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RAILROADS RE-NEW ACTIVITY

PLACE ORDER FOR CARS

Work Soon to Start on Chicago's \$65,000,000 Station

EFFECT OF RATE INCREASE

Contracts for Railway Equipment, Including Great Tonnage of Rails, a Feature of Steel Made at Present.

A remarkable impetus to railroad activities is noticed since the eastern roads were granted their petition for a five per cent. increase in freight rates.

This week preliminary work was begun on Chicago's new \$65,000,000 Union Passenger Terminal. When operations are started it is estimated that nearly 25,000 men will be employed. The board has so perfected its construction plans that work can be started on the preliminary structures three days after the consent of the City Council is obtained, according to a statement made to Mr. Turner, First Vice President of the Pennsylvania Lines.

The principal feature of interest in the steel trade last week was the precipitation of railroad equipment orders, covering 80,000 tons of rails, 2,300 cars, 18 locomotives and 2,000 tons of structural work. Contracts are still pending for about 400,000 tons of rails, most of which will be closed this month; 6,000 to 7,000 cars, but only a relatively small tonnage of bridge work and few inquiries for motive power.

Contracts for upward of 100,000 kegs of railroad spikes were also placed by the Pennsylvania Lines West, the Baltimore and Ohio, the Erie, the Southern Lake Erie and Western and Vandalia. Several of these railroads also placed a few orders for plates and shapes. The roads that are still in the market for rails are also negotiating for track supplies.

Car orders included 2,000 for the Baltimore and Ohio, 100 for the Santa Fe, placed with merchant builders, and 300 refrigerator cars to be built at the shops of Swift & Co. These orders will call for about 24,000 tons of structural steel.

The locomotive orders include 16 for the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis and several miscellaneous orders. The car orders pending include 2,000 for the C. & H. and D., 1,000 for the Illinois Central, 2,000 more for the Baltimore and Ohio, 300 for the Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Railroad Company, 200 for the Prudential Oil Company, 40 for the Wisconsin and Michigan Railroad and 400 for the Lake Superior and Ishpeming Railroad.

The most significant feature was the buying of between 3,000 and 4,000 tons of coke and charcoal, car-wheel iron and several thousand tons of malleable Bessemer in the St. Louis territory. With larger railroad orders for equipment additional contracts for car wheel and malleable iron may be expected in other sections, but it is evident that there is a very conservative feeling throughout railroad circles, and no large orders for either rolling stock or motive power are expected in the near future, although there will be some increase for cars, at least.

In the Eastern territory, that is, east of the Allegheny mountains, contracts calling for 20,000 tons were placed with Buffalo and Lehigh and Schuylkill Valley furnaces. Pipeworks on the Delaware again purchased several lots of low-grade iron, amounting to 4,000 or 5,000 tons.

Trouble Aboard Maryland Relief Ship.

Although floated after spending 47 hours on a mud bank near the mouth of Back river the troubles of the Maryland Belgian relief ship John Hardie were added to Monday, when her engineer made complaint that he had been assaulted and badly beaten by Chinese members of the ship's crew, according to a dispatch from Norfolk.

The steamer was floated about 3 o'clock Sunday morning by the efforts of a wrecking tug after a portion of the steamer's cargo was loaded on several barges. The John Hardie arrived in Hampton Roads later and divers were sent down to examine her bottom and reported that she was not damaged.

Senate Established a Precedent.

By adopting a resolution expressing sincere regret over the death of Mrs. Thomas S. Martin, wife of the United States Senator from Virginia, the United States Senate established a precedent. When the wife of Senator Frye of Maine died the Senate took a recess. In doing so, however, no resolution was adopted and she was not mentioned by name.

HOW COMPENSATION LAW WORKS OUT

Motorman's Family Will Receive Weekly Award Until 1922.

At the time of the Workmen's Compensation Act went into effect in Maryland, and often since, many comments based on ill-advised conceptions, were heard. The following facts, the outcome of the passage of the law, should be read by those who could not see any good in the measure.

On November 20 last, twenty days after the Workmen's Compensation Act had gone into effect, James A. Knowles, a motorman of the United Railways and Electric Company, of Baltimore, was fatally injured.

The State Industrial Accident Commission adjusted the matter and the widow, Mrs. Helen Knowles, and her three-year old daughter, until January 26, a year from the date when Knowles went to work for the company, will receive \$6.49 weekly, for the following year \$6.78, and so on until it reaches \$7.65 in January, 1918, and will continue at that figure until 1922, when the payments cease. One fourth of the payments are to be used for the benefit of the child.

ELECT "BLACK POPE" THIS MONTH

Head of Jesuits To Be Chosen To Succeed Father Wernz.

The head of the Company of Jesus, commonly known as Jesuits will be chosen this month. The place for the election has not been announced, but it is probable that the conclave for the choice of the new Black Pope, to succeed the late Father Wernz, will be held, as in 1892, in the mountains of Guipuzcoa, Spain, as the great monastery of St. Ignatius of Loyola, Spain, and the United States are about the only available places for holding the conclave.

The date of the election is generally chosen to fall upon some festival of the church, the electors being required to refrain from leaving the hall in which the general congregation takes place until they have arrived at a decision. The fact that no food but bread and water can be supplied to the electors until their work is completed is calculated to smooth away any two obstinate differences of opinion.

The General chosen must obtain a majority of more than half the total number of votes, and as soon as any one has obtained a majority a sort of subsidiary ballot is cast to make the election unanimous.

The society has often been described as an autocracy and as embodying in an altogether extraordinary degree the most mediaeval forms of despotism. This is merely one of the popular fallacies which prevail about the company, which embodies all the principles of democracy, in the American sense of the word, alike in its methods of administration and in those of the election of its General.

To Aid the Unemployed.

Commissioner-General Caminetti has issued orders directing all immigrant officers in the country, particularly in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, to receive applications for employment and also to receive requisitions for employees from railroads and industrial establishments. It is said that if the experiment appears to be successful Secretary of Labor Wilson will recommend an emergency appropriation to create a special employment bureau in his Department. Secretary Houston is cooperating in the movement. He has instructed his field agents to report the necessity for workers and also to notify farmers of the plan. In addition, the weekly news letter of the Department will contain information relative to employment. Notices will be posted in all post offices announcing that applications for work and workers would be received by the postmasters, who will be supplied with forms to be filled out and forwarded to the Labor Department in charge of the zone in which the office is located. Applicants will then be informed of the place where they can obtain work of the kind that they seek and at the nearest point to them.

Maryland State Catholic Alumnae.

At a meeting of the alumnae of Mount St. Agnes' College, Mt. Washington, held at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, plans were discussed looking to the formation of a Maryland State Catholic Alumnae to work in connection with the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae. The discussion followed a report read by Mrs. Frank P. Scriven, delegate to the meeting of the International Federation held last November in New York. The State association will include the alumnae of all the Catholic colleges in Maryland and the District of Columbia.



Friday.

In his Jackson Day speech at Indianapolis the President hinted at his being a candidate in 1916. Mr. Wilson was cheered to the echo by the large crowd who heard him.

The Canadian government forwarded to the United States Government at Washington formal expressions of regret on the part of the Dominion of Canada for the killing of Walter Smith and the wounding of Charles Dorsch by Canadian militiamen. The Dominion Government also has offered to compensate the wounded man and the family of the dead man.

Business agents of three labor unions were indicted in the Federal Court at Chicago. Charles W. Fry, of the Machinists' Union; Michael Artery, of the Machinery Riggers and Safe Movers' Union, and Michael Galvin, of the Truck Drivers' Union, were charged with preventing the unloading and delivery of a shipment of ice machinery brought here in January, 1912, from York, Pa. It is charged that the shipment reached its destination January 10, 1912, but was held in the cars for 20 days.

Mrs. Robert S. (Kady) Brownell, whose honeymoon had for its setting the bullet ridden field upon which she fought in the first battle of Bull Run, and who is said to have been the only woman who enlisted in the service of the United States as a soldier, died at the age of 71 years.

Secretary Bryan and Senor Don Ignacio Calderon, Bolivian minister, exchanged ratifications of the peace commission treaty between the United States and Bolivia.

Expenditure of \$240,000,000 for fortifications and increases in the Navy was proposed in a bill by Representative Post, of Ohio.

Senator Fletcher introduced a new rural credits bill to put such a system under the Federal Reserve Board.

The preliminary reply of the British government to President Wilson's recent note protesting against interference with American shipping at sea by British warships was handed to Ambassador Page today.

May wheat reached \$1.40½ and July \$1.26½ today, continuing its sensational jump to new high price records. May options opened at \$1.39½ or 1½ cents a bushel higher than yesterday's close. Predictions are freely made that \$1.45 will be reached by noon to-morrow.

Saturday.

About 50 dynamite bombs and fuses were found by the police in the home of Inalle Gabrele, 28 years old, a resident of the Italian district of Trenton, N. J.

Announcement was made today of the incorporation in New York city of Anti-Capital Punishment Society, whose object is the abolishment of the death penalty in New York State. George Foster Peabody is president, Jacob H. Schiff, Bishop David H. Greer, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and Thomas Mott Osborne, Warden of Sing Sing Prison, are among the vice-presidents.

William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, presented to Captain Paul H. Kreibohm a watch, and to 39 officers and seamen of the Red Star line steamship Kronland medals awarded to them by Congress for their rescue of 89 survivors of the steamship Volturno, burned in mid-Atlantic on October 9 and 10, 1913.

Senator Cummins introduced a substitute for the Administration ship purchase bill. It would authorize the President to acquire vessels suitable for naval auxiliaries at a cost not exceeding \$30,000,000, for which Panama bonds would be sold.

G. F. Stringer, Jr., junior member of the Stock Exchange firm of Stringer & Co., shot himself and died instantly in his office shortly after the suspension of the firm was announced on the floor of the Stock Exchange. To the sensational rise in wheat within the last few days was attributed the failure of the firm by C. A. Decker, his counsel.

Major Henry M. Brewster, who was in command of the military patrol service of the city of Washington on the night President Lincoln was assassinated, and participated actively in many scenes attending that tragedy, died in Springfield, Mass.

Marshall P. Wilder, author and humorist died at a hotel in St. Paul, Minn., today of heart disease, complicated by a slight attack of pneumonia.

Sunday.

Members of the diplomatic corps, Cabinet officers and leaders in Administration circles joined members of St. Patrick's and other Catholic parishes of Washington in extending good wishes to Cardinal Gibbons at the annual reception to His Eminence in Carroll Hall. The reception followed solemn high mass in St. Patrick's, where official and social Washington worshipped.

A ceremonial pageant representing the return of Andrew Jackson and his troops from the battlefield of Chalmette, 100 years ago, was one of the concluding features today of the three-day celebration at New Orleans of the centenary of peace between Great Britain and the United States. After the pageant a Te Deum and pontifical high mass was held in St. Louis' Cathedral, duplicating the thanksgiving service that followed Jackson's triumphal return to the city.

Peacock Inn, one of Princeton's quaintest and most fashionable hosteleries and at one time the residence of President Wilson was destroyed by fire today.

Twenty-eight officers and men of the British Army, including Col. C. E. Phipps, of the Royal Artillery, temporarily detached from service on European battlefields, reached New York today aboard the White Starliner Meganitic, on their way to Bethlehem, Pa., to inspect there the large quantities of ammunition for the British Army for which Charles M. Schwab obtained orders while abroad.

The British embargo on rubber, although still under certain restrictions, was practically lifted today.

The House passed the Indian Appropriation Bill, carrying \$8,135,000.

The Maryland Belgian Relief ship John Hardie, carrying a cargo of supplies donated by Marylanders for the relief of the Belgians, is ashore near the mouth of Back River, in the lower portion of the Chesapeake Bay, near Old Point Comfort.

Monday.

Henry Mather, alias Walter G. Farnald or W. G. Farnald, of San Francisco, and Sir J. H. Renals, son of a former Lord Mayor of London, were committed for trial at the Old Bailey Police Court, London on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the public by means of a bogus money-lending scheme.

The organized militia of South Carolina was disbanded by an order signed by Governor Blease. The order is effective immediately and approximately 3,000 men are involved, including about 600 whom the Governor had refused to muster out of service upon orders received about eight months ago from the chief of the Federal Division of Militia Affairs.

Lieut.-Gen. Baron Nariaki Arisaka, a famous Japanese soldier and inventor of the new type of quick-firing mountain gun which bears his name died. He was created a baron and awarded the second class of the Golden Kite for his meritorious service in connection with the Russo-Japanese War. He was born in 1852.

In an explosion at the Union Metallic Cartridge plant in Bridgeport, Conn., one building was entirely demolished and Charles Schreiber, 53 years old, a mixer of fulminate was instantly killed. Buildings within a radius of two city blocks were shaken.

For the purpose of arousing the patriotic sentiment of the women of the country to ask for and buy American-made products and articles, the Woman's National Made in U. S. A. League has been organized in Washington with wives of Cabinet members, Congress and official women as patrons. It is nonpartisan and the movement is to be national-wide.

Because she had been made a hopeless cripple on a "joy ride," on which she had been taken unwillingly, Celia Welstead received an award of \$20,000 damages against John A. Kilgallon, in the Supreme Court, Queens county, New York.

Katherine Coman, professor emerita (Continued on page 3.)

SUPPOSED DEAD WOMAN CLAIMS LEGACY

Mrs. Alice Hooper Ham Missing Twenty Years, Stops Proceedings.

Mrs. Alice Kohler Hooper Ham, concerning whom all trace had been lost by her relatives at Highfield was declared alive on Saturday by the Orphans' Court in Hagerstown when the court passed an order dismissing the petition of Mrs. Katie G. Manherz to have Mrs. Ham, her relative, whom she knew as Mrs. Hooper, declared dead.

Mrs. Ham inherited \$800 from a relative, Mrs. Barbara Hess. It was about eight years ago when the estate of Mrs. Hess was settled, and it was thought Mrs. Hooper, as the heir was known, was dead, as all efforts to locate her had failed, and her family had not heard of her for 21 years.

Following the publication in a Baltimore paper of a dispatch from Hagerstown telling of the proceedings of the court, Mrs. Ham came into the possession of a copy of the paper and to use her own words, "My heart has not stopped palpitating yet."

Saturday she established her identity by a scar upon her arm, by a prayer-book given her by her mother, and by several relatives. She explained that after leaving Highfield she and Mr. Hooper lived at various places about the country, and that Mr. Hooper died three years ago, and that two years ago she married Mr. Ham.

Her husband is now in Texas, and Mrs. Ham was only stopping temporarily in Baltimore on her way to join her husband.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD REPORTS

Commission Has 203 Utility Corporations Under Its Jurisdiction.

The report of the Public Service Commission to Governor Goldsborough for the year 1914 was made public Tuesday. It is an interesting and exhaustive statement of the work of that body and gives a very clear idea of the scope of regulation of public utilities in this State.

There are 203 corporations under the jurisdiction of the commission, or one less than in 1913. Of these 4 are express companies, 36 electric light companies, 18 gas and electric light companies, 15 gas companies, 24 electric railway companies, 10 steamboat companies, 36 water companies, 2 telegraph companies, 20 telephone companies, 1 miscellaneous and 1 sleeping car company.

The total capital stock of these corporations is \$741,882,719; the total funded debt \$890,260,936, making the total capitalization \$1,572,143,655, which is \$88,696,316 more than in 1913. The interest on the funded debt amounts to \$31,877,307 and the dividends on capital stock \$40,427,164.

During the year 396 cases were entered with the commission and 307 were closed. Of those entered 169 were placed on the formal docket, 118 on the correspondence docket and 109 on the short-notice and reparation docket.

Rare and Important Painting.

An important painting attributed to Roger van der Weyden has been placed on exhibition at the Fogg Museum of Art, Harvard University, for a short time as an anonymous loan. The picture, which represents "Christ Appearing to Mary," is the right wing of triptych, the other two parts of which are now in the Cathedral of Granada. This is said to have been presented by Pope Martin V. to King John II. of Castille, passing afterwards to his son, Henrique IV., and afterwards to his daughter, Isabella la Catholique, who bequeathed it to the Cathedral of Granada. Aside from the beautiful painting of the foreground figures and their architectural setting, the picture is especially interesting for its miniature representation of the Resurrection and the three Marys in the middle distance.

Elected Provost of State University.

Dr. Thomas H. Lewis, president of Western Maryland College, Westminster, was elected provost of the State University by the board of regents at its meeting last Friday in Baltimore. The salary was fixed at \$3,000, and the condition was made that the provost should give his whole time to the work and hold no other position.

It is not certain that Dr. Lewis will accept the position if he has to resign the presidency of Western Maryland College. He agreed to notify the board of regents of his decision before the next monthly meeting.

The wealthiest land owner in the limits of the municipal jurisdiction, according to a report by Comptroller Prendergast, is the city of New York. The assessed valuation of the city's holdings is \$1,447,547,869, of which \$1,429,491,360 is within the city limits.

STORM SWEEPS THE COAST

MUCH DAMAGE DONE

Many Eastern Cities Suffer Heavy Losses

DEATH AND HAVOC IN HIGH WIND

New York Hard Hit by Storm.—Traffic in Philadelphia, Boston and Other Seaboard Places Tied Up.—Damage Locally.

One of the heaviest storms that ever visited the Atlantic coast, started off North Carolina and swept northeast Tuesday night to Maine, strewn damage and working all kinds of havoc in its path. In some places the wind attained a velocity of from 60 to 72 miles an hour accompanied by torrential rain and snow in northern New England.

Wind, which seemed never to be of remarkable velocity, but which blew in gusts that whiped a fine rain into stinging particles, blinding to pedestrians and to drivers of vehicles, caused the death of two men Tuesday, injury to many others, and did damage to property in Manhattan and Brooklyn which threatened many other lives. One of the victims of the storm was run down by an automobile; the other was blown into the bay and drowned.

A derrick was blown from a six-story building and fell into the roof of a moving-picture house adjoining, four stories below. In Brooklyn, the front wall, 100 feet long, of a grain elevator crashed into the street, and the spire of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church was partly blown to pieces.

In Manhattan the wind blew a 300-pound derrick from the roof of a six-story building at 801 Third Avenue, near Fiftieth Street. It fell on the roof of the two-story building adjoining, and the crash startled the 200 occupants of a moving picture house on the floor beneath. They hustled for the doors, and women's dresses were torn in the struggle. None was hurt, however.

The blowing out of five of the Interborough's six cables under the Manhattan bridge tied up the Second and Third avenue elevated lines below Thirty-fourth street, stalling nearly a dozen trains between stations. Hundreds of passengers were forced to walk through the storm over the sleet-covered elevated structures.

Traffic was tied up or delayed in practically every section of Boston as the result of a heavy snow storm blown by strong north to northeast gales. In Boston harbor shipping was at a standstill and considerable anxiety was felt for coastwise vessels, which, unable to reach harbors, may have been caught in the gales, which reached sixty miles an hour.

As a result of the worst rain and wind storm that has hit Philadelphia in years, two persons were killed, several seriously injured and serious damage was threatened in the Schuylkill Valley where the Schuylkill River and its tributaries steadily rose to freshet proportions.

The wind at times registered 50 miles an hour, and, according to the Weather Bureau, 2½ inches of rain fell. The gale crippled telegraph service miles around, seriously interfered with railroad service and caused property damage estimated at \$100,000.

The two persons dead lost their lives when struck by automobiles, and those injured were hit by flying signs and broken glass.

Edward Benoit, a milk dealer, is (Continued on page 3.)

Farmers' Exchange Pays 8 Per Cent.

That the Farmers' Mutual Exchange of Myersville, this county, is a success is no uncertainty. Last Saturday at the annual stockholders meeting of that organization a dividend of eight percent. was declared, the ninth dividend since the exchange was incorporated in 1905.

The exchange is one of the best established institutions of its kind in the county. The stockholders are made up entirely of farmers, who own real estate. This is one of the requirements of a stockholder. The exchange trades in merchandise of all kinds, from grains to notions and dry goods. The plant was managed last year by A. D. and Luther C. Flook. They were reappointed to assume the management for the coming year.

Drys Campaigning Allegany.

J. Bibb Mills, attorney for the Maryland Anti-Saloon League, opened a week's campaign in Allegany county Monday with a meeting at Flintstone. He spoke at Little Orleans, Oldtown, Spring Gap and Rawlings. He was assisted by local speakers.

Another Platinum Steal.

Six platinum crucibles, valued at \$300, and until Tuesday a part of the equipment of the chemical laboratory of the Maryland Steel Company, have disappeared from the offices of the steel company.

Just how the metal was taken from the work tables of the chemists is a mystery. Platinum is valued at about \$45 an ounce and a third more valuable than gold.

The loss of the crucibles from the steel company's plant recalls the theft of crucibles valued at \$1,800 from the department of chemistry of Johns Hopkins University several years ago. The thief broke into the Hopkins laboratory, found the crucibles and escaped. Later the crucibles were found by Baltimore detectives in Philadelphia.

Not One Passenger Injured.

In his letter to the employees of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, President M. C. Kennedy states that "during the year just closed the C. V. R. R. transported approximately eight and a quarter million tons of freight and two million passengers without the loss of life of a passenger or one of its 2100 employees and without injuring a passenger."

"While there have been minor accidents to employees, not so much as a finger or a toe has been amputated, and with the exception of one fractured ankle, not a leg nor an arm broken."

Frederick's Heavy Bank Deposits.

The bank statements of Frederick's eight financial institutions show an increase of nearly \$16,000 over the last statements. The amount on deposit is now \$8,655,779.89, a gain of \$15,709.10. This gain was made from October 31 to December 31, 1914. From September 12 to December 31, the deposits gained \$184,705.76. The eight banks show combined loans and discounts of \$5,543,923.61.

Prize Cattle Ordered Killed.

The biggest single herd of infected cattle to be slaughtered by Government experts is that belonging to Enos M. Barton, a wealthy manufacturer of Chicago. It was a herd of prize cattle numbering 200 and valued at \$80,000. Only a few of this number were affected with foot and mouth disease.

Altar Afire; Service Goes On.

Holly and smilax decorations at St. Vincent's Catholic Church, North Front street, Baltimore, caught fire Sunday morning at the solemn high mass while the church was crowded with worshippers. The priest, Rev. Thomas J. Stanton, assistant pastor, continued with the mass and the congregation remained calm while altar boys tore down the blazing decorations and extinguished the fire, which was caused by a flame from a candle touching the evergreens.

WOOLWORTH BUILDING

A FLAMING TORCH

Tower of Tallest Structure in the World Lighted by Thousands of Electric Lights.

Probably no such sight has ever been presented to the world before as the tower of the Woolworth Building, New York City as illuminated by thousands and thousands of electric lights at night. The building is surfaced with glazed tile that reflects a bright white glare from the skillfully placed lamps. In reality it is a compact illuminated city, for no fewer than 30,000 people are housed within it. From the gilded roof down to the main building, the tower is a brilliant glow of white light. The lantern at the very final of the tower contains six hundred lamps of the 250-watt Bryan Mash Mazda variety, filled with the new gas and with the contracted filament which so greatly increases the power of the ordinary Mazda globe; and in addition there are also in the lantern twenty-four 1,000-watt lamps of an older type. Such a volume of light is nowhere else provided in a single luminary.

Besides this there are rows of lamps distributed all over the four sides of the tower. The installation called for 50,000 feet of conduit, from a half to three inches in diameter. Altogether, power to the extent of 175 kilowatts is used in the illumination.

The mounting of this equipment, in the few places permitted by the architectural features of the building made a nice engineering problem.

Baldwin Hotel Hagerstown Sold.

A concrete and steel business structure will be erected on the site of the Hotel Baldwin, Washington street, Hagerstown, by the Leiter Brothers, merchants, of that city. Messrs. Leiter Brothers bought the property on Wednesday from the estate of former Governor Hamilton. The Academy of Music on the same block will be retained by the estate.

County School Children Number 16281.

Frederick County has 16281 children between the ages of 6 and 20 years and 10992 or 67.5 per cent. of them attend school, according to a recent census bulletin. The data contained in the report relates to the year 1910 and has only recently been made public. The distribution, by age groups, and the number attending school is as follows:

There are over 4,000 languages spoken by mankind, while the number of dialects exceed this.

County Commissioners' Meeting

Frederick, Md., Dec. 14, 1914. SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The January session of the County Commissioners will commence in their office in the Court House, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1915, at 9.30 o'clock, A. M.

The first day will be devoted to general business. The Commissioners will settle with the Road Supervisors and make new appointments in accordance with the following schedule:

SECOND WEEK.

Monday, January 4, Liberty District, No. 8.

Tuesday, January 5, Frederick and Braddock Districts, Nos. 2 and 24.

Wednesday, January 6, Buckeystown District, No. 1.

Thursday, January 7, Tuscarora District, No. 21.

Friday, January 8, Linganore District, No. 19.

Saturday, January 9, Hauvers District, No. 10.

THIRD WEEK.

Monday, January 11, Middletown District, No. 3.

Tuesday, January 12, Creagerstown District, No. 4.

Wednesday, January 13, Catocin District, No. 6.

Thursday, January 14, Woodville District, No. 18.

Friday, January 15, Johnsville District, No. 17.

Saturday, January 16, Petersville District, No. 12.

FOURTH WEEK.

Monday, January 18, Mechanicton District, No. 15.

Tuesday, January 19, Jefferson District, No. 14.

Wednesday, January 20, Jackson District, No. 16.

Thursday, January 21, New Market District, No. 9.

Friday, January 22, Urbana District, No. 7.

Saturday, January 23, Emmitsburg District, No. 5.

FIFTH WEEK.

Monday, January 25, Mt. Pleasant District, No. 13.

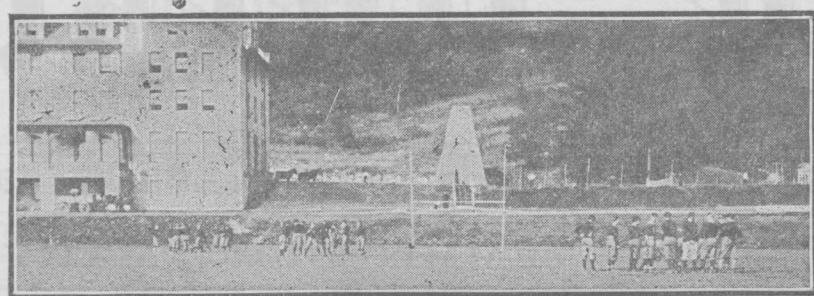
Tuesday, January 26, Walkerville and Ballenger Districts, Nos. 23 and 23.

Wednesday, January 27, Burkittsville District, No. 22.

Thursday, January 28, Woodsboro District, No. 11.

Friday, January 29, Lewistown District, No. 20.

MOUNT SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE SALE REGISTER.



Terrace Talk

How many days till Easter?

It's a long, long way to June.

Cheer up—think of the men in the trenches.

Anti-vacationists numbered twenty-six this year.

Events to look forward to—mid-year and final examination.

The monthly notes for December will be combined with the January marks.

The Senior Class Room is now furnished and being used by the class of 1915.

The Mexican and Central American contingents spent the holidays at the College.

Among the new students enrolled since Christmas, the latest is a Pittsburgian.

Skating on the College Lake has been one of the chief sports during the past week.

The St. John's game on Saturday was the fourth consecutive victory for the local quint.

Students returning fully prepared for the mid-year Exams. will surely not have any regrets.

Much of this line of argument was used on Thursday evening, Jan. 7, on the campus—Happy New Year. Thanks, same to you.

A few of the students have retained a bit of the holiday spirit and appear somewhat gloomy, when a lenient entreaty is made to them concerning regular classes.

Capt. Leary and his quintet have the congratulations of everyone for the excellent showing made in the games that have been played up to this date. The defeat of St. John's adds a few credits to the Mountain five, towards the State Championship.

The moving picture show, which was held in the gymnasium on Friday evening was very much enjoyed by the students. Five interesting reels were shown and an entertainment of this kind will probably be given every Wednesday evening. The equipment is of the latest improved and consequently the pictures were the best that can be shown on the canvass.

Squad Hard at Work.

Mt. St. Mary's basketball squad is hard at work again after the holidays in preparation for the remaining games on the schedule. The victory over St. John's College of Annapolis last Saturday augurs well for another successful season at the Mountain institution. The 'Varsity team entered this game with only one day's practice after the long vacation period and their splendid showing surpassed expectations.

Although the development of a five equal to last year's team seemed a great undertaking, nevertheless Mt. St. Mary's has a squad now which promises to make a similar showing. Two veterans, Capt. Leary and Lally have been

To Head Horse Marines.

Col. Eli K. Cole, U. S. M. C. has arrived at the Annapolis post, and has assumed command of the newly established field artillery school of the Marine Corps. The facetious term "horse marines" has become a reality in connection with the field artillery school for marines established here, the officers being mounted. Eight of the officers, all of whom have mounted, have rented the old Acton estate in Annapolis.

Farm Products Post a Success.

The success with which the "farm products post" has met in a number of larger cities in developing trade directly between the producer and the city consumer has prompted the Postoffice Department to formulate additional plans for the development of this service. It is believed that in a few years much of the produce which goes to waste on farms for lack of market facilities can be saved and carried into the populous centres by means of the parcel post.

through at least one year on the 'Varsity. The sensational playing of Costello, Phillips and May, last year's brilliant forwards and center, will undoubtedly be missed but Donovan, Haltigan, Miller, Rodgers and Sutton are likely to fill their places with credit.

The game with W. Va. Wesleyan scheduled for Thursday was canceled by the Virginia team. A game with a professional team from McSherrystown, Pa., has been arranged for Thursday while on Saturday Western Maryland College will be the opposing five. There are still twelve games on the schedule and hard work and strict training will be in order from now until the final is played.

Western Pa. Alumni Dine.

Of the large number of Alumni of Mount Saint Mary's, none is more distinguished or more loyal than the Pennsylvania contingent. On Tuesday, January 5, the Western Pennsylvania branch of the Alumni Association held its eleventh annual banquet at Hotel Schenley, Pittsburgh. The affair was perhaps the most enjoyable of its kind ever held. The committee in charge of arrangements was: T. J. Maloney, George A. Foster, Rev. James H. Gilmore, Rev. John P. Gallagher, John R. Gloninger, Dennis K. Behen, Rev. William Munster, Rev. Daniel O'Shea, A. J. Vilsack, Dr. William H. Wymard, George E. Wolfe, Rev. James F. Connelly, Dr. Edward A. Weissner, Rev. John Codori, Hubert S. Watterson, Charles T. Slater.

The programme of the evening was entitled "An Evening at the Mountain," and the menu, which follows, where it isn't influenced by the conflict abroad, breathes of memories of Mountain days.

Menu.—Crabmeat Cocktail, a la Mountain. Cream Soup, a l' Emden; Celery, Olives, Salted Nuts, Almonds; Persimmons, a l' Emmitsburg. Filet of Sole, Tartare Sauce, Potatoes, a la Petrograd. Stuffed Roast Turkey, a la Maria Kreitz; Wax Beans. Neutral Salad. Allied Ice Cream, English Fancy Cakes, Belgian Cup Coffee. Cream Cheese, Toasted Crackers, a la Berlin.

M. S. M. 25; St. John's, 16.

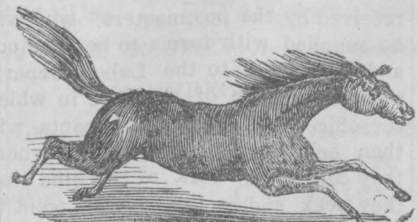
Mount. St. Mary's basketball team won its fourth straight game last Saturday by defeating St. John's College, of Annapolis, 25 to 16.

The mountaineers scored in the first minute. Donovan caging a basket. Mt. St. Mary's then scored 10 points before the visitors tallied, but the Annapolis quint started strong after its first basket and at the end of the period the score stood 15 to 13 in favor of Mount St. Mary's.

The mountaineers came back strong in the second half and St. John's only made one basket.

The passing of the Mountain team was good at times, but its defensive work was below that of previous games. For St. John's Heise and Jarman starred, especially the former, who scored eight points for his team. The line-up: M. S. M. Pos. St. John's Leary.....L.F.....Jarman Donovan.....R.F.....Heise Haltigan.....C.....Dumphy Lally.....L.G.....Andrews Miller.....R.G.....Selby (capt.) Baskets—Donovan (3), Leary (2), Miller (2), Lally (2), Haltigan, Heise (4), Jarman, Selby, Fouls—Leary (4), Jarman (4). Substitutions—For Mt. St. Mary's—Whetzel for Donovan; for St. John's—Weaver for Dumphy, Referee—Thompson, of Georgetown. Scorer—Schmidt. Timers—Kelly and Dowdle. Time of periods—20 minutes.

PUZZLE PICTURE.



Cut out one line of type from any ad. in THE CHRONICLE—cut it perfectly straight—and paste it, vertically, between the sixth and seventh ribs of the horse. Remove the tail, by one clip of the scissors, and also the upper part of the pastern joint, pasting each where the other belongs. Cut out the shadow beneath the picture and reverse it, after plaiting the lower part of the animal's mane. An optical illusion will then take place: there will immediately appear a six cylinder wheelbarrow hauling eighteen monkey wrenches and a copy of the treaty of Ghent. Don't whistle or move the hands while working this puzzle.

When the printing and advertising is done by this office, sale notices under this heading will be published free of charge until the date of sale. Under other conditions the rate will be as follows: Four insertions 50.; each additional insertion 10.; entire term \$1.00

On Wednesday, January 27, 1915, at 12 o'clock, S. L. Humerick, on road from Emmitsburg to Eyer's Valley, household goods.

Tuesday, March 2, at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Mary J. Houck on the Mrs. John Harman farm, about 2 miles northwest of Bridgeport, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Wednesday, March 3, at 10 o'clock, Oscar Stine, between Zora and Fairfield, on the Fairfield road, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Thursday, March 4, at 12 o'clock, Clarence McCarron, Emmitsburg, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Friday, March 5, at 12 o'clock, David Eyer, between Harney and Walnut Grove, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Saturday, March 6, at 9 o'clock, Mrs. Chas. Spangler, between Harney and St. James' church, Pa., live stock and farming implements. Household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Monday, March 8, at 9 o'clock, Emanuel Fuss, near Myers' Mill, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Tuesday, March 9, at 11 o'clock, William Moser, near Bruceville, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Wednesday, March 10, at 10 o'clock, sharp, John Stambaugh, near Bridgeport, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Thursday, March 11, at 9 o'clock, R. L. Sperry, on the Hollinger farm, near Zora, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Friday, March 12, at 10 o'clock, David Rhodes, at 'Rhodes' Mill, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Saturday, March 13, at 11 o'clock, heirs of I. S. Annan, Emmitsburg, live stock and farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Monday, March 15, at 10 o'clock, Charles Woods, one mile South of Motter's Station, on road leading from Motter's to Rocky Ridge, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Tuesday, March 16, at 9 o'clock, Mrs. Charles Dorsey, 2 miles west of Motter's Station, on the old Frederick road, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Wednesday, March 17, at 10 o'clock, J. J. Barriek, near Four Points on the J. Stewart Annan farm, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Thursday, March 18, at 9 o'clock, Meade Patterson, Emmitsburg, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Friday, March 19, at 10 o'clock, David F. Wetzel, about 1 mile south of Motter's on Emmitsburg Rail Road, live stock and farming implements. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

Saturday, March 20, at 12 o'clock, Howard Rowe, one mile north of Emmitsburg, on his farm, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

Wednesday, March 24, at 9 o'clock, B. P. Ogle, near Motter's, implements, farm live stock and 20 head of horses.

Germany in the last fiscal year bought 1,435 autos from the United States and paid \$1,059,249 for them.

Turkey-in-Europe has now been reduced to an area of 10,882 square miles, inhabited by less than 2,000,000 people.

MARKET REPORTS.

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

EMMITSBURG, Jan. 15.	
Country Produce Etc.	
Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.	
Butter	24
Eggs	35
Chickens, per lb.	10
Spring Chickens per lb.	12
Turkeys per lb.	18
Ducks, per lb.	12
Potatoes, per bushel	60
Dried Cherries, seeded	10
Raspberries	15
Blackberries	4
Apples, (dried)	4
Lard, per lb.	10
Beef Hides	16

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers.	
Steers, per 100 lb.	6.00@7.
Butcher Hefers.	526
Fresh Cows	25.00@30.00
Fat Cows per lb.	3@3 1/2
Bulls, per lb.	5@6 1/2
Hogs, Fat per lb.	@ 8 1/2
Sheep, Fat per lb.	3@4
Spring Lambs	6@7
Calves, per lb.	7 1/2@8
Stock Cattle	6 1/2@7 1/2

WHEAT:—spot, 1.43
CORN:—Spot, @ 76
OATS:—White 56 1/2@57
RYE:—Nearby \$1.25@1.23 bag lots, 91@1.02
HAY:—Timothy, \$20.00@20.50; No. 1 Clover \$18.50@19.00 No. 2 Clover, \$16.00@15.00.
STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, \$14.14.50 No. 2, 13.00@13.50; tangled rye blocks \$10@11.00 @8

wheat blocks, @ \$9.00; oats \$9.50@10.00.
POULTRY:—Old hens, 13¢ Young chickens, large, @14 small, 13¢ Spring chickens, Turkeys.

PRODUCE:—Eggs, 38¢ butter, nearby, rolls 20¢ Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 21¢ @22

POTATOES:—Per bu. \$.50@.60 No. 2, per bu. \$.40@.45. New potatoes per bbl. \$1.50@1.50.
CATTLE:—Steers, best, 7@7 1/2; others 6@6 1/2; Hefers, 4@5; Cows, \$.42@.5; Bulls, 3 1/2@4 1/2; Calves, 10@10 1/2; Fall Lambs, 6 1/2@7; spring lambs, 8@8 1/2; Shoats, \$2.50@3.50; Fresh Cow per head

BALTIMORE, Jan. 15,

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PARAGRAPH NEWS.

(Continued from page 1.)

of economics and sociology at Wellesley College, died today in her fifty-eighth year. She was a native of Ohio and a graduate of the University of Michigan. She had been a member of the Wellesley faculty since 1883.

Tuesday.

Seventy-nine of the 114 Terre Haute men indicted by the Federal Grand Jury for election frauds pleaded guilty today before Judge Anderson in the Federal Court, Indianapolis. Demurrers to the indictment were filed for Mayor Donn Roberts, Judge Eli Redman and Sheriff Dennis Shea.

Samuel M. Inman, millionaire cotton dealer, well known all over the South and East, died after a prolonged illness.

Governor Blease, of South Carolina in his farewell address to the legislature, severely criticised President Wilson and the national administration for "encroachments on state rights" and found fault with the immigration bill now pending in Congress.

By a vote of five to three the Senate Rules Committee reported favorably the motion of Senator Sheppard, of Texas, to suspend the rules and amend the District of Columbia appropriation bill so as to abolish the sale of liquor in the national capital.

Today marks the first anniversary of the installation of the \$5 a day minimum wage by the Ford Motor Company, Detroit, during the past twelve months shared \$10,000,000 with its 15,000 employees at the Detroit factory and branches. "At the time the plan was put into effect it was decided to try it for one year and if it was a success to continue it," said Frank L. Klingensmith, secretary of the company. "The plan has been a success and will be continued."

Having induced both of the warring Mexican factions in Sonora to keep their war away from the American border, Gen. Hugh L. Scott left Texas for Washington, accompanied by his staff.

After a field day in the House of Representatives, in which woman suffrage was discussed from every angle of view, the proposed amendment to the American Constitution to give nation-wide suffrage to women was rejected tonight by a vote of 174 to 204. The suffragists fell short 78 of the necessary "ayes" for the two-thirds vote that must be obtained to adopt a resolution proposing to submit an amendment to the Constitution.

Wednesday.

The town of Avezzano, Italy, was virtually destroyed by the earthquake, the dead being estimated at about 8,000. One thousand persons escaped from the ruins but most of them were injured.

Twenty-five girls narrowly escaped injury and a loss of \$50,000 resulted when fire destroyed the administration building of the School of the Ozarks, a Presbyterian institution at Forsythe, Mo.

The Wilson presidential boom for 1916 was officially launched in the Senate when Senator Williams, of Mississippi, one of the chief spokesmen for the administration in Congress, declared: "Woodrow Wilson is going to be re-nominated by the Democratic party and re-elected by the people for the term succeeding the present one."

A bequest of \$3,000,000 to Oberlin University, Ohio, by Charles M. Hall, the aluminum man, who died recently in Florida, is announced by President H. C. King, of Oberlin.

Ten firemen were injured or overcome when fire destroyed 3,000 tons of paper in the fireproof storehouse of the Philadelphia Paper Manufacturing Company, at Manayunk. Flood conditions, due to the rising of the Schuylkill River, seriously interfered with the dozen companies fighting the blaze.

Frederick Squire Brown, a native of Virginia, long a member of the editorial staff of the Morning World, New York, died.

United States Attorney Karch, of the Eastern District of Illinois, has been authorized to begin an investigation of published charges that frauds were committed in the Eighteenth Illinois district in the fall elections, when former Speaker Cannon was returned to Congress.

A naval program of two battleships, six torpedo boat destroyers and 17 submarines was adopted and incorporated into the naval bill by the House Naval Committee. The bill was reported at once to the House.

Thursday.

The statement was made in New York that representatives of the Italian Minister of War, who have been in this country for more than a month, have deposited in New York banks about \$4,000,000 to meet their purchases of war supplies and equipment, some of which have already been shipped. The rest is being bought as rapidly as possible.

May wheat reached \$1.423 a bushel in Chicago. The advance was caused by bidding.

Rev. Richard Meux Benson, founder and first superior of the Society of St. John the Evangelist, commonly called the Cowley Fathers, died today at Oxford, England. He was the author of books on religious subjects.

Governor Cole L. Blease resigned as Governor of South Carolina at noon to-day, five days before his term expired.

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

At a meeting of the Directors of the Frederick County Agricultural Society for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, expected changes were made, which resulted in the selection of Dr. Charles H. Conley as president and John W. Humm as vice president. Other officers were elected as follows: O. C. Warehime, secretary; George S. Rodock, treasurer; John T. Best, marshal and Charles N. Daugherty, keeper of grounds. Harry M. Cramer was also re-elected superintendent of privileges.

The dates for the next Fair were selected as October 19, 20, 21 and 22. This is the third week in October.

On motion of John W. Humm salaries for the various officers were made as follows: Secretary \$500; treasurer, \$250; chief marshal, \$25, and superintendent of privileges, \$200. The treasurer and superintendent of privileges receive increases, that of the treasurer being \$100.

The first of the bond issue of \$100,000 of Hood College which will bear 5 per cent interest were delivered on Monday. The latest plans adopted to finance the improvements to Hood College promises to attract wide support, enabling the operations already undertaken or in completion to be completed without difficulty. About \$90,000 has been raised thus far in cash and pledges, toward the building fund. It is estimated that \$100,000 will be needed, in addition to this amount, to complete the improvements of the "Greater Hood College."

The County Commissioners made the following appointments for Montevue Hospital: Superintendent, Olin W. Rice; matron, Mrs. Olin Rice; clerk, J. D. English; physician, Dr. B. O. Thomas; fireman, A. J. Meisinger, baker, Roy Delauter; ministers, the Revs. T. Freeman Dixon, J. R. Ridenour, A. J. Hermann, J. Welty Fahrney and T. Nicholas Gassaway.

A compromise was effected Tuesday in the Groshon will case, involving the distribution of \$25,500, which has been held up for more than six months by litigation. The Groshon heirs will receive the \$10,000 bequeathed to them, clear of the inheritance tax of about \$500 and costs of \$1,500.

The heirs contested the will and the case was taken to court last September. At the trial the jury disagreed. The case was set for retrial for Wednesday with about 70 witnesses to testify.

Miss Annie V. Groshon left the es-

WOMAN SHOTS HUSBAND

Hagerstown Man Killed by His Wife, a Divorcee.

Clifford Leggett, aged about thirty years, an employee of the Hagerstown Furniture Works, was shot and instantly killed in his home in Hagerstown at 2 o'clock Sunday morning by his wife, Minnie Leggett.

The only witness of the shooting was Earl Leggett, a brother of the dead man, who was in the kitchen at the time. There were several guests in another room of the house.

Following the shooting Mrs. Leggett left her home, and for more than an hour the police searched for her. She was later found at her home packing clothing, evidently intending to escape. She was taken to jail. There she stated she did not know whether she shot her husband, but later said that Floyd Sachman has given her a revolver. Sachman was a boarder at the Leggett house. He was arrested as an accomplice.

Leggett was a son of the late Zacharias Leggett. The family came from Boonsboro. Several brothers and sisters survive.

Mrs. Leggett has been married three times. Her first husband was Charles Robinson, who divorced her. Her second husband was Harvey Boward, whom she divorced. She married Leggett two years ago. Her mother lives at Upton, Pa., and her father in Hagerstown. Mrs. Leggett is 33 years old. She is a daughter of Abraham Lincoln Duhlebaum.

Wood's Seeds

Wood's Descriptive Catalog for 1915 has been carefully prepared so as to enable our farmers and market growers to determine intelligently as to the best and most profitable crops which they can undertake to grow.

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tate. She gave \$3,000 to the Oakland (Md.) Lutheran church; \$5,000 to the Lutheran Church, this city; \$1,500 to the Rev. U. S. G. Rupp, her pastor; \$2,000 to Miss Katherine Quinn; \$500 to the Lutheran Sunday-School; \$500 to Mrs. Clare Rice; \$500 to Mount Olivet Cemetery; \$5,000 to be divided among three children of a deceased brother, and \$5,000 to the son of another deceased brother. It was alleged that she was of unsound mind and incapable of making a will.

The Frederick County Ministerial Association of the Reformed Church, at their annual meeting on Monday, elected the Rev. E. E. Weaver, of Walkersville, president; the Rev. John A. Ditzler, this city, vice-president, and the Rev. A. J. Herman, Utica, secretary and treasurer. Dr. Joseph H. Apple delivered an address. An overture to the City Ministerial Association asking for the organization of a county ministerial association of all denominations to meet once a month, was approved.

James H. Harris was chosen president of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank to succeed the late C. B. Trail, and G. M. Besant was elected a director of the same institution to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Trail's death.

Mr. Harris the new president, who has served for some years as vice-president, is a member of the wholesale firm of Harris and Filler.

By the verdict brought in by the jury, C. Tobias Zimmerman, an endorser of a \$1,800 note of the late C. T. K. Young, held by the Central Trust Company, is not liable for the balance of \$700.

The suit attracted widespread interest in financial circles. The note was given to the trust company March 15, 1911, by Mr. Young, with Mr. Zimmerman as an endorser. Mr. Young gave as security 20 shares of the Frederick Abattoir Company stock and 17 shares of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank stock. On March 23, 1911, it was stated the bank permitted Mr. Young to withdraw the bank stock collateral, which Mr. Young sold. Four days later Mr. Young paid \$400 on the note.

At the death of Mr. Young, Mr. Zimmerman was notified and he paid \$800, leaving an unpaid balance of \$700. Upon learning of the release of part of the security, Mr. Zimmerman refused to pay.

It is reported that the Central Trust Company will ask for a new trial.

DATES FOR FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Meetings in Frederick on January 29 and 30. — Much Enthusiasm Aroused.

Arrangements for the Farmers' Institute which will be held in Frederick City on Friday and Saturday, January 29 and 30, and in the county other days of the same week, have about been completed.

Mr. Noah E. Cramer, secretary of the Frederick County Farmers' Association, received a letter from Dr. Richard S. Hill, stating that he would be in the county the week of January 25, and that he would be in Frederick on the above dates. Dr. Hill is connected with the Maryland Agricultural College and he stated in his letter that there was such a demand for work in the county this year that he is having great difficulty to arrange to do it in one week. However, he is limited to that time by the College trustees. This is due to lack of funds to provide for more days for the work.

The institutes in the city and county will be under the auspices of the Farmers' Association. Those held in Frederick will have three sessions on January 29 and two sessions on the following day. All the lectures in Frederick will be in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. It is expected that there will be no exhibits made.

Lectures will also be given at various places in the county, it being the aim to reach the principal towns. It is possible that there will be lecturers from the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington sent to the county to assist at the institutes.

Pupils on Honor Roll.

The following pupils of the Emmitsburg School are on the Honor Roll for attendance for December — Estelle Houck, Pauline Annan, Carl Snook, Alice McNair, May Rowe, Virginia Eyster, Margaret Zimmerman, Margaret Hays, Ethel Annan, Margaret Annan, Sheridan Biggs, Russel Wantz, Charles Bushman, Andrew Knott, Helen McNair, Maggie Haugh, Bernadette Brawner, Ethel Grimes, Anna Haugh, Emma Reifsnider, Viola O'Connor, Anna Bishop, Joseph Zimmerman, William Hays, Clarence Fuss, Maurice Fitz, John B. Boyle, Richard Biggs, Jesse Stone, Horner Agnew, Charles Hess, Charles O'Connor, Eva Haugh, Annabelle Springer, Cynthia Clagett, Ruth Rowe, John Hays, Samuel Hays, Leonard Zimmerman, Harry Moser, William Eyler and Murray Poulsen.



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STORM SWEEPS THE COAST.

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Central Falls, R. I., was instantly killed by stepping on alive electric light wire which had been blown down by the gale.

Locally the damage resulting from the storm resulted chiefly from swollen streams caused by the heavy rainfall. Not since the Johnstown Flood, of a quarter of a century ago, has so much of Frederick county been under water. The flood has marooned people living near the Monocacy river, damaged bridges and farm buildings, carried off large amounts of fodder and timber, and washed state and county roads. Traffic on many of the county's main highways was halted on Wednesday. The Emmitsburg pike at Harmony Grove was impassable, Liberty pike and the Gas House pike were closed the entire day, Buckeystown pike was closed, and parts of the Georgetown road were under water much of the day.

For more than 32 hours there was a constant downpour. Rain began to fall on Monday evening early, and continued until about three o'clock Wednesday morning. Nearly four inches of rain fell, according to official records.

In Adams County roads were rendered impassable by the recent rains, the rural mail drivers undergoing much difficulty with the turbulent streams, which left their banks and at nearly every bridge along both Marsh and Rock Creeks, the road on either side being a mass of water made that travelling hazardous.

To add to the force of the water large cakes of ice were hurled along with the current and fences on many farms have been broken down. Reports from every point along Marsh Creek indicate that the stream was the highest it has been in some years.

At Friend's Creek several footlogs were washed away in the storm of Tuesday night. During the previous storm the footlog at Mr. Samuel Cool's was entirely destroyed by the heavy pieces of ice washing against it.

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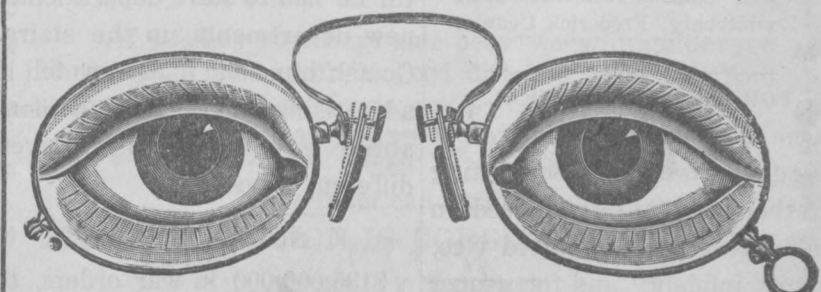
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FREDERICK COUNTY.

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

EMMITSBURG.

In all Western Maryland—the beauty spot and the garden spot of the State—there is no town more attractive than Emmitsburg.

No people are more wide-awake, more knowable, more courteous to strangers than Emmitsburgians.

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There are excellent Schools—Public and Parochial—in Emmitsburg; two sound Banks, five Churches, a live Newspaper, modern Hotel accommodations, adequate Fire Department, progressive merchants, splendid physicians, good liverys, auto garages, many fraternal organizations, good railroad accommodations. There are four or five mails a day, telegraph, express and telephone service connecting all points; electric light and power, oiled streets.

There is business to be had in Emmitsburg; there are Factory Sites available. If you contemplate changing your place of residence—come to Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Md.

FOR THE COMMON WEAL.

One significant trend in present day religion is notable—the getting together of all faiths and creeds in the fight against organized vice, against infidelity and for deeper spirituality. Lay organizations are drawing to their membership more representative men than

ever before; less red tape and an increased efficiency is observable in systematized charity; militant churchmanship is decidedly revitalized, "neighborhood work" is taken seriously by seriously minded persons; civic betterment everywhere is receiving earnest attention; prison reform is being scientifically and humanely dealt with; the cause of degeneracy is being sought with a view to its being more permanently eradicated; education in behalf of a better citizenship is being emphasized; problems that directly affect the poor and those dealing with capital and labor—all these are emanating from religion, the proper source.

Moreover a broader sympathy between the different elements in our social system is easily recognizable. "For the common weal" seems to be the slogan of this movement which, judging by the force behind it, bids fair to be not only thoroughly aggressive, but also lasting.

DOES IT LAST.

So-called religion that is dependent upon slang, slap sticks, vulgarisms, vaudeville skits, coarse jokes, and flippant allusions to Almighty God—can this sort of thing produce any continuing good?

Billy Sunday is very much in Philadelphia at this present. Using his own expression, he is "there with both feet." A casual observer might also discover that he was there with his gab chest, and if he heeded Billy himself, any guileless peruser of the daily papers might conclude that (again Sundayism) God was a protegee of Billy's and was "sticking around" to get pointers on how to run Heaven.

Sunday has "made a hit," he has the crowd "going" (incidentally its some feat to get anything on the move in Philadelphia) and before he does the "wind up" he intends to have the villagers in Scrapple Town "on the bottom rung of the ladder to Heaven." Then he's going to leave.

Will they climb or fall into the subway? That's the question.

THERE'S A MORAL.

There was a man who said, "it doesn't pay to advertise," till one day he was taken quite completely by surprise. He'd been in business many years and thought that snap and vim, put into sales by printers' ink did not apply to him. At last he woke right up and realized and plainly saw, that customers he thought were his were not his any more. He found them going elsewhere—bidden hence by enterprise, of those who had good business heads and keen, discerning eyes. Right straight his sense of what was what expanded like elastic, he tried what others proved and grew, like them, enthusiastic.

He told the people what he sold—his ads. had "pep" and "pull," and very soon his store was more than comfortably full of folks who read his statements came with cash to buy his wares, till he had to start departments, new departments up the stairs. Go ask him now if he can tell if advertising pays; he'll demonstrate it to you—yes in seven different ways.

NOT SO WORSE.

\$135,000,000 in war orders, to be filled by a single American firm. This means that in one locality only, 11,000 men have

employment. Add to this hundreds of other orders to manufacturers of different kinds of goods to be made at plants in various sections of the United States—figure up the additional millions involved and the employment given many more thousands and "times aint so worse" after all.

Of all the varied feelings of danger and apprehension, can any grip hold of your system and keep it at highest tension, like that which in whizzing in autos you've no doubt at sometime felt, when the chauffeur gets hold of the speed clutch when there's "gasoline" under his belt?

Under a bill passed by the House today, all theaters, baseball parks and other places of amusement in the District of Columbia would be required to furnish their patrons "with an adequate supply of pure cool drinking water and drinking cups."

Goodbye to those white habited, ebon-hued Ganymedes and their "Sas'prilla, ging' ale, sof' drinks," etc.

It's all right about self-loading guns, self-filling pens and self lighting cigars for soldiers in the trenches. How about a self-filling stomach attachment? Inventors, please stand up!

The most appropriate action Governor Blease could take on the 19th inst. would be to release himself from the State of South Carolina for ever.

"Boston faces a bean famine. Dealers attribute it to the war." Which at last explains where Germany gets her "kultur."

CASH, Brandy Keg, Skate and Joy—all towns in Kentucky. No wonder Henry Watterson loves the "blue grass" state.

PHILADELPHIA has foresworn the chocolate sundae for Billy Sunday.

WE notice that they are reducing forts to flinders in Flanders.

I'M THE BEST PAL.

I'm the best pal that I ever had;
I like to sit with me—
I like to sit and tell myself
Things confidentially.
I often sit and ask me
If I shouldn't or I should,
And I find that my advice to me
Is always pretty good.
I never got acquainted with myself
Till here of late,
And I find myself a bully chum,
I treat me simply great.
I talk with me and walk with me,
And show me right and wrong;
I never knew how well myself
And me could get along.
I never try to cheat me,
I'm as truthful as can be;
No matter what may come and go,
I'm on the square with me.
It's great to know yourself
And have a pal that's all your own,
To be such company for yourself,
You're never left alone.
You'll try to dodge the masses,
And you'll find a crowd's a joke
If you'll only treat yourself
As well as you treat other folk.
I made a study of myself,
Compared me with the lot,
And I've finally concluded
I'm the best friend that I've got.
Just get together with yourself,
And trust yourself with you,
And you'll be surprised how well yourself
Will like you if you do.
—Author Unknown.

FROM SMALL TOWNS.

It is curious to note that of those prominent in social, political, and literary life today the great percentage come from the country or small country towns. This statement holds true in regard to the past, also. World-figures such as Napoleon, Wordsworth and Goethe spent their early days in seclusion and contemplation.—*Townson Journal.*

JANUARY NOTABLE EVENTS.

Jan. 1—1893, Emancipation Proclamation.
Jan. 8—1815, Battle of New Orleans.
Jan. 17—1706, Franklin born.
Jan. 19—1807, R. E. Lee born.
Jan. 21—1824, "Stonewall" Jackson born.
Jan. 29—1843, Wm. McKinley born.

"DIE WACHT AM RHEIN."

A contributor to the New York Times gives the history of "Die Wacht am Rhein" as follows:

"Die Wacht am Rhein," which is the German national hymn and is being sung now by all Teutons, whether at home or on the battlefield, was written by a certain Max Schneckenburger, who was born in the little town of Thalheim in Wurttemberg. Schneckenburger was a druggist's assistant in Bern when he composed the poem in 1840.

At that time, says The Neue Freie Presse, France was vociferously demanding a march on the Rhine—that is to say, war with Germany—and German patriotic songs began to be heard from one end of the stream to the other. The subject of the songs was almost exclusively the Rhine itself, which each nation proposed to cross in order to get to grips with the other. Schneckenburger's poem, produced under these circumstances, was included in a collection of verses written by him, and published under the name "German Songs." The poem in question had no great success, and would have retired into oblivion if it had not had the fortune some years later to fall into the hands of an obscure liedertafel leader named Carl Wilhelm, who set it to music and managed to have it performed at the silver wedding of the Crown Prince of Prussia, who, after his victorious campaign against France, became the German Emperor.

Truth to tell, even this did not suffice to bring the song into popularity, and it was only in 1865, when the "Wacht am Rhein" was sung in Dresden by the League of German Singers, that it was received with enthusiasm, becoming, after the declaration of war in 1870, the national hymn. The German Government wanted to present the composer, Wilhelm, with a yearly pension of 3,000 marks, after peace was signed, but he died in 1873. Poor Schneckenburger, too, had died in 1849, without the faintest idea of the posthumous fame his name was to enjoy as having written the national hymn of his country.

The manuscript of "Die Wacht am Rhein" passed into the hands of an heir of the drug clerk's best friend, and latter was left by him to the Museum in Bern, where it now hangs.

TITLE, "OLD HICKORY."

Commenting on the one hundredth anniversary of Jackson Day the Boston Transcript in this wise tells how the famous General got his title:

"It was not, of course, the battle of New Orleans which made Jackson famous, or which gave him his sobriquet of 'Old Hickory.' Nearly a year before, as a comparatively obscure and minor officer, he had been entrusted with the command of the expedition against the Creeks, then the most powerful and menacing of all the Indian tribes in the South. He had been chosen for that undertaking, moreover, not because he was supposed to possess a high degree of military genius, but because as a militia officer he had considerable experience in irregular frontier fighting, which was the kind which was generally most effective against the Indians. The outcome was that he fought and won, with an amazing amount of strategic genius combined with sheer Berserk courage, the almost epochal Battle of Horseshoe Bend, in which the power of the Creeks was forever broken—one of the two or three most important Indian battles ever fought upon this continent. A little later, as a sequel to this, he went to the 'sacred' spot known as Hickory Ground, on which the Indians believe no white man could set foot and live, and there received the surrender and submission of Weatherford, the most formidable chieftain of his day. It was that dual achievement which gave him the well-deserved title of 'Old Hickory' and which caused President Madison to promote him at a single step to be a major general in the regular army."

THE PROFANE CUSTOMER.

A man went in a dry goods store and bought a lot of stuff,
He had a real bad temper, and his manners they were rough;
He said to the saleslady: "You will send these here things, Mam."
And when the girl said: "What name, please?" he said: "O. U. B. Dahm."
The poor girl gazed at that rough man, and blood-red was her cheek.
"You'd better have a care," she said, "and choose the words you speak."
The man in anger said to her: "Say, what's wrong with your head?"
And then he shouted in herear: "O. U. B. Dahm, I said."
That brave girl did not falter then. No tears came to her eye.
But she faced that there fellow and did make this here reply:
Chorus—
"I may be but a toiler, but I am a lady, too.
And I will say right here that I do not think much of you;
And no one but a monster and an ornery profane churl
Would go into a store and cuss a decent working girl."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Rembrandt's celebrated painting, Portrait of Young Samson, was sold in New York to an American collector for \$200,000.

HISTORY OF SAVINGS BANKS.

Recent newspaper references to the subject have aroused public interest in the history of savings banks, says the Christian Science Monitor. Germany is entitled to the honor of originating them, the first having been established at Brunswick in 1765. The system was introduced to the notice of the English public in 1797 by Jeremy Bentham, who proposed the establishment of a line of "frugality banks," as he named them; a savings bank was organized by Lady Isabella Douglas in Bath seven years later for the benefit of domestic servants only, but the first of the modern type of these institutions in Great Britain was opened by the Rev. Henry Duncan of Ruthwell, Scotland, in 1810. In 1817 two acts were passed by the British Parliament designed to encourage, protect and regulate such establishments in England and Ireland; these were virtually repealed by the enactment in 1828 of what has come to be recognized as the governing law concerning savings banks in the United Kingdom.

The first organization of a savings bank in the United States of which there is any authentic record was effected in the city of New York on Nov. 29, 1816, but Philadelphia may justly demand credit of actually opening for business the first savings bank in the United States. This was on Dec. 2, 1816. However, the first savings bank to be incorporated in the United States was a Boston institution, the charter of which bore the date of Dec. 13, 1816. Thus three American cities may claim, practically, an equal share in the launching on this side of the Atlantic ocean of a system that in less than a century has grown to tremendous proportions.

In 1820, four years after their foundation, the number of savings banks in the United States was ten, the number of depositors 8,635, and the total of their deposits \$1,138,570. In 1900 the number of savings banks in the country was 1,002; of depositors, 6,107,083, and the total of deposits, \$2,449,547,855. The totals for 1912, the last fiscal year for which returns are available were: Savings banks, 1,922; depositors, 10,010,304; deposits, \$4,451,813,522. These figures, of course, are exclusive of postal savings. They are also exclusive of cooperative banks and of building and loan savings societies.

VALUE OF A SMILE.

The will of Alice Johns Hodges, of Chelmsford, England, was probated some time since, and was found to contain a bequest of \$500 to Mrs. Walker, the wife of a bank cashier, for simply smiling pleasantly at the testatrix as they left the church together. Mrs. Walker explained, when told of the gift, that she remembers to have seen Mrs. Hodges at church one morning, and that she noticed something in her face that attracted her, and greeted her with a smile and a kind word, and chatted with her pleasantly at the church door. Oh, the value of a smile! What a wealth of happiness it gives to the one receiving and the one giving as well! How many a maiden has won a husband, a young man a bride, by a pleasant smile! How many burdens have been lifted from a heavy heart, and wrinkles taken out of the face of care, by a pleasant salutation!—*Berlin Advance.*

ECLIPSES THIS YEAR.

The least number of eclipses possible in one year is two, and the greatest number seven. The moon cannot be eclipsed more than twice in one year and may escape entirely as will be the case this year, hence when but two eclipses occur in any one year they must both be of the sun, and when seven occur five of them must be of the sun. There will be only two eclipses this year as follows: annular of the Sun Feb. 14, invisible in America; visible in the Indian and Southern Pacific Oceans and annular of the Sun Aug. 10, invisible in America, visible in the Pacific Ocean and Eastern Asia.

"SOME" TRESPASS NOTICE.

Trespassers will be persecuted to the full extent of 2 mean mungrel dogs which aint enever been overly sossibil with strangers and 1 dubble barl shot gun which aint Loaded with no soft pillars Dam if I aint tire of this heiraizin on my property.—Sign on a farm near Salem, N. J.

Proper Foot Coverings.

The medical man presents the moccasin as the most wholesome foot covering yet devised, but very few are sanguine enough to hope that fashion will permit its general use. Next to the moccasin, so we are told, is the shoe that not only permits the foot to perform its normal functions unimpeded, but strengthens it when in use. This is the shoe that, instead of pinching the foot or forcing it into abnormal shapes or positions, actually fits it.

Facts About the Cyclone.

A cyclone is freakish, but its pranks enable scientists to gather certain facts about it. First of all, the velocity of the wind can be calculated to a certain extent. The whirling speed of the cyclone is tremendous. The average velocity within the vortex of 600 such storms was found to be 332 miles an hour, the minimum being 270 and the maximum 800.

CURIOUS WAYS OF THE JAPS

American Traveler Disconcerted by Customs in the Land of the Cherry Blossom.

I knew before I got here that Japan was queer, but I had no idea that everything was backward, Homer Croy writes in Leslie's. I can't get used to sitting on the floor and sleeping with a tomato can with a napkin around it for a pillow. The easiest way to figure out how the Japanese would do a thing, is to think what would be exactly backward in Missouri. When two Japanese meet they bow and bow, giving their heads short jerks as if trying to get salt water out of their eyes. When they separate they tip their hats. When they come into a store they tip their hats; when they buy a ticket they tip their hats. Their elbows are always bent towards their hats.

Japanese never kiss. This pleasant pastime has not yet been imported into cherry blossom land. It is only recently that a few of the Japanese have learned to shake hands. We travelers are hoping that they will take up other great American institutions. Japanese look upon kissing as being low and vulgar, believing that a few moments spent in bowing is much better. The girls feel that way about it, too—they say. As I have been in Japan only a few days I cannot write with that tone of authority on the subject which I may be able to use later. However, in order to make my articles as replete with information as possible I shall go to no end of trouble to get accurate data on this subject for the benefit of the readers of Leslie's. When an ardent young Japanese suitor slips his arm around the girl's waist and whispers into her shell-like ear that she is the only woman who has ever understood him, and when she looks up confidingly into his eyes and breathes, "You are so strong!" he does not clasp her to his bosom in an ecstasy of joy and plant a delicious kiss on her trembling lips—no, instead of that he gets up and bows and thanks her in a few courteous phrases.

One cannot help feeling sorry for them when thinking how many pleasant evenings they miss. From my limited experience I wouldn't give a good old fashioned Missouri kiss for ten minutes of bows.

JOHN BULL BECOMING VAIN?

Really It Would Seem So, If Advertisements in Magazines Are Admitted as Evidence.

The vanity of the Frenchman and his inclination toward corsets and other feminine aids to beauty have long been the object of ridicule by newspapers, but who would have thought that our staid British cousins, who have always pointed the finger of scorn at such methods of attaining the grace of an Adonis, would have fallen under the spell.

That the Johnnies of the tight little isle are not above "painting the lily," however, is evidenced by a number of bona fide advertisements recently clipped from a popular London magazine. They relate to creams and cosmetics, the particular form of vanity which the Britisher derides in his women folk. One of them reads:

"Mustaches forced quickly, cheaply, secretly. Trial box, 7d."

Can we not picture the fair youth—with nine on a side—standing before a mirror and patiently rubbing in the cream or salve, or whatever it is, hope springing eternal in his breast that on the morrow he will be twirling a long, silky mustache which will transform him into a perfect lady killer?

Card Wasn't Necessary.

Senator William A. Smith of Michigan smiled the other evening when the conversation turned to the bad breaks occasionally made by servants. He said he was reminded of a maid named Norah.

One afternoon two women stopped at the home of a distant relative. Norah answered the ring at the door and requested the callers to take seats until she ascertained whether her mistress was in.

"I am very sorry," announced Norah, coming down stairs a minute later, "but Mrs. Jones has gone out and is not expected back until after dinner."

"What a pity I have forgotten my cards," remarked one of the callers fumbling in her satchel, "I will have to write my name on one of yours, Jenny."

"It won't be necessary, ma'am," thoughtlessly broke in Norah. "I told my mistress who you are."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

America's Mineral Resources.

Mineral production in the United States now reaches a grand total of \$2,500,000,000 a year, according to statistics gathered by Wall Street Journal. No other country of the world makes anything like so large a contribution to its mineral wealth. The director of the geological survey reminds us that this country mines 40 per cent of the world's output of coal and 65 per cent of the petroleum. Of the more essential metals 40 per cent of the world's production of iron ore comes from American mines. Our smelters furnish 55 per cent of the copper and at least 55 per cent of the lead and zinc. In no respect will the European war probably bring more advantage to the United States than by forcing home to us the possibilities of providing for our own needs instead of depending on foreign sources for much of our mineral elements essential to industry.

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WHAT FORESTRY HAS DONE FOR STATE

Importance and Usefulness of Board Felt in All Parts of Maryland.

Organized only in 1906, at the present time the Maryland State Board of Forestry has reached a permanent and substantial footing. Its work has steadily increased, new responsibilities have been added, and today its importance and usefulness are felt in all parts of the State.

The State Board of Forestry has acquired through purchase or gift 2,570 acres of State forest. In addition, there are several tracts of woodland, amounting to 1,038 acres, which, by mutual agreement with their owners, are now under the management and supervision of the Board. This land is well distributed over the State, and is being managed with an eye to its improvement through practical, applied forestry. It is held as a public park, where residents of the State may, free of cost, enjoy the recreation and healthy pastimes of outdoor life.

In 1914 the State Forester examined and prepared plans for the management and improvement of twenty-one separate pieces of woodland, in the aggregate 2,005 acres of forest, which from now on will receive the benefits of improved handling and more economic use. The forests of the State have been mapped and estimated, and complete reports prepared for many of the counties.

In the same length of time a quarter of a million young forest trees have been planted by the Board, 85,000 going toward the reforestation of waste lands within the State, and the remainder for the establishment of a State Forest Nursery at College Park. Here varieties of valuable trees best adapted to local condition of soil and climate are furnished at cost to landowners who may desire them for the improvement of roads and streets, or reclaiming waste lands with forest trees.

The forests of Maryland now cover, in the aggregate, over two million acres of land, thirty-five per cent. of the State.

CATHOLIC TO FIGHT PREJUDICE

Knight of Columbus Appropriate \$50,000 to Combat Efforts of Anti-Catholics.

In order to thoroughly investigate a movement declared to be in progress on the part of anti-Catholic societies and publications to drive Catholics out of public life, the supreme council of the Knights of Columbus have appropriated \$50,000. The Society's committee on religious prejudice is in session in New York at present.

At the conclusion of its present meeting in this city, the commission will prepare for a session in Chicago on March 6 to be followed by meeting in other large cities.

Criminal prosecution has already been ordered by the Department of Justice against one widely-circulated anti-Catholic publication, it was announced, and others will follow. It was said also that the commission would vigorously oppose the report of the Postmaster General, published in December containing a statement of the position of the Post-office Department regarding the use of the mails by such publications.

Wreck on Pennsy During Storm.

The top of a freight car blown across the tracks wrecked a northbound Washington and New York Express on the Pennsylvania railroad at Perryville, Cecil county. James Murphy, engineer of the train was killed instantly, while the fireman escaped with broken legs and ribs. The locomotive rolled down a 30-foot embankment. The tender followed. The express and sleeping cars were thrown at right angles to the tracks and hung on the edge of the embankment. Two coaches, which were still on the bridge were nearly derailed and thrown into the river.

Railroad Checks on "Dry" Basis.

When the employees of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania Railroad, received their pay checks this week they found attached a notice to the effect that the checks must not be cashed at saloons or any place where intoxicating liquors are sold.

The notice warns the employees that they will not be retained in the service of the company if their checks are cashed at places where intoxicants are sold.

Was The Only One For It.

Representative Frank O. Smith, of Maryland, was the only member of the Maryland delegation voting for the resolution for nation-wide suffrage. The other five Maryland members, Messrs. Linthicum, Coady, Lewis, Price and Talbott, voted against the suffrage amendment.

Summing up the situation financially, industrially and commercially, the greatest difficulties have been overcome, many obstacles to success have been removed, and there now is before our business men a period of building up safely, an era that should bring with it the material realization of a wider, deeper and more permanent prosperity than they ever before experienced, says the Cincinnati Enquirer.

500 SALES LISTED FOR UNPAID TAXES

Property in Anne Arundel County, Bought During Railroad Boom, Will be Auctioned Off.

A new record for the sale of property for unpaid taxes in Anne Arundel county has been made with the "for-sale" notice of the Treasurer's office at Annapolis, which states that more than 500 pieces of property will be offered February 5 to pay the State and county taxes due for 1911 and 1912.

The Fourth district has 351 pieces of property in the list, a great number of which is property that was sold during a boom in real estate when the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis electric line was built. A number of purchasers of small lots cannot be found upon whom to serve tax bills. The First district has 22 pieces of property listed; the Second district, 36; the Third, 58; the Fifth, which includes Brooklyn, Masonville and part of Glen Burnie, 19; the Sixth, which takes in Annapolis, 20, and the Eighth, 39.

Some of the most prominent citizens of the county are among the property owners whose property is now for sale. It is believed that the small returns from trucking during several years has resulted in the large number of farm failures.

DECEMBER HEALTH REPORT

One Hundred and Nine Births, 75 Deaths.—Whooping Cough Prevalent.

Of the 75 deaths reported in the county for the past month, ending December 31, nine were caused by pulmonary tuberculosis. During the past month there were 109 births and 75 deaths, which is nearly two births to every death.

Thirty cases of contagious diseases were reported. Whooping cough leads with a total of 16 cases. Diphtheria is second, with five cases.

The following is the report of County Health Officer Dr. Ralph Browning, of Myersville:

Total number of births, 109.

Total number of deaths, 75.

Causes of death were as follows:

Pneumonia, 3; cardiac asthma, 1; cancer, 4; nephritis, 5; unknown, 3; Hodgkins disease, 1; locomotor ataxia, 1; broncho pneumonia, 4; burns, 1; acute pulmonary congestion, 1; apoplexy, 2; blood poisoning, 1; gastro enteritis, 1; angina pectoris, 2; pulmonary tuberculosis, 9; valvular heart disease, 4; arterio sclerosis, 4; eclampsia, 1; cretinism, 1; general debility, 3; alcoholism, 1; intussusception, 1; accidental, 1; shock, 1; appendicitis, 1; other causes, 17.

Total number of contagious diseases reported, 30.

Whooping-cough, 16; diphtheria, 5; scarlet fever, 3; chickenpox, 5; erysipelas, 1.

MUST PAY FOR NEWSPAPER.

Bill Valid When Publication is Accepted Says Nebraska Judge in Recent Decision.

Judge George Thomas of Columbus, Neb., recently decided that if a man accepts a paper that is sent him he must pay for it. The decision was rendered in the case brought by the Columbus Telegram against a man for \$2.35. The Telegram had been sent to the man's home and he had accepted the paper. When called upon to pay for it, he refused to and suit was brought. When Judge Thomas heard the evidence he instructed the jury to bring in a verdict for the Telegram. Judge Thomas ruled that the old common law principle that what a man received and used he was bound to pay for applied in this instance.

Retiring Emergency Money.

According to the comptroller of the Currency the largest amount of emergency money outstanding in any one State is \$16,859,000 in Texas. New York is second with \$12,277,000. Of the \$384,483,000 of emergency currency which was used under the Act of May 30, 1908 \$258,444,000, or 67 per cent. has been retired up to the close of business on January 9, leaving the balance outstanding \$126,039,000. Of this amount, \$4,186,000 is in the New England States, \$24,856,000 in the Eastern Group, \$53,209,000 in the South, \$27,747,000 in the Middle States, \$3,738,000 in the West, and \$12,303,000 on the Pacific Coast.

No Hard Times in The West.

Before leaving Chicago for his return to Washington, Secretary McAdoo said: "On the Pacific coast the people will not entertain any notions of business depression. The business men are selling goods and my information was that business was booming. The stores of the Pacific coast were crowded, the factories were running and there was a feeling among the people of confidence and optimism for the future."

"From the coast back to Chicago the business men have recovered from any feeling of business depression. There was no hard times talk."

The two-millionth declaration of intention to become an American citizen was filed with the Bureau of Naturalization on January 7. A Russian filed the declaration at Trenton, N.J.

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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 are in a hurry 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.

Miss Jessie Rouzer, of Thurmont, visited Miss Estelle Cordori this week.

Mrs. Margaret Wedge, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Kerrigan.

Mrs. Harry Baker, of Taneytown, visited Emmitsburg this week.

Miss Nellie Felix is visiting in Frederick.

Mr. Bernard Wagerman and Miss Regina Chrismor, of Bonneville, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chrismor recently.

Mrs. Reuter, of Baltimore, visited her brother, Mr. P. F. Burket.

Miss Ruth Gillelan visited in Westminster this week.

Mrs. Harry Boyle has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mrs. Brooke Boyle spent the weekend in Baltimore.

Mrs. Newton Valentine, of Rocky Ridge, spent Wednesday in town.

Miss Nettie Englar visited at the home of Miss Margaret Bell on Wednesday.

Mrs. James Mullen spent a few days in Baltimore last week.

Mr. Norbet Mullen returned to Hagerstown after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mullen.

Miss Dorothy Adelsperger, of Osceola, Pa., visited her aunt, Mrs. Kenneth Pontious this week.

Mrs. Daniel Stouter and Miss Mary Stouter have returned from a visit to cities in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Prof. Frederick Halm has returned from a visit to Nazareth, Pa.

Mr. Ross E. Eyler, of Thurmont, was in Emmitsburg on Friday last.

Mr. Albert Smith, of Fairfield, spent Saturday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wivell and daughter, Agnes, of Dry Bridge, returned home after a visit to Baltimore, Richmond and Upper Marlboro.

Mr. Ernest Smith, of Taneytown, was in Emmitsburg on Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Baker, of Hagerstown, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thaddeus A. Maxell.

Miss Mary J. Shuff was in Frederick, Saturday.

Mr. William F. Fennel, of Philadelphia, Pa., was a visitor to this place on Tuesday.

Mr. H. H. Watson, of Baltimore, was in Emmitsburg on Thursday.

Mr. Roy Whitmore, of Wisconsin, who had been spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Whitmore, returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Catharine Welty has returned from a week's visit to Baltimore.

Corporal Charles Hranicke, of the Fourth Coast Artillery, Fort Howard, and Mr. Joseph Hranicke, of Baltimore, visited Dr. George E. Schofield last week.

End of Week of Prayer.

The concluding service of the Week of Prayer which began on Sunday, Jan. 10th, was held in the Lutheran Church last Sunday evening. Dr. Granville, president of Gettysburg College was the speaker. His address dealt with Christian citizenship and Christian education for which he made a strong plea. Incidentally Dr. Granville outlined the policy of the institution of which he is the head, emphasized the excellent points of the curriculum of this essentially Christian College, paid tribute to the prominent men who had graduated at Gettysburg, and asked for support in sustaining the good work being done there.

To Speak Before Civic League.

Owing to the terrific storm on Tuesday night the public talk on library work by Miss Farr was abandoned. On Friday, Jan. 29th at 7.30 P. M. Miss Farr, who is the Field Secretary of the Maryland Library Commission, will speak at the monthly meeting of the Civic League. A large attendance is expected.

Contract Let for Gettysburg Road.

The State Roads Commission on Monday awarded the contract to construct the one and one-quarter miles of macadam road from Emmitsburg to the Pennsylvania line, to the Besler-Long Company, of Hagerstown, at their bid of \$13,282.10.

To Remodel Thurmont Church.

The United Brethren of Thurmont are drafting plans for the remodeling of their church edifice. The plans call for the making of a thoroughly modern church in every respect. A Sunday School room is to be built, a furnace installed, new floor and carpet laid, and circular benches installed.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Every reader of THE CHRONICLE is invited to send news to this office. The management of THE CHRONICLE will take it as a particular favor if patrons will telephone or write to this office concerning matters of general interest. By sending personals, details of improvements to town or farm property, accounts of accidents and fires, the reports of meetings, particulars of deaths and weddings and mention of all social events, they will make this THEIR paper—truly representative of the community.

Readings from The CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, Jan. 8th, 1915.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	46	46	—
Saturday	28	40	—
Monday	32	38	40
Tuesday	38	38	42
Wednesday	46	48	44
Thursday	34	44	46

The Happy-Go-Lucky Club had a very pleasant outing along the creek one day this week.

The Lyres Club assembled for its past holiday concourse, at which convention reports were heard and resolutions decreed.

Mrs. Robert Kerrigan entertained the Novelty Club at her home, on Thursday evening.

The Tom's Creek Public School will hold a spelling bee on the evening of January 20; but if the weather is unfavorable that night, it will be held on the following. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. T. E. Zimmerman entertained at Five Hundred last night.

Misses Anna and Estelle Codori entertained at cards on Wednesday afternoon.

The local survivors of Cole's Cavalry did not attend the annual reunion of that organization last week, but will go to Baltimore for a reunion in April. There are only seven left in this community: Michael Hoke, John Mentzer, John Glass, Thomas Frailey, Andrew A. Annan, Jacob Turner and James Hospelhorn.

Mr. Isaac Gelwicks moved his family to Hagerstown this week, where he is now employed.

Mrs. Fannie Eline has purchased the property of Mr. John Saffer on West Main Street extended. Terms private.

COST OF MONTEVUE CUT DOWN

Commissions for First Six Months of New Regime Cut in Half.

The County Commissioners expended for Montevue Hospital and the Frederick county jail during the six months beginning July 1 and ending December 31, the sum of \$16,000.00. Receipts at Montevue were \$2,499.21. On this basis it is estimated that the total cost for the year will not exceed \$30,000.

Last year the expenses at Montevue under the Board of Charities and Correction were about \$56,000.

For the past six months there has been an average of 133 inmates daily. The average cost for each inmate has been \$167, while last year the average cost was \$212. The average cost per day for each inmate during the past six months has been 46 cents while last year it was 58 cents. The per capita cost does not include prisoners at the jail.

There are at the present time 161 inmates at Montevue, of which 97 are males and 64 females. This number includes 18 tramps.

MR. JOHN H. GRIMES.

Mr. John Henry Grimes died Tuesday, January 12, 1915 at his late home near Ohler's School house, after an illness of several weeks due to disease of the heart. The deceased was aged 40 years 2 months and 1 day. He is survived by his wife and three children—also his father, of Knoxlyn, Pa., three brothers, Joseph, Lemuel and Edward Grimes and two sisters, Mrs. Max Gordon and Mrs. Vernon Lantz. Funeral services were held in the Lutheran Church, Thursday at 11 A. M. conducted by Rev. Chas. Reinewald, D. D. Interment in the Lutheran Cemetery.

MRS. DULCIE HUMERICK.

On Monday, January 4, 1915, Mrs. Dulcie Humerick died at her home near Emmitsburg in her 26th year.

She was the wife of Mr. Samuel Humerick and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram W. Kipe, of Waynesboro, Pa., by whom she is survived.

Funeral services were held last Thursday, January 7 at the United Brethren Church, of Eyler's Valley. Rev. Harner, of Taneytown, officiated. Interment was made in Eyler's Valley Cemetery.

One Chinese province exports more than 150,000 tons of peanuts annually all because an American Missionary 20 years ago gave to a native convert a quart of seed.

CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC

Mass, Sunday 7 and 10 a. m.

Vespers, Sunday 7:00 p. m.

ST. ANTHONY'S

Mass, Sunday at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m.

Catechism, 9:30 a. m.

Vespers, 3:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN

Sunday, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Junior Christian Endeavor, 1:45 p. m.

Senior " " 6:45 p. m.

Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, Catechetical instruction 2 p. m.

REFORMED

Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

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 a. m.

Preaching, 10:30 a. m.

Communion services will be held in the Lutheran Church, Sunday, January 17.

TWO ROBBERIES AT THURMONT

Store and W. M. Freight Station Entered and Goods Stolen.

Some time last Friday night thieves entered the Western Maryland freight station and the general merchandise store of C. E. Walther at Thurmont.

At the freight station, the framework of a window and several panes of glass were broken in and a bag of coffee and other groceries stolen.

At the store of Mr. Walther which is located in the central part of the town, and two large glasses in the front window were smashed, and two valuable revolvers, along with a half dozen mouth organs and several packages of ammunition were taken.

It is thought both robberies were committed by the same party, for in either case windows were smashed. Railroad detectives are working on the case, as well as the other officers, but it is said nothing as yet has developed. Neither of the places were ever robbed before.

No Longer Under Quarantine.

The Maryland counties: Allegany, Anne Arundel, Charles, Dorchester, Garrett, Kent, Prince Georges, St. Mary's, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico, and Worcester are no longer under quarantine on account of the prevalence of the foot-and-mouth disease among cattle. The quarantine was raised Wednesday. All traces of the infection, if any existed in these counties, have been removed, and the lifting of the quarantine means that shipments in and out of all cattle, hay, straw, etc., can proceed without hindrance of any kind.

Robberies on the Increase.

The Ringle distillery, near Rouzerville, was burglarized last Saturday night and \$3 in money, whisky and a revolver taken.

The smokehouse of Peter Newcomer, near Hoovers Mill, was entered the same night and \$130 worth of meat and lard stolen.

Mrs. George Shafer, of Hagerstown while shopping late Saturday night had her pocketbook containing \$127 stolen.

Greencastle R. R. Station Robbed.

Robbers entered the passenger station of the Cumberland Valley Railroad in Greencastle, Pa., on Wednesday and got away with about \$50 in cash. The robbery occurred while the ticket agent, George Schroeder, was at dinner.

MARRIED.

CHASE—MURDOCK—On Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, at St. Joseph's Church, John Chase and Alice Murdock, both colored. Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M., performed the ceremony.

NAUGLE—WAGAMAN—On Thursday afternoon, January 14, 1915, Miss Helen Wagaman and Mr. Harry Naugle, both of Fayetteville, Pa. The ceremony was performed at the Lutheran parsonage by Rev. Charles Reinewald, D. D.

DIED

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

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DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Belgian Refugee, Formerly High Official in Boor Republic, Passes Through Emmitsburg.

Gen. du Wall, who holds the degree of doctor of divinity from the University of Bohn, a refugee from the city of Antwerp, passed through Emmitsburg on his way to Pittsburgh, on Sunday.

Dr. du Wall has been the victim of many reverses, beginning with his surrender, as a Boor general to the British forces, when his vast estate of 20,000 acres with cattle and all other property was confiscated, down to his escape from the city of Antwerp a short time ago with only the clothes on his back.

As a prisoner of war after his surrender to the British, suffering from four wounds, one received at Spion Kopf, having in that struggle lost his wife and daughters under most distressing circumstances, and his sons killed in battle, he was imprisoned in the West Indies. By a novel scheme he was able to get to Florida, thence to New York and finally to Antwerp. And now without a home, with rare good humor and cheerfulness, he goes over the circle again.

COMPLAINING OF PHONE RATES

Farmers Object To Zone System Alleged Favoritism in Rates to City Subscribers.

The farmers of Jefferson and Middletown have taken action against alleged discrimination by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company against the residents of the county and in favor of the residents of the city, was taken by two farmers organizations at meetings held Saturday.

The Jefferson Grange and the Middletown Farmers' Club both passed resolutions against the system of toll charges now in operation in the county. They contended that while residents of some sections have to pay a charge of five cents to phone to another section of the county, residents of the city can call any part of the county without this charge.

The county, the farmers claim, is now divided into three zones, and subscribers in one of these have to pay a toll charge of five cents to call a subscriber in any of the three zones without a toll charge.

The farmers also contend that in most cases there are too many subscribers on party lines, there being as many as twelve subscribers on one party line in many instances.

Fights Bear With Iron Pipe.

With nothing but a piece of iron pipe to defend himself John Furlow beat off a large black bear when the animal attacked him after climbing down a tree, where it had taken refuge. Furlow and James Hite were skating on the canal when their attention was attracted by the furious barking of Hite's dog. The men followed the dog into the woods and found that he had treed a black bear, which had gone out upon a limb.

Hite ran to his home to get a gun, and while he was gone the bear came down and attacked Furlow. He had found a section of iron pipe and, side-stepping the rush of the bear, dealt the animal a severe blow on the nose. The blow staggered the bear and, bleeding and growling furiously, it broke away and ran into the woods. When Hite returned the men tracked the bear for three miles into the mountain, but failed to find it.

Comptroller of the Treasury Downey has ruled that officers and men of the Naval Militia may receive pay for only 30 days in any month.

CATTLE OWNERS AWAITING PAY

Mrs. Fuss, of Emmitsburg, And Others Not Yet Reimbursed For Slain Cattle.

The Federal Government has not yet paid the \$3,000 which is the total amount due Mrs. Mary M. Fuss, Emmitsburg, and W. H. McKimney, of Greenfield Mills, because of the killing of cattle, infested with hoof-and-mouth disease. Mrs. Fuss has received a check for \$22.50, in payment of damage done while the cattle were killed.

The Federal Government and the State each pay half of the appraised value of the cattle killed. It is reported that Washington county farmers have received their checks from the Government.

Hagerstown Wants Larger Postoffice.

Petitions are being circulated for signers this week in an effort to have the Postoffice Department change its plans relative to remodeling the Hagerstown postoffice. It is said the department intends to erect a small addition to the south end of the postoffice, which, it is asserted, will not relieve the congestion nor facilitate the handling of the increased business.

The two Senators from Maryland and Congressman David J. Lewis will be asked to urge Congress to make an emergency appropriation, to be used in purchasing the John H. Middlekauff property, which adjoins the postoffice on the west, and erecting a large wing. No part of the \$30,000 is available for the purchase of a site, and a special appropriation will be needed.

YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY.

Those who have not yet joined the Christmas Savings Club of the Emmitsburg Savings Bank, can still do so. A few cards in each class are left. The Club will be kept open during next week to afford everyone this last opportunity to join. You can't lose a penny by joining. Don't put off doing so, but join today.

Special Notice.

Supervisors are hereby notified to present their accounts for settlement only on the days set for their respective districts. They are also requested to report all road tools, road machines, lumber, culvert pipe, or any material in their possession belonging to the county. By order, JOHN W. HOLTER, President.

Harman L. Gaver, Clerk. adv dec 18-5t.

Shoe Repairing and Harness Making. I have opened a shoe repairing and harness shop in the Edwin Chrismor building, formerly Dr. Riegle's office, East Main street, and respectfully solicit a share of the public's patronage. All work guaranteed. CHARLES H. BAKER. adv j-15-3ts

Pocketbook Found.

Found on Taneytown road, between James Bishop's and Warren Kugler's a pocketbook containing money. Owner may recover same by applying at this office, proving property and paying for this advertisement. adv

HIDES BOUGHT.

Beef, Calf and Horse hides wanted. Highest Prices paid.

H. M. GILLELAN & SON, adv dec 18-tf Emmitsburg, Md.

In ten years nearly 9,000 persons have lost their lives in railroad wrecks. The number of injured reached 127,542 and property loss totals \$104,625,897.

The average life of horses used in the European war is only two weeks.

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MONDORFF Well-equipped Cars. Careful Drivers. Gasoline and Auto Supplies. Place Always Open. NEW HOTEL SLAGLE GARAGE, West Main St., Emmitsburg, Md. July 17-14

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June 28-1y

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Yours very truly,
THE CHRONICLE.

ABOUT THE HOME PAPER.



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¶ It is the only home institution that travels.

¶ THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE is Your Home Paper.

¶ It is read by every member of the family.

¶ It advertises Emmitsburg and tells the outside world what is going on in this district.

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From a Western Subscriber.

"I note your up-to-dateness; you are doing good. So keep up the work." Another—"I look for it as regularly as I do for my meals."

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July 17-1914.

**Report of the Condition
OF THE
Emmitsburg Savings Bank**
at Emmitsburg, in the State of Maryland
at the Close of Business December 31st, 1914.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$197,129.70
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.....	260.68
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, Etc.....	107,830.80
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	900.00
Mortgages and Judgments of record.....	35,708.48
Cash on Hand and in Banks.....	18,198.93
Total.....	\$360,028.59
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	11,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, Interest and Taxes paid.....	1,173.80
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve.....	48.27
Dividends unpaid.....	750.60
Deposits (demand).....	35,668.33
Deposits (time).....	265,775.93
Bills Payable.....	15,000.00
Contingent Interest.....	5,611.66
Total.....	\$360,028.59

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF FREDERICK, SS.

I, H. M. Warrenfeltz, Cashier of the above-named Institution do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan., 1915.

PETER F. BURKET, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:

J. LEWIS RHODES,
STERLING GALT,
B. C. GILSON,
Directors.

Under Supervision of the State Banking Department.

ACROSS THE LINE

Gettysburg:

Mr. J. H. Kadel has sold his candy kitchen on Chambersburg street to the former proprietor, Gust. Varillas. Mr. Varillas will continue his restaurant on Centre Square while Mr. Kadel will remain proprietor of the candy store on Baltimore street.

The board of poor directors of Adams County on Monday elected Jacob E. Sharrets as their head for the coming year. The other directors are P. P. Eisenhower and M. A. L. Trostle.

Grave counter-charges against Congressman A. R. Brodbeck are contained in the reply made by C. William Beales, Republican congressman-elect to the allegations supporting the contest instituted by his defeated Democratic rival. A copy of the counter-charges was served on Mr. Brodbeck in the capitol at Washington last week.

An enthusiastic meeting of about thirty-five baseball fans was held in S. S. Neely's office last Friday evening. Plans for the coming season and the different obstacles that confront the baseball proposition in a town the size of Gettysburg were thoroughly discussed. This year the team will have all salaried players and at the next meeting the subject as to whether \$1,000 will be sufficient to tide the team over the season will be discussed.

John Walker, 19 years old, of Huntsdale, was killed last Tuesday night while coasting at Hunter's Run. He had just descended the hill and attempted to guide his sled along the usual course taken by the coasters. The sled refused to respond and Walker crashed into a rail fence. One of the rails struck him in the abdomen inflicting serious internal injuries. No laceration resulted from the crash. He was taken to the home of his brother, Levi Walker who resides nearby. Medical aid failed to save his life and he died a few hours later.

The Reading and Western Maryland ticket offices at this place were entered by an unknown man. He broke no locks, left no other trace of his means of entry than a number of mileage books and a ticket to Philadelphia over the Reading railroad. Efforts will be made to trace the mileage books through their numbers which are on record. The ticket to Philadelphia was used on the early morning train from Gettysburg but it cannot be ascertained who used it.

The Board of Health organized on Wednesday evening electing H. B. Bender president and Dr. Henry Stewart secretary. The other members of the board being Charles W. Myers, F. Mark Bream and Prof. George M. Rice. Quarantine regulations were discussed and it was decided to leave the date of the start of a quarantine from the report of the case to the Board.

GRACEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Keilholtz, of Zentztown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zentz.

Misses Blanche and May Creager, and Mr. Elmer Creager spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stitely, of Catocin Furnace.

Mr. F. C. Fisher spent Tuesday in Frederick.

Mr. Emory Stottlemeyer spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Creager.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boller, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pittinger, Mrs. Agnes Colliflower and daughter, Florence, and Mr. J. W. Pyle spent Wednesday evening with Miss Ella Wellar.

On Thursday Mrs. Clyde Young gave a dinner in honor of her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Keilholtz, the occasion being Mrs. Keilholtz's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Joy, Mrs. Chester Joy and three children, Mrs. Benjamin Keilholtz and three children, Mrs. Howard Colliflower, Jr., and Agnes and Austin Joy.

Rev. Robert Huebner is spending a week with his mother at Lititz, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pittinger entertained a few friends Friday evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boller, Mrs. Mattie Colliflower, Misses Ella Wellar and Belya Colliflower, Rev. Robert Huebner, and Mr. J. C. Pyle.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Miss Mary Weant spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Prince are spending their honeymoon with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kugler.

Mrs. Dicken and daughter Lillie, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shorb and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shorb.

Mrs. H. Eckenrode is on the sick list at this writing.

A very interesting entertainment was held at the Tract school on last Thursday night. A large crowd attended. Miss Grace Carbaugh is the teacher of this school.

Mr. Daniel Shorb who has been sick is able to be out again.

THURMONT.

Last Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th, a surprise party was held at the home of Mr. Isaac Rout, about one quarter of a mile, north of Thurmont. The party was held in honor of his daughter Olive's birthday. About twenty five guests were present, and everybody enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. Lots of music and games of all kind were played during the evening. At a late hour all were invited to the dining room, to partake of refreshments. Before leaving for their respective homes, they all wished Miss Olive many more happy birthdays. Those present were: Mr. Isaac Rout, Mrs. Arthur White, Misses. Olive Rout, Helen Creager, Margaret Wilhide, Coletta O'Toole, Bessie Webster, Edith Fox, Ferne Snook, Cassandra Hesson, Mae Sharrer, Clara Houever and Hazel Wilhide, Messrs. Philip and Arthur Rogers, Earl and Ira Kelbaugh, George Root, Charles Brenaman, Roy Wisotzkey, William Pryor, Lloyd Mackley and Paul Fleagle.

Misses Ruth and Bessie Webster visited relatives in Rocky Ridge, during the past week.

Mrs. Rebecca Reightler, of Baltimore visited Mrs. F. Hesson last Sunday.

KEYSVILLE.

Quite a number of the children and older folks too, are sick with the la grippe and sore throat.

Miss Nora Forney, of Baltimore, is convalescing at her father's, Mr. A. N. Forney.

The Misses Baumgardner called at their uncle's, Mr. Samuel Baumgardner's, Frederick county, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hahn, and son Wilbur, spent Sunday with Mr. Harvey Shorb.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ritter spent Friday in Gettysburg.

Mr. Roger Weybright, of Minnesota, who spent the holidays with his parents has returned to the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Hummer, of Middleburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shyrock Sunday.

MIDDLEBURG.

Mrs. Ray Singer spent last Friday in town visiting old neighbors.

Mrs. Rebecca Woods who's illness was mentioned in last weeks items is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowman, Jr., spent last Monday in Frederick.

We are sorry to note that our assistant teacher Miss Marguerite Sell has resigned and we wish the new assistant all the success possible.

Mrs. Frank Harbaugh has returned from the hospital.

The water in this locality has been higher than for a number of years. School children from the other side of Little Pipe Creek were compelled to stay over night in town as it was impossible to cross.

LOYS AND VICINITY.

Misses Ruth and Leah Fox spent Tuesday with Mrs. Elsie Free, of Creagerstown.

Mrs. Mary E. Ramsburg, of Creagerstown, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillie Fox and family.

Mr. Charles Stoner, of New Midway, spent Monday with Mr. John S. Long and family.

Mr. Jessie Fox and daughter, Miss Ruth spent Monday in Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Moser, of New Midway spent Sunday with Mrs. Moser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Washington Pittenger and family.

Misses Ruth and Leah Fox spent Sunday with Miss Minnie Long, of near Rocky Ridge.

Mrs. Jessie Fox who has been ill for several days is slowly improving.

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Falls Heir to Big Estate.

Mrs. Fannie Thawley, a thrice married resident of Ridgely, Md., has fallen heir to an estate valued at \$300,000. This estate, consisting of \$120,000 in cash and \$180,000 in real estate located near Washington, Va., was left by Mr. Pinder an uncle who died recently in Washington.

Letters To The Editor.

[The Editor would have it understood that he is not responsible for the views expressed in communications addressed to him and published in THE CHRONICLE.]

No attention will be paid to anonymous communications.

Weekly Chronicle:

Special attention Adam Pullman.

Dear Sir:—You're hot stuff. I long ago wanted to say something about that high school deal but I never felt that I had proper control of myself to make the letter printable. Let it be understood that I have the brakes on for fair, and here goes and may I feel relieved after this leaves my system.

Of all the penny wise and pound foolish things done by this staid old county that has been so used to being bunkoed that it feels ill without its annual dose, that takes the cake. First the county builds the plant and then because for a year business falls a little behind (and that during a Democratic administration when you would expect it to) it abandons the plant and the money invested in it.

Second: The whole country, from Eastport to San Diego, groans and suffers from congestion of population. Too many going to the centers and not enough left around the edges, they say. The country is getting bilious from too much congestion and its functions are disordered. On top of this that school board of ours begins to congest, and the merry little mountain girls and the sturdy little mountain boys are carted to the town to get wisdom, and colds, and morals, and cigarettes, and dissatisfaction and may be other town-bred things.

Say, Adam, the brakes are not as tight as I thought them; but I can't finish without finishing. It's not the town that needs something, it's that fool school board. They're alright in their way but they have lost weight since they pulled that off.

I am not obsessed with a desire to meet you, Adam, and I guess you will be able to get along without me, but in case you would like to know who I am it gives me great pleasure to say that I am the fellow who wrote this stuff.

BILL BRAKESOFF.

To the Editor of The Chronicle:

Dear Sir:—What are Emmitsburg's greatest needs? As a corporation we need better and cleaner streets and alleys, a public hitching ground and a system of garbage disposal.

From a business viewpoint we need a manufacturing industry that will give steady employment to men and boys. Think what a boom it would give the old town if we could have a factory that would employ forty or fifty men and boys. It would stimulate building and materially increase the business of every merchant. It would increase the value of real estate and thereby raise the taxable basis of the borough. And perhaps more important than all it would keep many of our boys from leaving the community and would thereby improve social conditions by tending to correct the numerical disparity of the sexes.

In order that Emmitsburg may enjoy these and other good things, we need as individuals to develop a spirit of co-operation. We need to break away from petty jealousies whether social, business or religious and one and all put our shoulders to the wheel and push for the common good.

UPTOWN.

Without Cost to Sender.

Lindon W. Bates, chairman of the Belgian Relief Commission, New York, has telegraphed Governor Goldsborough and asked him to publish throughout the state of Maryland the fact that a plan has been arranged by the United States Postoffice authorities making it possible for any one to send foodstuffs and other supplies to the commission without cost to the sender. The government will grant a refund of postage for all parcel post matter sent to the headquarters of the commission at 71 Broadway, New York. Leading express companies of the country have made similar arrangements.

An Extended Suspension.

The Smithsonian Institution at Washington reports that a remnant of the volcanic dust from the eruption of Mount Katmai, Alaska, which occurred in 1912, was suspended in the upper air for over one year.

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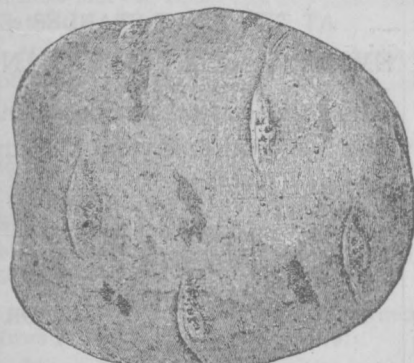
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Plant Pathologist,
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mond Urner, Associate Judges, Glenn
H. Worthington and Edward C. Peter.
Court meets at Frederick City, first
Monday in February and September, for
Grand Jury Terms, December, petit
jury term; May, non-jury term.

Clerk of the Circuit Court—Harry
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as. Deputies, J. Fenton Thomas, C. H.
Kreh.

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Chief Judge; John W. Mumford, Albert
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A. Jones, Riding Deputy, Charles W.
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for women who find them not becom-
ing there is always the transparent
chemisette. On this model there is an
applied box plait down the front. For
the blouse of washable material a little
embroidery makes an attractive finish
both at the neck and on the cuffs.

For the medium size the blouse will
require three and three-eighths yards
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See That Your Hens Do Not Roost in
Exposed Places Or To Them-
selves.

ROY H. WAITE,
Maryland Agricultural Experiment
Station.

One of the hardest things to do dur-
ing a cold snap is to keep the combs
of the poultry from freezing. This is
true more especially of some of the
larger combed breeds, like the Minor-
cas, Leghorns, etc. It, perhaps, does
not injure the value of a bird to any
great extent, so far as breeding quali-
ties are concerned, to have part of its
comb frozen off, but it isn't very pleas-
ant to the birds nor do they look so
well afterwards. It is a very serious
defect in a show specimen to have its
comb frozen and poultry fanciers take
extra precautions, such as taking the
birds in the house or other warm
places on cold nights, or anointing
their combs with vaseline, to keep
them from freezing.

Where more than one male is roost-
ing with the flock, one is always boss
and usually keeps his meeker com-
rades from roosting with the rest of
the flock. Roosting alone, even though
the place may not be exposed badly,
they do not get the advantage of the
body heat from the other birds and
their combs freeze more quickly. Like-
wise, a few fowls roosting in a big
space are not able to conserve their
heat and suffer accordingly on cold
nights. We have found, however, that
even with open front houses, if the
roosts are placed at the rear of the
house, with the droppings board beneath,
and the roof fairly low, and are kept
well filled with birds, there is little
danger from combs freezing.

Vaseline is recommended after the
damage is done. If the bird is found
with comb still frozen it should be
thawed out very slowly, using cold
water or snow. Apply the water with
a cloth or the snow direct. When
thawed out anoint with vaseline. Often
the wattles will swell up like a couple
of eggs and in this case they can be
lanced to let out the collected serum
and relieve the birds.

SUDAN GRASS GIVES PROMISING
RESULTS AS A MARYLAND
FORAGE CROP.

NICHOLAS SCHMITZ,
Maryland Agricultural Experiment
Station.

It has long been an acknowledged
fact that Johnson grass would be a
very valuable hay plant in the South
if it were not for its persistent aggres-
sion as an obnoxious weed after once
introduced in a field. This fact has
led the Office of Forage Crop Investi-
gations and others of the Department
of Agriculture at Washington to search
for a type of Johnson grass that would
not after once introduced persist as a
weed. As a result, seed was obtained
in 1909 from Mr. R. Hewison, Director
of Agriculture and Land of the Sudan
Government at Khartum. The seed
was planted and the crop from the be-
ginning showed its value. In fact, it
seemed to be just what agriculturists
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It does not have persistent under-
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frost in the fall, and does not persist
in the soil by voluntary seeding as is
the case with many of our most
obnoxious annual weeds, such as fox-
tail, crab grass, etc. In appearance
and habit of growth Sudan grass re-
sembles both Johnson grass and the
cultivated sorghums. It no doubt,
however, is more closely related to the
cultivated sorghums than to Johnson
grass.

Sudan grass should not replace
clover, alfalfa or even timothy, where
these can be grown profitably, because,
owing to quick growth and heavy
yield, it is very exhausting on the
land, while on the other hand clover
and alfalfa add to the fertility. Hence,
on farms growing clover, alfalfa or
timothy abundantly in normal seasons,
Sudan grass should not be given a con-
sideration, excepting in the light of a
catch hay crop in years of short pro-
duction—something to be used for
helping out in years the regular hay
crop is short.

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or Leghorns? If she was proud of
what her chickens did for her before
they were pure breeds, she is doubly so
when they are. Hardly any more
promising field for an independent in-
come is open to a woman who knows
how to handle chickens than that of
getting pure-bred stock and building
up a trade for breeding stock. Poul-
try Week, January 18-23, 1915, at the
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her to get acquainted with the best
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