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RIITMAN SECRETS A GIFT TO PUBLIC

Young Scientist Finds New
Processes of Manufacture.

MAKES GASOLINE AND DYE.

Supply of Former Commodity to Be Increased 200 Per Cent—This Nation Will No Longer Be Dependent on Foreign Countries For Products Used in Manufacture of Necessities.

Washington. — The statement was made at the department of the interior that the two processes discovered by Dr. Walter F. Rittman whereby the output of gasoline from petroleum can be increased 200 per cent and whereby toluol and benzol can be manufactured from crude petroleum for use in the dye industry, have been patented by Dr. Rittman for the benefit of the American people.

It is claimed that the Rittman process is more economical than the German method of obtaining these products from coal tar.

"Just as soon as persons want to avail themselves of the Rittman discoveries," said an official of the bureau of mines, "the bureau under proper safeguards and regulations will place them at their disposal."

The first of these processes promises to enable the independent refiners in this country to increase their output of gasoline from petroleum 200 per cent or more, according to Secretary Lane, who says:

"With an estimated production on the part of the independent refiners of 12,000,000 barrels of gasoline in a year this will mean an output from independents alone of 26,000,000 barrels, greater than the total production today from all sources."

The second process includes the manufacture from crude petroleum of what are known chemically as toluol and benzol, both of which have been heretofore obtained from coal tar. As Germany has specialized far beyond other countries in byproducts from coal, the United States and the rest of the world have been dominated by that country as regards those products of toluol and benzol, which are the important bases for the production of dyestuffs and high explosives, especially smokeless powder.

The discoverer of these two valuable processes after many years of research is Dr. Walter F. Rittman, chemical engineer of the bureau of mines, the work having been done at Columbia university, New York, the facilities of the laboratory there having been turned over to the federal government by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of the university.

Application has been made by Dr. Rittman on behalf of the federal government to patent these processes to prevent any monopoly in their use, the patents to be dedicated to the American people.

The federal government through the efforts of Dr. Rittman proposes to make free for the use of all of the people of this country who wish it a process that is confidently expected to increase their yields of gasoline from crude petroleum fully 200 per cent and perhaps more, such results having been repeatedly obtained in the laboratory.

It is claimed by Dr. Rittman, that his process is safer, simpler and is more economical in time than the processes now in use, and these are economic factors of great importance.

The second process discovered by Dr. Rittman may prove of much more value to the country than the first in that it suggests the establishment of an industry in which Germany has heretofore been pre-eminent—the dyestuff industry—and also promises indirectly a measure of national safety of incalculable import.

The federal government now proposes to obtain the toluol and benzol from crude petroleum. The real comfort is that we have the knowledge that this new source of supply is at the command of our people and that in time of great national stress, if the nation is ever called upon to defend itself, we will be able to manufacture the most efficient and most powerful explosives known in warfare.

Gets Letter From Wreck.
Fergus Falls, Minn.—Professor J. O. A. Larson of the Park Region college here received a letter recently that went down with the Empress of Ireland. The message was gone from the envelope, but the letter was in a good state of preservation and easily read. It was rescued from the wreck by divers. Mr. Larson was a Rhodes scholar at Oxford, England, at the time the vessel sank, and the letter was addressed to him there and was forwarded to England and then to this city.

COLORADO CONVICTS HAVE BASEBALL TEAM

Warden Rewards Good Prisoners by Allowing Them to Play.

Canon City, Colo.—Warden Tom J. Tynan of the Colorado penitentiary, described as "the man who put 'man' in humanity in prison reform," announces that he is organizing a baseball team among the convicts—his "wards," as he always calls them.

Tynan was the first penitentiary warden to install moving pictures and the first to try the system of rewards for good conduct by sending the best behaved convicts to build and improve the roads of the state. He proposes to have a baseball team to compete with teams of the state league and other teams from the surrounding towns and cities. Tynan is a baseball "fan" himself.

"I've got some crackjack material down here," says Tynan, "and I'm going to utilize it. Got a housebreaker that can outrun Ty Cobb. Join the Feds? No chance. No bush leagues for us. We'll be in the AA class or none at all."

The convict team will go into training as soon as a wall is built around four acres of ground which the warden has laid out for the purpose. Teams throughout the state will be invited to play the convicts on the "home grounds." Later in the season the warden may take his team on two or three short trips. If possible he will arrange a game with the Denver Grizzlies of the Western league.

"I will use the prison baseball team to encourage good behavior among the men," he says. "To be permitted to play on the team or to watch its games will be a privilege bestowed only on the best behaved. The moment a player breaks a prison rule he no longer will be considered a member of the team, and the fan who is recalcitrant will be barred from the games."

"Since we have had moving picture shows for the prisoners there have been 470 less reports of bad behavior. For a slight infraction of the prison rules the privilege of attending the prison movie entertainments is taken away for a certain period. We have a houseful of movie fans, and most of them would rather suffer any kind of physical punishment than miss the pictures shown on the screen in the chapel every two weeks."

DEATH RATE STATISTICS.

14.1 Per 1,000 in 1913 Compared With 13.9 in 1912.

Washington.—A death rate in 1913 of 14.1 per 1,000 of the estimated population in the registration area of the United States compared with 13.9 per 1,000 in 1912 is shown in a report by the census bureau. The number of deaths in the registration area, containing about two-thirds of the population, was approximately 890,948.

Washington state showed the lowest rate, being 8.5 per 1,000, while New Hampshire's was the highest, with 17.1. The lowest rate shown in 1913 by any of the fifty registration cities, with populations of 100,000 or over in 1910, was that for Seattle, which was 8.4, while Memphis showed the highest, with 20.8.

The average age at death for both sexes from all causes combined was 39.8; for males alone, 39.2; for females, 40.6. Nearly 18 per cent of all deaths were of infants under one year of age, and more than 25 per cent were of children under five years.

The death rate from tuberculosis declined from 149.5 per 100,000 population in 1912 to 147.6 in 1913. The rate from cancer rose from 63 per 100,000 in 1900 to 78.9 in 1913. The number of suicides was 9,998, the rate being 15.8 per 100,000 compared with 16 in 1912.

ANY SHAPE TRUNK CAN GO.

Baggage Smashers in Despair, but Commerce Commission Is Firm.

Washington.—The ladies triumph again and carry to victory with them the trunk makers, costumers, actors—everybody who uses those newfangled five sided trunks with conical protuberances, slant sides and unconventional tops.

The interstate commerce commission told the railroads they cannot exclude pentagonal trunks from the regular baggage service. The railroads wanted to charge excess rates on any trunk not cut on the square.

The commission's decision has filled the baggage masters with despair. Lamented one in the Pennsylvania service:

"Just imagine trying to fill a baggage car with conical trunks, trunks with slant sides and trunks cut in every shape from a doughnut to a starfish. What are you going to put on top of a trunk shaped like the pyramids, eh?"

PRINCE-CHAPLAIN LOVED BY TROOPS

Brother of Saxon King Always
In Thick of Fight.

HEROIC FIGURE IN THE WAR

Conducts Religious Exercises at the Front and Is Never Stopped by Bursting Shells—Friend of French Prisoners, Who Send Messages to Relatives Through Chaplain.

Berlin.—There is perhaps no more popular man in the Saxon army than his royal highness Prince Max Wilhelm August Albert of Saxony. Prince Max is not a soldier, but a chaplain. The "Father Max" of whom so many stories are related by the Saxons is none other than the younger brother of the present King Frederick III. of Saxony.

A German writer said of him recently:

"Of all the heroic and picturesque figures who have appeared in the tragic drama of the present war, none is more striking than Chaplain Prince Max of Saxony, the only person of royal blood serving in a spiritual capacity with any of the armies now battling in Europe."

"This humble man of God is to be found wherever the battle is thickest, attending the wounded, giving extreme unction to the dying, saying mass beneath the shower of bursting shells. Father Max has carried into the ghastly arena of conflict, the most terrible the world has ever known, the simple spirit of Christian self sacrifice and love for his fellow man. There is no German so loved by the French prisoners of the Germans, to whose welfare he devotes a great deal of his time."

In the Giornale d'Italia of Rome an Italian correspondent recently told the story of this remarkable prince and priest. He wrote:

"In Lorraine I found the most unusual of army chaplains, Prince Max of Saxony, the brother of the king of Saxony. The prince is at the front as a regimental chaplain of one of the Saxon commands. Wherever the battle is most stubbornly contested there you may be quite sure you will find Father Max."

"On one occasion I saw him when he was conducting mass in the little Roman Catholic church at Epinal, only a few kilometers distant from the firing line. At that time a fierce engagement was in progress and shells were exploding over the church, the fragments often falling into the auditorium, where Father Max was saying mass. Two of the windows had been shattered by the shells, but the prince proceeded calmly, as if nothing unusual was happening, to read the service before a congregation that seemed to be as calm and as unconcerned as he himself was."

"Among the French prisoners and the French wounded that have fallen into Saxon hands Father Max enjoys unlimited popularity. The French seem to love the gentle priest just as much as do his own Saxons not only because of the tender and fatherly interest he takes in them, particularly their wounded, but because he is always ready to exert every effort to send word through the international bureau in Geneva to their relatives and friends in France and in numerous other ways to labor to make their unhappy lot easier to bear."

"On another occasion I attended a service, in the course of which Prince Max preached to men of his regiment. It was a regiment of Saxon riflemen."

"Brave sons, courageous, faithful fighters," said he, "may God take you under his protection. God protect you, youths, and God preserve you, white haired men, for your children and your fatherland. And if it is not God's will that this be so, then remember, ye warriors of Germany, that no soldier ever fell for a more righteous or holy cause than that which you are defending in this terrible war."

"But, whether you live or die, your names and your deeds will not be forgotten, and your wives and your children will bless and honor your memories as long as breath remains in their bosoms. You will always be under the protection of those hands which we have known and loved since childhood, and which lift us high above the misery of this earthly life."

Boy Plans Own Funeral.

Minneapolis.—Kenneth Booth Merrill, student at West High school, was buried recently in a casket of his own selection. Flowers used at the funeral and the music were chosen according to his expressed desire. Merrill had known more than a year ago that he could not recover, and during the last few weeks had made all arrangements for his own funeral.

WOMAN NEVER SLEEPS; AWAKE SEVEN YEARS

Sits Up All Night In Chair and
Tries to Rest.

Seattle, Wash.—Mrs. Edward Hauck of this city says she has slept only half an hour in the last seven years.

Her husband substantiates her statement. Seattle physicians say it is impossible; that if Mrs. Hauck hasn't slept for seven years by all the laws of nature she would have been dead long ago.

Two or three years ago one night she dozed off, she declares, and slept for fully half an hour.

Often now she feels sleepy and immediately lies down in the hope that the longed for unconsciousness will come. But it never does.

She weighs twenty-five pounds less than she did seven years ago, when her long period of sleeplessness began. She suffered severely for the first two or three nights, she says. That's all. "It has come to be a sort of matter of fact condition with me now," she went on. "There is no pain, only a kind of dull feeling that weighs down on me. And the nights, you know, are so long when one is alone and everybody else in the world is sleeping."

She passes little of her time in bed. Early in the evening she lies down with her little daughter, Irene Bell, aged a year and a half, until the child is in slumberland. Then she gets up, clears away her work and prepares for her long siege against the coming of daybreak.

Edward Hauck, the husband, is employed as a cook. He works nights. "I worked in the daytime until recently, though," he said, "and slept here at home at night, and I know my wife is not mistaken when she says she spends her nights just as wide awake as she is during the day. Occasionally, when she tried going to bed, I'd wake up and find her tossing beside me, always awake. Generally, though, she would be sitting in our one rocking chair, with the shaded lamp beside her, reading."

Mrs. Hauck says she finds she can get more physical relaxation in a chair at night than in bed. She makes the chair comfortable with bedclothes, partially disrobes and lies back to count off the hours.

"She's such a plucky little person," her husband explains, "that she hardly ever complains about it and seems anxious only that baby and I get our rest."

Mrs. Hauck sought relief from physicians in the east before coming to Seattle, three years ago from Berlin, Ont., but could get none, she says. She has bought drugs and sleeping powders at various times, both with and without the advice of physicians. But nothing has helped, she says.

WHO SWALLOWS DICTIONARY?

Question Disturbing Missouri Legislators—Have Already Lost Three.

Jefferson City, Mo.—The house discovered recently that it was struggling along without a dictionary when a resolution was introduced to buy a new one for use of members.

"I'd like to know what became of the big dictionary we bought two years ago?" Representative J. M. Bowers asked.

No member volunteered information. "I'd like to know what became of the dictionary we had four years ago," Bowers persisted.

Silence. "I'd like to know who took the dictionary we bought six years ago," he demanded.

More silence. "Well, it's getting pretty tough when they steal a dictionary from a Missouri legislature," remarked the gentleman from Wayne.

Whereupon the house bought another dictionary.

QUIT JOBS AT WIVES' ORDER.

Spouses Accuse Two Workmen at Jail of Being "Honor Prisoners."

Racine, Wis.—Two men employed at the courthouse quit their jobs because they did not wish to be classed as "honor roll" jail prisoners. The men had sought employment at the courthouse because they had been laid off at factories. Their wives, reading an account of the employment of "honor" prisoners at the courthouse, accused their husbands of being under detention by the sheriff. Unable to convince the women to the contrary, they were forced to resign.

Two Bad Bites.

Diogenes being asked, "What is that beast which is the most dangerous?" replied, "Of wild beasts the bite of a slanderer and of tame beasts that of the flatterer."

Nothing stales so quickly as a good resolution.—David Graham Phillips.

FORM LEGION FOR NATION'S DEFENSE

Many Noted Men Are Back of
the Volunteer Movement.

TO TAKE IN TRAINED MEN.

Former Soldiers and Sailors Are In the First Line—Major General Leonard Wood and Colonel Roosevelt Are Enthusiastic Supporters—No Spirit of Militarism Aroused.

New York.—The first definite step toward the establishment of a military and naval reserve for national defense has been taken in the formation of the American legion, an organization which makes its bow to the people of this country with the enthusiastic endorsement of former President Theodore Roosevelt and Major General Leonard Wood.

Its plans and purposes have been worked out at Governors island under the guidance of Captain Gordon Johnston of General Wood's staff and Commander Robert K. Crank of the United States navy. There its headquarters are temporarily located, and from there will come presently an announcement of the names of those who are to serve as members of the executive committee and board of honorary advisers. Colonel Roosevelt has already accepted the chairmanship of the latter body. It is the answer of patriotic and practical men to the agitation which has been going on ever since the outbreak of the European war called attention to the fact that the United States is not prepared to defend itself.

It is the purpose of this organization not only to enroll the fighting men of the country, the men who have seen service as soldiers or sailors, but also to enroll the men who have special training in any one of the half hundred callings which under the conditions of modern warfare are as essential to success as are military and naval equipment. The membership of this organization is to be made up not of those who are willing to defend their country, but of those who can defend it.

Those who are behind the organization are not imbued with the spirit of militarism. They agree with those who say that at a word from the president of the United States millions of men would swarm to the colors and that it is not necessary in time of peace that this country maintain a great standing army such as one associates with the word militarism. No military training in time of peace is involved, no increase in standing army, navy or militia, but there is contemplated a taking stock of resources so that in time of war the government would be able to lay its hand immediately upon those who would be best qualified to cope with the emergency.

There will be two active branches of the legion. The line of the legion will be composed exclusively of men who have had army or navy service or who can handle a high power rifle and are seasoned in taking care of themselves in the open.

It is a fact not generally known perhaps that the United States army and navy keep no account of the thousands of men who are annually dropped from the service, either by resignation or by expiration of term of enlistment. They simply melt away into the great body of the population.

It is of course generally known that in this country no data are kept of the activities of citizens that would enable the government in time of war to pick out at once the man or body of men especially adapted for a particular service. The selection is made after the man enlists and his professional qualifications are discovered only by actual trial of his abilities in the service of his country.

The American legion proposes to do beforehand just what the government would have to do after it had enlisted a great volunteer army and navy. Men who have been trained as soldiers or sailors will be classified in detailed records as to physique, education, character of training and length of service. Men of special training in other fields will be classified in the same way and every applicant for membership will be carefully questioned and the nature of his qualifications thoroughly investigated.

Scaling Fish.

A Mississippi woman tells as follows in the Woman's Home Companion how to scale fish with a minimum of discomfort:

"Scaling fish as generally done is a disagreeable task, as scales fly in every direction. I have discovered that fish may be scaled without this trouble if they are held under water in a large pan during the operation. Have just enough water to cover the fish nicely."

PARENTS FAITHFUL TO LEPER SON TO THE END

Father's Business Ruined and
Aid Refused by All.

Benton Harbor, Mich.—In an isolated shanty, set down in a secluded spot on the lake shore, Jacob Goldstein died a day or two ago.

He was a leper, an outcast, a menace to mankind, a creature to be shunned. Yet when his spirit left his tortured body his weeping mother and his devoted father were by his side. He could not see them, for the disease that claimed him had destroyed his eyes. But caring nothing for any risk they ran, mother and father were faithful to the end.

That his son from some mysterious cause had developed leprosy caused the elder Goldstein's financial ruin and his family's ostracism. He kept a small general store in suburban Benton Harbor, and he and his family were in comfortable circumstances when—

The whisper, "Young Goldstein is a leper," swelled to a cry that echoed all over Benton Harbor and far beyond its limits. Overnight Goldstein's little business was ruined; former customers hurried by on the other side of the street; former friends suddenly forgot they had ever known the Goldsteins. Goldstein tried to provide for his family by peddling. As he trudged the roads the frightened warning went ahead of him. "Here comes the leper's father!" All doors were closed to him.

The local health authorities asked the state of Michigan to care for the leper. The state refused. There is nothing in the health ordinances providing for such a case. The University of Michigan was ready to furnish isolated quarters for young Goldstein so its medical students might observe the progress of the disease, but Ann Arbor emphatically refused to admit a leper within her confines.

So the shanty was built in the secluded spot among the hills near by. There the parents of the doomed boy joined him in exile. The most loathsome, the most dreaded of all human ills, the disease accursed, could not drive his parents from the boy. Under constant surveillance, these three existed like prisoners in a stockade until the merciful end came.

SAVES WOMAN FROM BULL.

Animal, Inflamed by Red Sweater, Pursues Her to Trolley.

Boulder, Colo.—The presence of mind and prompt action of Larry Fox, a motorman of a Denver and Interurban car out of Boulder, saved Edith Fair from death or serious injury.

Wearing a red sweater Miss Fair, who is housemaid at the home of Frank Anderson, on the eastern limits of the city, started for the junction to intercept the car to Denver. While hurrying across a vacant lot she heard the bellowing of a big bull.

One glance was sufficient to warn Miss Fair that she was the object of attraction of the maddened animal. The terrified woman fled toward the railway track with the enraged beast not more than fifty yards behind her.

The interurban car at this moment shot around the curve, but a short distance away. Motorman Fox was quick to see the young woman's danger, and after turning off the current and applying the brakes jumped from the vestibule, seized her by the wrist and lifted her to the car almost at the same instant the animal brushed against the coach.

Miss Fair, who had fainted when the excitement was over, was soon revived, but postponed her trip to Denver.

August Harding, the owner of the bull, says he has never known the animal to act unreasonably, and attributes its antics to the red sweater Miss Fair was wearing.

WOODPECKER ROBS A TOWN.

Causes Short Circuit Resulting In Excessive Water Bill.

Illwaco, Wash.—A woodpecker is blamed for large additions to Illwaco's bill for pumping city water.

The contract for filling the municipal reservoir is let to a power company and an electric indicator notifies the engineer when the required depth of water has been provided.

For some months the bill has been regarded as excessive and the number of hours required daily to fill the basin has varied to a marked degree.

Investigation has placed the blame on an innocent woodpecker which chose one wire for a perch and with its tail touching the other wire made a short circuit so that the engineer's signal to stop pumping was controlled by the woodpecker's rest rather than the depth of water provided.

Idleness is many gathered miseries in one name.

Report of the Condition OF THE Emmitsburg Savings Bank

at Emmitsburg, in the State of Maryland
at the Close of Business March 4th, 1915.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$203,835.47
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.....	204.06
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, Etc.....	107,830.80
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	900.00
Mortgages and Judgments of record.....	33,439.28
Cash on Hand and in Banks.....	21,539.50
Total.....	\$367,749.11
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund (all earned).....	11,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, Interest and Taxes paid.....	2,155.65
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve.....	114.40
Dividends unpaid.....	26.40
Deposits (demand).....	43,238.09
Deposits (time).....	270,406.38
Bills Payable.....	15,000.00
Contingent Interest.....	808.19
Total.....	\$367,749.11

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 Mar., 1915.

PETER F. BURKET, Notary Public.

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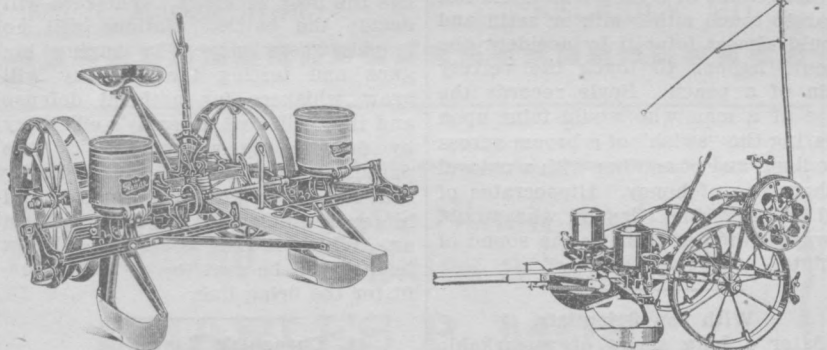
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THURMONT MAN MISSING

David F. Firor, Who Went to Baltimore Last Week, Cannot Be Found.

David F. Firor, a merchant of Thurmont, has mysteriously disappeared. He went to Baltimore on Wednesday, March 3, to buy goods and nothing has been heard of him since. When he failed to return home a search was instituted but not a trace of him has been found. His brother, Prof. J. William Firor, of the Georgia State College, of Agriculture, is in Baltimore trying to locate the missing man.

Mr. Firor was married last September. About three months ago the merchant had an attack of what his wife said was "sleepy-headedness." He slept a great deal, and at times it was almost impossible to awake him. Once, while visiting his wife's mother, he walked away from the house as if dazed and his wife had to run after him and bring him home.

It is thought that he may be suffering from aphasia. The police have been notified and are on the lookout. Mr. Firor was 31 years old, and about 5 feet 6 inches in height, weighed about 130 pounds, had black hair and dark eyes and was clean shaven. He wore a brown sack suit, soft blue hat, carried a gold watch with his initials on it, and an Odd Fellows' charm on his watch fob. He walked with a slight stoop. It is thought that he had \$50 to \$100 with him when he disappeared.

Threshermen Organize.

A movement to organize a state threshermen's association was started last Saturday afternoon, when more than a hundred threshermen of the county met and formed a Frederick County Threshermen's Association. Montgomery, Howard, Carroll and Washington county men will organize in the next few weeks, after which the state organization will be formed. The object of the association is to provide a uniform rate of threshing charges of the county and to push favorable measures to threshermen through the legislature. The officers of the association are: Isaac L. Hankey, Frederick, president; David Oland, Tuscarora, vice president; Harry L. Layton, Monrovia, secretary, and Charles W. Harp, Myersville, treasurer. Committee on by laws and constitution: George O. Grossnickle, D. G. Zentz, Elmer S. Derr, Raymond E. Cashour and C. A. Rodgers.

There are now in these United States nearly or quite 600 colleges, universities and technical schools. In 1913 New York had 35, Pennsylvania 42, Illinois 32, Ohio 40, Iowa 26, Missouri 26, Tennessee 24, Virginia 23, Michigan 33, North Dakota 26.

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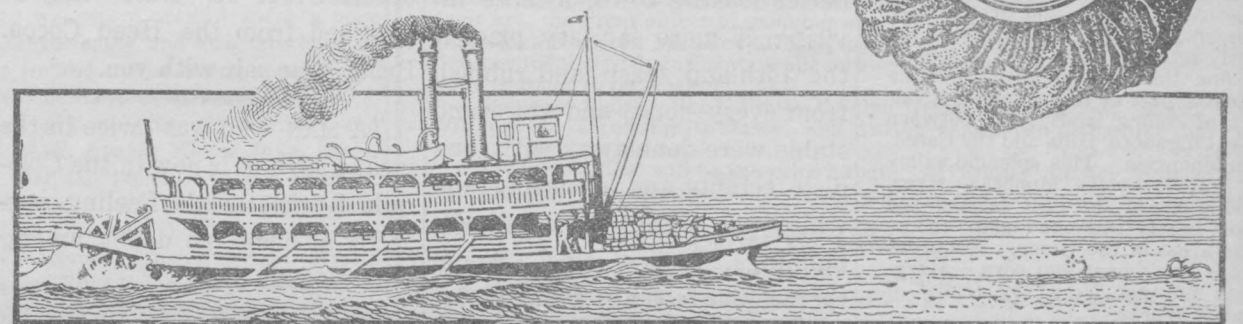
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Thaw Trial Begins.

In the same room where he twice faced a jury for the murder of Stanford White, Harry Kendall Thaw on Monday went on trial for conspiring to escape from the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane at Matteawan. With him as co-defendants were five men who, the State charges, were parties to the conspiracy.

Walter Camp, after a quarter century of leadership in development and guidance of the American game of football retired from the national committee that governs the game.

A Draft—You Catch Cold—Then Follows Coughs, Cold Stiff Neck Neuralgia



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Hear What Others Say:

"There are no Liniments that equal Sloan's. My husband has neuralgia very often, he rubs Sloan's on his face and that is the last of it."—Mrs. V. J. Brown, Route 1, Box 121, Halls, Tenn.

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FREDERICK COUNTY.

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

EMMITSBURG.

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

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Mount Saint Mary's College and Ecclesiastical Seminary—with an enviable reputation extending over 106 years—is located here; St. Joseph's College and Academy for young ladies—equally as noted during its 106 years of splendid achievement—is also here.

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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.

CLEANING UP.

Little did the man think who said "Cleanliness is indeed next to godliness" that he would one day be credited with originating the "Clean-up" campaigns that in recent years have been conducted wherever civilized people

dwelt. We sometimes think that this truth must have been uttered by a good sensible, thrifty, tidy housewife, then overheard and written into the list of the world's aphorisms by a man, a plagiarist.

Cleanliness is next to godliness, and the most godly folk on earth, the most godly nations and communities are clean—outside and inside. If clean thinking, clean living, beget cleanliness in all that surrounds one, the opposite is true; cleanliness, neatness, orderliness—these induce clean living, clean thinking, decency and godliness.

Spring is here—why not a general and thorough clean-up for Emmitsburg? "Cleaning house" is all right; it is necessary, most commendable. To clean house, though, and dump the refuse in the back yards, in the alleys, on vacant lots and in runs and creeks is only half doing the thing; it is selfishly getting rid of what one does not care to have in one's immediate way and then dumping it on the public, making the town unsightly, the community less healthy and less healthful.

Why a clean-up day? Why one certain specified time? Simply because if by common consent all get together and go at it with a will (and everybody cleans house, mark you) and with a cooperative spirit, the thing is done instant—everybody has cleaned up and there is no aftermath, no dragging along of the process; in one day everybody's rubbish is hauled away and burnt or deposited in one place—properly disposed of.

Would not Emmitsburg be a better looking town, a more inviting, a more sanitary place if the filth and trash and rubbish from every house and store and stable were done away with, and disinfectants and cleansing and whitewash were used on all out-buildings, fences, etc.? Would there not be fewer breeding places for flies and other disease carriers? Would there not be less sickness?

There is no fad about this clean-up idea; it is a sensible, practical plan, sanctioned by health authorities everywhere; commended by every progressive city and town government in the country. Its adoption means dollars and cents in the pockets of the people, an asset to the town in point of comfort and sightliness. It means a declaration to the outside world that Emmitsburg people are clean and they live amid clean surroundings.

Emmitsburg is abreast of the times in so many ways and so far ahead of many other places of its size that it may be taken for granted that it will not fail to take action in this instance.

FROM all accounts of the musical wind-up of the 63rd Congress was—well, putrid. There wasn't a barber shop tenor in the whole House bunch, and those who heard the chorus testified that when it essayed the "Star Strangled Bladder" the Goddess of Liberty on the top of the capitol tangoed all around the dome with her fingers in her ears, trying to side step the discord. This shouldn't be. Talk about the illiteracy test, it isn't in it with this question. The nation's pride is at stake and something should be done to raise the musical standard of the lower house.

No Mabel, dear, young men who wear big gauntlets and drive

ponies with red, white and blue rings on their harness are not necessarily millionaires—not even those who smoke cigars with gilt bands and dangle one leg outside of the buggy or who prop their feet up on the dash under the shadow of the ribbon on the whip.

TRAGEDY.

Kerosene,
Girl sixteen
Steps on match,
Curtains catch.

House in flames,
Girl exclaims,
Neighbors come,
Going some.

Ambulance,
Slim chance,
Much worse,
Auto hearse.

GLORY.

A shot, a shell, a mangled arm,
A name that fits a story;
A broken wreck, a mental charm—
That's glory.

—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

A man, a trench, of home a dream,
A sudden, bursting shell;
A flood of gore, death's crimson stream—
That's hell.

THE husband of Ruth St. Denis, the famous dancer, hopes that the time will soon come when there will be "dancing in the pulpit." Can it be possible that he has not heard of Billy Sunday?

THE church collection box with a device that rang a bell every time a person dropped a quarter in it would never come under the condemnation of the anti-noise inspector.

APPLICATION blanks for membership in the Ancient and Honorable Order of "Nuts" may be obtained from the Head Cocoa. Bring your salt with you.

"A MAN who was twice in the insane asylum is now in the Colorado Legislature"—Feeling perfectly at home, no doubt, among others of his ilk.

"How strangely silent one Colonel Roosevelt is!"—And how very golden silence is in this instance.

SPEAKING of "Busy Berthas," how about a bevy of school girls chewing gum? The busiest things ever.

LENTEN thought—If someone would only invent a beefsteak with fish scales.

FIFTY per cent. off: The fellow with a half "souse."

NOT IN IT.

They built a church at his very door—
"He wasn't in it."
They brought him a scheme for relieving the poor—
"He wasn't in it."
Let them work for themselves, as he had done,
They wouldn't ask help from anyone
If they hadn't wasted each golden minute—
"He wasn't in it."
So he passed the poor with haughty tread—
"He wasn't in it."

When men in the halls of virtue met
He saw their goodness without regret;
Too high the mark for him to win it—
"He wasn't in it."
A carriage crept down the street one day—
"He was in it."
The funeral trappings make a display—
"He was in it."
St. Peter received him with book and bell;
"My friend you have purchased a ticket to—well,
Your elevator goes down in a minute."
"He was in it."

—ANONYMOUS.

RENDERED HIM MUTTE.

A galuthe who had lodgings in Butte,
Every night used to tulle on his flutte,
Till his peace-loving neighbors
Concluded his leighbors
By soaking him square on the snutte.

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

NO TIME TO READ.

We often hear people say that they have no time to read, that it is not worth while to subscribe for papers or magazines because they are so busy the papers would just lie around unopened. We sincerely pity anyone who cannot find time for anything in this life but work; whose life is so badly ordered and whose time is so poorly apportioned that the mind must be starved in order that the body may be fed.

We have heard people say that they had no time to go to church; no time for play or enjoyment; no time to spend in mingling and co-operating with their fellowmen. God pity such dull, colorless, Robinson Crusoe lives! The question may well be asked, is such a life worth the struggle?

Maintaining an existence is only a means to an end—the end being the establishment of an intelligent, useful life and the development of an immortal soul. No time for these things!—PENNA. FARMER.

STRANGE DEATH MESSAGE.

It may have been a strange and tragic coincidence. Some will believe there was more in it than that. The husband of a Paris woman violinist, himself a musician, left for the front shortly after mobilization. His Christian name was Remy. At parting he told his wife: "If I go under I will try to let you know directly, before the official news reaches you." She scarcely played any music during his absence. But the other day she took up her violin, feeling impelled to play one piece which he liked above all. She opened the case, and two strings of the violin suddenly snapped, the D and the E. "Re" and "Mi," she at once thought. It was the warning he had said he would give her. The next day a telegram informed her that her husband, Sergeant Remy, had been killed in action.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

PROHIBITION STATES.

There are now eighteen prohibition states. The list below gives the name and date that each joined the dry forces. Maine, 1851, Kansas, 1880, North Dakota, 1889, Georgia, 1907, Oklahoma, 1907, Mississippi, 1908, North Carolina, 1908, Tennessee, 1909, West Virginia, 1912, Virginia, 1914, Arizona, 1914, Colorado, 1914, Oregon, 1914, Washington, 1914, Alabama, 1915; Arkansas, 1915, Iowa, 1915, Idaho, 1915.

TEXAS SOME STATE.

If the entire population of the world resided in Texas, there would be only an average of 10 persons to the acre, according to figures compiled by John Adams, of Ft. Worth. The population of the world is about 1,600,000,000. If all the inhabitants of the world lived in Texas, the density of the population would be about equal to the density of Ft. Worth's population, which is 5,440 a square mile. There are 265,780 square miles in Texas.—Dallas News.

IT ISN'T YOUR TOWN, IT'S YOU.

If you want to live in the kind of a town Like the kind of a town you like You needn't slip your clothes in a grip And start on a long hike. You'll only find what you left behind, For there's nothing that's really new. It's knock at yourself when you knock your town, It isn't the town—it's you.

Real towns are not made by men afraid Lest somebody else gets ahead. When every one works and nobody shirks

You can raise a town from the dead, And if, while you make your personal stake, Your neighbors can make one, too. Your town will be what you want to see,

It isn't the town—it's you. —CINCINNATI ROTARY CLUB.

GOD KEEP YOU SAFE.

"God keep you safe, my love, All through the night; Rest close in his encircling arms Until the light. My heart is with you as I kneel to pray, Good night! God keep you in his care away.

Thick shadows creep like silent ghosts About my head; I lose myself in tender dreams While overhead The moon comes stealing through the window-bars, A silver sickle gleaming 'mid the stars.

For I, though I am far away, Feel safe and strong, To trust you thus, dear love—and yet, The night is long. I say with sobbing breath the old fond prayer, Good night! Sweet dreams! God keep you everywhere!"

Make use of time, if thou lovest eternity. Know that yesterday cannot be recalled; to-morrow cannot be assured. Today is only thine; which, if thou procrastinate, thou lovest; which, lost, is lost forever.—QUARLE.

"What is worth doing at all is worth doing well, and what is worth doing well is worth doing at once, so that you may have an early start to do something else better."

"It is not doing the things we like to do, but liking the things we have to do, that makes life blessed."—GOETHE.

SACRIFICE THAT WAS FUTILE

New Yorker Recalls Incident of His Boyhood That May Well Be Called a Tragedy.

"I heard a cynic talking on the futility of self-sacrifice the other night," said a New York lawyer, according to the Christian Endeavor World.

"I did not agree with his conclusions, but his theme recalled an incident in my youth that was certainly a case in point on his side.

"When I was a youngster the dog-faced boy was in his prime. We lived in the county seat of a county up-state. My only sister—always my great pet—and I were intensely excited when we heard that the lad with the canine countenance was to come to our town.

"We had saved up all our pennies, and when the boy arrived we had 25 cents. We figured the admission would be 10 cents and we would have a nickel over for candy—for what's seeing a dog-faced boy without candy to chew while staring.

"Well, the boy arrived, and we went to the tent where he was being displayed. To our horror the admission was 25 cents. We puzzled long, but the tragic conclusion was always the same—only one of us could go in. I drew forth the 25 cents and in a voice husky with emotion I said: 'Here, Dot, you go in. I don't mind, and you can tell me all about him when you come out.'

"My sister protested, but finally went. In five minutes she was back. I was all eagerness to hear every detail of the famed face.

"How was he—how was he, Dot? What did he look like? Is he a really, truly dog? Tell me quick."

"Dot gazed at me and her lip quivered. 'Oh, Jack,' she said, 'When I got in I was so scared I could not look at him.'"

AVERSIONS HARD TO EXPLAIN

Well-Authenticated Cases of Remarkable Dislikes Among Men and Women Otherwise Normal.

A case is related of a monk who would faint on seeing a rose and who never quitted his cell at the monastery while that flower was blooming. Another authority tells us of how da Vinci, the great painter, would swoon upon going suddenly into a room where roses were blooming, even though he did not see them. Yaltaid tells us of an army officer who was frequently thrown into violent convulsions by coming in contact with the little flower known as the pink. The same authority also tells of the case of a lady, forty-six years of age, hale and hearty, who, if present when linseed was being boiled for any purpose, would be seized with violent fits of coughing, swelling of the face, and partial loss of reason for the ensuing 24 hours.

Writing of these peculiar antipathies and aversions, Montague remarks that he has known men of undoubted courage who would much rather face a shower of cannon balls than look at an apple! In Zimmerman's writings there is an account of a lady who could not bear to touch either silk or satin, and would almost faint if by accident she should happen to touch the velvety skin of a peach. Boyle records the case of a man who would faint upon hearing the "swish" of a broom across the floor, and of another with a natural abhorrence of honey. Hippocrates of old tells of one Nicanor who would always swoon at hearing the sound of a flute.

With the Scientists.

After a long series of remarkable experiments, a New York physician has demonstrated that the function of the little understood spleen is to supply red and white corpuscles to the blood.

Experiments have been made by the United States Bureau of Mines in combining limestone with coke as a fuel, forming a liquid slag which runs freely and avoids clinker and ash troubles.

Because salts used as adulterants interfere with the passage of electric currents through wine, French scientists have invented a system employing telephones to test the purity of such beverages.

Fish Admired by Anglers.

Members of the salmon family are universally famous for their high jumps. The sea trout, which gladden Devon rivers under the reasonable name of "harvest peal," are untrifling acrobats, and a fish of a pound weight will more than once jump several times its own length out of the water when hooked before coming to the net. Unless the fisherman responds by promptly lowering the top of his rod the fragile gut is likely to break, and as it is part of every sportsman's creed to appreciate his pastime in proportion to the difficulties it presents, the sea trout stands high in the angler's estimation.

The Domestic Machine.

Mr. Meek was laboriously hooking up the back of his wife's evening dress just as the clock was striking their dinner hour and their dinner guests were ringing the door bell. Mr. Meek breathed hard; his forehead was damp and his hands shook.

"I do wish to some one would invent a machine to do this kind of work!" he muttered, miserably.

"Why, they have!" replied his wife, brightly, as she applied some powder nonchalantly to her nose. "They have, and you are it!"—Youth's Companion

TAKES ISSUE WITH EDISON

Here is One Man Who Does Not Believe the World Will Give Up Sleep.

Mr. Edison says sleep is a bad habit, and that we shall some day get over it. Like drinking and smoking, it is to be among those things which we shall try in time to give up on the first of the year. He says people called him crazy when he said electricity would supplant all other motive power in transportation, and one therefore hesitates to say that he is crazy about anything. However, we will hazard a guess that if he is off his box anywhere, it is with respect to the pleasant custom of indulging ourselves in a good sound snooze. How else we are to refresh ourselves from the day's work we cannot imagine. The trouble with this objection, as it applies to Mr. Edison, is that he doesn't think we are wearied by the day's work. He and some of his associates worked at something for a given period of time 21 hours a day, and they all gained weight! He leads us to infer that it is what we do when we are not working that wearies us. Thinking over it briefly, we believe there is something in that. Probably half the things we do in our leisure time is very hard work. The celebrated tired business man is only tired when his wife wants him to go out somewhere after dinner. It is the opera and the fox trot that wear him out. Still, think of giving up sleep! If it is a habit, it is a nice one. We have got some glimpses of what Mr. Edison means when we have tried to sleep in a chair car, but given a feather bed and a soft pillow, we don't get him at all. Last night, for instance, wasn't the habit delicious last night?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

NATURAL MEANS OF DEFENSE

Possibility That Another Generation of Fighters May Utilize Their Whiskers.

Here is a war comment from George W. Monroe, the comedian:

The Russian army has one advantage over all other armies, and that is whiskers. It has an entanglement of whiskers that nothing can penetrate—not even lyddite, shrapnel or slugs. A Russian soldier's whiskers are not the flossy kind that toss around with every passing gale. They are so durable that when he falls on them he does not even bend them; he drives them into the ground. The only time a Russian soldier is in danger is when he turns the back of his head to the enemy. The other armies may have the best tactics, armament, discipline, spirit and patriotism, but the Russian army has the chilled-steel whiskers.

The most difficult job a Red Cross nurse has to perform, after the Russian army has finished an engagement, is to comb the bullets and shells out of the soldiers' whiskers.

Fifty years from now, when the next great war is fought, it will not be a question of rapid-firing, long-range guns; it will be a question of whiskers. The world will ask which army has the best whiskers. Whiskers will decide the battle. Nations will no longer waste money in buying big guns and testing them. They will grow whiskers for national defense and they will test an army's efficiency by drawing up a company on the parade grounds and allowing a husky coal heaver to go down the line and hit each soldier in the face with an ax. Whiskers that won't make the ax bounce will be sent to the rear as unfit for the firing line.

Carnegie's Busy Life.

Andrew Carnegie is seventy-nine years old. He was born at Dunfermline, Scotland, November 25, 1835. He came with his family to the United States in 1848, and settled in Pittsburgh. His first work was as a weaver's assistant in a cotton factory. He later learned telegraphy and took up railroad, in which he advanced until he became superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania system. He joined Mr. Woodruff, inventor of the sleeping car, in organizing the Woodruff Sleeping Car company, gaining through this the nucleus of his fortune. Mr. Carnegie later became identified with the steel industry of this country. He has given libraries to many towns and cities in the United States and Great Britain, and large sums in other benefactions. His favorite benefaction is the Carnegie hero fund.

Why He Stopped the Train.

When a passenger train on the Big Four railroad, between Springfield and Bellefontaine, stopped at a crossroad near West Liberty, O., because a frightened horse had become entangled in a wire fence, the passengers could not understand the delay. Philip Henn, conductor, was asked by a passenger why he had stopped the train, inasmuch as the engine had not struck the rural mail wagon of Elbe Yoder of West Liberty, the owner of the horse. "The people of West Liberty rescued me from the flood of March 25, 1913, and saved my life. When I see anyone from that town or vicinity in trouble, I'll stop and help them out no matter how fast my train is running."—Indianapolis News.

Germs in Salt.

Doctor Rappin of the Pasteur institute, at Nantes, has just discovered that, far from being able to kill germs, salt may itself furnish a breeding place for them. In a cubic centimeter of the concentrated marsh brine from which salt is deposited he found no less than 30,000 bacteria.

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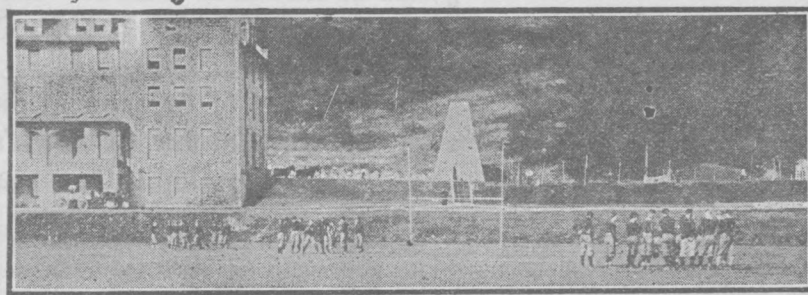
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Terrace Talk

The Basketball Season closed this week.

Two weeks then that familiar sound of the Ump.—"Batteries."

Mr. Lawrence L. Cobb, '15, of Clayton, Del., was unanimously elected captain of the Track Team on Monday.

The First Preparatory Class held a meeting on Monday. This is one of the largest classes in the house.

Mr. Louis Long, better known as "Alligator" Long, '16, of Florida, was elected Captain of the Football Team for 1915, to succeed Rudolph Sutton, of Washington, D. C.

Baseball practise has now become a daily occurrence. At least thirty candidates have reported for indoor tryouts.

The Athletic Association held a meeting in the Music Hall on March 8. President Dowdle, '15, of Chicago, E. S. Murphy, '15, of Likens, Pa., Treasurer, and Manager M. E. Mahoney, '15, of Troy, N. Y., made speeches describing the needs of the association.

M. S. M. 48; U. of P. Dental 10.

The Mountaineers scored their fifteenth victory of the season Saturday when they defeated the University of Pennsylvania Dental team, 48 to 10. Lally shot the first basket in the opening round, and was quickly followed by goals from all angles. Floor work was

FOREST TREES FOR
SPRING PLANTING

Will be Furnished Marylanders at Cost By New State Nursery.

The approach of spring and the planting season will suggest to many farmers not alone the cultivation of their usual crops, but perhaps one of trees for planting where no other crops will grow. What to plant on soils exhausted through long use, and how to cultivate the waste places on many farms, constitutes a problem which most Maryland landowners have, at one time or another, been called upon to face.

Though forest planting attains its greatest measure of utility and value when carried on primarily for the purpose of reclaiming waste farms and fields, much good can often be accomplished through the establishment of well planned shelterbelts and windbreaks. Homes so screened are more comfortable at all times, and their appearance is at the same time much improved. Along the boundaries of the fields it is possible to plant for live fence posts, a post that won't wear out, and in many other ways it is entirely feasible to add much to the average farm through the planting of forest trees.

This year, for the first time, residents of Maryland are given an opportunity to secure State-grown forest trees at cost. Free advice is at the same time given the purchaser as to just when, how, and what to plant, and when desired the State Board of Forestry at Baltimore, Maryland, offers to furnish trained men for supervising and laying out such work within the State.

One year ago the Board established at College Park a Nursery for the growing of forest trees. Though begun so recently this Nursery contains at the present time close to a quarter-million trees which are of suitable size and age for planting in the spring. Among the varieties available to landowners of Maryland are White and Loblolly Pines, Norway Spruce and Douglas Fir, Black Walnut, Black Locust, White Ash, Tulip Poplar, and Red Oak. All are valuable timber trees, and species of rapid growth. The conifers, in common with Locust and Oak, show excellent development on a variety of soils. All are most suitable for reforesting the waste lands found on many farms. As to the White Ash, Black Walnut, and Tulip Poplar, these trees, while requiring somewhat better planting sites, are all well known for their value both as shade and timber trees. In price they range from \$2.50 per M for Locust seedlings to \$5.50 for White Pine transplants, and all orders are packed and boxed free of charge.

Whether for commercial, ornamental, or protective planting, suitable trees are obtainable at the new State Nursery. It is important, however, to order early, for the supply of some species is already exhausted. Orders received now will be filled in good season for planting, and it is hoped that residents of Maryland will not overlook an opportunity of making their farms more productive, and adding to the attractiveness and comfort of their homes.

also much in evidence and the passing of the locals had the Dentists bewildered. Haltigan and Leary excelled for the Mountaineers, while Green worked hardest for the visitors. Lineup:

Mount St. Mary's—Rodgers, rf.; Leary (Capt.), lf.; Haltigan, c.; Miller, rg.; Lally, lg.

University of Pennsylvania Dental—Minnis, rf.; Levine, lf.; Green, c.; Jones, rg.; Lasher, lg.

Substitutions—Donovan for Haltigan; Crilly for Miller. Baskets: Mount St. Mary's—Haltigan, 8; Leary, 4; Donovan, 4; Lally 4; Rodgers 2 and Miller. Pennsylvania Dental—Green 2, Jones and Lasher. Fouls—Leary 2; Green, 2. Referee—Thompson, Georgetown. Timekeeper—Kelly. Time of Halves, 20 minutes.

M. S. M. Loses in Baltimore.

The varsity lost in Baltimore to the Loyola College basket-ball team on Tuesday night by a 40 to 25 score at the Richmond Market Armory.

Loyola—Corcoran, lf. (captain); Shenrich, rf.; Ulrich, c.; Joyce, lg.; Buchners, rg. Mount St. Mary's—Leary, lf. (captain); Rodgers, rf.; Haltigan, c.; Lally, lg.; Miller, rg.

Goals—Corcoran, 6; Shenrich, 5; Ulrich, 4; Buchners, for Loyola; Rodgers, 5; Haltigan, 2; Lally, 2; Leary, 1; Miller, 1; for Mount St. Mary's. Fouls—Corcoran, Loyola, 8 out of 11; Leary, Mount St. Mary's, 3 out of 4. Referee, Citiano, Mount St. Joseph's; scorers, Graham and McDermott; timekeepers, Kirby and Mahoney. First half—Loyola, 24; Mount St. Mary's, 17. Second half—Loyola, 16; Mount St. Mary's, 8.

A Surprise Social.

A very enjoyable surprise social was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Troxell, of near Loys, on Tuesday, February 23, in honor of Miss Birdie Troxell and Mr. Calvin Troxell. Those who were present spent a very pleasant evening and at a late hour all were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Angell, Misses Julia, Birdie and Beulah Troxell, Clydes Wetzel, Edith Fox, Clara Hauver, Belva Fox, Belva Colliflower, Lottie Eyer, Florence Burhman, Fannie Ernst, Myrtle Wagner, Ruth Eyer, Carrie Late, Marie Keefer, Blythe Isaac, Marian Martin, Sarah Dotterer, Inaz and Madge Angell. Messrs. Lewis Keefer, Quinn Florence, William Rosensteel, Arthur Eyer, Arthur Fox, John and Bruce Weddle, Walter Colliflower, Luther Burhman, William Ernst, William Wertenbaker, Howard Long, Willie Freshour, Saylor Weybright, Estee Zentz, Roscoe Pryor, Willie Zentz, Guy Freshour, Lowell Long, Calvin, Charles and Carl Troxell, Lester Smith, Maurice Late, Edward Stubs and Herbert Angell.

East Berlin Railway.

The East Berlin Railway company has again asked the state public service commission to extend the time of their order for the railroad to begin operations from March 8th to April 15th, next. It is said that the attorney of the citizens of East Berlin, John Fox, has entered a protest against the extension of time and if sustained the company will then stand a chance of being fined \$50 per day until it will obey the order of the commission.

Waynesboro Doubles Town.

Practically doubling the size of their town, the council of Waynesboro, following a petition of some 300 persons voted to receive into the borough a considerable plot of adjacent territory. The enlarged borough will contain 1494 acres. The present area is 599 1/2 acres. The population by the census of 1910 was 7199. It is estimated that with the addition of the new area there will be a population of 9700, which by 1920 will be increased to above 10,000.

"DON'T

put a brake on your business by 'knowing' things you don't know.

Look at a proposition from a 'how-can-I-use-it' rather than an 'I-can't-use-it' point of view.

The business man who 'knows' advertising in this paper won't pay because his business 'is different' is using the brake."

The University of Virginia, his alma mater, has conferred upon Col. John S. Mosby, of Confederate guerrilla war fame, a bronze medal of honor as an appreciation of "the dignity, diligence and sagacity with which you have served your reunited country at home and abroad."

BRING US

Your WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY to be repaired. We GUARANTEE all of our work to be satisfactory to you. Our prices are right and we will do our best to please you.

We always carry a full stock of

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Optical Goods
at prices that will suit you.

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FREDERICK, MD.

July 17-1914.

THE BUSY CORNER.

Pretty patterns in Laces and Embroideries for Spring.

The low price of Cotton means better materials in our new Spring Line of Ladies' Waists and Skirts. Childrens Dresses. Middies. Childrens Rompers.

SPECIALS FOR MEN.

Dark Brown Jumpers or Work Blouses in all sizes. We have about 50 of the above worth 45c. NOW 25c.

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EMMITSBURG, MD.
STRICTLY CASH

Feb 26-11 1y.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

will be a more important feature with us. We want you to get better acquainted with this end of our business. The advantages will be mutual.

We carry a large line of Fancy and white shirts, only brands, however of merit that do fit. Night robes, pajamas, suspenders, hosiery of cotton, flannel and silk, and by the way, the best silk socks ever shown at 25c.

Underwear of quality in every weight, union suits, handkerchiefs, suspenders, wonderful range of neckwear. The newest collars, in fact a full assortment of the best values from dependable makers. Try us. You will be benefitted.

SPRING PREPARATIONS

are moving steadily along with us and despite the weather, the spirit of cheerfulness will soon control us. Makers have vied with each other in producing the most beautiful merchandise we have ever seen at prices that are most satisfactory and gratifying.

OUR SPRING SUITS

write a new page in suit history. Whilst the designers have lost none of their art, the great object of evolving more rational styles has succeeded that the term freak has been of itself eliminated and suit wearers will find beautiful stylish garments made on such reasonable lines that everybody is going to be pleased.

Shepherd Checks, Sand, Pretty Belgian Green, New Blues, Blacks will prevail according to taste, and better values can be had for the money than ever before.

\$10.00 to \$25.00 will be the price range, the selling already proves the worth of our selection.

SPRING COATS

will figure largely this season. You cannot well get along without a top coat of some kind. The models are becoming as well as very stylish, and to use a customer's expression yesterday, "Buyers will do well to look us over when an outer garment is wanted."

THOMAS H. HALLER,

CENTRAL DRY GOODS HOUSE,

17-19 North Market St., Frederick, Md.

SHOE STORE

A Good Stock of

SHOES

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THE MATERIAL FOR

!! THAT SPRING SUIT !!

IS HERE

OUR varied showing encompasses the needs of every man—you will find the style you like at the price you want to pay. The assortment forms a complete and interesting style exhibit embracing all the

FASHIONABLE FABRICS, DESIGNS AND COLORINGS

approved for this season's wear.

J. D. LIPPY, Tailor,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

Feb. 8-11.

PERSONALS.

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

Miss Annabell Hartman and Mr. Ralph Hartman, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. Eugene Rowe this week. Rev. James H. Neck, of Baltimore, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Dorothea Neck. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. D. Watterson, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were visitors in Emmitsburg this week. Mr. J. J. Dukehart spent Tuesday in Hagerstown.

Miss Anna Annan spent a few days in Baltimore this week. Mr. Eugene L. Rowe spent Tuesday in Frederick.

Mr. Vincent A. Bloom and Mr. Robinson have returned to Hagerstown.

Miss Beatrice Hitchew who has been spending sometime with Miss Madeline Frizell has returned to her home in Uniontown.

Miss Flora Frizell is visiting in New York.

Dr. and Mrs. George Schofield and son, and Miss Ruth Ashbaugh spent Wednesday at Gettysburg.

Mr. L. E. Motter spent a few days in Baltimore this week.

Mr. M. R. Sheets, of Mt. Airy, Md., was among the visitors here this week.

Messrs. W. Harry Haller and Edward Nicodemus, of Frederick, were in Emmitsburg Tuesday.

Mr. H. M. Warrenfeltz spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Alexander Colliflower, of Altoona, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Colliflower this week.

Mrs. F. S. Starnier, of Waynesboro, visited here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Jamison, of Walkersville, Md., visited their son, Dr. B. I. Jamison, this week.

Mr. Gordon Proff left for Baltimore on Saturday.

Mr. T. Colis Brown, of South Carolina, spent Wednesday in Emmitsburg. Miss Ruth Patterson spent Wednesday and Thursday in Baltimore.

Mr. Edwin F. Ohler is spending sometime in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Roland Hartman, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Charles Slagle, of Middleburg, was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Motter and Miss Carty, of Frederick, spent Thursday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Frank Elder, of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Elder.

Mrs. John Klunk, of McSherrystown, Pa., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Eckenrode.

DON'T FORGET THE LIBRARY.

The Twentieth Is The Date And The Entertainment Will Give Much Pleasure.

The preparations being made for the Library entertainment on Saturday evening, the 20th, inst. indicate that the large audience that is expected will be well repaid for its attendance. Rehearsals of the five scene play and the drill and tableaux, to be given by the scholars of the Public School, are going on almost daily. This will be a striking feature of the full and varied programme. There will be instrumental music, clever readings, vocal music and other features that will give pleasure to all.

The library, for the benefit of which this performance will be given, is a public, local institution. The public is interested in it and desires to have it expand. New books, more books are needed—all will agree to this. That it requires money to buy these desired volumes is evident. Liberal patronage on the 20th will supply the necessary funds. Good will may be shown by those who, even if they cannot attend, will buy a ticket.

Next Friday the CHRONICLE will print the full programme.

SAMUEL S. MORITZ.

Samuel S. Moritz died at his home, Fairplay, Freedom township, Pa., on Tuesday, March 9. Mr. Moritz had been ill about five weeks. His death was due to the infirmities of age, he being nearly 88 years old. The funeral was held yesterday (Thursday) at the home, his pastor, Rev. E. L. Higbee conducting the services. The interment was made in Mountain View Cemetery, Emmitsburg.

Mr. Moritz was born and spent practically his entire life at the place where he died. As a young man he taught school for several years at "Moritz's School." He later engaged in farming in which he was unusually successful. Only about 10 years ago he retired from active work. Although he never aspired to office, Mr. Moritz was always prominent in the affairs of his township and his counsel was sought by many.

He married Miss Emily Rhodes, who with one daughter, Mrs. Katherine Moritz and a grandson, Merle Moritz, survive.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Every reader of THE CHRONICLE is invited to send news to this office. The management of THE CHRONICLE will take 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, Mar. 12, 1915.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	32	44	44
Saturday	34	38	
Monday	34	38	42
Tuesday	30	38	44
Wednesday	38	46	50
Thursday	38	40	36

Mr. Frederick Rhodes, who underwent an operation of minor nature at the Frederick City Hospital last week, has returned home very much improved.

All members of the Vigilant Hose Company are urged to be present at Fireman's Hall tonight when a special meeting of the company will be held looking to its fair proposed to be held April 9 and 10.

Miss Ruth Topper who was indisposed last week is able to be about again.

At the meeting of the Frederick County Ministerial Association to be held at the Y. M. C. A., Frederick, Md., next Monday, Rev. Charles E. Reinwald of this place, will read a paper on "The Preparation of The Sermon."

The Mite Society of the M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Oscar D. Frailey on Friday evening.

Mr. Theodore Eyer has returned from the Frederick City Hospital where he was operated on several weeks ago. Mr. Eyer's condition is very much improved.

A number of people are making improvements to the interior of their homes and a great amount of repapering is also being done.

The Vigilant Hose Company are having the exterior of the engine room and hall, on Gettysburg street, repainted.

Who remembers the blizzard of nineteen years ago yesterday?

Mr. James Hardman moved from the property of the Sisters of Charity, near town, into the recently completed house, belonging to Mr. John Wagaman, on West Main street.

Mrs. Joseph Long, of near Emmitsburg, fell from the hay mow last Thursday and broke her ankle. Dr. D. E. Stone was called upon to set the fracture.

Mr. Guy Topper is repainting the interior woodwork of his barber shop on West Main street.

Mr. Harry A. Hopp has a force of men at work laying a foundation for a new ice-cream house and will shortly begin work on the new bakeshop. Mr. Hopp expects to begin business on April 1.

The repairs to the pipe organ in St. Joseph's Catholic Church have been completed. The organ is now in first class condition.

Marion C. Miller, of Woodsboro, who is a candidate in the Republican primaries for sheriff, of Frederick county, was in Emmitsburg, Thursday, meeting the voters of the district.

Mrs. Andrew A. Annan and Miss Lucella Annan entertained at Bridge Friday night.

Mrs. Mary A. Gillelan, formerly of this place, has been very ill for the past four weeks, at the home of her brother, Mr. James Dotterer, in Hagerstown.

New Books Added to Library.

The following new books have been added to the Public Library during the past week: The Lone Star Ranger, The Eyes of the World, Hands of Esau, Winning of the Wilderness, To Him Who Hath, Rodney McGaw, Cab and Caboose, Hugh Wymme, Truth Dexter, Camp Mates, Hero Tales from American History, The Red Mustang and Two Arrows.

Big Herd Slaughtered.

One hundred and forty-two cattle affected with hoof and mouth disease were driven into trenches seven feet deep and seven feet wide on the Gill farm near Haddonfield, N. J., and shot by Government inspectors last Saturday morning. The state authorities will pay Mr. Gill \$42,750 for his loss.

Woman's Exchange.

Home-made cakes, candy, rolls, salads, salad dressing, beaten biscuit, potato chips and salted nuts will be among the things on sale at the Woman's Exchange in the Library room next Saturday.

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.
Mass, week day, 7 A. M.
Sermon, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Wednesday evening, 7.30 P. M.
Stations of the Cross, Friday afternoon and evening, 3 and 7.30 o'clock, 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.

Evangelistic services will be held in the M. E. Church beginning Sunday evening, March 14. There will be no preaching services in that church in the afternoon.

A union service of the Young People's societies was held in the Lutheran church on Sunday evening. A solo and a duet added much enjoyment to the regular service.

The Cottage Prayer Meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which are being held in the Sunday School Room at that church, will be concluded this evening.

ROSE G. COTILUS.

Rose G. Cotilus, died after a short illness, on Sunday evening about 10:30 o'clock, at the home of her aunt and uncle on Green street.

She was born September 17, 1900 and was the daughter of the late William and Catherine C. Cotilus, of this place. Rose is survived by the following sisters: Miss Anna Cotilus, of Baltimore, Mrs. Joseph Myers, Misses Maggie, Marion and Agnes Cotilus, of this place.

On Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church requiem Mass was offered by Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M., for the repose of her soul. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the Catholic Church.

The members of the Junior Children of Mary and the boys of the eighth, ninth and tenth grades, attended the funeral in a body.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. Ward Kerrigan, Francis Topper, Quinn Florence and Francis Baker.

Mr. Robert Topper of the firm of J. L. Topper and son was the funeral director.

Wreck on Western Maryland.

Twelve loaded coal cars of an east-bound freight train were piled in a heap Thursday on the Western Maryland railway near Thurmont. The wreck was caused by a broken wheel. The track was torn up for 400 feet and traffic delayed 12 hours. Passengers for Baltimore were transferred around the wreck. Freight Superintendent Brendle, who was on a following train, took charge of the wreck.

DIED

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

MORITZ—On Tuesday, March 9, 1915, at his home in Fairplay, Freedom township, Pa. Samuel S. Moritz, aged 88 years. Funeral Thursday, at the house, Rev. E. L. Higbee officiating. Interment in Mountain View Cemetery, Emmitsburg.

COTILUS—On Sunday, March 7, 1915, Rose G. Cotilus, aged 14 years 5 months and 21 days. Funeral services were held in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Hayden C. M. officiating. Interment in the cemetery adjoining the Church.

SPRINGER—On Wednesday, March 10, 1915, John Springer, of near Emmitsburg. Funeral services were held this morning at 9 o'clock in St. Anthony's church, Rev. Fr. Traggesser officiating. Interment in the Old Cemetery on the Hill.

MARRIED.

MILLER—MORNINGSTAR—On March 9, 1915, William E. Miller, of Emmitsburg, and Bertie B. Morningstar, of Graceham, at the home of Mr. Albert Adelsberger on Frederick street, by Rev. E. L. Higbee.

EMMITSBURG HAD LIBRARY A HUNDRED YEARS AGO

Copy of Act of Incorporation Recently Brought to Light, Contains Names of Town's First Settlers.—Present Library Could Operate Under Its Provisions.

That the early settlers of Emmitsburg were alive to the intellectual needs of the community is evidenced by an interesting legal document just brought to light—the articles of incorporation of "the Library Company" of Emmitsburg, an exact copy of which is appended herewith. The paper dates just a hundred years ago and contains among the incorporators the names of many persons prominent in the early history of Emmitsburg. Under its provisions a perpetual charter was granted to these early bibliophiles, and an eminent legal authority has expressed the opinion that the present local institution—The Emmitsburg Public Library,—could operate under the terms of this ancient parchment.

Following is a true copy of the Act of Incorporation:

An Act To Incorporate The Members of the Library Company of Emmitsburg, in Frederick County, Lib. T. H. No. 4, fol. 359.

Chapter 102 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland began and held at the City of Annapolis on Monday the 5th of December 1814 and ended 3rd of February 1814.

His Excellency

LEVIN WENDER, ESQ., Gov.

1. Be It Enacted, (by the General Assembly of Maryland), That Robert S. Annan, James Moor, Lewis Weaver, Patrick Reid, John Troxal, junior, Wm. W. Patterson, John Smith, Michael Row, James Hughes, Wm. Long, Jack Troxall, A. Munro, Andrew Smith, Benjamin Ogle, (of James) and John Boner, and such other persons as they may hereafter admit into their company agreeably to such rules and by laws as they may establish for the beneficial and orderly management of their institution. Shall be and they and their Successors and assigns, are hereby declared to be one community, corporation and body politic, forever hereafter, by the name and style of The Library Company of Emmitsburg and by that name they shall be and are hereby made able

SPELLING BEE BEST EVER.

Four Prizes Awarded.—The Prize for the Champion Speller Was Given to Mrs. J. Henry Stokes.—Attendance Large.

A delightful Spelling Bee, under the auspices of the Civic League, was held in the Public School Auditorium on Monday, March 8, with the President, Mrs. F. Hary Gross, as chairman. There were four contests in all, three of which, the participants consisted of men, women and children, who eagerly formed in a line, equal in extent to approximately the perimeter of the room. Then there was a children's match, in which the youths favorably withstood the onset of some perplexing words, selected from both the Public and Parochial School text books, for a considerable period.

The winners, and the prizes given in the minor matches, were: Mrs. J. Henry Stokes, a waste basket; Mrs. Cornelius Gelwicks, a pocketbook; Mrs. John McC. Foreman, a silver fork; while Miss Virginia Eyster was awarded a signet ring, as the victor in the children's contest. The champion speller of the Bee was then determined by a fifth contest, in which the prize-winners of the three other matches contended. Mrs. J. Henry Stokes was successful in eliminating her opponents in this grand finale and to her was given the champion-ship honors, which were accompanied by a beautiful gold breast pin.

The interims were made highly enjoyable by instrumental music, admirably and masterfully rendered by Mrs. E. Lewis Higbee and Miss Eloise Gross, and the recitation of an appropriate selection by Mrs. Robert Gillelan. A gratifying collection was taken at the doors and will be donated as an installment on the Public School piano. That these spelling contests are thoroughly enjoyed by the public can be readily ascertained by the large attendance present on such occasions.

Ernest Thompson Seton, artist and author of books dealing with life in the woods, has retired as chief scout of the Boy Scouts, of America.

Ought to Paint

I ought to have painted last year, but I hated to pay \$2 a gallon. I've got to paint this year; it'll take a little more paint; I suppose 1 gallon in 10; and a little more work, I suppose 1 day in 10. My job would have cost last year about \$50; it is going to cost this year \$55. \$5 gone. I suppose it'll be the same again, if I wait again. What if paint goes down to \$1.75 a gallon? \$2.50 on the job! I shan't wait; what a fool I was!

DEVOE.

J. THOS. GELWICKS sells it.

and capable in law to have, purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors, lands, tenements, rents, annuities, pensions, and other hereditaments, in fee simple, for a term of years, life, lives, or otherwise, and also goods, chattels and effects, of what nature, kind or quality soever, and the same to grant, demise, alien or dispose of and by the name aforesaid to do and execute all other things touching the same. Provided that the clear yearly value of the real estate of said Corporation, exclusive of any house which they may hereafter possess for the keeping of the books, maps, and other effects of the Company, exceed not the sum of one thousand dollars.

2. And Be It Enacted, That the said Company, and their successors, by the aforesaid name, shall be forever hereafter able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, in any courts of record, or any other place whatsoever, and also to make, have and use, a Common seal, and the same to break, alter and renew, at pleasure, and also to assemble and meet at such times and places as they may agree upon, and publicly notify and by a Majority of the Voices of those attending to ordain, establish and put in execution, such by-laws, ordinances and regulations as to them shall seem necessary and convenient for the government of the Company, the same not being contrary to the laws of this state, or of the United States, and generally to do and execute all such acts, matters and things, as to them shall or may appertain to do.

3. And Be It Enacted, That until there shall be under this act, an election of officers necessary to the ends of the institution, those now acting, or who may be hereafter appointed to act under any existing regulations of the company, shall continue so to do. According to the provision heretofore made, and such regulations shall, till lawfully attired, be deemed as valid and obligatory as if made since the passage of this act. Passed January 30, 1815.

Robbed Twice Within a Few Days.

Thursday night of last week chicken thieves visited the premises of Mr. H. M. Ashbaugh, on Gettysburg street, and carried away about fifteen chickens.

On Monday night, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock, robbers broke the show window in Mr. H. M. Ashbaugh's store and made off with hardware to the value of about \$25.

On Tuesday night an attempt was made to enter a house up town.

No More Apples.

Mr. E. A. Seabrooks who in a small local notice in THE CHRONICLE last week advertised his apple crop for sale has entirely sold out. This is just another instance of the pulling power of CHRONICLE advertising.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The business property of J. M. Adelsberger and Sons, 32 feet front, through to the alley, with all improvements thereon, including store rooms, plumbing establishment, good stable and other buildings, all in fine state of repair. The location is central, on Main street, and the property could easily be adapted for any public business. Apply to or address.

MRS. J. M. ADELSBERGER, adv. feb. 12 tf Emmitsburg, Md.

FARMS FOR SALE.

Howard County Farms, of all kinds, at prevailing prices, cheapest land in the world. If you mean business write what you want in kind, location and price. LOUIS T. CLARK, Atty. adv. m12 tf Ellicott City, Md.

TIMBERLAND FOR SALE.

A mountain lot of 17 1/2 acres, consisting of oak and chestnut. One half mile from Samuel Hemler's. Has not been cut in 15 years. Apply to DAVID OR LOUIS CALLAHAN, Phone 43 3. Emmitsburg, Md.

FOR SALE.

Two heavy Belgian draft colts two years old. Apply to mar 12-2ts NORMAN WELTY.

Clover Seed for Sale.

Good clean choice seed, E. R. SHRIVER, Emmitsburg, Md. Phone 49-11. tf

Special Notice.

Will the person who borrowed a repeating rifle from THE CHRONICLE office, please return the same at once.

HIDES BOUGHT.

Beef, Calf and Horse hides wanted. Highest Prices paid. H. M. GILLELAN & SON, adv. dec 18-tf Emmitsburg, Md.

FOR RENT—Six room house on E. Main Street. Apply to adv. f 12-tf. LEWIS MENTZER.

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One pound of Fine Linen Note Paper—eighty odd sheets—with envelopes to match

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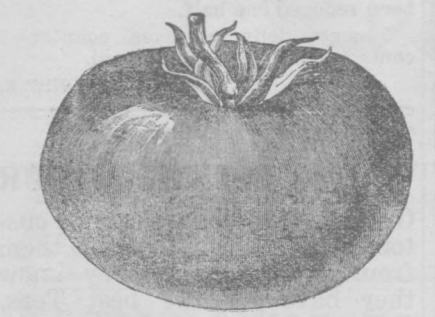
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MOTTER'S.

Mrs. M. F. Saylor who has been confined to the house for the past several months with inflammatory rheumatism, is slowly improving.

Mrs. S. H. Fitez spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Saylor and family. Miss Helen Maxell spent Friday with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Fitez.

Miss Grace Riffe spent Thursday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Charles Riffe spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. E. J. Smith.

Mr. W. F. Fisher spent Friday in Emmitsburg on a business trip.

Messrs. James Saylor and W. F. Fisher spent Saturday in Frederick.

Mr. Robert Fitez spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

Those who have been on the sick list during the past week were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hankey, Mr. James Welby and Mr. Charles Knipple.

Mr. James E. Welby has moved to the Hankey farm.

Mr. Robert Hahn, of Dayton, Ohio, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Fitez.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cromford, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Byers and family.

Mr. Robert Fitez spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maxell.

Mr. Robert Martin spent Sunday in Hagerstown.

Mrs. Charles Crabs, of Uniontown, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Knipple, of this place.

FRIEND'S CREEK ITEMS

Miss Ruth Kipe, of Cascade, Md., is spending some time visiting relatives in this place.

Miss Luella Eyer, of Franklinville, has returned home after spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Hardman.

Mr. John Wetzel, of Orrtanna, spent a few days with friends in this place, recently.

Mrs. W. H. Kipe has returned home after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amos Ferguson, of Harbaugh Valley.

Mr. Harry Shindelacker, of Cascade, Md., is spending a few days at the home of Mr. R. L. Eyer.

The revival meeting at the F. C. Church of God is still in progress. Sermon for Sunday eve, March 14, 7 P. M. Theme:—"Booze". Text, "Who shew all these?"—11 Kings, X, 9, by Rev. S. A. Kipe.

Eyer's Valley Happenings.

Messrs. Lottie and Myrtle Eyer made a business trip to Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forney spent Wednesday with Mr. Wm. T. Miller.

Miss Ruth Miller spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. H. Kipe.

Those who spent Wednesday with Miss Alice Eyer were: Mrs. Elma Stottlemeyer and two children, Thomas and Esta, Mrs. Sadie McKissick and Mrs. Wm. T. Miller.

Mr. Lewis Linebaugh spent Tuesday with his uncle, Mr. Shirdon McKissick.

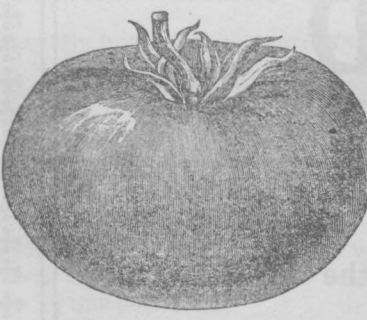
Mrs. Cora McKissick spent a few days with Mrs. Fannie Springer.

Mrs. Mary E. Fisher spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Shreeves Zentz.

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"We feel satisfied you are going to have a lot of good-sized orders this year from the corners of Indiana, because they have seen our fields of 'Greater Baltimore' growing."

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On January 30th, Mr. Wm. B. Plummer, of Kent Co., Md., writes as follows: "I have planted many varieties of Tomatoes, but have not found any other to do as well for me as the 'Greater Baltimore'. The past season we gathered over two tons per acre more than any other varieties. It is one of the best varieties that can be planted for canning purposes on account of firmness, standing drought or wet weather. They are the first to ripen and continue firm and good-sized until frost."

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ACROSS THE LINE

Gettysburg.

Washington Camp No. 414, P. O. S. of A., celebrated the twenty-sixth anniversary of its existence with a banquet in the O. of I. A. hall Friday evening. Nearly 500 persons attended. An entertainment was also held the same evening in the room of P. O. S. of A.

Betsy Ross council, No. 119, Daughters of Liberty, held their twenty-second annual banquet Friday in the O. of I. A. hall. Mrs. R. H. Long was toast-mistress and speeches and singing were a feature of the evening.

The basketball team of Gettysburg College had one of the best and most successful seasons for some years. Nine games were won and eight lost, winning from such teams as Muhlenburg, Bucknell, Lehigh, F. & M., and Mt. St. Mary's, and ranking very high as compared with other institutions.

Eight townships in Adams county still remain quarantined because of the recent outbreak of the foot and mouth disease. They are Union, Berwick, Conewago, Germany, Hamilton, Mt. Pleasant, Oxford and Reading.

The home talent play at Hammers' Hall Tuesday night was a success. The audience was one of the best ever in the hall.

"The Green Room Club," a newly formed organization composed of about 15 young men of Gettysburg, will occupy the room in the McPherson building now in use by the Majestic club. The officers of the new club are: President, Ralph Detrick; vice-president, Lawrence Sheads; secretary, Arthur Hutchison; treasurer, Howard Hartzell.

County Superintendent of Public Schools, Prof. H. Milton Roth announced that the central examinations, based on the State Course of Study for the elementary schools, seventh year, will be held at the following places, Saturday, March 27: Abbotstown, Arendtsville, Biglerville, East Berlin, Fairfield, Gettysburg, Littlestown, Sand Hill, York Springs, New Oxford.

Mayor Benjamin F. Rittenhouse, U. S. A. retired, was found dead in a room in his home in Philadelphia Saturday. Major Rittenhouse played an important part in the battle of Gettysburg. He was a lieutenant in Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, which took position on Little Round Top on the second day.

After the tragic death of Gen. Weed and Lieut. Hazlett, Lieut. Rittenhouse succeeded to the command of the Battery, and rendered distinguished service during the remainder of that day and also during Pickett's charge on the following day. He was aged 73 years and of late years had suffered from wounds received during the Civil war.

C. William Troxell, bookkeeper at the Citizens' Trust Company for the past 12 years, died at the Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia, Monday night from a complication of diseases, aged about 47 years. Mrs. Troxell and one son, C. William Troxell, Jr., survive.

Mr. Troxell was prominent in Masonic circles and was a member of Good Samaritan lodge, No. 336 F. and A. M., this place, and of Good Samaritan chapter, No. 266, and also a past eminent commander of Gettysburg commandery No. 79. Mr. Troxell was a past master of the lodge and a past high priest of the chapter. He attended St. James' Lutheran church.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grushon, of Thurmont, spent Wednesday with Mrs. William Dewees.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Fox on Sunday were: Mrs. William Dewees and daughter, Lulu, Miss Mabel Dewees, Mrs. Walter Wastler and Mr. Hamilton Weant.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Blickenstieff and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Weant.

Misses Maud and Mable Fry spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. Robert Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bowers spent Sunday with Mrs. Bowers' sister, Mrs. Charles Colliflower, of near Thurmont.

NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mrs. John Gearhart, of Waynesboro, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Shorb.

Miss Grace Carbaugh, teacher of the lower Track school, spent Monday night with Miss Bertha Warren and Tuesday night with Miss Emma Shorb. Miss Carbaugh's school closes March 24.

Mr. Geo. Rohrbraugh who has been ill is able to be out again.

LOY'S AND VICINITY.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Washington Pittenger were: Mr. Charles H. Hoffman, Mr. Charles L. Pittenger, of Loy's, Mr. Calvin C. Colbert, of Graceham, Mr. Amos Arnold, of Rocky Hill, Mr. Harry Gruber, of Mariottsville, and Mrs. Clara M. Moser, of Le Gore.

Mrs. R. Annie Pittenger returned home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Clarence R. Moser, of New Midway.

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GRACEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower, Sr., visited Mrs. Susan Troxell near Rocky Ridge, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ernest Warner and two children, Mrs. Mattie Colliflower, Mrs. John Late, and granddaughter, Catherine, spent Wednesday last with Mrs. Lewis Troxell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Trout, of near Utica, spent Thursday with her father, Mr. J. C. Pyles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Joy attended the funeral of her uncle, on Thursday at Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower, Sr., Mrs. Mattie Colliflower and daughter, Belva, spent Saturday with Mrs. Harry Creeger and family.

Mrs. F. C. Fisher and Mrs. Ernest Warner spent Sunday with Mr. Charles Saylor and family, near Loys.

Mrs. Runkles spent Monday in Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Troxell have returned home after spending a few days in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Messrs. Lemuel Alexander and Joseph Colliflower, of Altoona, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Six, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Firor, Mr. and Mrs. John Joy, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolter.

MIDDLEBURG.

Miss Clara Mackley has returned to Westminster after a visit among old friends.

Mr. James Coleman spent Wednesday and Thursday in Baltimore.

On Sunday Mr. James Wheeler, of Baltimore, made a visit to our town and his wife and children returned with him after a week's stay with Mrs. Mollie Six.

Mr. J. P. Delpy has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mrs. Sallie Myers has gone to Baltimore to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Fisher, whom she recently visited with a 9-pound girl.

On Sunday night an automobile from Frederick made a flying trip to the home of Mr. L. A. Griffin bringing Miss Sadie Griffin, Mr. James Mackley, and Mrs. Mary Mackley and Master Tommy Lang, of New York.

The entertainment held in Walden's Hall by the Willing Workers of Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church, of Rocky Ridge, was a success in every respect. The parts were well taken and the performance was enjoyed by the audience, and was financially a success as well.

The Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Six on Saturday night, the 13th.

THURMONT NEWS.

Mrs. George Schleigh who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Root, has returned to her home at Cambridge, Md.

Miss Mary Freeze visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tenney at Baltimore during the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Martin are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Meynard Freeze, of Richmond, Va.

Mr. Wm. Eigenbrode, who succeeded Mr. Jacob. Willet in the dray and general hauling business in Thurmont has sold his business, horses, wagons and property on Lombard street to Mr. Charles H. Eyer, of Franklinville. Mr. Eigenbrode will remain in Thurmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Leister Armacost are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown in Norfolk, Va.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Thurmont Circuit Methodist Episcopal Churches was held in the Methodist Church, this place, Wednesday, March 10. The Ladies Aid Society served luncheon to the members of the Emmitsburg and Tom's Creek appointments, after which Dr. Watson, of Baltimore, and Dr. Pate, of Hagerstown, addressed the audience.

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UNITED STATES INDEPEN- DENT JESUIT ASSISTANCY

Father Thomas Gannon Chosen to
Represent Order in This Country.

The United States on last Monday was
created an independent Jesuit assis-
tancy under Father Thomas Gannon,
formerly head of the Eastern Province
of the United States.

The Rev. William J. Ennis, president
of Loyola College, Baltimore, explained
the meaning of this as follows:

"The chief of the Jesuit Order has a
cabinet, composed of the representa-
tives of different countries. In the
past all the English-speaking countries
have been represented by one man.
Now the United States will have its
own special representative. This will
not mean any change in the organiza-
tion of the Jesuits in this country.

"Father Gannon was about eight
years ago, the Provincial of the Mary-
land-New York Province. He went
from St. Andrew's on-the-Hudson to
Rome to participate in the election of
Father Vladimir Ledschowski, the gen-
eral of the order. He will live in Rome
in the future."

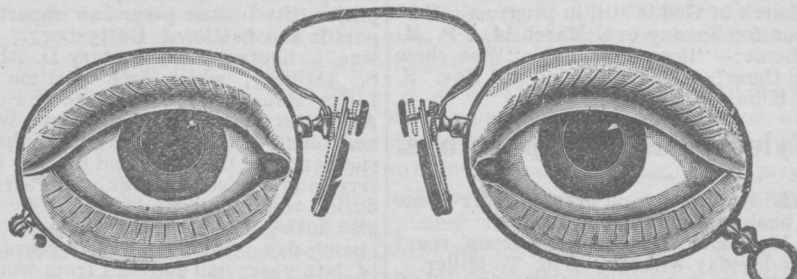
Novel Exhibit for Baltimore.

A voluntary committee under the
chairmanship of John Daniels, Director
of the Social Service Corporation of
Baltimore, has begun the building of a
great exhibit intended to show how
one of the states of the Union meets
the social needs of its citizens and also
how it fails to meet some such needs.
Collaborating with this committee are
Mr. Walter E. Storey and Mrs. E. G.
Routzahn, experts from the Depart-
ment of Exhibits of the Russell Sage
Foundation of New York. The exhibit
when completed, will be one of the im-
portant features of the meeting of the
National Conference of Charities and
Correction which will assemble in Bal-
timore, May 12th to 19th. It will be
the graphic presentation of the prob-
lems which will be studied in this school
of social service by students, profes-
sional social workers, volunteers, clergy
and state and municipal officials from
all over the United States.

Fire in the national forests of the
West in 1914 caused a loss to the gov-
ernment of nearly 340,000,000 board
feet of merchantable timber, valued at
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growth of trees valued at \$192,408.

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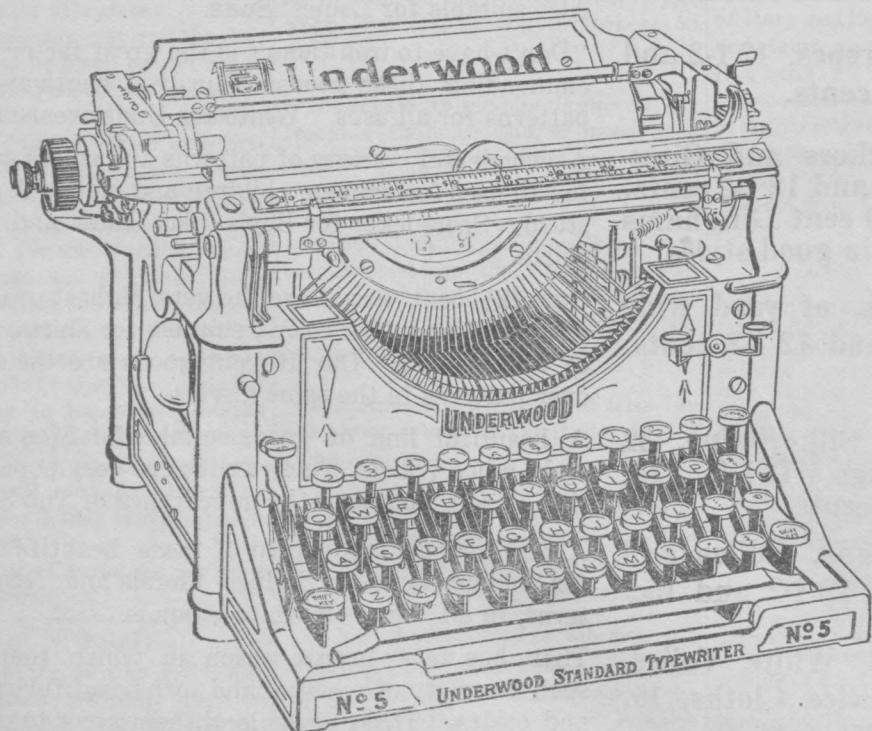
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