on Tuesday, Nov. 26th. This sale will include dressed poultry, butter, eggs, dried corn, dried fruits, pickles, etc.

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THE BEST WALL PAPER.

Before you order yours—and now is the time for papering—be sure to inspect samples of the handsome line sold by JAMES M. KERRIGAN.

11-1-tf

DIED

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

WINGARDNER.—On November, 15, 1912, Mary Estelle Wingardner, aged 31 years. Funeral took place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with services at the house. Rev. Mr. Reinwald, D. D., officiated. Interment in Mountain View Cemetery.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

HAVE your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by George T. Eyster who warrants the same and has always on hand a large stock of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware.

MOUNTAINEERS WORKING HARD FOR FINAL GAME

Mount St. Mary's Will Be In Excellent Condition for The Contest With the Catholic University on Thanksgiving Day.

The hardest work of the season for the Mt. St. Mary's foot ball squad took place this past week. The success of the second team in their game last week was in a great measure responsible. The lack of a good strong second team all season to try the first candidates out kept the team from showing the work they were capable of. Scrimmage has taken place every day this week and the second team has been putting up such a strong showing that several of that team have been pulled over upon the first string.

McKena, York, Long, Kells and Larkin are names that are likely to appear in the line up for the last game of the season with the Catholic University at Washington on Thanksgiving day. All the candidates are working hard to get a chance in this game as it is the game that decides who shall wear the coveted "M," in other words this is the "letter" game. The team at the present time is going at a good fast clip and the one thing that Coach Thompson is watching carefully is that the men do not go stale. The Mountaineers must win the C. U. game and every effort is being made toward that end. It seems that the Washington boys can go along all season putting up ragged football but when the boys from the mountains pay them a visit they improve one hundred per cent. This is also their "letter" game and no doubt this has a great deal to do with getting the spirit in the University boys. From the present outlook the local boys should return home with a victory as Coach Thompson says from the showing the C. U. Boys have made so far he does not think their defense is strong enough to stop the attack the local boys are putting up. However if the local boys duplicate the kind of foot ball they played against Rock Hill they cannot help but get a trimming.

The Mountaineers learned a lesson from this game and it is safe to say the same mistakes will not happen next week as there is too much at stake. The practice yesterday was the best and fastest seen on Echo field in a long time. The first team only managed to cross the goal line of the second team once. Both teams put up a strong fight and they were kept at it steadily for fifty five minutes without an intermission. The boys stood the grueling in good shape and demonstrated that they are all in good physical condition. This is what is going to help the local boys as Coach Thompson will insist upon full 15 minute periods being played Thursday. Scrimmage work will continue until Tuesday, when the boys will be given a let up and signal drill and black board talks will end the year's work. The squad will leave here early Thursday morning for Washington.

NOTICE.

I hereby give notice that whereas my husband, Martin A. Stouter, late of Frederick County, deceased, in his lifetime by a deed bearing date the 8th day of November, A. D., 1912, duly recorded in Liber, H. W. B., No. 302, folio 288, etc., one of the land records of Frederick County, did grant, convey, assign, set over unto and transfer unto the undersigned all accounts due him as well as all moneys, rights, credits and choses in action and all of the property of which he was possessed on said 8th day of November, A. D., 1912. I therefore request all persons who were indebted to my said husband Martin A. Stouter, on said 8th day of November, 1912, to call and settle their accounts with either the undersigned or her Agent, Mr. Felix A. Stouter without delay.

MARY A. STOUTER.

I hereby give notice that Mr. Felix A. Stouter, as my Agent, and for me, will continue the business conducted by my husband, Martin A. Stouter, and I respectfully solicit from the public a continuance of their patronage.

MARY A. STOUTER.

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ORDER NISI ON AUDIT

No. 8920 EQUITY.

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

NOVEMBER TERM, 1912.

In the matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 20th day of November, 1912.

Peter F. Burket, Mortgagee of Amanda S. Winegardner and Jacob F. Winegardner, her husband, on Petition.

Ordered. That on the 12th day of December, 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 20th day of November, 1912.

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

True copy—Test:

HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk.
Vincent Sebold, Sol'r. 11-22-3t

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

No. 8925 EQUITY.

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

NOVEMBER TERM, 1912.

In the matter of the Report of Sales filed the 11th day of November, 1912.

J. Henry Rowe, Assignee of Mortgage from John Muth and wife to Eugene L. Rowe, on Petition.

Ordered. That on the 7th day of December, 1912, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by J. Henry Rowe, Assignee of Mortgage in the above cause, and filed thereof 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 \$200.00.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1912.

HARRY W. BOWERS,

Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County

True copy—Test:

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SPECIAL TRESPASS NOICES.

To meet a demand on the part of property owners for a form of trespass notice that does not refer particularly to gunners, THE CHRONICLE has prepared neat muslin signs reading as follows:

DO NOT
TRESPASS
UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS
KEEP OFF
THESE PREMISES.

MIDDLEBURG.

Revival services began in the M. E. Church last Sunday evening and are being well attended. On Thursday evening a Singing Evangelist from the land of Tarsus was present and gave a sermon in song.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Angell and Mrs. Charles Devilbiss are all suffering with tonsilitis.

Mr. Charles Bowman has improved his town property by putting in new windows.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willhide celebrated the 40th anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday by giving a dinner to their children and friends.

The farmers are taking advantage of the fine weather to get their corn under cover. Very few have finished.

Work on the State road is progressing finely the road being finished through and beyond the eastern edge of town.

Mr. E. O. Cash butchered some fine porkers this week. Five weighed 3,333 lbs., the largest tipping the scales at 713 pounds.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Eigenbrode and little daughter, Eva, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Hagerstown.

Miss Fannie Earnst, of Graceham, is visiting Miss Maud Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pearl, of Thurmont, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stull.

Miss Rhoda Kipe, of Friends' Creek, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, of Idaho, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Reuben Brown.

Mrs. William Dewees spent Sunday with Mrs. Isaac Fox.

Miss Florence Demuth spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. William Dewees.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brown on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, of Idaho; Mrs. Ross Shuff and son, of Sabillasville, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grushon, of Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Bowers, of Jintown, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Clarence Bowers.

Mrs. Harry Shriver is on the sick list.

Mr. Howard Eigenbrode spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Isaac Fox.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mrs. Lewis Krise and Mrs. D. Polly, of Fairfield, and Mrs. Manahan and Miss Ida Zimmerman spent Wednesday with Miss Laura Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Shorb and son Charles, Jr., spent several days in Waynesboro.

Master Charles Miller is spending a week with his uncle, Mr. Charles Shorb, Mr. Raymond Topper and Mr. Albert Humerick, of Altoona, spent their vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Topper.

Miss Jessie Beard and two brothers, and a nephew, of Waynesboro, spent Sunday with their cousin Miss Laura Beard.

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF—
Personal Property & Real Estate

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias of the State of Maryland, issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland, being No. 31 Judicials, September Term, 1912, at the suit of The Emmitsburg Savings Bank of Frederick County, Maryland, a body corporate, and for officers fees, against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements, rights and credits of J. F. Winegardner and A. S. Winegardner, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the rights, title, claim, interest and estate, both at law and in Equity, of J. F. Winegardner and A. S. Winegardner, in and to the following personal property and real estate, to-wit:

1st. Personal Property—about 42 doz. blank books, 1 large writing desk, 1 phone and wires attached, 1 can half full of lard, 1 stand, lot of dishes and pots, 1 bed and bedding.

2nd. All that lot or parcel of land situated, lying and being about one mile West of the town of Emmitsburg, and in the 5th Election District of Frederick County, Maryland, and being the same lot or parcel of land which was conveyed to Jacob F. Winegardner and Amanda S. Winegardner by Joseph D. Caldwell assignee of Mortgage, etc. by a deed bearing date the 4th day of April, 1902, and recorded in Liber D. H. No. 15, folio No. 32, one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

3rd. All that tract or lot of ground situated, lying and being about one and one-half miles West of the town of Emmitsburg, and in the 5th Election District of Frederick County, Maryland, and adjoining the lands of Robert Kreitz and others, and being the same tract or lot of ground that was conveyed unto the said Jacob F. Winegardner and Susan S. Shockey by a deed bearing date March 5th, 1906, and recorded in Liber S. T. H. No. 274, folio No. 23, one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

And I hereby give notice that on Saturday, December 14th, 1912, at 2 o'clock, P. M., I will sell at the Emmitsburg House in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, the personal property and real estate so seized and taken in execution at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash.

CHARLES T. FAGAN,
Sheriff.

ACROSS THE LINE

Miss Myrtle Shriver has returned to her home on Route 3 after an extended trip to York, New Jersey and Philadelphia.

W. I. Oyler, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stock and Mrs. Samuel G. Spangler spent several days in Winchester, Va., making the trip in Mr. Oyler's automobile.

Mrs. Walter Hutchings, of Hagerstown, visited at the home of her parents, Hon. and Mrs. M. A. Garvin, Buford Avenue.

John Shelly, of Mechanicsburg, spent several days in town recently.

Paul S. Rice, of Lewistown, was a Gettysburg visitor last week.

Mrs. James Rummel and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Reed, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rummel, on Stevens street.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Stauffer spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hamilton, Chambersburg street.

Ernest Ziegler, went to Greencastle where he joined the "Way down in Dixie" stock company.

Mrs. Edwin Stackhouse and children have returned to their home in Shick-shinny after spending some time at the home of Mrs. Keith on Carlisle street.

Miss Lauretta Schwalm, was a recent guest at the home of Miss Daisy Wentz on York street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tipton spent their honey moon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Willis Apler, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Apler on East High street.

Miss Aurelia Hornberger is spending some time at the home of Miss Ruth Faber on Chambersburg street.

Mrs. Hibbs and Miss Edna Hibbs, of Norristown were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blocher, Carlisle street.

Misses Valerie Welty and Bernadette Eckenrode and Messrs. Ward Kerrigan and Lester Topper, of Emmitsburg, spent Wednesday evening in Gettysburg.

Fairfield:
J. Arthur Spangler, of near town, is having his barn painted. W. H. McCreary contractor.

C. R. Polley has moved into his new blacksmith shop.

Jacob Musselman is having his house painted. P. S. Harbaugh contractor.

W. D. Armor has installed hot water heating systems in the homes of the Misses Witherow and Dr. Trout. J. G. Slonaker has put one in the house of J. Mahlon Weikert.

Miss Anna Landis was an over Sunday visitor in Baltimore.

Edward Gelbach, of Union Bridge, is visiting, his sister Mrs. H. L. Harbaugh.

Mrs. G. W. Wortz, of Hanover, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Zoe Kittinger, of Chambersburg, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Reindollar.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of William Luther Musselman, youngest son of John M. Musselman, of this place, and Miss Iva Florence Sheffer of Virginia Mills. The ceremony will be performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sheffer on Wednesday evening, Nov. 27th, at 8 o'clock.

Miss Alma Kittinger is spending this week in Baltimore with her sister, Carrie.

Isaac Hafleigh, of Route 3, has put new weatherboarding on his house and is now having it painted.

GRACEHAM

Mr. George Firor, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Catherine Engle and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groshon and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newcomer, of Harmony Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Delaplane, of Altoona, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Colliflower.

Mrs. Amanda Colliflower is visiting her sons in Altoona.

Mrs. Emma Newcomer, of Harmony Grove, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Groshon.

Mrs. Lemuel Colliflower, of Altoona, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colliflower and children, of near Thurmont, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower.

Miss Helen Colliflower, who has been in Westminster for some time, visited her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Six and children, of near Detour, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jago Colliflower.

Mr. Harry Creeger and son, Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. David Martin, near Catocin Furnace.

On Saturday evening Victor Pryor, of near Thurmont, attended the oyster supper at Mr. Edward Ernst's. When he was about to return home he found that his horse and buggy had been stolen, but they were found Sunday morning on the Creagerstown road, the horse standing the night without a blanket.

ROCKY RIDGE.

Mr. Groff, of Lancaster, called to see Mr. J. B. Black last Saturday.

Mrs. Marshall Boone moved last Thursday near Woodsboro.

Mr. Charles H. Long spent Saturday and Sunday in Baltimore.

Mr. Lee Norris, sister and daughter, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Geiselman.

J. B. Black, with several officials from Baltimore inspected G. A. R. Posts at Hagerstown, Smithburg, Thurmont and Emmitsburg this week.

Miss Carrie Engler is convalescing. Miss Bessie Bell visited friends in Taneytown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Black were in Thurmont on Wednesday.

LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Herbert F. Martin and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Highland Mills, Md., spent last Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Clarence Smith, of Loys, and Mr. Calvin C. Colbert, of Graceham, spent Sunday with Mr. Harvey M. Pittenger.

Mr. Clarence C. Pittenger spent Sunday with Mr. Joseph H. Stambaugh and family of near Rocky Ridge.

Mrs. George W. Pittenger and daughter Miss Ada spent Monday with Mrs. George W. Hoffman.

Quite a number of people from this place attended the Temperance Entertainment at Creagerstown on Sunday evening November 10.

Mr. Elmer J. Pittenger visited in Thurmont on Tuesday and Friday.

Mrs. Washington Pittenger and son Harvey visited in Rocky Ridge on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Charles Shorb spent Sunday with Mr. Elmer Kolb.

Elmer Byers, of Loys preached a very interesting sermon at Oak Hill on Sunday last.

Miss Mazie Stambaugh spent a few days with Mrs. Bell Hankey, of Creagerstown.

STATE MISCELLANY

Bits of News About People and Events Throughout The State.

The term of Postmaster Thomas O. Jefferson, of Federalburg, will expire about February 1. Mr. Jefferson is a candidate for reappointment may be held up in the Senate. M. Carroll, is also an applicant for the position. In the expectation that should the President name either of these candidates, or some other Republican, the appointment may be held up in the Senate. A number of Democrats have entered the field as candidates for the postmastership, among them being W. B. Breeding, Henry Morris, Isaac H. Pruitt, William E. Cox, J. P. Pachett and Bayard Nicholas.

Fire about 5 o'clock this evening at the residence of Paymaster Samuel J. Bryan, U. S. N., on College avenue, Rockville damaged the building and contents to the extent of about \$3,000, a valuable art collection being included in the property ruined. Paymaster Bryan, who is attached to the Naval Academy, was asleep in a room on the second floor of the house when the fire, which is supposed to have been caused by a defective flue, started in the third story. He was awakened by members of the family, and, with the assistance of others, much of the furniture was removed from the first and second floors before the house was flooded with water.

A girls' night school has been established at Cumberland under the auspices of the Cumberland Civic Club, with Mrs. W. W. Hanly in charge. The work is under the direction of Prof. John E. Edwards, county superintendent of schools.

William, Frank and Robert Carter, colored, aged 12, 13 and 14 years, of Rockville, Md., respectively, were arrested Saturday on charges of stealing grain from Baltimore and Ohio freight cars near Linden recently. Following the arrests, Sheriff Howard and Police Justice A. M. Mace went to the home of the boy's parents, near Linden, and found several barrels of corn, wheat, oats, etc.

Mayor George G. Young and Mrs. Young, who have been touring Europe for the past three months on their honeymoon trip, are expected to arrive in Cumberland the latter part of this week. Upon his arrival, the Mayor will at once take up the reins of city government, which, during his absence, have been in the hands of acting Mayor Joseph Hirsh.

The educational committee of the Belair Civic Club has planned a series of parents' meetings, to be held during the school year, for the purpose of bringing about an effective co-operation of parents and teachers. The first meeting was Tuesday evening.

While taking a heavy piece of freight from the car to the platform in Salisbury, Friday, Frank Disharoon, a brakeman on the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad, slipped and was seriously injured. Several stitches were taken in his scalp.

Among the aspirants for the Hancock postmastership are James G. Tur-

ner, James H. Kerns, Frank P. Little, Benjamin Mitchell, A. A. Swingle, Austin Peck, Emanuel Athey and T. P. Jenkins. Several other aspirants are expected in the field.

An exhibit of farm products in competition for prizes offered by Pomona Grange, the Democrat and News and the merchants of Cambridge was held Thursday.

A campaign to secure \$15,000 in six days to complete \$30,000 from this city toward the building fund of \$60,000 for the Woman's College began Monday. Teams of canvassers are out under the direction of Dr. Apple, president of the school. It is proposed to raise \$30,000 in Frederick and \$30,000 outside of the city. Mrs. Margaret E. Hood has given \$10,000 and others have contributed about \$5,000, leaving \$15,000, which is hoped to be secured at Frederick this week.

Four prisoners escaped from the Elkton Jail Sunday by scaling the wall during the absence of the Sheriff and his deputy.

Sheriff Julius G. Hall took from Prince Frederick Monday morning six prisoners to serve time in State penal institutions. Burden Wallace, colored, convicted on three charges of burglary, was sentenced to the penitentiary for periods embracing ten years. Hardy Mackall and James Straton, convicted of larceny, were given one year and six months, respectively, in the House of Correction. Wilson Buckmaster and William Wicks, convicted of assault, and James Fowler, for carrying brass knuckles, were sentenced to terms of 18 months each in the House of Correction.

Rev. D. F. Davies, of Plainfield, Mass., has accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church at Frostburg and has entered upon his duties.

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CHRONICLE OFFICE.

A Review of the Election

New Governors of States
and Probable United
States Senators.

Political Complexion of House,
Electoral College and
Popular Vote.

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.
THERE was an election held in the United States of America the other day. You may have heard of it. It may not have attracted much attention in Mars or the Milky way, but it certainly made some dent in this planet. It was a mixture of landslide, Armageddon, the judgment day and a political earthquake. An elephant and bull moose were buried somewhere in the debris, and a donkey and Democratic rooster emerged from the ruins making joyful sounds. But to get down to cases:

In this election there were chosen a president and vice president of the United States, legislatures to choose thirty-five members of the United States senate, determining the political complexion of that body, 435 members of the national house of representatives, governors in more than thirty states and thousands of minor officials. In the electoral college the Democrats have so many votes that it seems a shame to count them. The senate is close, but the Democrats are claiming at least fifty votes out of ninety-six, with some states yet doubtful. The house is Democratic by nearly 170 majority, while the Democrats have likewise chosen a majority of the governors.

The New Senate.

| | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Alabama |Bankhead* (Dem.) |
| Arkansas |Davis* (Dem.) |
| Colorado |Shafroth (Dem.) |
| Colorado (vacancy) |Thomas (Dem.) |
| Delaware |A Democrat |
| Georgia |Bacon* (Dem.) |
| Idaho |Borah* (Rep.) |
| Idaho (vacancy) |A Republican |
| Illinois |In doubt |
| Illinois (vacancy) |In doubt |
| Iowa |Kenyon (Rep.) |
| Kansas |Thompson (Dem.) |
| Kentucky |James (Dem.) |
| Louisiana |Ransdell (Dem.) |
| Maine |Burleigh (Rep.) |
| Massachusetts |A Republican |
| Michigan |Smith (Rep.) |
| Minnesota |Nelson (Rep.) |
| Mississippi |Vardaman* (Dem.) |
| Montana |Walsh (Dem.) |
| Nebraska |Norris (Prog.) |
| Nevada |Fittman (Dem.) |
| New Hampshire |A Republican |
| New Jersey |Hughes (Dem.) |
| North Carolina |Simmons (Dem.) |
| New Mexico |Fall* (Rep.) |
| Oklahoma |Owen* (Dem.) |
| Oregon |Lane (Dem.) |
| Rhode Island |A Republican |
| South Carolina |Tillman* (Dem.) |
| South Dakota |Sterling (Rep.) |
| Tennessee |A Democrat |
| Texas |Sheppard (Dem.) |
| Virginia |Martin* (Dem.) |
| West Virginia |A Republican |
| Wyoming |Warren (Rep.) |

Those marked with a star have been elected. As the Democrats have thirty holdover senators this would indicate that they would have forty-nine, or a majority of two, with a chance still to win one in Illinois, where no party has a majority in the legislature.

The New Governors.

| | |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Colorado |Ellis M. Ammons (Dem.) |
| Connecticut |Simeon E. Baldwin (Dem.) |
| Delaware |Charles R. Miller (Rep.) |
| Florida |F. Park Trammell (Dem.) |
| Idaho |James H. Hawley (Dem.) |
| Illinois |Edward F. Dunne (Dem.) |
| Indiana |Samuel M. Ralston (Dem.) |
| Iowa |George W. Clarke (Rep.) |
| Kansas |In doubt |
| Massachusetts |Eugene N. Foss (Dem.) |
| Michigan |Woodbridge N. Ferris (Dem.) |
| Minnesota |Adolph O. Eberhart (Rep.) |
| Missouri |Elliot W. Major (Dem.) |
| Montana |Samuel V. Stewart (Dem.) |
| Nebraska |John H. Morehead (Dem.) |
| New Hampshire |In doubt |
| New York |William Sulzer (Dem.) |
| North Carolina |Locke Craig (Dem.) |
| North Dakota |F. O. Hellstrom (Dem.) |
| Ohio |James M. Cox (Dem.) |
| Rhode Island |Aram J. Pothier (Rep.) |
| South Carolina |Cole L. Blease (Dem.) |
| South Dakota |Frank Byrne (Rep.) |
| Tennessee |Ben W. Hooper (Rep.) |
| Texas |Oscar B. Colquitt (Dem.) |
| Utah |John F. Tolton (Dem.) |
| Washington |Ernest Lister (Dem.) |
| West Virginia |H. D. Hatfield (Rep. and Prog.) |
| Wisconsin |F. E. McGovern (Rep.) |

In New Hampshire the legislature will choose the Republican candidate, since no one had a majority in the election. In Kansas the fight is so close between Capper (Rep.) and Hodges (Dem.) that the official count will be required to decide. Capper claims it by 53 and Hodges by 50.

In Tennessee the result was very close between McMillin (Dem.) and Hooper (Rep.). In Delaware there was only about 1,000 between Miller and Monaghan (Dem.).

The New House.

| | Demo. | Repub. | Pro- |
|----------------|---------|---------|------------|
| | crats. | licans. | gressives. |
| Alabama |10 | ..... | ..... |
| Arizona |1 | ..... | ..... |
| Arkansas |7 | ..... | ..... |
| California |2 |5 |4 |
| Colorado |4 | ..... | ..... |
| Connecticut |5 | ..... | ..... |
| Delaware |1 | ..... | ..... |
| Florida |4 | ..... | ..... |
| Georgia |12 | ..... | ..... |
| Idaho | ..... | .....2 | ..... |
| Illinois |19 |6 |2 |
| Indiana |12 |1 | ..... |
| Iowa |8 |3 | ..... |
| Kansas |5 |3 | ..... |
| Kentucky |9 |2 | ..... |
| Louisiana |8 | ..... | ..... |
| Maine |1 |8 | ..... |
| Maryland |6 | ..... | ..... |
| Massachusetts |7 |9 | ..... |
| Michigan |2 |9 |2 |
| Minnesota |2 | ..... | ..... |
| Mississippi |3 | ..... | ..... |
| Missouri |14 |2 | ..... |
| Montana |2 | ..... | ..... |
| Nebraska |3 |3 | ..... |
| Nevada | ..... | .....1 | ..... |
| New Hampshire |2 | ..... | ..... |
| New Jersey |11 | ..... | ..... |
| New Mexico |1 | ..... | ..... |
| New York |32 |11 | ..... |
| North Carolina |10 | ..... | ..... |
| North Dakota | ..... | .....3 | ..... |
| Ohio |20 |2 | ..... |
| Oklahoma |4 | ..... | ..... |
| Oregon |2 | ..... | ..... |
| Pennsylvania |11 |23 |3 |

The Progressives claim more members than this table shows, since some classed as Republicans in Pennsylvania and elsewhere really belong to the new party. It will be impossible to determine exactly how many there are of these until the new congress meets and the members in question declare by their caucus affiliations to which party they belong.

In the First Ohio district the fight between Longworth (Rep.), son-in-law of Colonel Roosevelt, and his Democratic opponent was so close that it was in doubt for several days.

Among those who went down in the landslide were Uncle Joe Cannon and William B. McKinley, Taft's manager. In Illinois; Ebenezer J. Hill in Connecticut and other warhorses of the Republican party. Victor J. Berger, the lone Socialist member, was defeated, although the Socialists throughout the nation showed surprising gains, practically doubling their vote. Women suffrage also won four new states, Michigan, Kansas, Oregon and Arizona, making ten states in all where women will hereafter have the ballot.

The Electoral College.

| WILSON. | |
|----------------|----------|
| Alabama |12 |
| Arizona |3 |
| Arkansas |9 |
| California |5 |
| Colorado |3 |
| Connecticut |3 |
| Delaware |3 |
| Florida |9 |
| Georgia |14 |
| Illinois |23 |
| Indiana |15 |
| Iowa |13 |
| Kansas |10 |
| Kentucky |13 |
| Louisiana |10 |
| Maine |6 |
| Maryland |8 |
| Massachusetts |18 |
| Mississippi |10 |
| Minnesota |10 |
| Montana |3 |
| Nebraska |8 |
| Nevada |3 |
| New Hampshire |4 |
| New Jersey |14 |
| New Mexico |3 |
| New York |36 |
| North Carolina |12 |
| North Dakota |5 |
| Ohio |21 |
| Oklahoma |10 |
| Oregon |5 |
| Rhode Island |4 |
| South Carolina |9 |
| Tennessee |12 |
| Texas |20 |
| Virginia |12 |
| West Virginia |8 |
| Wisconsin |13 |
| Wyoming |3 |
| Total |429 |

| ROOSEVELT. | |
|--------------|---------|
| Michigan |15 |
| Minnesota |12 |
| Pennsylvania |38 |
| Washington |7 |
| Total |72 |

| TAFT. | |
|---------------|---------|
| *South Dakota |5 |
| Utah |4 |
| Vermont |4 |
| Total |13 |

| DOUBTFUL. | |
|------------|---------|
| California |13 |
| Idaho |4 |
| Total |17 |

*South Dakota went for Roosevelt, but it is claimed that the electors are pledged to Taft.

So far as mere numerical majority goes, this is the most decisive vote in the history of the electoral college. This is partially due to the fact, however, that the college is now much larger than ever before. Washington received the unanimous vote of the electors, and Monroe all but one. Among other decisive results in the past may be mentioned the following: In 1832 Andrew Jackson received 219 electoral votes to 49 for Henry Clay, 11 for John Floyd and 7 for William Wirt. In 1840 William Henry Harrison had 234 to 60 for Martin Van Buren. In 1852 Franklin Pierce had 254 to 42 for General Winfield Scott. In 1864 Abraham Lincoln received 212 to 21 for General George B. McClellan. Grant received tremendous electoral majorities both times, 214 to 80 for Horatio Seymour in 1868 and 286 to 63 for several candidates following the death of Horace Greeley in 1872. In 1904 Theodore Roosevelt received 336 to 140 for Alton B. Parker.

Yet, notwithstanding his phenomenal majority in electors and his great popular plurality over either Taft or Roosevelt, it is one of the anomalies of the situation that President Elect Wilson received an actual minority of the vote and possibly fell short of the Bryan vote in 1908. The following table shows the complete vote in a few states and close approximations in the others:

Popular Vote For President.

| | Wilson. | Taft. | velt. |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Alabama |75,000 |18,000 |30,000 |
| Arizona |16,465 |4,755 |11,755 |
| Arkansas |75,000 |26,000 |28,000 |
| California |332,350 |3,065 |332,415 |
| Colorado |120,000 |55,000 |79,000 |
| Connecticut |73,601 |67,233 |33,546 |
| Delaware |22,631 |15,598 |8,836 |

| | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Florida |31,000 |3,700 |4,500 |
| Georgia |38,657 |5,157 |21,549 |
| Idaho |35,000 |25,000 |28,000 |
| Illinois |407,470 |256,625 |391,205 |
| Indiana |270,887 |151,157 |160,503 |
| Iowa |169,162 |111,084 |149,540 |
| Kansas |88,800 |50,100 |80,000 |
| Kentucky |216,705 |110,270 |102,675 |
| Louisiana |72,000 |4,000 |13,000 |
| Maine |50,946 |26,604 |48,287 |
| Maryland |111,738 |52,984 |57,640 |
| Massachusetts |170,555 |152,255 |140,152 |
| Michigan |190,000 |150,000 |220,000 |
| Minnesota |95,000 |75,000 |110,000 |
| Mississippi |65,000 |3,000 |5,500 |
| Missouri |243,560 |156,300 |127,500 |
| Montana |44,520 |27,760 |22,540 |
| Nebraska |109,500 |58,000 |74,000 |
| Nevada |8,854 |3,705 |6,112 |
| New Hampshire |34,743 |32,964 |7,502 |
| New Jersey |167,079 |84,552 |138,533 |
| New Mexico |15,100 |11,250 |7,900 |
| New York |650,721 |450,469 |352,453 |
| North Carolina |169,000 |40,000 |60,000 |
| North Dakota |35,000 |25,000 |27,000 |
| Ohio |446,769 |312,000 |253,564 |
| Oklahoma |120,000 |90,000 |* |
| Oregon |31,064 |25,000 |25,434 |
| Pennsylvania |584,233 |298,155 |428,570 |
| Rhode Island |30,197 |27,703 |16,442 |
| South Carolina |61,000 |1,200 |2,100 |
| South Dakota |55,000 |* |60,000 |
| Tennessee |120,000 |50,000 |60,000 |
| Texas |209,000 |28,000 |32,000 |
| Utah |35,000 |40,000 |13,000 |
| Vermont |15,367 |23,235 |22,112 |
| Virginia |78,681 |21,131 |18,670 |
| Washington |94,130 |75,145 |126,265 |
| West Virginia |120,000 |65,000 |80,000 |
| Wisconsin |205,000 |180,000 |80,000 |
| Wyoming |15,000 |15,000 |8,000 |
| Totals |6,274,333 |3,547,720 |4,136,766 |

*No electors on the ballot.

It will be weeks before the official count is made in most of the states, and until that time comes it will be impossible to give the popular vote in full. All these totals will be somewhat increased, but will retain approximately the same relative positions.

Comparing this vote with that of 1908, which was—Taft, 7,678,908; Bryan, 6,400,104, it is seen that Wilson is about 140,000 short of Bryan's vote and that the combined Taft and Roosevelt vote is more than 2,000 short of Taft's vote four years ago. As already stated, however, complete and official returns may change these results.

Wilson's plurality over Roosevelt is above 2,000,000 and over Taft is nearly 2,700,000. Roosevelt received more than 500,000 over Taft. Wilson is 1,400,000 behind the combined vote of Roosevelt and Taft.

Other Minority Presidents.

He is not by any means the first president who has been elected by a minority vote. In 1892 Grover Cleveland received a large majority of the electoral vote, but his popular vote was 5,556,918 to 5,176,108 for Harrison, 1,041,028 for Weaver (Populist), 264,133 for Bidwell (Prohibition) and 21,164 for Wing (Socialist Labor). In other words, the combined vote of other candidates was 6,502,433, nearly 1,000,000 more than Cleveland.

Four years earlier Mr. Harrison won, although he had fewer votes than Mr. Cleveland. The figures were: Harrison, 5,440,216; Cleveland, 5,538,233; other candidates, 402,411. Thus Harrison was nearly 100,000 behind Cleveland and 500,000 short of the combined opposition.

In the close and exciting Cleveland-Blaine contest of 1884 the Democratic candidate was ahead of Mr. Blaine, but slightly behind the total vote of opposing candidates. The result was: Cleveland, 4,911,017; Blaine, 4,848,334; St. John (Prohibition), 151,809; Butler (Greenback), 133,825. Thus, while Cleveland led Blaine by 62,683, he was behind the combined opposition by 222,951.

In fact, minority presidents have been the rule. Garfield was one. He was a slight 7,000 ahead of Hancock, but more than 300,000 behind all opponents. The figures were: Garfield, 4,449,053; Hancock, 4,442,035; Weaver (Greenback), 307,306; Dow (Pro), 10,305; Phelps (Amer.), 707.

Hayes Far Behind.

Hayes was still more in the minority, being 250,000 behind Tilden and nearly 345,000 behind all candidates. The result was: Hayes, 4,033,950; Tilden, 4,284,885; Cooper (Greenback), 81,740; Smith (Pro.), 9,522; and Walker (Amer.), 2,636.

Grant was ahead of all other candidates in both his races, as was Lincoln in his second race, but in 1860 the great emancipator was elected by a minority. The figures were: Lincoln, 1,866,352; Douglas, 1,375,157; Breckenridge, 845,763; Bell, 589,581. Thus the combined opposition was 2,810,501, which was nearly 1,000,000 ahead of Mr. Lincoln's vote. That was the nearest parallel to the present election, as the Democratic party was split then as the Republican party is split now.

James Buchanan was a minority president. His vote was 1,838,169 to 1,341,264 for Fremont and 874,538 for Millard Fillmore (Amer.), thus leaving Buchanan nearly 400,000 behind the combined opposition.

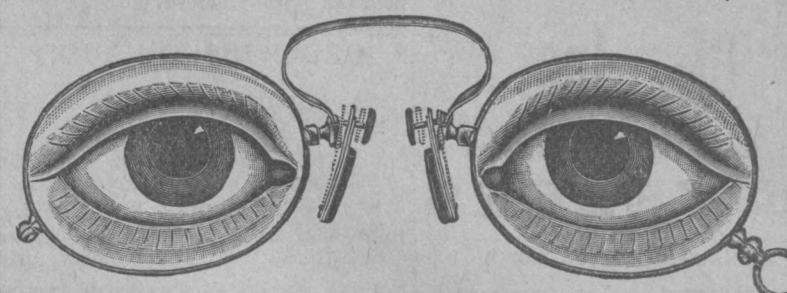
Franklin Pierce had a majority over all, but four years earlier Zachary Taylor was elected by a minority vote. He received 1,360,101 to 1,220,544 for Lewis Cass and 291,263 for Martin Van Buren (Free Soil), thus being 150,000 behind the total vote of his opponents.

The same was true of James K. Polk in 1844. He received 1,337,243 to 1,299,068 for Henry Clay and 62,300 for James G. Birney, leaving Polk nearly 25,000 behind the two.

The elder Harrison had a clear majority in 1840, as did Van Buren in 1836 and Jackson in both of his contests, but in 1824 John Quincy Adams was elected by a minority, the vote being: Adams, 105,321; Jackson, 155,872; Clay, 46,587, and Crawford, 44,282. Adams was 50,000 behind Jackson and more than 140,000 behind all. Yet he was chosen by the electoral college.

This carries us back to the beginning of the convention and party system. Since that system began a majority of our presidents have been elected by a minority of the popular vote.

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