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WILL BENEFIT MARYLAND

BALTIMORE WORKING

The Significance of Mayor Preston's Trip.

FREDERICK HELPS CAUSE TOO

Few Marylanders Realize at This Time How Much the Star-Spangled Banner Celebration in The Fall Will Mean to The State.

Thousands of people representing the most important cities of the East, North, South and Middle-West will journey to Baltimore in September to do their part in the tribute which will be paid to the nation's flag and national anthem. As is usually the case, few people realize the significance of such a celebration and how much it will mean to Maryland and to Baltimore.

Aside from the national importance of this week and its attending festivities, the city and the State will be benefited in yet another very real way. The citizens and business men of great commercial centers will be given an opportunity to see Baltimore at its best and to realize its importance as a sea-board city and its immense possibilities in the future. Maryland will gain through being brought prominently into the nation's spot-light once again, and any gain coming to Baltimore is a gain for the State.

Mayor Preston, and the publicity committee with him, who have been traveling throughout the country in the interests of the celebration, have shown, by their efforts, that they are fully aware of the importance and significance of their mission. In this connection it is gratifying to note the enthusiasm which they have aroused in all of the cities which they have visited. The prominent business men of city after city have pledged delegations for that week in September, and the success of the celebration will be largely due to the efforts of this committee.

Through an unfortunate misunderstanding, Frederick was cut off from the active participation in the celebration during that week. But the smaller city has gone ahead pluckily in planning an independent celebration of her own. She has the birthplace of Francis Scott Key in her possession and it is fitting that she should do her part in the tribute to the author. Frederick will also have a home-coming week at the same time. It is planned to have the President and both branches of Congress come to Frederick at that time. This celebration will also prove of benefit to Maryland and especially to Frederick and the county, and that city deserves a great deal of credit for the way she has gone ahead independent of the larger city to which she had looked for aid.

County's Peach Crop to be Good. Like the wheat crop, Frederick county will have a bumper peach crop this year, considering the number of trees and the size of the various orchards in the county. "There will be an abundant supply of peaches for home consumption," declared one of the county's leading fruit growers recently, in discussing the value of the crop, and whether it would be necessary to import from foreign countries and States to supply the demand in Frederick City and county.

It has been estimated that the yield of the fruit in this county this year will be almost ten thousand bushels, which includes the fruit that will be secured by the farmers for their own personal use from the trees on their own properties. These peaches raised by the farmers for home consumption, of course, will not appear on the Frederick market. In the mountainous section of the county there is an unusually heavy yield, while there are also large quantities in the section surrounding the city.

Hand in hand with the big peach yield there is every indication that the crop of apples will be unusually large this year. Orchards, where the owners have taken care to have them sprayed and treated for diseases, are loaded with fruit. It is reported that some orchards will produce several thousand bushels of fruit. The apple crop will be much larger than the peach yield in the county.

To Pay Blair Lee's Expenses. In the General Deficiency Bill, which was considered in the United States Senate last Saturday is included an appropriation of \$1,500 to be paid to Senator Blair Lee to recompense him for his legal expenses in establishing his claim to his seat in the Senate against former Senator Jackson. It is interesting to note the Senate's attitude toward that controversy which aroused so much general interest.

India now has 315,156,396 people.

"MIKE" THOMPSON REMEMBERED

Baseball Club Shows Its Appreciation of His Many Courtesies.

Wednesday was the anniversary of the birthday of Michael J. Thompson—famously known to the sporting world and to his host of friends as "Mike." The Emmitsburg Baseball Club found this important fact out by chance, and being only too anxious to show its appreciation of his many courtesies and his efficient umpiring of its games, jumped at the opportunity to let this appreciation take tangible form; so just before the start for Monterey the members of the nine assembled at the New Hotel Slagle and presented Mr. Thompson with a handsome scarf pin.

Speaking of this able referee, the last number of Harper's Weekly contained the following appreciation:

"Who does not know Mike Thompson, has missed something in sport. There is no man in athletics who has extracted more fun from his work, whether as coach trainer or official. Mike has betaken himself to Emmitsburg, Md., but writes that he has reconsidered his determination to give up college and athletic work. You couldn't pry Mike away from sport with a jimmy, which fact he seems now to have discovered for himself. The outsider is often prone to the view that football coaches are large persons with square jaw-thick necks, and no great amount of brow. The description fits with the exception of the brow, and, in a word, the football man is much like other people save for being huskier and healthier. Thompson is a lover of good music and has a passion for mathematics, at which he has professed from time to time. Football and mathematics have a bowing acquaintance, much to the contrary notwithstanding."

HAGERSTOWN WAS DARK

But Emmitsburg's Lighting System Was in Perfect Order.

The terrific electrical storm which occurred on Thursday evening in this section of the State proved to be too much for the lighting system at Hagerstown. The municipal light plant was put entirely out of commission and the town remained in total darkness all night.

Emmitsburg was more fortunate, experiencing no inconvenience whatever during the entire course of the storm. This is due in a large measure to the many precautions taken by the Emmitsburg Electric Company to make sure that the users of the local plant should suffer no such annoyances under like circumstances.

Mountains of Culm Disappearing.

The mountains of culm or coal waste which break the sky line throughout the anthracite coal region of Pennsylvania and which were for many years considered a nuisance are now being made to serve a very useful purpose. There is at present a market for almost any grade of anthracite that will burn, and no more coal goes to the culm bank except for temporary storage and subsequent recovery by washers. These ranges of artificial hills, unsightly monuments to former waste, are contributing their share to the total coal production and are rapidly disappearing. Even the waste from culm-bank washers is being utilized, for it is flushed into the mines and partly fills old workings where it cements together and furnishes support to the roof when the coal previously left for pillars is removed.

Petition to Improve the Pike.

A petition addressed to the court at Frederick, which was filed last week in that city, states that the road of the Emmitsburg and Frederick Turnpike Company is unfit for use and asks either that it be put into proper condition or the collection of tolls be stopped. The following signed the petition:—Dr. Ira J. McCurdy, Dr. W. H. Kable, Dr. H. P. Fahney, Dr. E. G. Thomas, Hugh F. Willis, Chester M. Hauver, W. Harry Haller, E. T. Grove, George E. Albaugh and Jessie W. Kolb.

A Record Crop of Cherries.

Mr. Charles E. Cronhardt of Lutherville is the banner cherry raiser of Baltimore county. Four tons of them did he harvest and sell in the wholesale market in Baltimore for an average price of six cents a pound. Mr. Cronhardt says that in 50 years' experience of raising cherries he has never seen such a large crop. All of his trees, which are blackhearts and white wax, were raised and grafted by Mr. Cronhardt himself. It took three weeks to harvest the crop and fully one-half a ton was lost for lack of some one to pick them. Mr. Cronhardt and his family did the picking with the help of one extra man.

The Pennsylvania Railroad now pays pensions to 4,123 employees.



Thursday.

A committee of the new government is reported to have left Mexico City for Celaya, to arrange with the Constitutionalists for peaceful entry of the capital.

Preliminary arrangements for the trial of Mme. Henrietta Caillaux, wife of Joseph Caillaux, ex-minister of finance of France, on the charge of killing Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, were begun in the Paris Court.

Two memorial windows to Pocohontas presented to St. George's Church Gravesend, England, by the Dames of Virginia, were unveiled.

Gunboat Smith of America, lost to Georges Carpentier, of France, in the sixth round of their scheduled 20-round battle in London, for the white heavy-weight championship.

Haitien rebels were victorious in a battle on the road, from Cape Haitien to Milot.

Friday.

Two persons died in New York and four were overcome in Baltimore as a result of the excessive heat.

Fire and dynamite were used by strikers in the destruction of the tipples and head houses of two mines at Praire Creek, Ark.

A militant slashed with a butcher's clever the portrait of Carlyle in the National Portrait Gallery in London.

Mrs. Florence Carman was arraigned in the Supreme Court in Mineola, N. Y., on an indictment charging her with manslaughter in the first degree for having caused the death of Mrs. Louise Bailey, a patient of the defendant's husband, and was released on \$20,000 bail.

Six persons were killed and nineteen were injured near Norfolk, Va., when an excursion train hit a freight.

Ten persons were killed and property damaged to the extent of \$500,000 when a tornado struck Henderson, Ky.

Saturday.

7,000 Constitutionalists soldiers were ordered to the city of Mexico to preserve order in case of any disturbances.

Three persons were drowned in the waters of the Patapsco near Baltimore. The body of Miss Sophie Gensler, who is believed to have committed suicide, was found. H. Shapera, was drowned when he was seized with a cramp and Bernard Hensen, colored, fell from the Terminal pier.

Thirty thousand textile workers in the district of Forst, Prussia, were locked out by their employers as a result of a strike of 125 fullers.

Felix E. Anderson, assistant to the president of the St. Louis Terminal Railroad Association, was shot in St. Louis by a man who entered his office and demanded to see President McChester.

James Hemphill Taylor, a prominent attorney of Washington, D. C., shot himself through the mouth with a pistol at his home in Chevy Chase, Md.

Sunday.

Fire, followed by a gasoline explosion, destroyed the Blue Bird, the beautiful power yacht of E. P. Gavit, near Seabright, N. J.

Three men were killed and another seriously injured as the result of a fight in Allendale, W. Va., which arose from a disputed fence line.

Hindus on the Japanese steamer Kamagata-Mara at Vancouver, B. C., repelled a boarding party of armed guards.

He Was a President for 32 Seconds.

In the entire history of the world it is doubtful if there was ever a man who filled the highest office in a country for a shorter time than Pedro Lascurian. This man had the Unique experience of serving Mexico as its President for exactly 32 seconds. During the interval between the resignation of Madero and the beginning of Huerta's dictatorship in February, 1913.

Big Increase in State's Population.

Maryland's population has experienced a notable increase during the last four years, the gain in that time amounting to 45,729. Baltimore's population has taken a jump of 21,105 in the same period according to a recently issued bulletin.

sent by the Canadian Immigration Commissioner with bullets and streams of scalding water. Several men were wounded.

The Cuban steamer Cienfuegos and the Norwegian steamer Ragna were wrecked on the Cape Breton Coast, Nova Scotia.

Mme. Caillaux, whose trial began in Paris for the killing of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, was visited in prison by her husband, the former premier of France.

A balloon in the race for the grand prize of the French Aero Club crashed into the trees of the Tuileries Gardens, injuring the pilot, Georges Blanchet, and causing panic among the spectators.

Monday.

The torpedo-boat destroyer O'Brien was launched for the United States Navy at Philadelphia.

Lieut. Llewellyns Charles Hordern, a British military aviator, was killed at Portsmouth, England.

Three vessels went ashore off Scotian Island, and one went to pieces off Cape Sable Island, Nova Scotia.

The trial of Mme. Caillaux for the murder of Gaston Calmette, editor of Figaro, began in Paris. The defendant was on the stand all day, and gave a dramatic recital of the tragedy.

Representatives of all parties agreed to attend a round table, summoned by King George to consider the home-rule complications.

King George reviewed the home fleet of the British Navy, amounting to 400 ships, off Portsmouth.

Rear-Admiral, Francis M. Ramsay, retired, civil war veteran and at one time Superintendent of the Naval Academy, died at his home in Washington.

Tuesday.

President Wilson gave his sanction to criminal prosecution of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad based on disclosures recently made by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

King George, in an address at Buckingham Palace to the representatives of the various parties concerning the home-rule crisis, said the cry of civil war was on the lips of his people.

Sultan Ahmed Merza, the 16 year-old Shah of Persia, took the constitutional oath of office.

A hundred thousand workers went on strike in St. Petersburg.

M. Caillaux defended his wife and replied to political charges and calumnies in his statement before the court in the trial of his wife for the killing of Editor Calmette.

Wednesday.

Six persons died from the heat in Chicago and as many were prostrated.

Four children were killed, two are dying, and 40 boys and girls were injured as the result of a head-on collision of a church picnic car with a freight car on the Connecticut Company's trolley line, near Bridgeport, Ct.

The late Henry H. Rogers and D. Ogden Mills, New York millionaires, left estates of \$49,000,000 and \$36,536,791 respectively, according to appraisals filed in New York.

Many serious riots resulted throughout Russia from the strike of the street car men, which extended throughout the empire.

Haitien rebels made an attack on the capital, but were repulsed and those left behind were summarily executed.

Our Railroads Kill 10,150 Yearly.

Official figures compiled at Washington for the past year show that the railroads of the United States caused 10,150 deaths and injured 190,000 others. If the railroad had paid \$10,000 the maximum amount fixed by law as damages for death, for every life they took during the year which ended June 30, they would have paid \$101,500,000.

Consul General George H. Scidmore reports that, according to the new census, Tokio's population is 2,033,321, an increase of nearly 410,000 over that of 1909. The number of houses recorded is 519,735, an increase of 90,000.

The average length of human life is about 33 years and of 1,000 persons only one reaches the age of 100 years.

A DEMOCRATIC LOVE FEAST

Frederick Countian's Plan For a Big Harmony Meeting.

A get-together meeting and harmony picnic is to be held during the first or second week in August on the banks of the Monocacy river by the Democrats of Frederick County. At that time the wheels of the party organization will be set in motion for the Democratic congressional campaign in the Sixth district.

Senator John Walter Smith and Congressman D. J. Lewis will be the principal speakers. County Chairman, E. Austin Baughman, Chairman of the State Central Committee; Dr. Charles H. Conley and other leaders will also make addresses. Members of the State Committee will be guests of the county committee and the plan is for the two committees with Senator Smith and Congressman Lewis to talk over plans for the campaign. Party leaders are anxious to strengthen the organization, which in the past two campaigns has carried the county, notwithstanding it is normally Republican by from 500 to 600.

The primary object of the picnic is to harmonize the party preparatory to the big fight of 1915, when a full county ticket will be elected. For six years the Democrats have been gradually overcoming the Republican majority and the party wants to be sure that this will continue.

MARYLAND AUTOS INCREASE

Gain of 4,170 During Past Year Yields Revenue of \$190,000.

That the so-called business depression has not interfered with a remarkable increase in the ownership of automobiles is shown by figures recently compiled by State Commissioner of Motor Vehicles Harry A. Roe.

Marylanders are buying motor vehicles to such an extent as to indicate a most confident attitude toward the prosperity of the future.

The number of licenses for pleasure automobiles issued to date this year is 14,806, against 10,690 for the corresponding period last year. This is an increase of 4,170, or more than 38 per cent.

For merchandise motors the licenses this year reach 1,630, the number last year being 980. This is an increase of 650, or more than 66 per cent.

Revenues from licenses will reach \$190,000, a large increase over last year's collections. Commissioner Roe has been compelled to enlarge his office staff and has placed two additional inspectors on the road.

Petition For a New Road is Filed.

A petition to the Board of County Commissioners to build a new road near Emmitsburg was recently filed at Frederick. The petition asks for a road beginning at the Shoemaker road, between the lands of George S. Valentine and Mark R. Snider, the road to continue between the lands of the two and on along the line between Mr. Snider and Richard Hill to the Littlestown road. The distance is about a third of a mile and the petitioners ask that the road be 30 feet wide.

Those signing the petition were: George S. Valentine, John H. Ohler, Walter W. Shoemaker, R. G. Shoemaker, Mahlon T. Brown, Richard S. Hill, John Harner, Thomas A. Koontz, Charles E. Fink, Charles E. Eyer, Mervin L. Eyer, William L. Shoemaker, G. W. Harner and John H. Morningstar.

To Rebuild Burned Knitting Mills.

The work of reconstructing the Antietam hosiery knitting mills at Hagerstown, which were struck by lightning and burned recently has already begun. William Wingert an officer of the company has ordered machinery of modern type for the new factory. The Hancock branch mills of the company are filling rush orders.

It is understood the Windsor Knitting Mills Company, whose large factory was also struck by lightning and burned several weeks ago, will shortly start the work of rebuilding.

Hagerstown to Have a New Hotel.

Plans are being prepared for a new \$100,000 hotel in Hagerstown. The building is to be erected on the Southwest corner of the public square on the site now occupied by the Central Hotel, D. Ramacciotti, a wealthy fruit dealer is backing the enterprise. The new hotel will be built of brick with a marble front, and will be six or seven stories in height. There will be two large storerooms on the ground floor.

By using a system of automatic street lighting, the English city of Leeds expects to save the wages of 75 men or about \$28,000 a year.

RISE AND FALL OF HUERTA

AN ABSOLUTE CZAR

Until Mexico Became Too Hot For His Comfort

SUMMARY OF HIS DICTATORSHIP

An Epoch-Making Chapter in Mexican History Began With Treachery and Ended With His Inglorious Resignation.

The passing of Victoriano Huerta from the Mexican dictatorship is the last page of an epoch-marking chapter in the history of Mexico and North America, and makes it of interest to recall the whole of his brief reign as military czar as well as the events which made this absolute control possible.

President Taft was in the White House when the dictatorship began. Madero's troops mutinied within the city, Generals Huerta and Blanquet were without. Madero refused to resign and was thereupon arrested. For 32 seconds Pedro Lascurian was the president then Huerta declared himself president. Two days later Madero was mysteriously assassinated together with Suarez who had been vice-president; this left Huerta in absolute control with his forces in the city.

Taft during the latter days of his administration had refused to recognize Huerta and when President Wilson came into power he adopted the same policy. Great Britain and other European countries did accord him with recognition, but Argentina, Brazil and Chile refused to do so. For seventeen months President Wilson has firmly insisted that Huerta go, with Huerta refusing to relinquish his control over the country. The revolution against Huerta began in the state of Coahuila which adopted a resolution characterizing him as a usurper.

This was done under that clause of the Mexican constitution, which makes it the duty of the Mexican states to preserve the integrity of the nation and defend its constitution. General Carranza, then Governor of Coahuila, was designated as the proper authority to accomplish this end. Zapata, Salzar and Villa soon joined the constitutionalists and began the war.

In the meantime Henry Lane Wilson, the American Ambassador was recalled and Nelson O'Shaughnessy, was left in charge of American interests in Mexico.

Early in August it became known that President Wilson intended to send John Lind, former governor of Minnesota, to Mexico as his personal representative in an endeavor to arrange a basis for the republic's peace. Huerta announced that he would not tolerate foreign interference.

Nevertheless, Mr. Lind delivered his (Continued on page 2.)

Predicts Good Corn Crop for County.

Although the Bureau of Crop estimates of Maryland predicts that the corn crop in the State will undergo a slump this year, that of Frederick county is expected to be better than usual, in spite of the fact that farmers were late in planting.

County Farm Demonstrator Emory C. Rensburg declares that the conditions and indications for a bumper crop were never better and that Frederick county can certainly expect to harvest more than an average crop, unless something unforeseen swoops down on the county and the corn crop.

According to the statements issued by the United States Bureau of Agriculture Frederick county has an annual average yield of corn of more than two million bushels, which brings into the pockets of the farmers exactly \$1,107,350. Frederick county's yield in corn aggregates more than any other county of the State, and in some instances more than the combined yield of two counties. Frederick county is the one county of the State whose crop is valued at more than a million dollars.

Old Copper Mine is to Be Reopened.

The old Dolly Hyde copper mine, near Liberty, Maryland, will be opened for operation after lying idle for 50 years. It has three shafts, each 75 feet deep, and one 240 feet deep. The property is owned by the United Mining, Milling and Smelting Company. Thomas A. Dunshee, general manager. The Linganore mines owned by the same company, are being worked. Swedes will be imported to work the Liberty property.

The aluminum output was 72 1-3 million pounds last year in the United States. There has been a steady yearly increase since 1883, when only 83 pounds were produced.

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

Judges of Election who are to act also as Officers of Registration in the several Districts and Precincts of Frederick County, at the Primary and General Elections, for the year 1914. The first named in each District and Precinct is to represent the Republican Party, and the second the Democratic Party.

(Published in compliance with section 11 of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Elections," as enacted by Chapter 456 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910. "It shall be the duty of the said Board to examine promptly into any complaints which may be preferred to them in writing against the fitness or qualifications of any person so appointed judge and to remove any such Judge whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable.")

- Buckeystown, District No. 1, Precinct 1—Trego McKinney, John P. Graff.
- Buckeystown, District No. 1, Precinct 2—Charles W. Culler, C. Herbert Thomas.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 1—Shafer L. Rhodes, John H. Bennett.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 2—G. Ernest Bantz, C. B. Willard.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 3—A. A. Moser, Bernard J. Eader.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 4—Charles A. Jones, Joseph H. Bussard.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 5—Charles A. Landis, Hanson Maulsby.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 6—C. Elmer Hull, Spencer Zimmerman.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 7—Roger E. Young, John A. Kennedy.
- Frederick, District No. 2, Precinct 8—Millard F. Lease, Robert D. Humm.
- Middletown, District No. 3—James O. Palmer, A. W. Neikirk.
- Creagerstown, District No. 4—Roy W. Hankey, Charles E. Kolb.
- Emmitsburg, District No. 5, Precinct 1—W. D. Colliflower, Chas. R. Hoke.
- Emmitsburg, District No. 5, Precinct 2—James O. Harbaugh, James M. Kerrigan.
- Catoctin, District No. 6—N. R. Blickenstaff, Jno. W. Bradenburgh.
- Urbana, District No. 7, Precinct 1—Zacharias P. Harris, Jas. J. Beall.
- Urbana, District No. 7, Precinct 2—Charles L. Crawford, B. F. Ricketts.
- Liberty, District No. 8—Marcellus Beall, Dr. Thomas P. Myers.
- New Market, District No. 9, Precinct 1—Jacob W. Sponseller, Harry Wood.
- New Market, District No. 9, Precinct 2—Hiram J. Weast, Ferdinand D. Browning.
- Hauvers District No. 10, Precinct 1—Albert Anderson, Hiram L. Miller.
- Hauvers, District No. 10, Precinct 2—Harry S. Burman, Herman Hauver.
- Woodsboro, District No. 11, Precinct 1—Millard J. Phillips, Taylor H. Spurrier.
- Woodsboro, District No. 11, Precinct 2—Charles B. Shank, Charles W. Dorcus.
- Petersville, District No. 12—George E. Hightman, William Hoffman.
- Mt. Pleasant, District No. 13—William H. Ketrow, C. Harry Cramer.
- Jefferson, District No. 14—Joseph W. Darner, Hezekiah Botler.
- Mechanicstown, District No. 15, Precinct 1—Henry C. Foreman, Frank W. Fraley.
- Mechanicstown, District No. 15, Precinct 2—David G. Zentz, C. E. Layman.
- Jackson, District No. 16—John W. Kinaman, George Brandenburg, Jr.
- Johnsville, District No. 17—Tilghman L. Blessing, Daniel J. Whitmore.
- Woodville, District No. 18—John L. S. Aldridge, William H. Clay.
- Linganore, District No. 19—Oliver E. Miller, Stanley H. Sundrygill.
- Lewistown, District No. 20—Lester W. Green, Henry Stottlemeyer.
- Tuscarora, District No. 21—Albert L. Harley, Marshall L. Zimmerman.
- Burkittsville, District No. 22—Cecil D. Hightman, Charles C. Maught.
- Ballenger, District No. 23—Willis E. Derr, E. Charles Renn.
- Braddock, District No. 24—Millard F. Kefauver, Wm. C. Kaufman.
- Brunswick, District No. 25, Precinct 1—Charles H. Edmondson, Jacob H. Moler.
- Brunswick, District No. 25, Precinct 2—Martin L. Hofmaster, Amos Horine.
- Walkersville, District No. 26—Thomas J. Oland, John H. Jamison.

By order,
GARRETT S. DEGRANGE,
WILLIAM B. JAMES,
J. F. EISENHAUER,
Supervisors of Election.
Claggett E. Ramsburg, Clerk. 7-10-3

DEALER IN—
M. F. SHUFF, Furniture of all Kinds
FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER
W. MAIN STREET,
Emmitsburg, Maryland

LEGISLATION ON TUBERCULOSIS

48 States Have Laws of Different Kinds For Its Prevention.

Legislation dealing with tuberculosis has been enacted in 48 states and territories of the United States, according to a comprehensive bulletin on this subject soon to be published by The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. Only in the States of Arizona, Idaho, Nevada, Wyoming and Alaska, has the subject been given no legislative consideration.

State tuberculosis sanatoria in the number of 42 have been established in 33 different states. Special laws providing for the establishment of local hospitals by municipalities or counties have been passed in 14 states. In 34 states, laws are in force providing for the reporting and registration of living cases of tuberculosis. In four states, New York, New Jersey, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, special laws have been enacted giving state and local health authorities power to remove and detain tuberculosis persons who menace the health of their families or associates. Six states, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, New York, and Texas, have laws which give the people the privilege of voting at general or special elections on the establishment of county or municipal tuberculosis hospitals. Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Jersey, Wisconsin, and Washington grant subsidies ranging from \$3.00 to \$35.00 per week to such local hospitals. Laws prohibiting spitting in public places have been enacted in more than 20 states.

Commenting on the problem of state legislation as it affects the prevention of tuberculosis, The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis says, "A law providing for the reporting and registration of every living case of tuberculosis is fundamental to any thorough-going campaign against this disease. Without a knowledge of the location of every case of tuberculosis, the disease cannot be controlled. Of equal importance also is legislation which will give cities, towns, and counties the authority to establish and maintain local hospitals for tuberculous cases. The control of tuberculosis is a local problem. Everything possible should be done to provide institutions easy of access, especially for advanced cases."

Legislation in Maryland has provided the State Sanatorium, Sabillsville and by subsidies granted in 1906 and subsequently, has enlarged the scope of the Eudowood Sanatorium at Towson.

Within the past ten years legislation has been enacted in this State prohibiting promiscuous spitting, to reduce the danger to the public from the negligence of those having communicable diseases; providing for the reporting of tuberculosis cases throughout the state and registration by the State Board of Health; and prohibiting importation of cattle into the state unless tuberculin-tested.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1914 levy for State and County taxes has been made and the following discount is allowed on State taxes

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| JULY AND AUGUST | 5% |
| SEPTEMBER | 4% |
| OCTOBER | 3% |

The County Auditors will soon audit my books and all persons owing taxes for the year 1912 and 1913 are asked to make prompt settlement, otherwise I will have to proceed to collect by distraint.

Respectfully,
FREDERICK W. CRAMER,
July 17-4t County Treasurer.

JULY Clearance Sale

As is our policy and custom we make the month of July the time for general stock reduction---that is clearing decks as it were to get ready for Fall---much of which stock has been already contracted for.

In order to insure this CLEARANCE of a very large stock we are compelled to make prices unusually attractive; while the using season on most of the MARKDOWNS is at its height, and will continue until December ---the selling season is short for us.

This general PRICE CUT is not only on Odds and Ends and Remnants but is especially strong on Ready-to-Wear Lines and Yard Goods, much of which we cannot enumerate here for want of space as well as because some lots are small.

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| LADIES TAILORED SUITS | 23 SILK DRESSES | SPRING WEIGHT COATS |
| LATE SPRING MODELS A good selection of at least seventy-five Suits in a variety of sizes including large or stouts AT 1-2 PRICE AND SOME AT LESS THAN 1-2 A \$14.00 suit at \$6.90 A \$32.50 suit at \$12.90 and some cut on between prices. | Poplins, Messalines, Foulards Pongees &c. These are the very tip of the Spring styles, variety of colors and materials. Were \$12 to \$14 Now \$8.75 Were \$10 to \$11 Now \$6.75 An opportunity for a dressy house or street dress at a saving | So necessary for comfort for early morning and evening wear. AT A SAVING AT AN AVERAGE OF 1-3 This lot includes the new Cape styles, also "Wooltex," in styles and fabrics not seen in other makes. Sizes include Misses, and Children's. |

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Especially in Wash Silks, Foulards and Fancies, Wool Dress Goods includes goods suitable for Fall weight Coats as well as Suits and Street and house Dresses. A Saving of 1-4 and over.

Remnants for Waists and Shirts SOME AT ONE-HALF

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AN OPPORTUNITY FOR BOTH.

As a very large percentage of farm-bred boys find their chosen vocations in the cities, says the Monitor, "so a very large percentage of city-bred boys, if properly directed, might find con-

genial employment for their talent in the country."

As a matter of fact city-bred boys are constantly being directed countryward and are "making good" at farming while hundreds of country-bred boys, lured by city "advantages," are going to the bad as fast as the wheels of "pleasure" can carry them.

There are several reasons for this reversal of conditions. The most important are the youth of the land that are beginning to realize (1) that by every right the farmer should be and can be the most independent man on earth, (2) that the farmer is absolutely the only real producer, (3) that the field for experimentation is unlimited, (4) that the demand for the best at any price is constant, (5) that mother earth is capable of standing any burden placed upon her, if carefully and generously treated and protected, (6) and that scientific farming is only in its infancy; that there is no limit to its possibilities.

This is the stimulus that is actuating many a young man today; this is what is sending hundreds of city youths to the agricultural schools—the desire to apply specially acquired knowledge and science to farming; to cooperate with nature in her effort to aid the individual and mankind in general.

Observe the make-up and the methods of the "farmer" who says "farming doesn't pay." You'll find that he is shiftless, that he doesn't really work his land, that he is opposed to "book ideas" and willing to follow only the obsolete, haphazard processes indulged in by his "grandpap," who, all honor to him, existed in spite of his limited knowledge and his lack of opportunity.

"We believe," says the Monitor, "nine tenths of all the poor farming in the United States today is due to popular entertainment of the fallacy that it is only necessary to know a little about farming in order to farm successfully."

"A little"—there it is. One might just as well attempt to construct a modern office building by applying "a little" knowledge of architecture. One might just as well essay to cure "all the ills that flesh is heir to" with "a little" knowledge of medicine. In the one case bankruptcy would quickly follow; in the other, the death rate would go up by leaps and bounds.

Success in farming, as in everything else, is dependent upon study, science, headwork, application. And the best investment the older class of farmers can make to-day is to send their boys to an agricultural school; the wisest thing for the city-bred boy to do who exhibits any liking or aptitude for farming is to follow the same course—get out into the open, get next to the soil, become a producer, an independent being.

THE BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM.

The increase in the volume of advertising in county newspapers the country over shows conclusively that their value as mediums of publicity is getting to be recognized more and more each week. Time was, and not so long ago, when newspapers outside of the large centres contained a very limited amount of general advertising, that is, of wares and products manufactured or placed on the market by the larger concerns. Realizing that to cover

the entire rural field only county papers could accomplish the desired end the biggest corporations in the world are making use of the so-called country weeklies. Why?

"First and foremost in looking over the weekly newspaper field it must be remembered that the weekly is absolutely the leader of its locality," answers a writer on advertising as a science. "Instead of being hurriedly glanced over and thrown aside it is more often read from beginning to end, not only once but several times."

And another good point that he brings out is this:

"Remember that at least three-fourths of the country population can be reached in no other way than through the columns of the weekly newspaper. A thousand circulation in small town weekly papers is worth five times as much for advertising purposes as a thousand circulation of metropolitan daily papers."

If there ever was a doubt as to the pulling power of advertising in rural papers, it has been dispelled and the leading advertising experts of the country are one in giving the country weekly first place as the medium that cheaply, thoroughly and efficiently covers a given field.

A MOVING-PICTURE firm has just spent \$15,000 staging a railroad wreck. A few years ago they could have obtained the same results by adopting a watchful waiting policy on the New Haven.—Baltimore Star.

What an unnecessary expense! The moving-picture firm referred to could have saved \$14,750 by just camping along the W. M. R. R. for ten days. About \$50 would have covered all charges in snapping the wreck on Sunday when a "battleship" indented the ties for half a mile, pinked the edges of a trestle, hit the middle abutment of a bridge, turned a double somersault and landed in the Monocacy.

THE Howard County Post reached our exchange table last week. The Post, the only Republican paper in Howard County, is brimful of snap; is newsy and very wide-awake. The editorial column expresses the conviction of "the man behind the gun"—expresses it fearlessly and forcefully, and we predict that this new Maryland journal will make many Howard countians "sit up and take notice" as time goes on. Prosit!

The young man who has been jilted thinks that all the trouble in the world wears petticoats.—New York American.

And that the only woman a man can trust is the female figure on a silver dollar. Jack Mosby said so, anyhow.

The "Nit" Nott Got.

John Nott could not knit, so he invented a knitter which would knit and which Nott called the "Nott knitter." But the "Nott knitter" could not knit a knot, and Nott therefore had to tie the knots which the "Nott knitter" could not knit. But one day Nott, while not tying knots for the "Nott knitter," invented an attachment for the "Nott knitter" which could knit knots and which he called the "Nott knitter." And when the "Nott knitter" was attached to the "Nott knitter" the "Nott knitter" would knit the knots which the "Nott knitter" could not knit. And not a knitter could knit knots like the knots that Nott knit with the "Nott knitter" for the "Nott knitter."

Then Nott fell in love with a knitter who knitted knots with the "Nott knitter" for the "Nott knitter," and he asked her not to knit knots any longer, but to be a Nott forever. But the knitter said "Nit"—Ladies' Home Journal.

Trouble Ahead.

Book Agent—Madam, I was requested to call on you to show you this great work, "How to Cook Properly." Madam—Who sent you here? Book Agent—Your husband.—New York Press.

Have You Heard These?

"Are you going to Europe soon?" asked one New York girl. "No," replied the other. "Now that pa is out of local politics and high finance, I don't think we'll have to go to Europe so often."—Exchange.

"The fortune teller told my wife that a dark woman would cross her path and bring trouble into our home. And it came true!" You don't say so! "Yes. Our new cook took umbrage at something and smashed up the kitchen."—Washington Star.

Well Won.

"I got this cup for running." "Whoja beat?" "The owner and six policemen."—Harvard Lampoon.

Misplaced Sympathy.

"Mrs. White's servant girl put some gunpowder in the fire this morning and she was blown through the roof." "What a shame! Mrs. White always has trouble with her servants! That makes the fourth that has left her without giving notice."—Exchange.

Everybody Praised But Father.

"Poor Tompkins never gets any credit for what he does." "That's the fate of some men." "His secretary gets the credit for all the speeches he makes, his wife gets the credit for his manners, and his daughters get the credit for his ability to dance the maxixe."—Exchange.

But He Didn't Mean It.

Tourist—"You have an unusually large acreage of corn under cultivation. Don't the crows annoy you a great deal?" Farmer—"Oh, not to any extent."

Tourist—"That's peculiar, considering you have no scarecrows." Farmer—"Oh, well, you see, I'm out here a good part of the time myself."—Exchange.

Optimistic.

Young Levinsky—"More vinegar, mother."

Mrs. Levinsky—"You musn't take so much vinegar, Mosey. Dot vas bad for your sonstitution."

Mr. Levinsky—"Let him haf all he wants, Leah. If you stunt his growth he can ride on the railways all his life at half-price."—Exchange.

Economy!

Father and son went for a stroll one sweltering day recently. As they passed a vender of ice cream the boy turned to his father and said lovingly:

"I wish you'd buy me some ice cream, fader, I do feel warm."

His father gazed at him for a few seconds in mild surprise, and then exclaimed:

"No, no, Ikey, my boy; but I'll tell you vot I'll do. I'll tell you some ghost stories vot'll make your blood run cold."—Exchange.

In Order to Escape.

One day a young man entered a studio to be photographed. In posing he hunched his back, as if it were broken and twisted his face into a dreadful mask.

"Here," said the photographer, "what's the matter with you? Are you crazy?"

"Go on," he said. "Take me just as I am. You see, I'm trying to get out of an engagement with a girl, and I've written her that I've been disfigured in a motor accident, and I want to send her this photo to show how I look."—Exchange.

Obedient Willie.

The teacher wanted some plums in order to give an object lesson during school hours, and calling one of the small boys, she gave him 10 cents and dispatched him to the fruit stand down on the corner.

"Before you buy the plums, Willie," she cautioned, "you had better pinch one or two to make sure they are ripe."

Little Willie firmed away. Soon he came back and smilingly put the bag on the teacher's desk.

"Oh, thank you, Willie," said the teacher, taking up the bag. "Did you pinch one or two as I told you to do?" "Did I?" was the gleeful response. "I pinched the whole bagful, and here's your 10 cents."—From Ladies' Home Journal.

Didn't Look.

Some time ago a little girl rambled into a country grocery and, placing an earthen jar on the counter, asked for 10 cents' worth of molasses. Soon the jar was filled and, picking it up, the child started for the door.

"Hold on there, youngster," hastily intercepted the groceryman. "Haven't you forgotten something?"

"No, sir, I guess not," answered the girl, pausing and looking around. "What is it?"

"The money for that molasses," answered the grocer. "Don't give it away for an advertisement any more."

"I thought you got the money," was the startling rejoinder of the youngster. "Mother put it in the jar."—From the Philadelphia Telegraph.

Story of a Picture.

A picture which attracts everybody's attention at the Tate gallery by its position, its size and its striking beauty is that of a lady riding on a white horse through an archway into a courtyard. She is dressed in a green velvet riding habit of the time of Charles II., with a long red feather in her gray hat. On her left stands a page in an old gold velvet suit, with a dog by his side. This picture has a remarkable history, as well as numerous titles. The catalogue calls it "Equestrian Portrait," but it is also known as "Nell Gwynne," the name given it by Millais, and also sometimes as "Diana Vernon." The fact is that Sir Edwin Landseer left this picture unfinished. He painted the horse and its trappings, intending it for an equestrian portrait of Queen Victoria. But he died and left the picture unfinished, and it was sent to Sir John Millais, who painted his own daughter in this old riding costume, together with the page, the dog and the background. The picture was begun in 1870 and finished twelve years later.—London Citizen.

Habits of the Cuckoo.

It is quite a mistake to suppose that the cuckoo neglects her egg after she has deposited it in the nest of another bird, declared Oliver G. Pike, in a lecture at the Camera club. The cuckoo kept a watchful eye upon her treasure and should any accident befall it she laid another egg in another nest. Mr. Pike said he believed, although it was impossible to prove it, that the cuckoo laid its eggs in the nest of a bird of the same species as that by which it had itself been reared. Thus a cuckoo reared by a sedge warbler laid its egg in turn in a sedge warbler's nest. So wonderful was the spell which the young cuckoo exercised over other birds that he had seen birds other than its foster parents pause in their flight to feed it, giving it the food which was intended for their own young, and once he saw a young cuckoo fed by birds of five different species in succession.—London Spectator.

King Grasshoppers.

The champion aeronaut is the king grasshopper, which has the ability to jump 100 times its length. It can also sail for 1,000 miles before the wind. These grasshoppers sometimes go in such numbers that they make a cloud 2,000 miles in extent. Its great front lip hides a pair of jaws as effective as a fly chopper, and it has an appetite as voracious as that of a hippopotamus. A young chick finds itself shut inside the eggshell and must work its way out alone, but the young grasshoppers find themselves—the whole nestful—shut in a hardened case in the ground made by their mother, and it takes a half dozen of them working together to dislodge the lid which shuts them in.—National Geographical Society Bulletin.

Judging Distance.

Most people are unaware that the apparent distance of an object depends upon the use of both eyes. This fact, however, can be strikingly shown. Place a pencil so that two or three inches project over the edge of a table. Then stand alongside the table, close one eye and attempt to knock the pencil off by quickly hitting the projecting end with the tip of the forefinger. Almost invariably the person making the attempt underestimates the distance by an inch or more and, much to his surprise, misses the pencil entirely. One eyed people, accustomed to estimating distances with only one eye, of course have no trouble in hitting the pencil at the first trial.—St. Nicholas.

Straight Talk a Virtue.

Everybody respects the man who talks without circumlocution and who means what he says, whose tongue is not twisted and who goes right to the mark, never seeking to mislead or to misrepresent. Straight talk is a virtue that is practiced all too little. Imagine what a different world this would be if there were no other kind in business, in domestic affairs, in society, in diplomacy—between employers and workers, politicians and people, government and governed and in the professional and the business world! How large a part of many men's occupations would be gone if there was never anything but perfectly straight talk between man and man!—Christian Herald.

Funeral Festivals.

The Greeks and the Romans never prescribed chilling silence at funerals. On the contrary, they regarded them as festivals and entertainments and chose these occasions for the productions of their great plays. Every comedy of Phautus was first produced at a funeral celebration.

Making Up.

"Going to the dansant tonight, Clarice?" "I haven't made up my mind yet, Reg."

"For the love of Pete! Aren't you satisfied with what you do to your face?"—Cornell Widow.

Stationary.

Pessimist—Board going up, room rent going up, fee going up. Is there any thing in this blooming university that isn't going up? Optimist—Sure, my grades!—Wisconsin Sphinx.

Very Particular.

"You should launch out on the ocean of matrimony, my boy." "I might if I were sure of its being a Pacific ocean."—Boston Transcript.

The fool wanders; the wise travel.—Spanish Proverb.

Energy in the Sun.

At the distance of the earth from it (93,000,000 miles), the heat energy yearly expended by the sun is as great in amount as would be produced by the burning of sixty-six globes of the best anthracite coal, each as heavy as the earth, or 5,346 such globes, each equal in weight to the moon. But the greater part of this energy is, as far as we can see, expended upon empty space because, except where a planetary body is interposed in the path of the rays, there is nothing for them to act upon. Only about two-thousand-millionth of the sun's radiant energy is intercepted by the earth and only about one two-hundred-and-twenty-five-millionth by all the planets together. This makes the sun look like a gigantic spendthrift, but if he did not radiate in every direction he would not be seen from distant space; he would not be a star among the stars, and who can say that what he expends to make himself known and to maintain his rank in the universe, is not as well spent as the gratuities that he flings to his planets.—Garrett P. Serviss in Spokane Review.

How to Win.

This is an age of specialization, my boy, and the only men who succeed in a big way are those who pick out some particular line of work and live with it until they get to know more about it than most other fellows. Concentration, consistent and persistent effort in one direction is the surest road to success. You'll never win in a big way—except accidentally—if you scatter your energies. The best steam engine in the world would race itself to ruin without its governor. Keep your mind on your job, specialize in your particular business and try to know as much about it as the man who created it, and, barring misfortune, you'll make more out of that knowledge than you will out of any chance success outside of your business.—Maurice Switzer in Leslie's.

Personal Property.

A Cleveland attorney took the Mediterranean trip a month ago. It was his first time across the water, and he stated on his return that he would have had a perfectly glorious time but for the silly questions asked him by customs officials.

It was on the pier at New York that his woes came to a climax. "Open your trunk, please," commanded the custom house officer. "Have you anything in there but personal property?" he continued.

"What do you mean by personal property?" countered the lawyer.

"For heaven's sake! Don't you know what personal property is?" The officer looked up in amazement.

"I thought I did," answered the attorney, "and I can assure you that there is no real estate in my trunk."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Pepys' Library.

Pepys' library since 1724 has been in the possession of Magdalene college, Cambridge. Pepys directed in his will that his collection of books and manuscripts should be transferred on the death of his nephew, John Jackson, to either Trinity college or Magdalene college, Cambridge, and required that the college which received the books should submit to an annual visitation from the other, the purpose of which should be to ascertain whether the trust was being worthily fulfilled. "Could I be sure," Pepys wrote, "of a constant succession of heirs from my said nephew qualified like himself for the use of such a library, I should not entertain a thought of its ever being alienated from them."

Potato Juice Cure.

Potato juice as a remedy for sprains, lumbago, gout, rheumatism and bruises is recommended by Dr. Heaton C. Howard of London in an article in the London Lancet. He cites numerous cases in his own practice in which the pain has been relieved quickly, sometimes by the first application, and the fluid that has exuded into the joint or the membranes has been absorbed within a few days.

Potato juice is used as an ointment, a liniment or a plaster. The raw potatoes are squeezed in a hydraulic press. The starch and nitrogenous matter are removed and the juice boiled down until it is made five times as strong as when fresh. Glycerin is added to preserve it.

Sargent and His Pictures.

When Sargent has finished a picture he is heartily glad to see the last of it. The story goes that a royal visitor to his studio said, after looking over the pictures, "I wonder you can bear to part with them." "Sir," answered Sargent, "having finished a picture, I am like a hen which has laid an egg—Come and take it away, come and take it away! I exclaim. Its removal enables me to start another."—Sheffield (England) Telegraph.

His Role.

Magistrate—I understand that you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife? Witness—Yes, sir. Magistrate—Tell me, if you can, what he seemed to be doing. Witness—He seemed to be doing the listening.—Exchange.

Not to Be Denied.

Crawford—What does a bachelor know about women, anyhow? Crabshaw—Well, he evidently knew enough about them never to marry one of them.—New York Times.

Everything Lacking.

Personally I have met some men who if weighed in the balance would be found wanting everything, including the balance.—Galveston News.

MORE BANK TALK

Did it ever occur to you why all good business men keep a checking account with a bank? We'll tell you. It enables them to keep their funds in a more secure place than the office safe. It gives them a better standing in the business world. It enables them to pay their bills by check, the returned check being an undisputable receipt.

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HERE AND THERE



IN THE STATE

Pen-Mar—Five thousand persons attended the twenty-fifth annual reunion of the Reformed churches, of Maryland, Pennsylvania Virginia and the District of Columbia, which was held on Thursday.

Salisbury—Nathan T. Fitch a graduate of Yale and a prominent member of the bar of Wicomico county, died at his home here on Thursday, aged 81 years.

Port Deposit—The freight and passenger traffic of the Pennsylvania Railroad was badly crippled in this section by a heavy cloud burst on Thursday which washed sections of track into the Susquehanna river and tore holes 40 feet deep in the embankments.

Cumberland—Plans are completed for a new \$300,000 hotel which is to be erected here. It will be one of the finest in the State.

Hagerstown.—Edward W. Fleming has sold his 100-acre farm, in Clearfield district, to Jonas W. Eshelman for \$18,000.

Hagerstown—Alleging that her husband, John W. Hixon, had deserted her and that he owns \$8,000 worth of real estate, Bessie W. Hixon filed suit here for divorce. The couple were married in 1903 and have four children. Judge Keedy directed Hixon to pay her \$30 a month alimony pending the suit.

Hagerstown—J. W. Arnold, an inspector of the State Sanitary Board, is in Hagerstown inspecting the hotels, restaurants, canneries, groceries, confectioneries, ice cream factories, bakeries, slaughterhouses, etc., to ascertain if the sanitary and pure food laws are being enforced.

Mountain Lake Park—The annual election of the community of Mountain Lake Park resulted as follows: President, J. P. McKee; secretary, L. A. Rudisill, making his twentieth year in the position; treasurer, J. A. Enlow; street commissioner, J. L. Erhard; policeman, A. W. Miller; members of the annual committee, Dr. Carr and T. H. Cuppett.

Havre de Grace—Ralph Frederick, caretaker of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and grounds here, was arrested Friday night charged with forging the name of the Rev. James P. Fitzgerald to a check. Frederick claimed he committed the deed so that he could take a woman friend on an excursion to Tolchester.

Hagerstown—Fire destroyed the frame barn of Claggett Gordon, near Wilsons, late Sunday evening, together with one horse, several hogs, 800 bushels of wheat, 25 loads of hay and a lot of farming implements and harness, entailing a loss of \$1,800.

Hagerstown—The widow of Nathan Williams, who formerly owned old Fort Frederick, in the western section of Washington county, is in a serious condition at the home of her sister, Mrs. Katie Hopkins, at Half Way, as the result of falling from a window 15 feet, sustaining a broken hip and other injuries.

Hagerstown—The Western Maryland Railway Company settled with Mrs. Mary A. Stuart, widow of William St. Clair Stuart, who was killed in the company's yards in Hagerstown last spring. Mrs. Stuart was paid \$2,000 and the children, William A. St. Clair and Richard St. Clair, \$1,000 each.

Annapolis—Julian Brewer, a member of one of the oldest families of Anne Arundel county, died at his home here on Thursday. The Brewers settled in Maryland in 1649.

Oakland—To tap a large vein in Garrett county shown to be first-class in every respect, the Davis Coal and Coke Company has built a standard gauge railroad, beginning at Wilsonia, W. Va., a distance of about three miles to the new town near Fairfax stone, which marks the headwaters of the Potomac river.

Hagerstown—Treasurer Harry H. Harman paid the last installment on the debt of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church here, of which the Rev. Dr. Charles L. Pate is pastor. The church, located on North Potomac street, was erected 29 years ago at a cost of \$60,000.

Hagerstown—Thomas Grady, one of the pioneer settlers of Hagerstown, died at the home of his son, Frank Grady, in Washington, on Monday, aged 85 years. He was a native of Ireland, but emigrated to Hagerstown at the age of 14.

Federalsburg—The Dorchester stand-

ard, the only Republican newspaper in Dorchester county, which suspended publication two months ago, has been purchased by Albert H. Laing, of Federalsburg, who will enlarge the plant and begin publishing the Standard again. The paper will still be Republican in politics. Mr. Laing expects to issue his first paper the first Saturday in August.

Annapolis—Lieut. William von Marsano, of the Austro-Hungarian Army, was a recent visitor to the Naval Academy. He is on a tour of this country and came to Annapolis from Washington. Commander C. B. Preston, acting superintendent of the Academy, entertained Lieutenant Marsano at luncheon.

Easton—The largest yield of wheat reported in Talbot county is that of Carroll Dudley, on his Kingston farm, near Easton. On 40 acres he raised 2,000 bushels, or 50 bushels to the acre.

Easton—August Meir, of Minnesota, has purchased the farm of A. H. Carstens, in Chapel district, about six miles from Easton, containing about 110 acres, for \$5,500.

Annapolis—A party of 25 school teachers who are attending the summer instruction school at the Johns Hopkins University came to Annapolis on a sight-seeing tour Saturday.

Frostburg—The fifteenth annual reunion of the Junior Order United American Mechanics of Allegany county was held at Frostburg Saturday. There were nearly 2,000 men in the parade with four bands. After the parade an address was delivered by State Senator Frederick N. Zihlman.

Annapolis—All of the 250 midshipmen of the new fourth class at the Naval Academy were inoculated with the typhoid serum by the naval surgeons at the academy dispensary.

Cumberland—The Potomac glass company, of this city, for the year just ended has declared a dividend of 92 per cent.

Hagerstown—Closing the door and windows of her room, Mary Robinson, 16 years old, daughter of Western Maryland Train Dispatcher Harry R. Robinson, attempted suicide by turning on a gas jet at her home on Sunday evening.

Belair—John Alto Donna and Pete Higgen of Baltimore were arrested as horse thieves on Sunday. They had stolen three horses near Texas, Md.

Westminster—The cornerstone of a new Lutheran church, to cost about \$15,000, was laid with appropriate ceremonies, at Manchester, Sunday morning. The cornerstone of the old church bears the date 1760.

Crisfield—Upon the recommendation of the County Commissioners, Somerset county is to inaugurate a "Good Roads" campaign. Property owners have pledged co-operation.

Hagerstown—Hubert Smith, the 11-year-old son of James Smith, living near Littlestown had both his feet cut off by falling into the knives of a mowing machine driven by his father on his farm Wednesday. The boy was running after a rabbit in the field and collided with the machine.

Hagerstown—Unknown persons invaded the cemetery at Fort Loudon recently and overturned the tombstones and monuments on twenty graves. Some of the tombstones were broken. The police are after the culprits.

Havre de Grace—Three laborers were practically blown to pieces by an explosion of dynamite at the Casparia stone quarry near here.

Rockville—According to the annual report of County Treasurer Berry E. Clark, the total receipts of Montgomery county for the year ending June 30 were \$356,327.66 and the total expenditures \$353,998.64, leaving a balance of \$2,329.02. Roads cost \$110,885 public schools \$55,000 and bridges \$25,563.

Hagerstown—Andrew Jenkins, a boatman on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, is ill with smallpox on his boat two miles south of Hancock. The boat has been quarantined under the direction of Dr. D. A. Watkins, county health officer. The case is reported serious.

Hagerstown—The School Commissioners for Washington county appointed A. R. Spaid, former superintendent of the public schools of Dorchester county, supervisor of the schools of this county, to succeed George S. Messersmith, of Wilmington, Del., who was appointed over a month ago, but resigned to accept a position in consular service.

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PERSONALS.

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

Rev. John Gardner Murray, of Baltimore, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Robert Horner, of Baltimore, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Wade Stonesifer was in town Saturday.

Misses Belle Rowe and Annabelle Hartman were in Baltimore last week.

Mr. D. O. Lambert, of Hagerstown, was here this week.

Mr. Kavanaugh Baker and Miss Celeste Kelly, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Grace Favorite who spent several weeks here, has returned to Hagerstown.

Miss Marie Sebold, of Baltimore, is spending the week here, with relatives and friends.

Rev. L. B. Hensley attended a special meeting of the Y. M. C. A. in Baltimore on Monday.

Miss Adele Minnich, of Carlisle, Pa., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Harner, Messrs. Edward Harner and Felix Diffendal and Miss Mary Felix were in Frederick, Hagerstown, Boonsboro and Waynesboro on Sunday.

Messrs. Guy and Lewis Motter, of Frederick, were in Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

Mrs. Murray Galt Motter and son, Jamie, of Washington, D. C., are visiting the Misses Motter.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Patterson, Misses Helen and Bessie Hoke, Ruth Patterson, Grace Rowe, Hazel Patterson and Mr. Harvey Routzan attended the Lutheran Reunion at Pen Mar on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Annan and children spent Wednesday at Pen Mar. Mrs. John S. Boyle and children, Messrs. James S. Boyle, John J. Boyle and Miss Margaret Boyle are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James H. Boyle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kerschner, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are the guests of the Misses Motters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dubel, of Motter's Station, Miss Edith Williar and Mr. William Weant, of Sabillasville, Mrs. Mary Hockensmith and Mr. Elridge Waesche spent Sunday with Mr. Emory Ohler and family.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Stonesifer were: Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Saylor, of Motter's Station and Miss Maude Byers, of Emmitsburg. Messrs. Bryan Byers and Charles Bushman, of Emmitsburg, and Mr. Allen Bollinger, of Taneytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke, Mrs. William Rosensteel and children and Miss Fannie Hoke have returned from a visit to Carlisle.

Mrs. William Rosensteel and children, have returned to Baltimore after spending several weeks here.

Messrs. John Wagerman, Robert Burdner, Guy Topper and Edgar Dukehart took an automobile trip to Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday.

Mr. John Sheib who has been visiting here for some time returned to Baltimore on Thursday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Louise Beam.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wisensale, of Manatee, Florida, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hartman. Mr. Wisensale is Mrs. Hartman's father.

Mr. Ulysses Johnson, of Newcastle, N. B., Canada, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hartman.

Thought to be Dead, Estate Settled.

The estate of Rowe K. Shriver, supposed deceased, formerly of Emmitsburg district, but of whose whereabouts nothing has been known for the past seven years, has been settled in the Frederick county courts. As far as law is concerned Mr. Shriver is dead, although in reality he may be living somewhere in the West. However no word from him has ever been received by his relatives here so the estate was legally settled up.

Mrs. Charles Landers and Miss Ella Shriver, of Emmitsburg, are sisters of the supposed deceased man.

Charles P. Rehill Married.

Charles P. Rehill, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rehill, of White Plains, N. Y., was married at St. John's Rectory, that place, on Wednesday, July 15th to Miss Grace M. Purdy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Purdy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Purdy, of Hartsdale. Only members of the immediate families attended the ceremony. A wedding breakfast followed at the home of the bride. Mr. Rehill, who is well known in and about Emmitsburg having been at one time a student at Mount St. Mary's College, is assistant circulation manager of the White Plains Daily Argus.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Readings from The CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, July 24th, 1914.

| | 8 A. M. | 12 M. | 4 P. M. |
|-----------|---------|-------|---------|
| Friday | 82 | 86 | 90 |
| Saturday | 86 | 90 | — |
| Monday | 74 | 79 | 82 |
| Tuesday | 79 | 89 | 90 |
| Wednesday | 82 | 88 | 90 |
| Thursday | 88 | 92 | 94 |

Mr. J. T. Gelwicks has had his property on Frederick St., occupied by Mr. Elmer Lingg, reroofed with Cortright Metal Shingles.

The large steps in front of the saloon of Mr. J. B. Elder, were torn away this week and new cement ones were erected in their stead.

Misses Eva, Anna and Bessie Rowe, entertained a number of their friends at Five Hundred last Friday.

A large number of people from here attended the Reformed reunion at Pen-Mar, last Thursday.

Miss Marion Hoke entertained at Five Hundred Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Hartdagen, of this place, has moved to Harney, where he has opened a shop and will work at his trade of repairing shoes and harness.

Miss Anna Felix has joined the members of Kamp Kill Kare, at Knoxlyn, for their sixth annual outing.

A large crowd of people from Emmitsburg attended the baseball game at Monterey on Tuesday.

The members of the Grand Army attended the dedication on Sunday, of the monument erected by Mrs. Edward Heffner, at Thurmont, to the memory of the men who fell in battle and whose burial place is unknown.

The Pen-Mar Presbyterian Reunion will be held on Thursday, July 30th. The address will be made by the Rev. E. T. Jeffer, D. D., L. L. D., of York, Pa. whose theme will be "John Witherpoon." The Aeolian Quartette, of Harrisburg, Pa., will sing.

Nearly everyone in Emmitsburg is enjoying watermelons this week at ridiculously low prices owing to the fact that a carload of the Georgia fruit consigned to this place and unclaimed was sold by the Railroad Company for the transportation charges.

Albert McNulty who was operated on for appendicitis several weeks ago at the Mercy hospital, Baltimore, has returned home greatly improved.

FESTIVAL NOTICES.

Notices of Festivals, Church Entertainments, etc., will be charged for at the rate of Five (5) Cents a line for the first insertion and Three (3) Cents a line for each additional insertion. Ten (10) cents extra for black face heading, the first insertion; Five (5) cents thereafter.

Sham Battle to be Held at Frederick.

Plans have been made for a sham battle between Company A, of Frederick, under command of Capt. John Markey, and Company B, of Hagerstown, under Capt. John Kyd Beckenbaugh. Col. Charles A. Little, of the First Regiment, will be referee. The Frederick army will be the Reds and the Hagerstown army the Blues. About 5,000 rounds of ammunition will be distributed between the two "armies." A military picnic will precede and a dress parade drill and minstrel show will follow in the auditorium.

The date for the battle has not yet been definitely decided, but will be during the month of August.

Some Taurus, This

Mother Goose chronicles the wonderful doings of the cow that jumped over the moon and the antics of the bull in the china shop are known to all, but Emmitsburg claims the blue ribbon for the prize animal of the genus taurus. 'Twas Tuesday—the bull was fleet of foot and inquisitive. He ambled along the pike, approached the grain elevators, looked in, took a flying leap to the six-foot platform, walked through the warehouse, examined the machinery, passed through the building and with head and tail up in the air made a high dive through another door and made for the open. Caramba!—no "vast audience," no matador, none to applaud.

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CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC

Mass, Sunday 6 and 9 a. m.
Vespers, Sunday 7:00 p. m.

ST. ANTHONY'S

Mass, Sunday at 7:00 and 10:00 a. m.
Catechism, 9:00 a. m.
Vespers, 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, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.
Service, 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Vesper Service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

TOM'S CREEK M. E. CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.
Preaching, Alternate Sundays, 10:00 a. m.

BEWARE OF THE ARMY WORM

Pest Found in 30 Pennsylvania Counties and is At Our Doors.

The notorious and much despised "army worm" is doing an immense amount of damage in sections of Pennsylvania and Maryland. It has ravaged Philadelphia, is present in thirty counties of the Key Stone State and has entered Maryland as far as Frederick.

Many of Baltimore's most beautiful suburban lawns and gardens are completely ruined. The pest has been moving South rapidly and within the past week has made its way into Frederick and different parts of the county.

The leucania unipuncta, as the "army worm" is called by the wise ones, take just six hours to completely destroy a large lawn, and give it the appearance of having been scorched by the sun in a six-week drought. The worm cuts the grass off sharply near the roots, but leaves all the weeds standing, for the pest is fastidious in its diet.

The entomologist explained that the worm comes from the egg of a noctuid moth. This is about the size of the head of a pin. It is born in a swamp or where the grass has been uncut for several years, and migrates for food when it is a mere baby a sixteenth of an inch long. It likes garden truck grass and grains, but won't climb trees or bushes in search of leaves.

The pest may be at our doors and on our lawns at any minute for it has been making headway in the county. A field of 40 acres on the farm of Mr. George Harmon, at Araby, near Frederick was entirely taken possession of by the worm.

Turkeys, hogs and chickens are deadly enemies of the "army" but usually can make no impression on the worm because of the immense numbers in which they appear. There are numerous varieties of poisons recommended by the Department of Agriculture, but the great trouble with these remedies for farmer's use is that the poisons will kill chickens, stock and so on. The best method to apply to a field infested by the "army worm" is to set fire to it.

Most effective of all for lawns, has proved the paris green mixture of 10 pounds of bran or middings, quarter pound of paris green and a pint of molasses made into a paste and scattered over the infested areas. When this remedy is applied to lawns, dogs and cats must be kept away inasmuch as they might lick their feet and be poisoned by the deadly paris green.

Big line of Cameo Brooches, Lavalieres, Rings and Scarfs at McCLEERY'S NEW JEWELRY STORE, 7-24-2 Frederick, Md.

Bishop Murray Returns.

Bishop John Gardner Murray and Mrs. Murray who spend a part of each summer in Emmitsburg, arrived in Baltimore from New York last week after a pleasant trip in England, Scotland and Wales.

"Our trip was delightful from beginning to end," said Bishop Murray. "We both enjoyed it very much and feel much rested and benefited. From London we went to Glasgow, from there to Edinburgh and through Wales. We visited the Cathedral country and saw about 20 cathedrals. I was much interested and got many ideas for our cathedral here."

RAISE DUCKS EASILY

By feeding Rein-o-la Poultry Mash. June 12-tf Reindollar Bros. & Co.

The Massachusetts General Hospital, since its inauguration of a systematic treatment for baldness, has been swamped with patients.

THE WEEK AT THE COUNTY SEAT
Chronicle of Happenings at Frederick
City and in the Courts.

Edward Beall, of Cedar Grove, fell backward 15 feet to the barn floor from a load of hay, breaking both arms and his nose. He was taken to a hospital in Washington for treatment.

Fabian Posey, who for the past seven years conducted the Examiner, a weekly Republican newspaper of Frederick, has leased the paper and equipment to William T. Dantz, of West Grove, Pa., who assumed charge last Monday. Mr. Dantz was for 10 years postmaster at West Grove, and recently sold a paper which he published there. He will continue the paper as a Republican weekly.

Brainard H. Warner, Jr., of Kensington, Montgomery county, filed with the Election Supervisors Friday, notice of his candidacy for the Republican Congressional nomination in the Sixth district.

Citizens of Middletown are planning for a home-coming week beginning with September 13. All former residents of the towns of Middletown Valley will be asked to return to the native heath. Athletic events, an agricultural day, an industrial day and other features will be planned for the week, which will be made a general holiday.

The Board of Aldermen on Wednesday night decided to pave Court Square, including Court and Record streets and the first block West Second street, with amiesite, the work to be done under the direction of the City Engineer. About 5,000 square yards will be paved and will make a great improvement in the heart of the city.

The annual reunion of Methodists of the county will be held at Braddock Heights August 14. The Rev. Benjamin S. Haywood, of Washington will be the principal speaker.

Farmers are busy threshing a bumper wheat crop. The yield in Middletown, Bakers and the Glade Valleys will in places show from 35 to 40 bushels an acre. Ernest Speak, on the Trail farm, near Frederick, thrashed 39 bushels an acre. The entire yield for the county is estimated at from 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 bushels.

During a heavy storm on Friday afternoon, lightning struck and totally destroyed the barn on the farm of John Flook, at Bolivar, three miles west of Middletown. The loss was \$800.

A unique marriage ceremony was performed last week at Hagerstown when Miss M. J. Degrange, of Middletown, and John S. Kavanaugh, of Ijamsville, Md., were married. The bride and groom are mutes and graduates of the Maryland School for the Deaf, at Frederick. The ceremony was performed in the deaf and dumb language.

By request Jesse P. Hann, Republican, fireman at the jail, tendered his resignation to the County Commissioners Tuesday and was succeeded by Jesse P. Schell, Democrat. Charles Speak, Republican, a warden at Montevue Hospital, has been asked to resign, and Miss Dollie Hendry, head nurse has resigned. Other changes at the hospital are slated. The Commissioners in making the changes say they are reducing expenses.

The canning factories in Frederick and the county are busy overhauling their machinery for the coming canning season which should be the best in years.

DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE.

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LOST.—Between Emmitsburg and Thurmont on Sunday afternoon, Blue Serge Coat. Finder please return to MRS. EDGAR STANSBURY, Emmitsburg, Md.

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EMORY C. CRUM Civil Engineer and Constructor, Third Floor City Hall, Frederick, Phone 634 and 513-R. Land Surveys, Water Supply, Sewers, Paving, Reinforced Concrete, Railways. Plans for all kinds of buildings. July 17-14.

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CORSET COVERS, 50c. Of nainsook; trimmed with lace insertion and edge; others trimmed with embroidery edge.

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PETTICOATS, \$1.00. Of nainsook; trimmed with insertion and ruffle of embroidery.

PRINCESS SLIPS, \$1.00. Of nainsook; trimmed with lace insertion and lace edge; lace straps over shoulder; foot is also trimmed with lace.

ENVELOPE CHEMISE, \$1.00. Of nainsook; trimmed with lace insertion and edge.

COMBINATION GARMENTS, \$1.00. Of nainsook; corset cover and drawers trimmed with embroidery edge.

WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES, \$1.15.

The price is special. They are of black-and-white striped gingham, with collar and cuffs of plain chambray; front of waist and cuffs trimmed with embroidery edge. Other House Dresses, \$1.00 to \$4.00.

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ACROSS THE LINE

Gettysburg:

On August 28 the graduates of the various soldiers' orphans' schools in the State will come to Gettysburg as the third day of their convention in Harrisburg. They are known as "Sixteeners" from the fact that sixteen was the age which soldiers' orphans were formerly dismissed from the various institutions.

At the examination held for letter carrier held at the local postoffice on last Saturday, thirteen applicants appeared for examination.

Miss Marion Sheely, of Springs Avenue, has accepted a position as instructor in the High School of Tower City. Miss Sheely was graduated from Gettysburg College with the class of 1914 and is well known among the younger set of town.

The Lincoln Highway Garage has installed a large gasoline tank in the pavement in front of its place on Chambersburg St. for the convenient handling of the business of supplying transient cars.

H. P. Barbehenn, of North Stratton St. celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday on Sunday, July 19th.

Fairfield:

Edward P. Brown has sold his farm, part of which is within the borough limits, to John E. Brown, of Highland township.

The festival held by the Lutheran Mite Society was a successful one. Ninety-three dollars was the gross receipts.

Dr. J. F. Mackley left on Friday morning for a Baltimore Hospital, where he will undergo treatment.

Mrs. Ruth Haugh and children, of Baltimore, are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Marshall.

Mrs. Phillip Harbaugh and children, of Pittsburg, are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Justice of the Peace J. Harry Lowe spent last Sunday at Pen-Mar and Waynesboro.

Miss Ruth Rentzel, of Waynesboro, is visiting friends here.

J. Arthur Spangler, Justice of the Peace of Hamiltonban township, and Constable John E. Reese, transacted business in Gettysburg on last Monday.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Miss Mary Miller has returned to her home in Waynesboro after spending three weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shorb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shorb spent Sunday with their cousin Mr. George Shorb.

Mr. James Bouey, Jr. is able to work again.

Miss Lilly Dicken spent Sunday with Miss Emma Shorb.

Misses Mary Weant and Harriet Beam spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell.

Mr. John Eyer and mother were in Baltimore last week.

Miss Margie Black, of Carlisle, spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Black.

Mrs. Dorry Bollinger and son, Richard, spent a day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Dotterer and daughter, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders.

Mr. Charles Baker has returned from the hospital much improved.

Mrs. Alfred Manahan is suffering from a very sore hand.

Miss Blanche Baker, of Waynesboro, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy McCleaf spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Shorb.

Miss Mary Topper spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. James Bouey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flenner and Mr. Roy Shorb were in Thurmont Sunday.

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MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

The Seventeenth annual picnic at St. Anthony's will take place in the church grove next Saturday with many new features this year. The Detour Band will furnish the music in the evening. This band needs no introduction. The Bowling dart board and shooting galleries will be on the campus. Two games of baseball; the first game at 2 P. M. with the St. Anthony boys of by gone days will play the present team.

The second game is still undecided. The chief feature after supper will be the flag raising on the church lawn at 7 P. M. A new pole has already been erected for the occasion. Come all and pay honor to old glory who this year celebrates her centennial.

St. Anthony's were defeated Saturday by Thurmont 19-0. Sunday the Mt. St. Mary's Summer team handed them a defeat 5-1.

Mrs. Edw. Wilkinson, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting in this locality.

Mrs. Early and son Francis, of Wilmington, who has been visiting in this locality has returned home.

The stone quarry at the college opened on Monday.

The mason work on the new engine room at the College is about completed.

Notes and Remarks Both Personal and Pertinent By "Country Contributor."

Miss Anna Jordan, of Pittsburg, is visiting her brother, Mr. John Jordan.

Mr. Harry Coffey, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Mahon, of near Mt. St. Mary's.

Mrs. K. R. Mann, of Washington, who is spending the summer months in Thurmont, spent Tuesday visiting Mrs. Moore and family.

Miss Joe Cretin, of Hagerstown, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. D. Moore, at their home "Loretto Cottage," near Mt. St. Mary's.

Mr. John Burke, of New York City, is visiting friends in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. James Seltzer gave a dinner on Sunday at which all their children were present, also their little grandson "Billy Buster," and the Misses Wagner, Grant and Barry.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hammar, and the Misses Mary A. Hammar, Margaret Hammar, Emma K. Hall, of Baltimore, Miss K. Delaney, of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenk, (nee Lelia Cretin) of Philadelphia, Pa., and Miss Julia Boswell, of Clear Spring, Md., are spending July as the guests of the Misses Corry at "Hillside."

Miss Louise Cassidy, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Mary Schofield at "Carmel Cottage."

Mrs. Charles Fitz and family, of "Reservoir Cottage," spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Krug.

What might have been a serious accident happened early on Sunday morning when a horse attached to a buggy occupied by two elderly persons slipped coming down the hill at the "Race Bridge," and fell, cutting gushes in its knees and jarring the occupants severely. Several men who happened to be passing lent their assistance.

LOYDS AND VICINITY.

Mr. Harvey M. Pittenger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pittenger and family, for a few days last week.

Miss Cora L. Pittenger, of New Windsor, spent a few days last week with her cousins, Misses Elsie and Belva Robinson, of this place.

Mrs. Ethel Tressler, of Rocky Ridge, spent a day with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie C. Pittenger.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pittenger and family of this place were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Moser, Mr. Samuel Renner, of New Midway, Mrs. Lillie Harbaugh and son, Jessie, of Key Mar, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Pittenger, of Rocky Ridge, Misses Beulah, Edith, Ruth and John Tressler, of Loy's, Mr. Calvin G. Colbert, of Graceham, Mr. Amos Arnold, of Rocky Hill, Mrs. Minnie Vanfossen and son, John, of Baltimore.

FRIENDS' CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kipe and family and Mrs. R. L. Eyer and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ferguson, of Harbaugh Valley.

Miss Martha Duffy is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Duffey.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eyer and son, Merle, of Motter's, are visiting at the home of Mr. Martin Eyer.

Misses Alice and Lucy Adelsberger, of Eyer's Valley, spent Friday at the home of Mr. W. H. Kipe.

Misses Bertha Anderson and Annie Eyer, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jacob Turner.

Miss Ruie Kipe has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Amos Ferguson, of Harbaugh's Valley.

The annual Sunday School convention will be held at the church at Friends Creek beginning Saturday evening at 7.45, also the following Sunday July 25-26, 1914. There will be service Sunday morning at 9.30 A. M. Children service at 2 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M.

MARKET REPORTS.

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

| EMMITSBURG, July, 24 | |
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| Country Produce Etc. | |
| Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke. | |
| Butter | 16 |
| Eggs | 12 |
| Chickens, per lb. | 12 |
| Spring Chickens per lb. | 18 |
| Turkeys per lb. | 10 |
| Ducks, per lb. | 10 |
| Potatoes, per bushel | .75 |
| Dried Cherries, seeded | 10 |
| Raspberries | 15 |
| Blackberries | 4 |
| Apples, (dried) | 4 |
| Lard, per lb. | 11 |
| Beef Hides | 10@11 |

LIVE STOCK.

| Corrected by Patterson Brothers. | |
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| Steers, per 100 lb. | 6.00@7.50 |
| Butcher Hefers | 5.25 |
| Fresh Cows | 25.00@30.00 |
| Flat Cows per lb. | 8@15 |
| Bulls, per lb. | 5@6 |
| Hogs, Fat per lb. | 9@10 |
| Spring Fat per lb. | 8@9 |
| Spring Lambs | 6@7 |
| Calves, per lb. | 7@8 |
| Stock Cattle | 6@7 1/2 |

| BALTIMORE, July 24 | |
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| WHEAT—spot, 86 | |
| CORN—spot, 75 | |
| OATS—White, 41 1/2@42 1/2 | |
| RYE—Nearby, 65 @ 69 bag lots, 60@70 | |
| HAY—Timothy, \$19.50@20.00; No. 1 Clover \$17.00@17.50 No. 2 Clover, \$14.00@15.00. | |
| STRAW—Rye straw—fair to choice, \$13 1/2@14 No. 2, 12.50@13.00; tangled rye blocks \$11.50@12.00. | |
| wheat blocks, \$8.00@8.50; oats \$8.00@8.50 | |
| POULTRY—Old hens, 18 young chickens, large, 20@22; small, 18@19 Spring chickens, Turkeys, | |
| PRODUCE—Eggs, 20; butter, nearby, rolls @17 Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 18 1/2 | |
| POTATOES—Per bu. \$1.00@1.10 No. 2, per bu. 75@80 New potatoes per bbl. \$4.50@4.50. | |
| JATTLE—Steers, best, 7@7 1/2; others 6@6 1/2; Hefers, 4@5; Cows, \$ 4@5; Bulls, 3 1/2@4 1/2; Calves, 2 1/2@3; Fall Lambs, 7@8; spring lambs 8@8 1/2; Shoats, 4.00@5.00; Fresh Cow | |

State of Maryland State Roads Commission

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Proposals for building one section of State Highway as follows: Contract No. 0246—Frederick County: one section of road through Middletown, about 1.36 miles in length. (Macadam or Concrete.) will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland until 12 M. on the 4th day of August, 1914, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Bids must be made upon the blank form contained in the book of specifications. Specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and a cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission. The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts. The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the State Roads Commission this 15th day of July, 1914. O. E. WELLER, Chairman. WM. L. MARCY, Secretary. 7-24-2t

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

NO. 9150 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity. MAY TERM, 1914.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 20th day of July, 1914. Carrie M. Fuss and Charles R. Fuss vs. Elmer L. Fuss, et al.

ORDERED, That on the 20th day of August, 1914, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Charles R. Fuss and Eugene L. Rowe, trustees in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$7545.38. Dated this 20th day of July, 1914. HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County. True Copy—Test: HARRY W. BOWERS, Eugene L. Rowe, Solicitor. Clerk. July 24-4ts

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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SYNOPSIS.

Book I.

CHAPTER I—Rudolph Van Vechten, a young man of leisure, is astonished to see a man enter No. 1313, a house across the street from the Powhatan club. The house has long been unoccupied and is spoken of as the House of Mystery.

CHAPTER II—Several persons at regular intervals enter No. 1313.

CHAPTER III—Van Vechten expresses concern to his friend, Tom Phinney, regarding the whereabouts of his cousin and fiancée, Paige Carey. A fashionably attired woman is seen to enter the House of Mystery. A man is forcibly ejected from the house. Van Vechten and Tom follow the man and find him dead in the street.

CHAPTER IV—Van Vechten is attracted by the face of a girl in the crowd of onlookers surrounding the body. Later he discovers the girl gazing at him with a look of scorn from the windows of the mysterious house.

CHAPTER V—Detective Flint calls on Van Vechten to get his version of the tragedy.

CHAPTER VI—Tom Phinney goes alone on a yachting trip. He recognizes among some persons in a passing motor boat two men whom he had seen enter the House of Mystery. He sees one of them, a Mr. Callis, on shore later and follows him. Tom is seized, blindfolded and taken to a house. He hears a girl named Jessie, evidently the daughter of the man in authority, question his captors. A sweet-voiced girl later protests against the roughness of his captors.

Book II.

CHAPTER I—Van Vechten calls on his uncle, Theodore Van Vechten, big man in Wall street and known as the "Man of Iron," in search of information regarding the whereabouts of Paige Carey.

CHAPTER II—Detective Flint shows Van Vechten a gold mesh purse found in the House of Mystery. Van recognizes it as belonging to Paige Carey.

CHAPTER III—The sweet-voiced girl helps Tom Phinney escape, but refuses to disclose her identity. Tom declares he will meet her again.

CHAPTER IV—Detective Flint tells Van Vechten he has a theory that Paige has been kidnapped. Van goes to lay the case before his uncle.

CHAPTER V—Messages are sent to Europe in an effort to trace Paige. Tom tells Van Vechten he is in love and relates his adventure.

CHAPTER VI—A message from London reports that two ladies resembling Miss Carey and her companion, Mrs. Devereaux, sailed for New York some time previously. A reward of \$2,500 is offered.

CHAPTER VII—It develops that the ladies visited the English home of Temple Bonner, owner of the House of Mystery. Flint has a theory that they are connected with the mystery of No. 1313.

CHAPTER VIII—It is recalled that Temple Bonner was in love with a daughter of Compton Schuyler, who married Max Willard. The other daughter married a man named Devereaux. Bonner and Willard were intimate friends. A search is started for Willard.

CHAPTER IX—Van Vechten enters the House of Mystery by the back door in time to hear John Callis threaten a girl. He interferes and helps the girl escape, but is rendered unconscious in the struggle with Callis.

Book III.

CHAPTER I—Tom Phinney gets a job as master of Brownlow's yacht Kohinur which has been chartered for some mysterious mission.

CHAPTER II—The charterer and his friends board the yacht at night and Tom hears the voice of the unknown girl and also of a man involved in his adventure of a few nights previous.

CHAPTER III—Tom finds the girl more beautiful than he had anticipated. The charterer turns out to be Max Willard.

CHAPTER IV—Willard assures Tom that his mission is honorable and intimates that a great wrong is about to be righted. He gives orders that no one is to leave or board the yacht without his permission. Della, the girl of the voice, insists upon going ashore and while Tom is explaining his orders Callis jumps overboard.

CHAPTER V—With Willard's consent Della goes ashore to telephone and returns to the yacht in great agitation.

CHAPTER VI—Tom accompanies Della and Jessie Willard ashore. Tom learns from Detective Flint that Willard has recently invented a powerful explosive.

CHAPTER VII—Van Vechten, recovering from injuries received in his fight with Callis, is visited by Jessie Willard, in whom he recognizes the girl who was the cause of the fight. He declares his love for her. She tells him that if his feelings have not changed one week from that day she will marry him.

CHAPTER VIII—A coffin-shaped box is taken aboard the yacht at night. Della tells Tom she really is Paige Carey and that she has been interested in him for years through the glowing accounts of Van Vechten.

CHAPTER IX—The coffin-shaped box is taken away in the night, apparently much heavier than when it arrived. Paige Carey is missing and a search of the yacht fails to reveal any clue to her whereabouts.

BOOK IV.

A Specter at the Feast.

CHAPTER I.

What the Box Contained.

Jessie Willard's visit to Rudolph Van Vechten partook more of the nature of a visitation—as of some healing shrine's patron saint; for by Saturday night he had so far recovered that, at his uncle's repeated urgent solicitations, he was able to attire himself in the habiliments of formality and attend the directors' meeting, of which already he had been notified.

In the gallery of the dining-room—modeled after Thane Cedric's banquet-hall—an orchestra discoursed synop- ticated melody in blissful ignorance of anachronism. The president of the Continental Union Banking and Trust company and the head of the Atlas Safe company occupied seats of honor, and their long laudatory responses put the finishing touch to Rudolph's impatience to be up and away.

Midnight approached like the termination of a sentry's winter vigil, and as he determined to slip from his

seat near the long table's foot and find his hat and top-coat, there came a diversion that stayed him. By contrast, any interruption to the oratory was interesting.

The butler noiselessly approached the head of the table and held a whispered colloquy with the host. After a minute or two the Man of Iron nodded, the butler stole away, and the man who was speaking at the time, realizing that something extraordinary was impending, paused, faltered, stopped, and sat down.

Four men, clad in overalls and jumpers, entered, carefully bearing among them a large oblong box. They halted and upheld it with patent effort while Mr. Van Vechten arose and, in his unimpassioned manner, addressed his guests.

"Gentlemen," said he, "some of our friends have not forgotten the occasion we are assembled here tonight to celebrate. We have here, I am assured, something that will commemorate this happy event in a most remarkable and fitting way."

Then a space was cleared in the center of the long table, a few of the diners were disturbed, and the box was deposited thereon. The porters withdrew.

Everybody eyed the innovation curiously—and a bit distrustfully, too. The box, suggesting as it did the end of human endeavor, was not an inspiring center-piece, nor was it in harmony with the temper of the evening; but after much jocose speculation respecting its likely contents, at the host's command servants appeared with screw-drivers, and, amid an expectant hush, the lid was removed.

The disclosure, coming as it did into the very heart of the company's good humor, was realized only reluctantly; for the box did not belie what it suggested. It really contained a coffin: one distinguished by its elegant cream-colored silk-plush covering and pure rose-gold ornamentation. The long extension handles were of the same metal, as was also the name-plate. Upon this latter was a single engraved line:

"THE TIME LOCK."

With the injection into the banquet of an element so sensational and startling, Rudolph Van Vechten's desire to depart vanished; he was not unaffected by the excitement that stirred the rest of the company. But presently he observed that the incident conveyed a special meaning to certain of those present—particularly to his uncle.

Was the whole thing a huge practical joke?

The Man of Iron pointed out that if it was, it must have been an expensive one for the perpetrator. Then came the suggestion of an infernal machine, and once more a hush fell upon the gathering.

These men, however, were not lacking in courage. Very cautiously the casket was removed from the box, the box was taken away, and the former was given the place of honor, where it reposed like a beautiful but unattractive epergne.

In the silence that accompanied this operation a distinct ticking sound, emanating from the casket, was plainly audible, and the diners, some of them overturning chairs in their haste, recoiled to the walls, where they stood staring in horror at this unwelcome prefiguration of the grave.

At this moment a quiet voice was heard to say:

"Carefully, gentlemen; a slight jar might prove disastrous."

The company turned to behold a man of impressive appearance. He might have been one of them, though none had seen him previously that night. His white hair, his smooth-shaven, finely wrinkled face, his magnetic eyes, were all a part of a commanding personality, and it was no more than natural that he should be looked to for an explanation of the episode.

Perfectly composed, there was no mistaking the fact that he completely dominated the situation.

Van Vechten noted that his uncle recognized the man, and that the Man of Iron's attitude all at once became one of tense, alert watchfulness.

With an air that impelled many to follow his example, the stranger consulted his watch; an average declaration of all the watches would have fixed the time at twelve minutes till midnight.

He advanced to the table, from which everybody else shrank as far as the confines of the vast room permitted, and laid a hand upon the casket. Glancing once more at the watch which he still held in the other hand, he quietly remarked:

"Gentlemen, this coffin contains enough willardite to wipe New York off the map. It is connected with one of my time-locks, set to detonate the explosive at midnight precisely." His commanding regard met Theodore Van Vechten's, as he added:

"No one better than you knows how likely it is to work without a hitch."

In the ensuing quiet, the ticking, as of a clock, which he plainly heard. After a moment he went on:

"I shall not take the time to apologize for this interruption of your festivities, because"—another glance at the watch—"only ten minutes stands between this moment and midnight."

"But, as briefly as possible, I want to make it clear to you that I am responsible for the occasion that has brought you together here. With my perfected time-lock and permanganate steel—the only metal that will withstand the oxyhyric flame—combined with Theodore Van Vechten's business talent and his commanding position, wherefrom he can persuade every one of the country's financial institutions to purchase an Atlas safe, whether they want it or not, the concern's in-

tial year has been a phenomenally prosperous one.

"You gentlemen who are fortunate to be among the stockholders, and Theodore Van Vechten, are reaping the harvest; I get nothing—the inventor's portion."

"Through my lack of business acumen I was frozen out of the company, and it did not take long to discover that every avenue of legal redress was closed to me. Please bear in mind that fact."

"Then what remained for me?" The brilliant eyes swept the wondering audience. "Why, either to accept the situation as Theodore Van Vechten willed it, or recover my rights by force."

"Now, gentlemen, virtually I have been robbed of a fortune. I am not seeking vengeance—no, no; nothing of that kind—only justice and compensation. I have spent months in preparing for tonight; more than once my secret operations have nearly met with shipwreck, and you must realize that I come here fully determined to exact the uttermost farthing of my dues, or else not one of you will live to enjoy them. Call it blackmail, call it a hold-up, call it whatever you will, the fact is that I am here to enforce—not to beg or ask, mind you—but to enforce a distribution of my share of the profits of the Atlas Safe Company, and my reinstatement into the position of superintendent of which I have been unjustly deprived—"

Theodore Van Vechten had gradually returned to the head of the table, and he now stood with his hands on the back of his chair, composedly regarding the speaker. The latter's eyes met the Man of Iron's intent look, and he added:

"—or else I shall annihilate every one of you and myself." He looked at his watch again.

"You all understand. You have just six minutes within which to make up your minds."

The Man of Iron was not of the stuff that is easily frightened—else he would not have been the Man of Iron. He was taken unawares and rendered bewildered—as who would not have been?—but he was first to recover himself. His voice rang out with an authoritative command that the casket be removed.

The intruder, with one hand still lying lightly at an end of the handsome casket, the other still holding his watch, calmly interposed:

"Just a moment—if you please. I have only to press a trifle harder upon this bit of ornament and the explosion will be precipitated. I trust—for your sakes; I don't care so much for myself—that you will not force me to such an extreme."

"However, I have come here prepared for any turn. If my rights are not to be recognized, then it is a matter of indifference to me whether I destroy myself along with the rest of you. I prefer not to do so, of course; but I give you my word, at the first movement of opposition I shall terminate this unpleasant scene."

An impulsive movement of Theodore Van Vechten's was followed by a gasp of horror; for the stranger was so self-possessed and determined that nobody doubted his dispassionate declaration. It was only too obvious that he would do to the last extreme exactly what he said he would.

The Man of Iron's fists suddenly clenched, and he took a step toward the speaker. The man's magnetic eyes turned upon him with a steady, inscrutable look.

"Theodore Van Vechten," the quiet voice went on, "it lowers the high feeling of respect and admiration which I entertain for your genius to see you choose the role of fool now."

"Max Willard," retorted Van Vechten evenly, "you know me well enough to recognize that I can not be coerced; so it is you who are playing the part of fool. Can't you see that this means your utter ruin?"

Said the other: "Everything that human agency can accomplish toward that end has been done—by you, Theodore. And now, just one more chance. Your niece has been missing for some time, has she not?"

Theodore Van Vechten started. The inventor went on:

"I merely want to add that—in addition to a well-calculated charge of willardite—she too is in this casket—alive at this moment." Again he glanced at his watch. "It is precisely two minutes until twelve."

Nothing was to be heard save the regular ticking, each pulsation marking off one more fateful second. The two men—Max Willard, cool and steadfast in his purpose; Theodore Van Vechten, an image of power and indomitability—looked long into each other's eyes.

With a quick movement, Willard's hand slid to another part of the casket. It could be seen that he pressed a trifle harder. The whole thing fell apart into the shape of a davenport lounge.

In the midst of the creamy cushions thus disclosed, clad in a white yachting costume which, in its present setting might well have been the ceremonies of the dead, her hands clasped lightly and naturally upon her bosom, reposed a beautiful young girl. Her glowing hair afforded the one mark of vivid color against the ivory and dull gold of the casket and the pallor of the huge table's spotless napery.

The ticking still continued. Pointing to the satin pillow upon which the fair head rested, Max Willard said briefly:

"The willardite is there." Once more he glanced at his watch, with an indifferent air, and snapped it shut. "One minute till twelve," he announced.

There was a sudden cry from one of the guests, an involuntary outburst of alarm—an indication that strained



"One Minute Till Twelve," he announced.

nerves were giving under the tension. Rudolph, unconsciously holding his neighbor's arm in a vise-like grip, called to his uncle:

"Uncle Theodore, it is about to strike twelve!"

The Man of Iron made a little gesture with one hand. With tone and manner unchanged, he said to Willard:

"Stop that thing!"

"You mean—" returned Willard, hastily feeling with deft fingers among the padded cushions. His hands found a certain position and hovered in an attitude of readiness. The harrowing clockwork ticked on.

"That you win," announced the Man of Iron, shortly.

The clockwork ceased like a period to this utterance. Mr. Van Vechter returned to his place at the table's head.

It was characteristic of the regard in which the Man of Iron was universally held that Max Willard asked for no further assurance. He might take any advantage of you in which he was pleased to regard as partaking of the nature of open warfare; but his word once passed, and he was bound irrevocably.

Whatever of elation Max Willard may have felt, it was not betrayed by any sign. A slow movement of one hand swept back a lock of white hair from his forehead, and again he addressed Mr. Van Vechten, who was watching him narrowly.

"For Miss Carey's sake," he said, "a word or two of explanation is necessary. This young lady, fully conversant with all the circumstances, with a complete understanding of how my daughter and I had been wronged, has not only been in full sympathy with my plans, but has lent me an active, material support."

"To a certain extent, however, I have taken an unfair advantage of her trust and confidence. . . . But when I am through, gentlemen, I want you to remember how desperate were my chances—that I had to sink or swim—and that I am right!"

For the first time he showed a spark of emotion, and the last expression was uttered in a burst of earnestness that made manifest the intense feeling lying behind it.

"She consented to disappear for a time, until her family's alarm was such that I could bend it to my own ends in making this demand; but she

did not dream that she was to appear in such a role as this." He pointed to the motionless form, and for a moment regarded it tenderly. "But by the aid of a light, harmless narcotic, the effects of which I can banish in a moment, I brought her here to play this unconscious part."

Theodore Van Vechten once more started toward the speaker, but a dozen hands stayed him.

"You dastardly cur!" he cried. "I shall give you your pound of flesh; but—so help me God,—you'll regret this night!"

"Heaven knows, I have regretted the necessity," responded Willard dryly. With one single undulating movement of his powerful frame, the millionaire shook himself free.

"Get that dynamite out of here!" he roared.

Max Willard quietly corrected him: "Willardite, you mean." Stooping over the back of the casket, he pressed a hand gently over the soft cushions while he seemed to consider. Presently he continued:

"But don't be afraid; there is no willardite here—nor any other explosive."

Like a stung lion, Theodore Van Vechten turned upon him.

"What do you mean by that?" he demanded.

"Simply that I have sat in at your own game—and won. The great American game of bluff, Theodore; you were pretty good at it years ago at Harvard; I have not forgotten."

"There is no explosive here—nothing to be alarmed at save this cheap alarm-clock. There is nothing the matter with Paige—dear child! But"—he waved a hand—"as you bluffed me out of a fortune, I have bluffed myself back in again."

For a moment the Man of Iron seemed to be choking. But at this juncture a disturbance was heard in the hall.

A servant entered hurriedly. Before he could make any announcement he was flung aside. He went sliding helplessly over the polished floor, grasping at every object within reach, pulling down chairs and tables and everything movable in the path of his tornado-like progress, until he brought up against the wall.

Tom Phinney was standing just inside the doorway, taking in the scene. Beside him stood Mr. Flint.

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