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## WAR NOT A BAR TO COLLEGE ACTIVITY

### American College In Constantinople Continues Course.

## GIRLS BRAVELY FACE TASKS

Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, President of College, Declares American Embassy Was Refuge For Help and For Social Enjoyment—Part of Property Was Seized For Soldiers.

New York.—How an American college in a belligerent country has followed its normal course in wartime is told in the annual report of Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, president of Constantinople college, who has under her instruction girls representing ten nationalities.

These girls have quietly performed their college work in the face of frequent rumors of famine and the absence of fuel. At one time part of the college property was seized for the housing of soldiers. During the winter many of the trees on the spacious college grounds were cut down for fuel to heat the classrooms, and before the Dardanelles campaign was abandoned food prices constantly increased.

Ambassador Morgenthau has been in close touch with the college since the outbreak of the war, according to the report, and has frequently given talks to the students.

"The American embassy was our refuge during the whole year for help of all kinds and for social enjoyment," Dr. Patrick says in her report.

"Ambassador and Mrs. Morgenthau have shown themselves untiringly devoted to the welfare of the college and of the entire American colony. Dr. Morgenthau has spoken frequently at the college and has taken many opportunities to invite the students to the embassy. In February Mrs. Morgenthau rented one of the public halls for moving pictures, and a private program was given for the benefit of the students, all of whom were afterward entertained at the embassy."

At the close of the college year in June, 1915, there were 236 students enrolled in the college. The peoples represented were Albanian, American, Armenian, Bulgarian, English, French, Greek, Hebrew, Swiss and Turkish.

These students followed their customary plan of the year's work, giving plays and entering into every form of student activity, in spite of the difficulties and anxieties incident to war conditions.

"Constantinople without its European colonies and its stream of tourists is like an isolated city cut off from the rest of the world," the report continues. "Colleges in Constantinople have usually enjoyed the great advantage of lectures and addresses from distinguished visitors and social occasions graced by friends of the British and other foreign colonies. A few lectures were given during the year, supplied wholly by local talent, and a short series of concerts greatly relieved the monotony."

The degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon Ambassador Morgenthau by the college at the commencement exercises in June, 1915. At the same time Dr. Patrick received the order of the Shes Kap, a decoration by the sultan for meritorious work at the college.

## SORRY HE BOUGHT COFFIN.

### At Seventy-nine, Civil War Veteran Thinks It Was a Waste of Money.

Red Bank, N. J.—William Reid's investment in an ornate coffin and an elaborately bricked-in grave—both as a permanent resting place for his own body—looks like money thrown away. He celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday here recently by meeting all his old friends, going about town and proving by every known method that he might be accepted as a gilt edged risk by any life insurance company.

Mr. Reid, who was a soldier during the civil war, purchased the coffin after considerable shopping around. He dug his own grave and bricked it in at White River cemetery that he might not cause trouble to his friends after his death. He said that he didn't expect to compel anybody to haul his body out to the grave for another decade.

## LEAVES 104 DESCENDANTS.

### Atlantic City's Oldest Resident Dies as She Nears Century.

Atlantic City.—A family of extraordinary numbers survives Mrs. K. E. Eller, Atlantic City's oldest woman resident, who died at the age of ninety-nine.

There are three children, fifty-six grandchildren, twenty of whom are abroad, some of them in the fighting forces; forty-three great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

## DIGNITARIES OF WAR DON'T WORRY GIRLS

### Test In Current Events Brings Forth Many Errors.

Cambridge, Mass.—An examination to determine whether Radcliffe girls stand in need of a course in current events has just been completed with startling results.

Sixteen girls were chosen for the experiment—four from each class, and all members of the Civic club. The questions dealt with names and places connected with the war.

The name of Secretary of State Robert Lansing may be a household word, but two of the sixteen never had heard of him. Three had a hazy idea that he was secretary of war, while another said that he was "an American ambassador of some sort."

Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was given every title in the German service except his own. One miss designated him as a "resigned Dutch cabinet minister."

The name of General Gallieni, French minister of war, was unknown, and all but two of the girls called him an Italian. Premier Aristide Briand was almost similarly neglected, only two giving him his proper office.

Gallipoli was placed in Greece or in Italy by the majority of the writers. Not a single girl knew that Sir Ian Hamilton had ever come within speaking distance of the Dardanelles.

Asked to name three German generals six papers cited only Von Hindenburg. Von Buelow and Von Mackensen were known by one girl each. Von Kluck was entirely forgotten.

## PAYS \$2.50 DEBT IN 40 YEARS.

### Son of Original Creditor Receives Money Order For \$9.

Indianapolis.—Homer Taggart, a real estate man of South Bend, has received a letter with a postoffice money order in it calling for \$9. More than forty years ago Mr. Taggart's father, long since dead, sold a second hand buggy to F. D. Airgood, a country blacksmith, at Servia, Ind. A note was given in payment.

Part payment had been made on the small original sum. A balance of \$2.50 remained unpaid. The note was later destroyed in a fire and the unpaid part was forgotten. Mr. Airgood, now an old man, had just thought of the money and mailed the South Bend man \$9, which is the unpaid part of the debt and the interest on it.

## DOG NOMINATES MASTER.

### Collie Is Popular, and Saunders Hopes to Be Re-elected.

Sebastopol, Cal.—Probably a unique political announcement has been presented to the electors of Sebastopol in connection with the approaching election.

Gyp is a Scotch collie, a magnificent specimen of his race, a canine aristocrat and a politician, being by far the most popular dog in town. He owns as master John Saunders, town clerk and is very frequently alluded to as assistant town clerk. A placard is sued bears Gyp's portrait instead of that of his master, and he is shown "bringing home the bacon for his boss."

The placard bears the announcement, "Gyp announces that his boss is aspirant for re-election to the office of town clerk."

Gyp's influence is not to be sneered at, as everybody is his friend.

## WALKS CONTINENT TWICE.

### Burns on Foot Travels Lincoln Highway Both Ways.

San Francisco.—Robert Burns, twenty-eight years of age, of Eureka, Cal., whose credentials credit him with being the world's champion hiker, arrived here on his way to Eureka after traversing the Lincoln highway both ways, covering 7,842 miles on foot.

He left here May 24 last and arrived in New York Sept. 23, leaving Oct. 1 and arriving here Feb. 25.

According to attested records in his possession, Burns beat Weston's record to New York thirty-two days and beat it from New York twenty-three days. Burns claims to have covered the round trip in 163 days. Weston accomplished it in 217 days.

Burns is the first man to cover the Lincoln highway both ways on foot. He made his expenses by advertising stunts. He was employed by the Eureka Development association.

## Cow's Tongue Caught.

Kelso, Wash.—A cow belonging to J. F. Stidham lost about two inches of her tongue by having it caught in a steel trap. When the cow was found her tongue was in bad shape, and Stidham could not figure out what had happened until he found the trap with the missing tongue.

## FIDDLERS LIGHTEN HEART OF GEORGIA

### Old Echoes Heard When Mountaineer Musicians Meet.

## MANY ARE MOONSHINERS.

### All of Fifty Men Assembled Are Deep Dyed Americans and Are Able to Trace Their Ancestors Back Many Years—Look With Scorn Upon Modern Popular Music.

Atlanta.—The Old Fiddlers of Georgia, first assembled as a clan a year ago, have recently closed their second engagement in this city. The pride of Georgia's heart is in her annual grand opera, and thousands of people congregate in the Auditorium every April to listen to strange music in a strange tongue, and many of them enjoy it "almost as much as they think they do." But the "old fiddlers" really touch the heart.

As a class these musicians represent the mountaineer type, long and limber of body, silent, slow of speech, refined of feature, with quiet gray eyes, hair parted in the back. Their ancestors took the mountains, and the sons have never left the neighborhood. One family live in the same house built by their sire more than a century ago. A great majority of the men are poor. Their fare is simple, their life is bare and hard, and almost the only diversion is from the music of the fiddle or melodeon—that is, if the family be rich enough to invest in a melodeon. The fiddle is often homemade.

When the mountaineer visits or receives visits the fiddle is used as the entertainer, and when the men journey to the county courthouse the instrument is carried along to make music and join in with other fiddlers congregated there, and in the hands of these men, who know no such thing as note or tempo, the fiddle is made to sing for all she's worth.

Inactivity and isolation have not made ambitious men of the mountaineers, and on long sunny days when it's too hot to work in the fields the fiddle is picked up by "pa," for the average mountaineer does not seem to take to master the instrument till he's in the forties. Some of the fiddlers—there are no violins in the convention—are older than the tunes they play, having been in the family generations, and in one instance the instrument has been handed down to seven sires. The men look with scorn upon modern popular music, ragtime and opera, and nothing interests them except tunes that have been sung or played among them time out of memory.

When the winter is a particularly hard one and everything goes wrong on the little strip of land to make both ends meet, the head of the family finds a use for his corn—almost the only crop he can depend upon—and turns his cabin into a distillery, sometimes running the pipe into the kitchen chimney to put the revenue officers off the track of smoke. The distiller and lawbreaker is found sooner or later, and with others, plodding slow and weary, he is brought before the federal judge, who gives a word of kindly counsel and a light sentence.

The fifty men assembled are not all moonshiners, however, a small percentage coming from wide grass regions, but all are from the heart of the woods on peak or in dale, far from the roll of locomotive or honk of automobile. All the musicians are Americans. They do not represent the Georgia Cracker from the fact that for centuries they have not mingled in the lowlands. If any enthusiasm on the subject could be raised—which is not probable—the fiddlers could trace their origin straight back hundreds of years to their mother country.

## SCHOOLGIRL ENDS LIFE.

### Reading of Innocent Note to Boy Before Class Causes Suicide.

Hartford, Conn.—Gladys Stone, fourteen years old, committed suicide by drinking poison because her school-teacher had read to the class in a grammar school an intercepted note in which the girl had invited a boy friend to attend a social party at a church.

The girl took the affair to heart, purchased poison at a drug store and then swallowed it at her home. She wrote a note to her mother asking forgiveness.

## Stork Visits Business Partners.

Haddonfield, N. J.—A peculiar coincidence in births occurred here. J. C. Remington and Winfield Vosbury constitute the firm of Remington & Vosbury, engineers, of Camden. Both families live here. Mrs. Remington gave birth to a son, and a few hours later Mrs. Vosbury gave birth to two daughters.

## UNCLE JOSH HAS 493 LIVING DESCENDANTS

### Youngest Child Fifteen, Oldest Great-Great-Grandfather.

Birmingham, Ala.—The little town of Oneonta, tucked away in the foothills of Alabama's mineral district, has discovered why there are so many Smiths in this region.

Uncle Josh Smith, who lives near that town, is hale and hearty at ninety-nine, and he has 493 children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren and great-great-great-grandchildren. They are all still alive and will soon have a family reunion. Uncle Josh's youngest child is fifteen, his oldest is a great-great-grandfather.

Here is the way it runs: Uncle Josh's son, Sam Smith; his son, James Smith; his son, Robert Smith; his son, John Smith, and the latter's daughter, aged eight. There is still a younger son of Uncle Josh, William Smith. There is John's son, Sam; a daughter of Sam and her child, Sam, who is a grandfather at the age of thirty-four.

Uncle Josh is a parson and still preaches in the Primitive Baptist churches of his section. He is active, walks five miles any time, has a fine appetite, reads several hours a day and is still a good horseman and rifle shot.

He came to Alabama shortly after it was admitted to the Union. His advent was thrilling. A cyclone overtook him, and he sought refuge in a field where a hay pole stood. According to his story, he held to the pole and was blown around it like a whirlingig. Finally the pole was uprooted, but he hung on, and he and the pole were landed 300 yards away on the hillside. He's living within a stone's throw of the place now.

## POWER OF PRAYER.

### Mother Will Mortgage Home to Go to Her Kidnaped Children.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Eager to see her two children, kidnaped from her fifteen years ago and just found after a search she never abandoned, Mrs. Ella Barnhart declared that she would mortgage her little home and go to them at once. "It was the power of prayer," she said, in telling how, after inquiring from house to house in the cities of many states, she at last discovered the whereabouts of her boy and girl in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Barnhart was living with her husband at Mount Vernon, Mo., when her husband kidnaped the children while she was sick. As soon as she recovered she started the search which lasted for sixteen years.

## WOULDN'T TRUST CORK LEG.

### Committed Prisoner Would Not Leave and Wants a New One.

Leavenworth, Kan.—Afraid to trust his decaying cork leg over the bumps and pitfalls of the outside world, G. V. Stamey, prisoner of the Kansas state prison, declined the privilege of being with his parents. Stamey was sent up from Shawnee county in 1910 to serve a sentence of from five to ten years for arson. Governor Capper commuted his sentence.

As he was preparing to leave the prison to go to the home of his parents in Norton, Kan., he noticed that his cork leg, which he had brought with him when he entered a cell five years ago, was in bad shape.

Then he decided that he couldn't trust it any longer and turned back. He will wait until the prison board meets again, when he will ask that a new leg be bought for him, as he is without funds.

## FOUND DEAD ON BIRTHDAY.

### Preparations Had Been Made For Party For Young Woman.

Westmont, N. J.—Invitations were out and preparations had been made for a party in celebration of the twenty-sixth birthday of Miss Hannah, daughter of Joseph Bentley of Walnut avenue. Miss Bentley had not appeared at breakfast time, and her mother went to her room to call her. She lay dead in her bed.

Dr. E. B. Rogers was hastily summoned, and he said death had been caused by acute indigestion. The Camden county coroner, after investigating the case, coincided with the physician and gave a certificate accordingly.

## Jail Inmates Go Hunting.

Petersburg, Ind.—Hunting has become a pleasant diversion for some of the inmates of the Pike county jail. Time hangs heavily on their hands, and twice during one week recently prisoners were permitted the freedom of the nearby fields, and the privilege was given to kill, maim or capture wild game. Thus far the boarders have returned and have not violated their parole.

## CHINESE RULER IS LOVER OF MOVIES

### Serial Installment Delay Causes Disappointment.

## ENJOYS LITTLE LIBERTY.

### Life in the Forbidden City Affords Few Diversions, Especially Since There Have Been Some Evidences of Disloyalty—President Takes Exercise In Drilling Section of Army.

Peking.—Yuan Shih Kai is very fond of moving pictures, and he and all the members of his family attend a performance in the theater in the Forbidden City every week, when the films brought to the leading picture theater in Peking are shown for the entertainment of the Yuan household.

Recently Yuan Shih Kai, together with thousands of other interested movie patrons in Peking, has suffered a great disappointment. A mystery film to run for twelve weeks completed six installments of the story, but the seventh installment got lost somewhere in Sweden on its way over from London, and Peking was anxiously awaiting the unraveling of the plot. The young heroine of the film drama was seized by bandits when Peking last saw her, and residents of both the Forbidden City and the outer city are anxious to know more of her fate.

Life in the Forbidden City affords few diversions, especially since there have been some evidences of disloyalty among trusted employees. Consequently Yuan Shih Kai and his family enjoy little liberty.

The president takes his exercise chiefly in drilling a section of the modern army in the Forbidden City, while several of his sons play football and skate on the frozen lakes within the great walls inclosing the palace grounds.

Skating is also affording recreation for legation staffs and legation guards in Peking, which has been more or less isolated as a result of the bitter feeling growing out of the European war. Practically all of the legations have their own temporary skating rinks built in their compounds. These rinks are covered with bamboo matting to protect the ice from the sun and dust.

The American legation rink is practically the only rink in Peking where visitors of all European powers are entertained. However, the legation officers have set apart certain days for the entertainment of visitors belonging to the entente powers and different days for the German and Austrian guests.

## IDEAL MAN FEARS NOTES.

### News of Harvard Student's Perfect Figure Brings Scented Proposals.

Boston.—Harvard's "perfect man" is now worried over scented notes that now reach him through the mails. Other students say that as 1916 is leap year he may find much more sex problems than requests for photographs, indorsements and cast off clothes.

Bradford M. Fullerton, the ideal man, is reticent regarding the notes, but is ready to admit that being a "perfect man" has its disadvantages. This young athlete, captain of the Harvard varsity swimming team, whose measurements and posture dovetail with the specifications prescribed by the National Association of Merchant Tailors, has discovered that a young man with appropriate physique must withstand an avalanche of mail containing all sorts of proposals, queries and congratulations.

## ACROBATIC SQUIRREL KILLED.

### Schoolgirls See "Tight Rope Walking" Pet Die.

Tarrytown, N. Y.—Jack, the "tight rope walking" gray squirrel, is dead. Jack was the pet of a girls' school because of his wonderful achievements in walking along a telephone cable. He would travel this way for blocks. The girls at the school fed him with nuts, which they would place on a pole near their windows.

One day in fun a girl broke off an icicle under the window ledge and handed it to Jack to use as a balancing stick. He soon became a proficient in balancing and would sit and beg for nuts. He was doing this when suddenly one end of the icicle broke, causing Jack to lose his balance and fall fifty feet to the ground. When the girls picked him up Jack was breathing his last.

## Cough Proves Fatal to Man.

Reading, Pa.—Calvin I. Rehner, sixty-six years old, was seized with a violent coughing attack and burst a blood vessel; hemorrhage followed and death resulted before a doctor came.

## HIS NEW FIDDLE BOW A THREE FOOT LATH

### With It Uncle John Graves Scrapes Out Old Melodies.

Centralia, Kan.—John Graves, eighty-two years old, a veteran stage driver, has invented a new violin bow. At a dance for which he "fiddled" his bow broke in the middle of a barn dance melody. It looked as if the festivities were at an end, but Uncle John hobbled to the woodshed, cut a three foot length of lath, rounded its edges with his knife, explored with his thumb for splinters, spat on his palm to provide a polish and took up the strains of "Mornin', Si," where he had left them. The new bow quirked out the jifful notes so well that Uncle John still uses it.

When dances are infrequent Uncle John gives impromptu recitals in the kitchen of his two room home, where he lives alone. With his fiddle tucked against the collar of his blue flannel shirt and his rheumatic leg beating time, he jerks out with his unique bow his repertoire of "Turkey in the Straw," "Pop Goes the Weasel," "Irish Washerwoman" and "There's Honey in the Rock For Me" while the youngsters do jig steps on the porch.

Uncle John bought his fiddle fifty-four years ago from a soldier at Fort Kearny whose regiment had been ordered to the front. Uncle John was then driving the Overland stage on the government trail from Atchison to Fort Laramie. He says he made back the \$10 he paid for it by one night's work.

## USED TIPS TO MAKE FORTUNE

### Checkroom Boy Saved Money and Invested in Real Estate.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Charles S. Bergquist was seventeen years old when he began his business career. He was a polite and accommodating checkroom boy at the Minneapolis club for five years, and all tips and money he saved went into the nest egg. He told his mother he was buying real estate, and she chided him for undertaking anything of the kind at his age. Thereafter he said nothing about it, but went on buying.

He died suddenly when he was twenty-three years old as the result of an accident. Four months ago friends of his began relating stories of property he had bought. His mother began a search at once. She found he had several lots in the city and forty acres of land near Sandy lake. She is seeking further information about his land and trying to locate the bank in which he had an account.

## SHAVE BY AUTO LIGHT.

### Son Put Machine Where Barber Could Work on His Father.

Clayton, Mo.—Heroic measures were resorted to in order that Frank Tegethoff, a real estate dealer, could be shaved in time to catch a train. Tegethoff had but a short time in which to make the train and rushed into one of Clayton's barber shops and demanded a hasty "once over."

While the barber was engaged in daubing Tegethoff's face with lather the electric lights failed, and the process had to be stopped. It was up to Tegethoff's son, Leo, to supply the light.

He drove his father's automobile on to the sidewalk in front of the shop and stopped in a position which threw the rays of the headlight on to the elder Tegethoff's face, and the shaving operation was completed. Tegethoff caught the train.

## NO CLOCKS IN PRISON.

### Oklahoma Convicts Go by the Sound of Electric Gongs.

McAlester, Okla.—After a trip through the state penitentiary here a visitor realizes that he has seen no clocks. Neither in the administration building, the rotunda nor cell houses is there a timepiece.

Recently a visitor without a watch was escorted back to the administration rooms after a tour of the prison. He glanced at the walls looking for a clock to see if he had time to catch a car into the city. There was none.

"Why, where are your clocks?" he asked a trustee.

The man grinned.

"We don't need any. We all have all the time we want here," he replied. Then he added, "Electric gongs announce divisions of time—work, eat and retire—according to the rings."

## Hatpin In Dog's Stomach.

Pittsburgh.—A hatpin seven inches long was removed from the stomach of Kink, a valuable Boston terrier belonging to Miss Alice Stewart of Wilkinsburg, by a surgeon. The dog had been ill for several days, and an operation was decided upon. The pin lay lengthwise in the dog's stomach.







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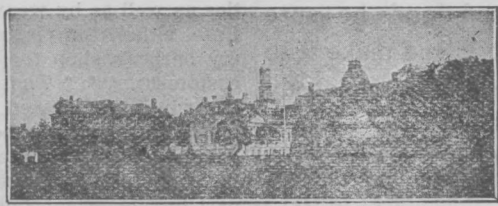
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## ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE--ACADEMY



## Valley Echoes

Miss Elizabeth McManus, A. B., who spent a week at the "Valley" is at present being entertained by Miss Anna M. Fesenmeier, '14, at her home in Glenarm, Maryland.

A birthday party was given on Friday, March third, in honor of little Grace Gloninger. A number of her friends, including the preparatory classes, enjoyed the festivities and join in wishing Grace many happy returns at St. Joseph's.

Misses Margaret Vaughn, '14, of Harrisburg, Pa., and Helena Hartnett, '15, of Dover, Del., spent a short time at the "Valley" this week. Miss Hartnett was en route home after having been the guest of Miss Vaughn for the past five weeks.

"What's in a name?" an old question asked and answered ever and anon. However the seniors have come to the conclusion that there is much importance attached to a name, and changed the term Number X to "The Queen's Garden." In this delightful resort amid the approving smiles of their "Queen" all are striving to attain perfection in the physical, mental, moral and spiritual life.

"Nihil mortalibus ardui est!" The Latin productions emanating from the pens of the Juniors verify the above quotation, for their translations of the Horatian Odes merit an adequate share of attention. The selections reviewed by some just opponents were lauded as specimens worthy of the muses, the personality of the author being portrayed not only in prose but also in poetry such as to rival the eminent Eugene and Roswell Field's or the scholar ly Gladstone's verses.

On Thursday evening, March second a "Dutch Party" assembled within the spacious social hall of St. Joseph's; dainty dance programmes appropriate for the occasion were distributed and suggested that an evening of more than ordinary pleasure was in store for the guests. Nor were the expectations in vain. The varied selections on the list proved novel and diverting. After the "Eat, Drink and Be Merry" number, each one of the participants returned to this quaint Dutch gaiety. Prizes were awarded to those who were attired in the most original and accurate costume of the "Low Country." The Juniors under whose supervision the social was arranged displayed charming ability as hostesses and artistic skill in the decorations of the Dutch apartments.

The "Red Sox" succeeded in registering a second defeat in Captain Ball against the "Pirates" in one of the fastest games ever played on the campus. The score was 4-1. The players on both sides were exceedingly fast and the passes to captains accurate. For the "Red Sox" Captain Martin and guards McManus and Rogers were easily the stellar performers and carried off the honors. The "Red Sox" started the scoring and had a good lead, but by the end of the second half the "Pirates" had one goal to their credit. Notwithstanding this stalwart plunge toward victory the "Red Sox" outwitted the Fair Buccaneers and at the termination of the game left the "Pirates" pennant trailing in the rear, as the final attempt toward victory was

insufficient to overcome the swift-footed "Red Sox."

A programme of unusual merit both for the standard of the compositions and its artistic rendition held the undivided interest of the students and guests of St. Joseph's College last Sunday when Miss Gertrude C. McManus, '16, was heard in recital. The young lady promises to be a singer of high rank; she has a wide range, a facile execution and a wonderful sympathy. In the ever popular Jewel Song from Faust, the ease and lightness with which she took the runs, thrills and cadenzas won from her audience well merited applause, while in the difficult aria, "Inferno Sconsolata," from "The Magic Flute," the beauty of her coloratura quality of voice reached its zenith. The program divided into four groups representing German, American, French and Italian composers was skillfully arranged for the display of her voice and versatility.

Miss Nan Miller, the talented young violinist, who assisted Miss McManus added much to the pleasure of the evening by her delightful rendition of three charming violin numbers. Miss Miller showed a skillful technique, a brilliant tone for a young artist and played with genuine musical intelligence.

Miss Elizabeth C. McManus, '15, who enjoys a considerable reputation as a pianist gave excellent support as accompanist.

A ludicrous periscope of athletics—It has been acknowledged by many that mental and physical athletics seldom co exist in their perfection. In the same individual; this fact proved itself despite the efforts of some young ladies at St. Joseph's to maintain the contrary. During Latin Philosophy, etc., these aforesaid athletes are quite edifying in their agility at tossing the "intellectual ball" from one goal to another—but at recreation it is another story. "Captain Ball" is one of the favorite games and as the players take their respective places on the campus, the signal is heard in dire necessity—here comes the fun. The centers slap at the ball, it bounces away amid despairing cries of "Catch, catch it for goodness' sake, Sue!" and the guards collide in the rush to get a hand on the precious sphere. A center catches the ball and makes a wild throw to Polly who is madly calling for it: a grab—a dash—and a point missed! As the "ohs!" and "ahs!" and "why didn't you catch it?" resound through the air. Some one seizes the prize and hugs it as though her teacher's certificate or A. B. depended upon it. "Please throw the ball, Jane, yes, over here!" "What, do you think I am a giant?" says one dignified personage, whose cognomen is Polly, as the ball sails through her arms. Then again, "Jane has it!" "Toss it quick!" "Here!" "No, here!" and the athlete towards whom the ball is coming goes through the most terrible contortions of face, hands and feet—and finally a point is scored. But alas! it is at swords point that the game ends.

The world, even in her onward rush, has never been ungrateful towards her greatest benefactors. Why should we prove less worthy? said a democratic Freshman. The inspiration was imbued and the entire class has taken action towards preparing for and honoring the memory of St. Patrick. The social is scheduled for next Thursday March sixteenth.

## NEWS OF THE MOVIES

At the Town Hall, Thurmont.

Florence Reed, the celebrated emotional actress, whose amazing talents have been seen to advantage in such noted Broadway successes as "Seven Days," "The Typhoon," and "The Yellow Ticket," in the last of which she won a distinct personal triumph, makes her first appearance in motion pictures in the Famous Players Film Company's realistic and artistic screen adaptation of Henry Arthur Jones' world-famous drama, "The Dancing Girl." It will be shown Saturday evening, March 11.

Marie Doro, the prominent star who has endowed the American stage with a distinctly new personality, is introduced to the motion picture public in an elaborate film version of her greatest stage success "The Morals of Marcus," by William J. Locke, a Famous Players Film Co. production, appearing on the Paramount Program at the Town Hall, Thurmont, Wednesday, March 15.

The theme of the play is both absorbing in interest and refreshing in its originality, and the development of the plot unfolds one of the most delightful love stories that the stage has provided in many years. Comedy is predominant throughout the story, but there are many moments of pathos and one big tragic scene that leads up to a charmingly natural and altogether satisfactory denouement.

London's telephone and telegraph wires extend 73,500 miles overhead and 921,000 miles underground.

## BASEBALL

Signed Outfielder.

Manager Plank has signed Frank Moran, an outfielder who played with Warren in the Interstate league the last two seasons. Moran is reputed to be fast on the bases and a good hitter. He clouted the ball at .258 last year in 70 games in which he played.

Lonaconing Comes Into New Potomac League.

Fuller Barnard, president of the newly organized Potomac Baseball League announced that he had been notified by representatives of the Lonaconing baseball team that they would accept a berth in the league. President Barnard sent in an application to the National Commission last Friday for a franchise for a four team league under organized baseball. The new baby circuit of organized ball will consist of the following teams: Cumberland, Piedmont, Frostburg and Lonaconing.

For the first time in its history, the National League will have its playing fields surveyed by competent engineers and the correctness of the measurements certified to the president of the league.

Another Congressional Aspirant.

According to reports at Annapolis delegate Robert E. Lee, of Baltimore, may be a candidate for Congress from the Fourth district. Congressman J. Charles Linthicum is expected to be a candidate to succeed himself, and the fight between the two men should be an interesting one if Lee decides to go in.

Endorse Weinberg For Congress.

In a paid advertisement in the Baltimore American on Tuesday appeared an endorsement of Leo Weinberg, of Frederick, as Republican candidate for Congress from the Sixth Congressional district. Among the endorsers are: Former Congressman Milton G. Urner, who represented the Sixth district; J. M. Dronenburg, president of the Frederick Board of Trade; Hon. Reno S. Harp; Prof. Joseph H. Apple, president of Hood College; Thomas Haller, treasurer of the Hagerstown and Frederick Railroad; James H. Harris, president of the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank; Chief Judge Charles H. Putts, of the Orphans' Court; Garrett S. DeGrange, president of the Board of Elec-

tion Supervisors; Register of Wills Albert M. Patterson, County Commissioner George C. Huffer, all of Frederick, and hundreds of others.

The New Secretary of War.

Newton D. Baker, former Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio, who has been appointed by President Wilson, Secretary of War and who succeeds former Secretary Garrison, was born in Martinsburg, W. Va., and is a graduate of Johns Hopkins and Washington and Lee University. Mr. Baker was private secretary to Postmaster General Wilson from 1896 to 1897. He is a lawyer and was city solicitor of Cleveland for ten years. He was twice elected Mayor of Cleveland.

Blair Formally Announces Candidacy.

Tuesday Gist Blair of Montgomery county formally announced that he was a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Sixth district. The announcement was made at Annapolis where Mr. Blair went to "talk it over" with the Republican members of the Legislature from Western Maryland. He stated to them that his candidacy would be based upon advocacy of conservative policies and a safe and sane attitude toward business enterprises. Frank L. Hewitt, of Montgomery county, will manage Mr. Blair's campaign.

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## FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county. In the fertility and productiveness of its lands it ranks among the first in the Union, and especially in the production of wheat. The area of this great county is 633 square miles. The great body of the people are of German, English and Scotch-Irish descent, the progeny mostly of the early settlers. The land is mostly of fine limestone quality, and the greater part of the county is a valley of rolling lands lying between the Lingular 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.

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

The location of Emmitsburg is ideal; the surrounding scenery is unmatched; the climate is notably healthful; its water—pure mountain spring water—cannot be surpassed. It is within easy access of Baltimore, Hagerstown, Frederick, eight miles from the National Battlefield at Gettysburg, near to the Mountain Resorts, and is surrounded by fertile farms and productive orchards.

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 105 years of splendid achievement—is also here.

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

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

## SOUTHERN "COLONELS."

Under this head the Frederick Post quotes Col. Henry Watterston as follows:

"In the South, especially, and in Kentucky more especially, a man becomes a colonel at about 47 unless he is of a wilful, rebellious, obstreperous disposition and inclined to stand up for an admitted, but rarely exercised, right not to become known as 'colonel.' It is the rule, rather than the exception, to submit good naturedly, or with concealed impatience, when the first three grey hairs appear and the use of the title begins by popular consent."

Commenting on this particular variety of the *genus homo* the Post remarks, in part:

In some Southern States or parts of States, by the way, one does not need to be 47 or grey or otherwise distinguished in order to become a "colonel," all that is necessary is to qualify by choosing the law as a profession. In connection with this subject the question suggested just at present relates to the number of our superabundant "colonels" who would be likely to seek to add to their glory on the firing line in the case of a great war.

Just here we rise to remark that according to Southern tradition, there are but three kinds of "Colonels"—those who obtained their title by commission, ie. in the "late unpleasantness," Colonels "by the code" and bar room "Colonels." The first are the "real stuff," the second are so designated ("by the code, sah,") because they have killed three men on the "field of honor," (Captain for shooting one man in a duel, major for the second and colonel for the third), and the last get their title, well, for any old reason—mostly because, although never having smelt powder, they talk powder and are always ready for liquid "ammunition."

And speaking of Kentucky "Colonels" "Marse Henry" will no doubt recall these beautiful lines:

"Kentucky, oh! Kentucky, how I love thy classic shades,  
Where flit the fairy figures of bright-eyed Southern maids,  
Where the birds are sweetly singing,  
'mid the flowers newly born,  
Where the corn is full of kernels; and  
The Colonels full of corn."

But alas and alack no Kentucky "Colonel" sings those touching strains these days. The blue grass now covers acres of unused mint and each nodding corn stalk brings but a sigh, a memory of the quondam potentiality of the old still house near the stream.

*Tempora mutantur et nos mutantur in illis.*

## REMEMBER NOAH.

Knock, and there will always be some idlers to join in,—even knocking hard on an empty store box or tin can will attract a certain audience—plug away systematically and constantly at improvement, grind hard for progress and betterment, for anything that has good in it, and success is bound to come, albeit there will be many to scoff, to criticize adversely, unkindly. But what of it? Give in? Stop? Throw up the job? Not so. The more the knockers knock, the harder one must "go to it." When they get out the wet blanket one must become so additionally active that the breeze from the exertion will dry that fabric and sail it into thin air.

Using the words of another:

"Noah had to work a long time on that ark. It was uphill business, too, at best, building a boat away out on dry land, while the local anvil-and-hammer club sat around spitting tobacco juice upon his lumber, whittling up his pine boards with their jackknives, and telling him what a fool he was for expecting a big rain in a country that was too dry to grow alfalfa. But he kept at it. Finally the flood came and every mother's son of the croakers was drowned. This is the only instance we know, in either sacred or profane history, where a bunch of knockers got exactly what was coming to them."

When the knockers start in

keep your head, keep your tongue, and keep at it like Noah did.

## OH YOU BILL!

Bill Sunday's "got 'em going" in the city of Baltimore; he's handing out plain English, touching "sinners" on the raw. And parsons sit and "stand for" his invectives and his jibes, and they take his castigations and his broadside diatribes. Meek they shiver and they shudder—all lined-up upon the stage—as he "cusses" out their churches in his high-momentum rage. Billy's got the town of Baltimore, he's twisting satan's tail, and he's grooming up "back-sliders" and "booze-hoisters" for the "trail." He's "slamming" all the ultras in the fashionable set; he's rounding up the "chickens" in his big salvation net. He's burning brimstone nightly, singeing whiskers in the fire, thawing ice from off the churches with his hot religious ire. As knockabout comedian all the others he can skin, and he's getting some big salary—raking in a slew of "tin."

## VISIT THE SCHOOLS.

"In spite of the fact that it stormed and blowed, yet about seventy-four of the mothers came out to the meeting, which showed their interest in their boys and girls and the school."

No, the above has no reference to the schools of Emmitsburg. It was in Frederick, where parents and guardians seem to be intensely interested in the work of their children and wards.

And what a difference it makes—these visits. What an encouragement both to teacher and scholar. It is an impetus to better work, a spur to greater achievement.

In many instances the parent only hears about the schools,—second-hand information—and even reports at best are but poor conveyors of the results attained. Intimate, first-hand knowledge of the methods pursued is what counts, and only by "calling in person," by seeing and hearing with their own eyes and ears, can the patrons of a school judge of the work being done.

Is there not room for improvement on the part of parents in the matter of visiting the schools, here in Emmitsburg?

"Asks Nobel Prize For Bryan," \* \* \* for his endeavors to stop American export of munitions.—If Bryan would only stop his own mouth with, say a whole edition of the Commoner (his foot isn't big enough) a grateful public would give him a prize that would make the Nobel trophy look like a child's purse at Sunday school.

"THE cost of living in Constantinople has increased 185 per cent. since Turkey joined the Central Powers in the war."—There will be a corresponding decrease no doubt when those fezzed gentlemen take to eating dogs; and there is an abundance of sausage material running loose over there.

WHY is it that ginks who can write so blamed much about how to do this and do that, are the ones who are pulling down next to no pay in the wonderful game they are at?

"EGGS are used for photographic plates"—And for Lenten dishes. Also there are records showing that a few have been used on actors.

"Do good to somebody" (a beautiful thought) everyday—let it be understood—and be sure you don't twist it and make it to read "Do every day somebody good."

THE House was asked to "stand by the President"—and it stood. The Hon. Grapejuice Bryan's forces uncorked, but there was no "pep" in their attack and they fell outside the breastworks.

As was to have been expected, Dr. Hare was driven to cover by the beagles of the Legislature.

"DRY air is heavier than moist"—and "hot air" falls of its own weight.

AHA! Bob Lee has his periscope leveled Washington-ward.

QUOTH the Carrington, Theodore.

HAIL bluebirds and the mint!

AND the merry spelling bee.

## Building a Small House.

When the prospective owner of a small house determines at last to build the home to which he has been aspiring for, perhaps, many years, he faces the consideration with the realization of a complex problem—the necessity of harmonizing the ideal that has formed in his years of anticipation with the stern realities of the actual building. Concisely stated, his problem is this: To combine the five desiderables—space, charm, distinction, utility and comfort—with the sixth, economy, within the apparently limited allowance of the small house. Sometimes he succeeds in this. Generally he yields to the difficulties presented and sacrifices one or more of the desirable qualities, thankful to get a finished house after all the dissension ensuant with building progress. When, however, a home builder succeeds in the combining of all these qualities in the construction of his house the achievement is worthy of record.—Raymond Comstock in *Countryside Magazine*.

## Never Eat What You Dislike.

I am constrained to protest against the advice given mothers to oblige their children to eat food which they dislike. Most grown people have their likes and dislikes, and if it were punishment to them to eat a despised article how much more so it is to a child to whom small troubles loom as tragedies! The child's distaste should not be discussed, simply ignored until he has forgotten how much he hated a certain article. There are so many good and nourishing things that if one is at all disliked how much better to substitute something else, rather than avoid issues and friction, which every one knows are harmful to a child's nerves and health and disposition as well. And, as for letting a child go without his needed nourishment till next meal if he refuses one article, the injustice of it is too apparent to need comment.—*Woman's Home Companion*.

## Washington Not a Radical.

In his younger days Washington seems to have been something of a political idealist. His imagination was full of the romantic virtues which poets ascribed to the ancient Romans, and he expected to find them repeated among the colonial statesmen. Sad experience caused him to lower his hopes. He lost the belief that men would conduct themselves properly without restraint. "My opinion of public virtue is so far changed that I have my doubts whether any system, without the means of coercion in the sovereign, will enforce due obedience to the orders of the government." This was one of his confidences to Madison before the constitution had been framed.

## Life In Bermuda.

A feature of life in Bermuda which always impresses the stranger is the apparent prosperity of the natives, white and colored alike. Distressing poverty is unknown, and even the poorest families can boast of a stone house and a garden.—*Argonaut*.

## The Twins.

We have heard of several cases wherein twins have borne a remarkable likeness to each other. But the most curious was the case of twin sisters who had to be told everything together because it was impossible to tell them apart.

## Corrected.

"My husband tells me that he was out late last night with your husband." "That isn't so. I want you to understand that my husband was out with your husband."—*Detroit Free Press*.

## Put Out.

"Why do writers always talk of angry flames?" "Because, if you notice, flames are usually put out."—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat*.

## Calendar Time.

Mr. Bacon—What are you doing with that old, faded calendar? Mrs. Bacon—Oh, I just like to look into the dim and distant past!—*Yonkers Statesman*.

## Music In Shakespeare's Time.

Shakespeare's time was an age of music. "Catches" were sung by gentlemen as well as by weavers and tinkers. Lute, cithern or virginals were in every barber's shop for the diversion of customers. \* \* \* Thomas Morley may be using the blessed argument of a music teacher when he tells us that a gentleman was counted but a boor if he could not play the lute or sing a part in a madrigal, but there is no getting over the craggy fact that over eighty collections of madrigals, ayres and songs were printed and published between 1587 and 1630, in addition to which vast collections of early music still remain in manuscript. With an aristocratic fond of music and accustomed to play and listen to music and song, music in the theater was almost as inevitable in England as in Italy, says the *London Musical Record*. It was considered a manly accomplishment to play the hunting horn. Every gentleman who kept hounds could wind it. A punctilious etiquette fixed the correct set of notes for each operation of the chase. Usually a play had at least one song.

## Fish Exhibit Emotions.

We are accustomed to think that only we humans become pallid with fear or agitated with joy, but some experiments with perch in the artificial pond show that when their repose is suddenly disturbed by tapping on the glass the fish visibly tremble, and the bars which are characteristic of this species actually disappear for the time being, only to reappear when the disturbance is removed and the equanimity of the fish is restored.

Sometimes a pike that is rapidly advancing on his prey becomes suspicious about the latter's character. The pursuer will suddenly stop in an attitude of doubt, his back will arch, and he will remain suspended as though studying the cause of his suspicions. Only when he is thoroughly reassured does he become rigid, to advance to the final attack; if his suspicion is not allayed he drops to the bottom of the pond or swims off in disappointment.—*Popular Science Monthly*.

## Success.

"One night at Lady Jeune's house Joseph Chamberlain said to me that he believed any man of even moderate endowment could attain any given aim which he set before him with unremitting effort and 'enduring to the end.' To my question, 'Why, then, do so many men fall short of their ambitions?' he answered: 'They come to the place where they turn back. They may have killed the dragon at the first bridge and at the second, perhaps even at the third. But the dragons are always more formidable the farther we go. Many turn back disheartened, and very few will meet the monsters to the end. Almost none is willing to have a try with the demon at the last bridge, but if he does he has won forever.'—*Princess Lazarovich in Century*.

## "I Love You."

Very interesting are the phrases used by the various people of the world to express "I love you." Wherever there are human beings declarations of love are made, and there are a thousand languages in which the tender passion may be expressed. The Chinese say "To ugal ni," the Armenian expresses his love with "Se siren as hez," the Arab is content with the short "Ne habbek," while the Turk murmurs "Sidi sevelorum." In India "Main syne ka pisar karim" is the declaration. But the Greenlander holds the palm for the word love. When he does not stammer it has fifteen syllables and has been recorded phonetically thus: "Unifgraendlainalerfronajunguarri-ujak!"

## An Ancient Guild.

The Cutlers' company had probably existed long before the grant of the first charter by Henry V. Early in the previous century a fierce quarrel is recorded between the Cutlers and the Sheathers, who were accused of having discredited the Cutlers by supplying them with unworkmanlike sheaths for knives, daggers and swords, to which the Sheathers cruelly retorted that the Cutlers disgraced the sheaths by selling inferior foreign blades for English.—*London Spectator*.

## Cyprus.

Cyprus was an extremely popular resort for Britishers for a year or so after the announcement, in 1878, that it had become a British protectorate, but as the coast could not provide harbors to compete with those of Malta the vogue of the island receded as quickly as it had sprung up.—*London Globe*.

## Worms Used In Medicine.

The earthworm, or the common fish worm, was utilized by the medical practitioners in Europe two and three hundred years ago. The worms were for internal administration and sometimes made into an ointment or embrocation for external use.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch*.

## Marengo.

In the battle of Marengo 58,000 men participated, and of that number 13,000 were killed or wounded, about 22 per cent. Napoleon thought Marengo his greatest victory. He always kept throughout life the uniform he wore on that day.

## Information Wanted.

Most of the stock phrases of everyday life are intelligible to us, and we know a jot, but we wish somebody would tell us what a tittle is.—*Columbia State*.

Life without pursuit is a vague and languid thing.—*Bacon*.

## Alaska's Vordant Islands.

The island of Attu, at the end of the Aleutian chain, is not far from Asia. From north to south Alaska reaches almost as far as from Canada to Mexico.

This mighty territory is a world in the variety of its lands and waters. It is a country of seas, lakes and rivers and of almost as many islands as the empire of Japan. It has a vast continental mainland, with mountains and valleys, rolling plateaus and great lowland plains. I traveled a thousand miles through rocky islands in going from Seattle to Skagway and later passed through the Aleutian archipelago, which extends from the end of the Alaskan peninsula about as far westward as the distance from the Atlantic ocean to the Mississippi river. The island of Kodiak is as big as Porto Rico, and Prince of Wales island is as large as Connecticut. All of these islands are green from one year's end to the other, and some have a vegetation as dense as that of Hawaii.—*Christian Herald*.

## Novel Use For Gunpowder.

"Early in the sixties of the last century," writes Rev. Fuller Mills, a Welsh clergyman, "I was a boy behind the counter of what was known as the company's shop at Abertillery. Among the collier customers who came to the shop was a tall, well developed man known as Dick Stevens or Stephens. 'He was a member of the prize ring or the pugilistic fraternity, which was very popular in those days.' \* \* \* Dick Stevens was matched to fight Ianto Catcham and was preparing for the fight when he came to the shop for his weekly requirements. \* \* \* He generally asked for an ounce or two of gunpowder. I wondered at this, and my curiosity was aroused. 'I asked what he used it for. His reply was: 'I mix it with my gravy when I have my dinner and swallow it. It prevents the flesh from easily puffing under the hard blows of an opponent. The cuts and bruises are not so hurtful and heal more easily.'"

## The Gentle Art of Smiling.

A mother had a little girl, her first child, who seemed to have been born with a scowl. Perfectly well, still she had a morose disposition which it seemed as though nothing could alter. When a second child was born the mother made a rule that no one should look at the baby without a smile. With the imitation of childhood the baby at once began, even in her early weeks, to smile back, and as she grew, and the rule still held in the home, she developed into what every one who knew her called "the smiling baby" and grew up with the sunniest disposition, a joy to every one. Now, what that mother did any mother can do. A child may actually inherit a serious, even a sullen disposition, yet these may be crowded out while they are undeveloped by the habit of cheerfulness.—*Woman's Home Companion*.

## Awry.

"W'at ees eet zat means your English word 'awry'?" asked the French girl, newly landed on these shores. "Why," replied the walking dictionary, "it means crooked, disheveled. If my hat is awry it's tipped on one side, or if you apply it to my necktie it means mussed up. In what connection did you hear it?"

But she was frowning violently and muttering: "Ah-h-h! Zat beast! I was sure he meant to insult, but nevalr did I believe eet was so bad!"

"Why, what on earth happened to you?"

"I ride in ze tram. I say to ze conductor, 'Please to say to me w'en we stop at ze Forty-second street.' And he smile at me so—and he say to me, 'A' ri!'"—*New York Post*.

## Teeth of a Shark.

In respect to its dentition the shark is a very remarkable creature. The white shark has seven rows of teeth, while other species vary in the number of rows they possess. It must be understood, however, that the shark only uses one row at a time. The other rows lie down inside the mouth behind the edge of the jaw, erecting themselves when it is time for them to take successively the place of the first row. When one observes how keen edged these incisors are it seems no wonder that they can bite off a big rope as readily as if it were thread.

## Light Reading.

"Do you read much?" she asked of him.

"A great deal," he replied. "But it's mostly light reading."

And when some one told her that he read gas meters for a living she gnashed her teeth in wild but helpless indignation.—*London Telegraph*.

## Poor Fare.

"What came before the literary club this afternoon, my love?" asked Mr. Dibble at dinner.

"Oh, 'The Merchant of Venice,' and some of the worst sandwiches I ever ate," answered Mrs. Dibble.—*Birmingham Age-Herald*.

## They Were More Accurate.

"Did Hammfart make a hit when he appeared on the stage?"

"No, but some of those in the audience displayed excellent marksmanship."—*Richmond Times-Dispatch*.

## Ignorance.

Mrs. Stubbins—Do you like codfish balls, Mr. Fox? The New Lodger—I don't know, Mrs. Stubbins. I never attended any.—*London Tid-Bits*.

Contentment, as it is a short road and pleasant, has great delight and little trouble.—*Epictetus*.





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### LENTEN REGULATIONS

For Use in the Diocese of Baltimore.

- I. Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, fell on the 8th day of March.
1. All the faithful who have completed their twenty-first year, unless exempt by dispensation or some other legitimate cause, are bound to observe the fast of Lent.
2. They are to make one meal only a day, except on Sundays.
3. A small refreshment, commonly called a collation, is permitted in the evening.
4. The following persons are exempt from obligations of fasting: Persons under 21 years of age, the sick, nursing women, those who are obliged to do hard labor, and those who, through weakness, cannot fast without great prejudice to their health.
5. The faithful are reminded that, besides the obligations of fasting imposed by the church this holy season of Lent should be, in an especial manner, a time of earnest prayer, of sorrow for sins, of seclusion from the world and its amusements, and of generous almsgiving.

### II.

By virtue of an Indult to the United States the following special dispensations are granted:

1. The use of flesh-meat is permitted at all meals on Sundays and once a day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, with the exception of the second and last Saturday of Lent. But flesh-meat and fish are not to be used at the same meal during Lent, even on Sundays.
2. The use of butter, cheese, milk and eggs is also permitted every day in Lent.
3. It is allowed in the morning to take some warm liquid, as tea, coffee or thin chocolate, made with water, and with this liquid a mouthful of bread.
4. Those for whom the hour of noon may be an inconvenient time for dinner may invert the order and take their collation in the morning and their dinner in the evening.
5. The use of hog's lard or drippings, instead of butter, is authorized in preparing permitted food.
6. Persons exempt from the obligation of fasting are free to take meat more than once on those days when its use is granted by dispensation.

### III.

By virtue of an Indult granted to us by the Holy See March 15, 1895, and renewed until March 15, 1925, we permit to all workingmen and their families the use of flesh-meat once a day on all fast days and abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception of Fridays, Ash Wednesday, the Wednesday and Saturday of Holy Week and the eve of Christmas.

Those who are exempt from the obligation of fasting are free to take meat more than once on the days mentioned. Those who avail themselves of this Indult are not allowed to use flesh meat and fish at the same meal and they are earnestly exhorted to perform some other act of mortification, such as abstinence from intoxicating liquors.

### IV.

The Paschal time extends from the first Sunday of Lent till Trinity Sunday, during which time all Catholics who have attained the proper age are bound to receive worthily the Holy Communion. The holy season of Lent is a very proper time for children to make their first confession, which they ought to do generally at about the age of seven years. Parents should see to this.

By order of  
HIS EMINENCE THE CARDINAL.  
Rev. L. R. Stickney, Chancellor.

### NEW ASSESSMENT LIKELY.

County Officials Get Orders That Are Interpreted That Way.

That the State Tax Commission is preparing for a re-assessment of property throughout the State is the opinion arrived at from the recent order received from that body at the county commissioners' office calling for a list of the assessments of land, improvements and tangible property throughout the county.

It is thought this list will be used for comparative purposes after the re-assessment is completed. What other object could be desired by the commission is not known.

The total assessment for 1915, as taken from the county's assessment books by clerk to the commissioners Harman L. Gaver, and deputy supervisor of assessments Spencer E. Stup, is \$27,401,243. This is divided as follows: Land, \$13,971,434; improvements on land \$9,375,401; tangible property, which includes horses and cattle, etc., \$4,054,408.

The above figures do not include stocks and bonds, which are classed as intangible property.

### Big Canning Factory For Mt. Airy.

Mt. Airy, this county, will soon have one of the largest and best equipped canneries in Western Maryland. Nelson B. Fooks and Berton Proctor, of Preston, Md., will construct the plant, beginning April 1st. It will have a capacity of from 1,500 to 3,000 acres of sugar corn, not including large crops of peas, tomatoes, beans and other vegetables.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

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

Mr. Henry Feldmann has returned to Baltimore after spending several weeks near Emmitsburg.

Misses Helena Hartnett, of Dover, Del., and Miss Margaret Vaughn, of Harrisburg, Pa., were the guests of Miss Marguerite Mitchell this week.

Miss Marguerite Mitchell has returned from a visit to Harrisburg, Pa.

Miss Margaret Boyle returned last week from a month's visit to Baltimore.

Miss Mary Mullen of Baltimore, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mullen.

Miss Mary Clare Boyle spent several days in Baltimore, last week.

Mr. Edwin Chrismer and children, Anna and Wade spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Mr. Lucien Beam, of Waynesboro, Pa., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Lucy Beam.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart Annan, were in Baltimore several days last week.

Mrs. D. E. Stone spent several days in Frederick last week.

Miss Ethel Grace Patterson has returned from Baltimore.

Miss Fannie Hoke has returned from a visit to Carlisle.

Mr. John Fortney, of Carlisle, Pa., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hoke.

Mr. Robert Horner, of Baltimore, spent the week-end in town.

Mr. Francis Matthews spent Sunday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Jane Blossom, of Seattle, Wash., visited friends in Emmitsburg this week.

Mr. Joshua Gillelan, of Baltimore, spent the week-end in Emmitsburg.

Miss Lulu Patterson spent several days in Baltimore last week.

Mrs. William Sellers visited in Baltimore last week.

Miss Bessie Hoke was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Musselman, of Gettysburg, this week.

Miss Mary Stambaugh, of Graceham, is visiting in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Clarence Frailey, visited in Gettysburg, this week.

Misses Iva, Lillian, Margaret and Dora Topper, Rosella and Mary Burdner, Messrs. Charles Topper, Robert Burdner, Charles Topper, Jr., and Albert Topper, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Bouey.

Mr. Paul Kebil, of Fairfield, was in Emmitsburg on Wednesday.

Mr. William C. Poe, Jr., of Baltimore, special agent for the Royal Insurance Company, was in Emmitsburg last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wachter had as their guests on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Topper and daughter Alice, Mr. and Mrs. James Bouey, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold and family, Mrs. Howard Gladhill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wachter, Miss Esther Wachter and Mr. Stanley Stope.

Mr. Howard Gladhill, of Harrisburg, Pa., spent a few days with his family here this week.

Miss Esther Wachter spent a few days in Baltimore last week.

Miss Ruth Topper, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Topper.

Mrs. Howard Gladhill and Miss Esther Wachter were in Gettysburg this week.

Miss Edythe Nunemaker is visiting in Lancaster.

Mr. L. E. Motter is spending some time in Baltimore.

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Monthly Paper For Mt. Airy.

The Board of Trade of Mt. Airy, has started a monthly publication devoted to the interests of the town. It is known as the Mt. Airy Messenger and made its first appearance recently. The publication committee consists of the manager, M. E. Watkins, secretary and treasurer, A. R. Molesworth, B. W. Bowman, J. K. Smith and Benjamin Dunn.

Public Sales Well Attended.

Reports from sales thus far this month are splendid, large sums being realized. Although a considerable number of public sales have been advertised for this season have been, the attendance as a rule has been much larger and stock and other articles have brought higher prices.

County Fair Dates Announced.

Secretary Heckert has announced the dates of the Pen-Mar fair circuit as follows: Byberry, Aug. 30 to Sept. 4; Lebanon, Sept. 5-8; Hanover, Sept. 12-15; Carlisle, Sept. 19-22; Lancaster, Sept. 26-29; York, Oct. 2-6; Hagerstown, Oct. 10-13; Frederick, Oct. 17-20.

## TOWN NEWS NOTES

Every reader of THE CHRONICLE is invited to send news to this office. The management of THE CHRONICLE will take it as a particular favor if patrons will telephone or write to this office concerning matters of general interest. By sending persons, 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, March 10, 1916.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday	22	22	28
Saturday	18	26	
Monday	28	28	30
Tuesday	32	42	54
Wednesday	36	40	36
Thursday	26	30	36

The Misses Shuff entertained at Five Hundred on Monday night.

Messrs. H. M. Gillelan & Son have had extensive improvements made to their cold storage plant this week.

Emmitsburg was visited by a regular Spring rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning on Tuesday night.

Messrs. Rosensteel and Hopp have installed new furniture in their store on West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wachter entertained a number of their friends at Five Hundred at their home near Emmitsburg on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Howard Gladhill and her sister Miss Esther Wachter, entertained some of their friends at cards on Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Edwin Wachter gave a very enjoyable card party at their home on West Main street, last week.

On their way North a flock of several hundred wild geese flew over town last night about 9 o'clock.

Albert Beatty colored, of this place, was sentenced to 18 months in the House of Correction, for stealing a watch and hat.

Bishop John Gardener Murray, of Baltimore, dedicated the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd at Ruxton on Sunday.

Electric lights have been installed in the residence of Mr. William Colliflower on Frederick street.

Mrs. Harry S. Boyle was the hostess at a Five Hundred party at her home on East Main street on Tuesday afternoon.

From a Western subscriber: The Chronicle is a peach: its sterling qualities and up-to-dateness makes it a welcome visitor to my literary family, so much so, that you will please find inclosed another year's subscription.

Mrs. C. F. Rowe celebrated her eightieth birthday at her home on West Main street, Monday, March 6. She received numerous remembrances of flowers and cards and during the day many of her friends called to extend their good wishes and congratulations.

Among those who attended the reception at the U. D. C. rooms, Frederick, by the Fitzhugh Lee Chapter for Mrs. Cordelia Powell Odenheimer, President General of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, was Mrs. D. E. Stone, of Emmitsburg.

Mr. Clarence Frailey of this place, has purchased the stock of goods from Mr. W. H. Cover, who has conducted a grocery and feed store in Thurmont for the past year or more. Mr. Frailey has been in the employ of Mr. Joseph Hoke for some years and his many friends here wish him much success in his new undertaking. He took charge of the business yesterday.

Lawrence Diehlman who for more than 30 years has gone on Christmas morning to the grave of his father in the Old Cemetery on the Hill, near Emmitsburg and paid a tribute of respect by playing his flute, was paralyzed at his home near Thurmont on Sunday morning. His entire left side is affected. He is about 68 years old and the stroke was a severe one.

Men! Boys!

Go to the Exclusive Clothing Store for your wants.

adv. C. F. ROTERING.

Two Freights In Crash.

Two freight trains on the Western Maryland Railway were wrecked at Big Pool, Washington county, last Saturday. Ten cars and the engine of the rear freight were derailed and badly damaged.

Misunderstanding the signals, it is alleged, caused the wreck. Engineerman E. E. Clark, of the rear train, was thrown from his locomotive and severely injured.

## Pew and Pulpit

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

### CATHOLIC

Mass, Sunday 7 and 10 a. m.  
Vespers, Sunday 7:30 p. m.  
Mass, week day, 6 and 7 a. m.

### ST. ANTHONY'S

Mass, Sunday at 7 and 10 a. m.  
Week day Masses 6 and 7 a. m.  
Catechism, 9 a. m.  
Vespers, 4 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.

### THURMONT.

ST. STEPHEN'S P. E. CHURCH, THURMONT, MD.  
Services during Lent,  
Every Friday evening 7:30  
Every Sunday evening 7:30  
Sunday School, Every Sunday 2 P. M.

During Lent services will be held in the Reformed Church every Wednesday and Friday evening at 7:30.

### Fellowship Club Formed.

The men of the congregation of the Church of the Incarnation have organized themselves into a Fellowship Club for the purpose of aiding in an organized way, the work of the Church as well as promote their own spiritual, intellectual and social welfare. H. M. Warrenfeltz was elected president and the following are the other officers: J. H. Stokes, vice-president; J. W. Haugh, secretary and J. H. Lowe, treasurer. The management of the club is vested in a board consisting of these officers, the pastor and Messrs. George S. Springer, Charles Harner and Edgar Miller.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last Friday evening when the constitution was drafted and adopted. The Board of Governors meets this evening to arrange the order of business and programme for the next meeting which will be held on the evening of March 17th at the parsonage.

All male members of the congregation are eligible to membership and all men directly or indirectly interested in this kind of work may become members. The meetings of the organization will only be held during the months from November to May.

### Your Sunday Ice Cream.

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### Dye Situation

At Emmitsburg's Clothing Store. Plenty of the good old dye goods in Work or Dress Clothes and Furnishing.

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## OBITUARY

### MRS. SUSANNA DERMODY.

Mrs. Susanna Dermody died in Philadelphia on last Friday from pneumonia, aged 68 years. Mrs. Dermody's husband died 24 years ago. She was a daughter of Mr. and Jacob Noel, and was born at Bonneville where she spent almost her entire life. She is survived by six children, all of Philadelphia, one sister, Mrs. Harriet McCleary, of Gettysburg, and a step-sister, Mrs. Geo. E. Stock, of Gettysburg, and a step-brother Emanuel Noel, of near Emmitsburg. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church at Bonneville on Tuesday morning.

### THOMAS WILSON EYLER.

Thomas Wilson Eyer, son of the Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Eyer, of Fountaindale, died at his home Tuesday morning from heart failure and dropsy. He was aged 22 years, 6 months and 7 days. Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers and two sisters. The funeral was held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Bethel Union Chapel, Fountaindale, Rev. Mr. Kraft, of Carrollton, Md. officiating. Interment was made in the Fountaindale cemetery.

### JOSEPH H. CREAGER.

Joseph H. Creager, a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home in Fairfield on last Friday morning, aged 74 years and 13 days. He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Miss Susan Musselman and the following children: Mrs. Chas. Mackley, of Union Bridge, Md.; Mrs. Eva C. Lumsden, Baltimore; Mrs. Bertha Brown, of Fairfield; Joseph Creager, of Wyoming; Mrs. Laura Reynolds, of Baltimore; Luther Creager, of Ortanna, and Miss Anna Creager, of Baltimore.

## AMUSEMENTS

### PLAY GIVEN BY CHILDREN OF MARY A GREAT SUCCESS

St. Euphemia's Hall Was Crowded Friday Night to See "Nancy."—Music and Motion Pictures Gave Much Pleasure to the Audience.

"Nancy," the drama given at St. Euphemia's Hall on last Friday night by the Senior Children of Mary, of St. Joseph's Catholic Church was a fine success in every way. The players acquitted themselves very creditably and each part was well delivered. Special mention must be made of Nancy, the colored servant, by Miss Anne Codori who provoked much laughter and applause throughout the evening.

The acts were interspersed with delightful music rendered by The Emmitsburg Symphony Orchestra, composed of: Mrs. Joseph Welty, violin; Mr. Thomas Lansinger, coronet; Miss Mary Welty, piano. Between the first and second acts, Miss Estelle Codori played "A La bein Aimee," Love Waltz, by Schuett, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Four reels of motion pictures were shown before and after the play. They were exceedingly interesting and brought a great deal of pleasure to the large audience.

The caste of characters in the drama is as follows: Mrs. Johnson, Miss Rosella Burdner; Elizabeth, Gertrude, Mary, Marjorie, Mrs. Johnson's daughters, Miss Valerie Welty, Miss Mary Welty, Miss Louise Sebald, Miss Madeline Frizell; Grandmother, Miss Helen Knouff; Catharine and Winifred, the Boston cousins, Miss Bernadette Eckendorff and Miss Mary Neck, Nancy the colored servant, Miss Anne Codori; Sam, colored man, Mr. Thomas Lansinger.

The furniture used for the occasion was loaned by the Misses McBride and Mr. E. E. Zimmerman.

About \$50 was realized from the sale of tickets for the play.

### Pan Dandy Specials.

Macaroons, Cream Puffs, Lady Fingers, Lemon Meringue Pies.

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### Special Sale.

Raincoats, all grades, \$2.98 up for values \$5.00 up.

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## WEDDINGS

### F. W. Troxell's Daughter Weds.

Miss Helen Keene Troxell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Troxell, and Dr. Roy Donaldson McClure were married at the Welbrook Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, on Monday at noon, by Rev. Henry A. Grubb, pastor. The bride's father is a native of Emmitsburg, having lived here for some time before going into business in Baltimore. Doctor and Mrs. McClure will live in Detroit, where the former is surgeon-in-chief of the Henry Ford Hospital.

### Miss Grant Married.

Miss Mary Frances Grant, daughter of Mrs. Frances Grant, of Mount Pleasant, was married to Mr. George H. Nusbaum, of the same place, last Wednesday in St. John's Rectory, Frederick. Rev. Father Collins performed the ceremony. The bride formerly taught St. Anthony's parochial school, at Mount Saint Mary's, and is a sister of Mrs. J. William Seltzer, of that locality.

### The Prohibition Bill Passed.

The Prohibition bill, with the McIntosh amendment, passed both branches of the Legislature yesterday.

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### WILLIAM T. ZIEGLER DEAD.

Veteran of Civil War and Prominent Citizen of Gettysburg.—Served in Andersonville Military Prison.

William T. Ziegler, one of Gettysburg's most influential citizens, a veteran of the Civil war and prominent Mason, died at his residence on Springs avenue, Monday evening about 4:35 following a lingering illness, the result of the complication of diseases.

Although his last illness dates back to January 1915, at times he had recovered sufficiently to leave his home. The sudden death of his son, John S. Ziegler, during the summer, was a severe shock to him, from which he never recovered. He was 75 years, 5 months and 3 days old.

Mr. Ziegler was a man of rare executive ability and was identified with every progressive movement in his native town. He rebuilt and managed successfully the Eagle Hotel after it had been destroyed by fire in 1894, he conducted a factory for sometime, he was an organizer of the Citizens Trust Company, a founder of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and a director of the Hagerstown Fair Association.

In 1867 Mr. Ziegler was married to Miss Rebecca Harmon, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harmon, Straban township, who survives him together with the following children: V. Ernest Ziegler, Mrs. John D. Lippy, and Miss Mary Ziegler, all of Gettysburg, and Lieut. Charles T. Ziegler, Bloomington, Ill. One sister, Mrs. J. Q. A. Porter, Washington, D. C., and George Ziegler, N. Washington street are living. He also survived by seven grandchildren.

William T. Ziegler was a son of Samuel and Sarah (Radford) Ziegler was born in Gettysburg, October 3, 1840.

Mr. Ziegler enlisted in company F, 87th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers and served with distinction during the war. He participated with his command in the following battles: Newton, Va., Winchester, Va., Stevens Station, Va., Locust Grove, Mine Run, Wilderness, Spotsylvania, North Ann, Cold Harbor and Weldon Railroad, near Petersburg, Va. In 1864 he was taken prisoner at the battle of Weldon Railroad and was sent to Andersonville. He remained in this Confederate "pen" for about eleven months, being one of the last of the Union soldiers to be released. As the result of his confinement there he lost the sight of one of his eyes.

Mr. Ziegler has been prominently identified with the Masonic order, and throughout his life was active in Democratic politics in the county. He was elected a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature in 1890 and served two terms.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at his late residence in Gettysburg.

### Boarding House Burned.

Fire early Tuesday morning destroyed the large 12-room boarding-house belonging to Mrs. W. H. Taylor, between Blue Ridge Summit and Highfield. The property was valued at between \$6,000 and \$9,000. The fire was the work of an incendiary, it is supposed, as the building was not occupied at the time, Mrs. Taylor spending the winter at her home in Norfolk, Va.

It was one of the oldest buildings in the Blue Ridge section, having been erected by the Western Maryland Railway Company when the line was built over the mountain, in 1867. It had been remodeled by Mr. Taylor in preparation for the summer.

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#### ACROSS THE LINE

With the completion of the Warner building, New Oxford, the government post-office now occupies new and up-to-date headquarters. The building is constructed of brick. The New Oxford post-office is a third-class office and has four rural routes.

There was unusual activity in the cigar industry in York county last month, as shown by the revenue receipts at the local internal revenue office. The total receipts were \$93,016, a gain of more than \$22,000 over the receipts of the same month in 1915. The gain over January was more than \$5,000.

An ordination service was the feature of Sunday's sessions of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the United Evangelical Church of York. It was conducted by Bishop W. H. Fouke and four members of the conference were granted deacons' orders and two deacons were advanced to the order of elders.

Richard Wright Woods, one of the leading legal practitioners in Cumberland county and prominently associated with fraternal orders, died at his home at Carlisle Sunday evening after a brief illness of heart failure.

It is expected that in a few weeks the appearance of Gettysburg's business section will have undergone a decided change for the better and many of the town's most prominent establishments will be housed in, renovated or remodeled store rooms, while others will be entirely new structures.

The Central Pennsylvania Conference of the United Evangelical Church approved Monday a plan to raise \$115,000, for the erection of an administration building at Albright College. The statistical report submitted to the conference showed that the church property in the conference was valued at \$1,313,226. There are 271 church buildings and 96 parsonages in the conference.

Eighteen per cent. of forest fires in this State during 1915 were in Frederick county. This is the highest percentage of any county in Maryland.

#### MIDDLEBURG

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Mathias, Mrs. Viola Eyer, Mrs. Ethel Hitchew and Mr. James Coleman attended the meeting of Billy Sunday on Sunday.

Mrs. Wilbur Delphy returned to her home on Saturday last from the Frederick City Hospital and is convalescing rapidly.

Mr. John Six and family have moved from the Walden farm into the house known as the farmers house.

Mr. and Mrs. Link Birely, of Boston, who spent a month in Florida are spending a few days with Mr. Birely's mother and sisters here.

The entertainment held in the hall on Saturday night by the Willing Workers of the Lutheran Church, of Uniontown, was well rendered and a large crowd was present.

#### AROUND BRIDGEPORT.

Miss Pauline Baker spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. H. W. Baker and family entertained the following neighbors and friends on Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hockensmith and daughters, Carrie and Vesta, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller and daughter, Carrie, Mr. Cameron Ohler, Messrs. Lloyd and Glenn Ohler.

Mr. Aaron Weart is attending court in Frederick.

Little Miss Oneda Groshon and brother, Master Ralph spent Sunday afternoon with the Messrs. and Misses Bollinger.

Those who were visitors at "Meadow Brook Farm" on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Jones Ohler, of Harney, Messrs. Raymond Baumgardner and Lloyd Ohler.

Mr. Harry Baker is now having the lumber sawed for his new barn which will be built this spring.

Among those who were at Annapolis in the interest of the new road from Taneytown to Emmitsburg were: Mr. Wm. T. Smith, Mr. Ernest Smith, Mr. Wm. Naill. On their return they stopped in Baltimore to hear Billy Sunday.

#### MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

The dance held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Shorb last Tuesday evening was largely attended.

Mr. George Wagner has had part of the interior of his house repainted.

The surprise dance given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Keepers on Wednesday evening was well attended.

The Euchre and dance held at St. Anthony's on Monday evening under the auspices of the St. Anthony's Lyceum was a grand success. The inclement weather did not seem to hold the crowd from coming. Euchre began at 8.30 P. M. and concluded at 10.30 P. M.

After which luncheon was served. The following were the prize winners: Miss Martha Corry, first thirteen games, no opponent; Miss Mary Hemler, second; Albert Shorb, first gentleman, 12 games, with two opponents; George Althoff, second gentleman. Consolation prize to Charles Althoff.

The music was donated for the dancing by Messrs. Calvin Fox and Russell Wetzel. Dancing began at 11 o'clock and continued until the early hours of Tuesday morning. The officers of St. Anthony's Lyceum wish to thank all who donated prizes, furnished music for the dance, and in general all who in any way contributed to make their Euchre and dance a success. The officials of the Lyceum hope to have the new floor in the basement of the Hall, laid for the dance, Easter Monday night.

Miss Mary Knott is on the sick list.

Messrs. Isaac Kelly and sons, Joseph and John and Frank Ward, of Waynesboro, Pa., spent Sunday in this place.

Mr. John Kelly spent Tuesday in Frederick.

Miss Gertrude Sebold spent Sunday at the home of Miss Ella Warthen.

St. Mary's Benevolent Association held their annual election Sunday. The following officers were elected for one year: President, A. V. Keepers; Vice-president, George Althoff; Secretary, George Rosensteel; Treasurer, Henry Scott.

Mrs. Clement Kreitz is visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. George Slate is visiting in Baltimore.

The Lenten services began at St. Anthony's on Wednesday evening. Services on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.30 P. M.

#### FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Miss Myrtle Eyer, of Eyer's Valley, visited Mrs. Howard Eigenbrode on Saturday.

Mrs. John Shingledecker and daughter Esther visited Mrs. William Dewees on Wednesday.

A very enjoyable pound party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eigenbrode on Thursday evening March 2, 1916. The guests numbered about 45.

Miss Myrtle and Bertha Eyer spent Monday evening with Mrs. Robert Fry. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eyer spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dewees.

Mrs. Edward Dewees visited Mrs. James Keilholz, of Zentz Mill, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Glenn Gall and little son, Ralph, visited Mrs. Carl Gall on Sunday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stull who has been sick for some time is improving.

Mrs. John Ridenour and little son, Kenneth, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flohr.

Mr. Luther Pryor visited Mr. Isaiah Fox on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Julia Fox who has been sick for sometime is able to be around again.

Mrs. Bud Grimes, of near Apples Church, spent Sunday with Mrs. William Dewees.

Miss Lillie Baker, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Samuel Dewees and Mrs. John Ridenour and little son, spent Monday with Mrs. Aaron Stull.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dewees.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and children spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fry.

#### LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin spent Tuesday with her son, Mr. Samuel Tressler and family, of Oak Hill.

Mr. Roy Tressler, of Thurmont, spent Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Elmer J. Pittenger and family.

Mrs. George W. Pittenger and daughter, Miss Ada, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ella and Mrs. Ethel Hoffman.

Mrs. Annie M. Martin and Mrs. Katie C. Martin spent Tuesday with Mrs. Jessie Fox and family, of near Creagerstown.

Mr. Washington Pittenger and son, Clarence, visited Le Gore Valley on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Herbert F. Martin and Mrs. Wm. H. Martin and daughter spent Wednesday with Mesdames. Elmer and John Hoffman.

Mrs. Washington Pittenger spent Wednesday with Mrs. Annie M. Martin and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Loys.

The snow that fell on Wednesday night was about 4 inches deep.

Mr. Clarence C. Pittenger visited Graceham on Wednesday.

Miss Beulah M. Martin spent Thursday with Miss Ruth Fox, of near Creagerstown.

Mr. Charles Eyer, of Tannery, Carroll Co., spent a week with his sister Mrs. Charles H. Hoffman and family.

Mrs. George W. Hoffman visited Miss Anna M. Pittenger on Friday.

Miss Minnie Tressler, of Rocky Ridge, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Martin and family.

Mrs. Lizzie C. Pittenger spent Friday with her cousin, Mrs. Nellie Miller, of Creagerstown.

Mr. Wilbur Long and sister, Miss Emma, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Nettie Baumgardner and family of near Keysville.

Miss Edith Tressler, of near Rocky Ridge, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Martin and family, of near this place.

#### NEWS FROM THE TRACT

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eyer had as their guests on Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eyer and four children, Mrs. Joseph Hoke and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Eyer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. White, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McClellan.

Master Charles Shorb is on the sick list.

Miss Annie Glacken who has been ill is improving.

#### BUDGET OF COUNTY NEWS

Items of Interest From All Points,  
Condensed to Paragraphs.

Eugene Kemp, 16 years old, son of Enos Kemp, Frederick city, was run over by a heavy farm wagon Sunday and both bones in his right leg broken.

Willie Hamilton, member of troop No. 3, of the Grace Reformed church, Frederick, is said to be the smallest boy scout in Maryland, and maybe the smallest in the United States.

Ward C. Haffner, formerly of Frederick city, but now a resident of Hanover, Pa., is being urged by a number of influential persons of Hanover, York and surrounding cities, to become a candidate for the Republican Congressional nomination for his Pennsylvania district.

George R. Whitmore, of near Rocky Ridge, charged with stealing milk feed from Elmer P. Schultz, by whom he was employed, was acquitted by the jury on Monday.

Rev. Ibach, of Pennsylvania, will preach in the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

W. C. T. U. meeting will be held Sunday evening at 7.30.

Mr. George Eyer, of Union Bridge, visited Mr. Edward Knipple on Monday.

Mr. Charles Devibiss and sister, Dora, attended the wedding reception of their uncle, Mr. Milton Devibiss on Saturday evening, near Detour.

Mrs. Calvin Valentine spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shorb.

Mrs. Charles Young entertained some of her friends Saturday evening.

Mr. Verl Forney, of Frederick, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Forney on Sunday.

Miss Goldie Shank is visiting her sister, Mrs. Richard at Mengers Mill, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Six and child visited Mr. Six's mother, Mrs. Catherine Six of Monocacy, Sunday.

Miss Pfoutz, of Linstead, spent last week with one of her school friends, Miss Lillie Baumgardner.

Miss Anna Ritter has returned home after spending some time in Emmitsburg.

#### Eyer's Valley Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Eyer and three daughters, Verona, Vergie and Leona spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William T. Miller.

Mr. Earl Andrew is on the sick list.

Mrs. Eugene McKissick spent Saturday with Mrs. Katie Lantz.

Messrs. Eugene McKissick and William Miller spent Friday evening with Mr. George Andrew and family.

Miss Hazel Warren spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.

Mrs. Katie McKissick and two children, Edgar and Susan spent Sunday with Mrs. McKissick's sister, Mrs. Howard Linebaugh.

Mr. Simon Smith spent Saturday afternoon with his grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Zimmerman.

"Billy" and "Ma" in Frederick.

Billy Sunday, Ma Sunday and a number of the Evangelists co workers, under the chaperonage of Daniel Baker, motored to the county seat on Monday and "went the rounds." The party

lunched at the home of J. D. Baker, visited the graves of Francis Scott Key, Chief Justice Taney and Barbara Fritchie, went to the Maryland School for the Deaf, shook hands with the students, paid their respects to Hood College, saw various other points of interest and returned to Baltimore in the evening.

Besides Rev. and Mrs. Sunday those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. William Asher, George A. Brewster, Miss Frances E. Miller, Miss Alice M. Gamlin, Albert Peterson, Dr. Bertha T. Caldwell, Johnson, Pa., T. Daniel Hill, Baltimore, Miss Florence Kinny, Daniel Baker, and four newspaper men.

\$30,424 Damage To Forests in County.

According to the report of the Maryland State Board of Forestry for 1914 and 1915, 11,176 acres of timberland were destroyed by fire in Frederick county, causing a damage of \$30,424, and which cost \$153,40, to extinguish.

Of fourteen of these fires, the cause was "unknown," two were caused by the "Railroad," seven were caused by "incendiary" origin and the remainder were caused by "burning brush," "sawmills" and "hunters."

Several weeks ago, Secretary Daniels delivered the first naval order to go by wireless telephone from his office in the Navy Department in Washington to Admiral Usher at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

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## THE NEWSBOY OF BALTIMORE.

(Published By Request of Maryland  
Child Labor and School Attendance  
Committee.)

At present there is a bill before the  
General Assembly of Maryland to re-  
store the minimum age of licensed news-  
boys to twelve years. During the 1914  
session the age was lowered from  
twelve to ten years. Each year since  
then about seven hundred boys between  
ten and twelve years old have been sell-  
ing papers on the streets of Baltimore.

This means they subject themselves  
to all sorts of accidents while hopping  
on and off street cars; they can enter  
saloons and poolrooms, and have time  
and opportunity to beg and gamble.  
Last year 54 per cent. or over one-half  
of all the accidents occurred to boys  
under 16 on the street. 3 of all the li-  
censed newsboys were found in one  
year to be on the records of the Juven-  
ile Court for charges other than viola-  
tions of the Child Labor Laws. News-  
boy trading encourages truancy, as is  
shown by the fact that 95 per cent. of  
all the boys in the truant school in Bal-  
timore have been newsboys. Perhaps  
one out of every thousand of newsboys  
rises to prominence in later life, but  
how many of these boys become vicious  
citizens, gunmen, gamblers and danger-  
ous characters who received their first  
training in vice on the streets of a  
large city. According to the Federal  
reports, newsboys offer the highest per-  
cent. (21.83) of offenders within the  
trade of any of the industries employing  
children.

In 1915 over two thousand boys be-  
tween 10 and 16 were licensed to sell  
papers in Baltimore. This meant an  
over supply of street traders which al-  
ways results in a lowering of earnings.  
Over 3 of the newsboys earn less than  
\$2.00 a week. This does not pay for ex-  
tra wear and tear of clothes and shoes,  
exposure to weather, loss of sleep and  
interference with school.

If these 700 small boys are taken off  
the streets, their families would not be  
deprived of bread and butter, as only  
about 13 per cent of the total number  
of these boys claim they help their par-  
ents.

## WORLD'S LEADING TOBACCO TOWN

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tures More Tobacco Products Than  
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dress delivered by Col. A. D. Watts,  
Collector of Internal Revenue for the  
Fifth District of North Carolina, at a  
smoker given by The Twin City Club,  
Winston-Salem, February 4th, 1916:

"Winston-Salem is supplying one-  
fourth of all the chewing and smoking  
tobacco consumed in the United States,  
besides exporting vast quantities to  
foreign lands. This statement is taken  
from the report of the Commissioner of  
Internal Revenue for the first quarter  
of the present fiscal year and from pri-  
vate advices from Washington, as to  
the second quarter, which ended Decem-  
ber 31st, last.

Your city is making one-seventh of  
all tobacco products—chewing and  
smoking tobacco, cigars, cigarettes and  
snuff—manufactured in the United  
States. Your manufactures are paying  
on an average about \$37,000 a day re-  
venue taxes to the government and the  
amount is increasing from month to  
month. When your government build-  
ing, much the handsomest in the State,  
was completed last July at a cost of  
\$250,000 your newspapers made the  
statement that the taxes paid in your  
city to Uncle Sam for the first eight  
days of its occupancy would pay for it.  
Since September, it has taken only a  
fraction over seven average days col-  
lections here to equal its costs. So far  
this week, Mr. Cranford has taken in  
\$206,428.50. I predict that before 1916  
shall have ended your average weekly  
payments to the government on tobacco  
will more than pay for this magnificent  
building, leaving the collections for the  
other fifty-one weeks as clear profit to  
the government.

## Tuberculosis Death Rate Declines.

While the latest report of the Bureau  
of the Census shows that in 1914 tuber-  
culosis caused over 10.5 per cent. of all  
deaths in the registration area of the  
United States, The National Associa-  
tion for the Study and Prevention of  
Tuberculosis points out in a statement  
issued that the death-rate from this  
disease is steadily decreasing, having  
declined from 200.7 per 100,000 popu-  
lation in 1904 to 146.8 in 1914. This would  
indicate, the Association claims, that  
the anti-tuberculosis movement organiz-  
ed in the last ten years is having a  
marked effect on the mortality of tu-  
berculosis, especially since the death-  
rate from this disease seems to be de-  
clining more rapidly than the general  
death rate from all causes.

## Y. W. C. A. is Fifty Years Old.

The Young Women's Christian Asso-  
ciation, founded in Boston in 1866, cele-  
brated its fiftieth birthday last Friday  
with services of rejoicing in its 966 as-  
sociations scattered throughout the  
United States. The celebration marks  
the close of a "jubilee month," which be-  
gan February 1. The celebration in New  
York was held in Carnegie Hall Friday  
night.

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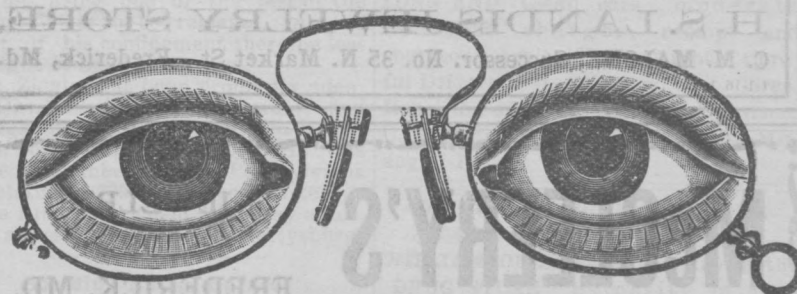
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