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BIG MILLS ARE BEING BUILT AT SPARROWS POINT, MARYLAND

Entire Schwab Programme To Be Put Through.—To Spend \$50,000,000 There On Plant.

The improvements to the Penn-Mary steel plant at Sparrows Point are being carried out as outlined by Charles M. Schwab at the public dinner tendered him here in November. The Bethlehem Steel Company will, as he stated, spend \$50,000,000 in making the works among the largest of their kind on the Atlantic Coast. This refers to every department of the company—the blast furnaces, the tinplate mills, the rolling mills, the marine department and every other branch of the company's activities at the Baltimore plant.

The company now has at work at Sparrows Point a larger force than ever before in its history, and the management is scouring the city and the country for additional labor. By the end of May, it is stated, there will be on the payroll 2,000 more than at this time.

The company now has in course of erection at Sparrows Point two plate mills, new blast furnaces, additional steel works, a new electric powerhouse and the tinplate mill. The prosecution of all this work at the same time necessarily congests the company's space, and it will not be prudent, it is said, to undertake much more at this time, as the workmen may get in each other's way and so retard instead of advance the program.

The tinplate mill will be ready for operation in May or early in June. The work in the shipyards is going ahead without interruption, as are the additional coke ovens.

Wilson Oldest President.

President Wilson is the oldest executive to preside over the destinies of the United States for the last 60 years. When he is inaugurated for the second time, March 5, he will be 60 years old, a span of years that no president has crossed since the inauguration of Buchanan, in 1857.

Incidentally, the President is one of the six oldest executives ever in the White House. Previous to 1861 the men chosen to hold the reins of government generally reached a late period in life before their election. John Adams was 61 when inaugurated, in 1797; Jackson was also 62 when first inaugurated, in 1829. Benjamin Harrison was the oldest man ever chosen for the presidency, being 68 at the time of his inauguration, in 1841. Taylor was 64 and Buchanan 65 when they were inaugurated, respectively.

Aside from these, all presidents have been younger than Woodrow Wilson when entering the White House. This has been particularly noticeable in the last 50 years, when all executives have been comparatively young. Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest president ever inaugurated in this country, being but 42 when he took office.

Huge Amphitheatre For New York.

Albert E. Kerafy, of the Kerafy family of exhibition producers, announced on Monday that work will begin on the construction of a monster amphitheatre to occupy an entire city block some place between Forty-second and Fifty-fifth streets and Fifth and Seventh avenues, New York city. The building is to cost between \$7,000,000 and \$8,000,000. The main auditorium, according to the present plan, will seat 19,000 persons normally, but by a system of mechanical devices this capacity may be doubled. Ordinarily there will be two auditoriums and two stages.

The building is intended for conventions, circuses, horse and motor shows and big exhibitions of every kind. A restaurant, with a capacity for 4,500 will be a feature, and there will be a roof garden. American architects and contractors only are to be employed, but the artistic designs are being worked out in Paris.

Eight More Miles of State Road.

Approximately 8½ miles of State road will be built in Frederick county during the coming summer by the State Roads Commission. The work to be undertaken includes the extension of the Frederick-Jefferson road from Knoxville, to the Washington county line, near Weverton, and the other road from Emmitsburg to Bridgeport, in Carroll county. The Jefferson extension is about a mile and a half long, while the road from Emmitsburg to Bridgeport is about seven miles long. With the building of the road from Emmitsburg to Bridgeport, an almost complete State road will be given from Frederick to Westminster, the county seat of Carroll county, by way of Emmitsburg.

Buffalo Bill left only \$65,000.

STATE CONDENSED.

William Updegraff, wealthy retired glove manufacturer, died at his home in Hagerstown Friday night last from paralysis, aged 85 years. Mr. Updegraff played an important part in the industrial growth of Hagerstown. He was the first resident to introduce electricity in Hagerstown, founded the Hagerstown Agriculture Implement Company and served as president and treasurer; was one of the promoters of the Mechanics' Loan and Savings Institute, promoted the Rose Hill Cemetery, aided in organizing the Hagerstown Spoke Works Company; was largely responsible for having a supply of soft water for manufacturing purposes introduced which resulted in the formation of the Washington County Water Company, and was one of the last survivors of the early stockholders of the Hagerstown Fair Association. When modern machinery put an end to the hand-made hats, his concern entered the glove business, and now the Updegraff family own two of the largest glove factories in the country. Mr. Updegraff established a glove plant at Gloversville, N. Y.

The regiment of Midshipmen, over 1,200 strong, will participate in the inaugural parade in Washington on March 5, it was announced last Saturday by authorities of the Naval Academy of Annapolis. It is expected the battalion of West Point Cadets also will be in the line of march. Whether or not the cadets of St. John's College will go to the inaugural has not been finally decided by the college authorities.

Plans are being rapidly pushed forward for Fredericks' Third Annual Automobile Show which will be held in the Armory next month, from February 13 to 16, inclusive. Several new features which it is believed will help the exhibition from a standpoint of attendance has been announced.

President Wilson has accepted the resignation of Major Irving Adams, of the Fifth Maryland Regiment.

After having undergone extensive improvements costing nearly \$3,000, the Methodist Episcopal Church of Bel Air was reopened Sunday.

The purchase of St. Paul's Guild House, 539 Columbia avenue, Baltimore, by the Twenty-second Ward Democratic Organization Club for \$10,000, in fee, was announced last Saturday by John H. Robenette, president of the club. He said the club would take possession in a few days and make the house into one of the largest and finest political homes in Baltimore city.

George E. Stover, 55 years old, treasurer of the Mechanics' Loan and Savings Bank, Hagerstown, died suddenly on Friday last of heart disease at Prospect Villa, near Halfway.

The first number of The Christian Citizen, a monthly publication in the interest of an Aggressive Christian Citizenship and the Preservation of the Lord's Day has appeared in Annapolis, Md.

The Cumberland City Council voted \$1,000 on Monday to a fund to be used in an endeavor to have the Government armor plant established in Cumberland. W. L. Sperry, president, and George G. Young, secretary of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, presented the situation.

Secretary of the Treasury, McAdoo transmitted last week to the House of Representatives a recommendation for an appropriation of \$1,300,000 for increased accommodations at the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Congress has provided for an increase in the number of midshipmen at Annapolis, and the bill authorizing the increase stipulated that no more than \$2,700,000 should be expended in providing additional accommodations at the Academy. Of the \$1,300,000 recommended by Secretary McAdoo, \$1,000,000 is intended to build additional wings to Bancroft Hall for the accommodation of the new midshipmen, and \$300,000 to enlarge the heating and ventilating plant. While the letter asking for the appropriation comes from Secretary McAdoo, it is really the request of Secretary Daniels, of the Navy.

Granville Crothers, brother of the late Austin Crothers, former Governor of Maryland, was found dead near Lancaster, Pa., this week. His body was discovered by a passing farmer on the road between Oak Hill and Tayloria, about nine miles from Lancaster.

Capt. Philip J. Barber, who was long head of the police of the Northeastern district, died suddenly of heart failure at his home, 517 East Twentieth street, Baltimore, Tuesday morning.

In normal times the annual German consumption of fruit amounts to about 100 pounds per capita.



Friday.

An increase of 6 per cent. in wages of all employes throughout the country who were in its employ January 1, 1916, was announced by the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, New York.

President Wilson nominated William Phillips, Massachusetts, Third Assistant Secretary of State, to be Assistant Secretary of State, succeeding John E. Osborne, resigned. He also nominated Breckinridge Long, St. Louis, to be Third Assistant Secretary of State, succeeding Phillips.

Every American citizen over 65 who is incapable of manual labor and whose annual income is less than \$200 would get a pension of \$2 a week under a bill before the House Pension Committee. Representative Sherwood, of Ohio, is author of the bill.

At an auction sale of the Boyson herd of registered Holstein Friesian cattle at Rome, Cramelle Topsy Ormsby Tobe, the world's champion milk producer under 4 years, was sold to Charles Squires, of Barnevel, N. Y., for \$5,000.

Fred Edwards, a white youth of Texarkana, Ark., is under sentence of 99 years in State's Prison for having attacked a negro girl.

The Pere Marquette Railroad announced that because of the coal shortage it has become necessary to reduce its passenger service.

Saturday.

An explosion in the Fushun Colliery, in Manchuria, buried 900 Chinese miners, according to advices reaching Tokio. Only 130 have been saved so far and it is feared the other 770 have perished.

A Delaware Railroad express, due Wilmington at 10.30 o'clock, crashed into a section gang of eight men at Belvue, killing six and seriously injuring two more. The men stepped out of the way of one train directly in front of the express. The gang consisted of a section boss and seven Italian laborers.

The Harvard Memorial Society of Cambridge, Mass., announced that it had begun the collection of data concerning the life and experiences of more than 400 Harvard men engaged in the European war. The records of the men, together with interesting portraits, sketches and photographs, will be kept on permanent file in the library of the university. William C. Lane, librarian, is in charge of the work.

Haniel von Haimbausen, counselor of the German Embassy, was informed by the German Foreign Office that Emperor William had appointed him minister plenipotentiary in the German diplomatic service. He will remain attached to the German Embassy for the present.

George L. Lorillard, secretary of the American Legation, to Roumania and assigned by the State Department as confidential agent of the United States with the Serbian Government by request of the Central Powers to care for their interests there, especially among prisoners, has resigned. Official announcement of the resignation and its acceptance was made at the State Department.

James Garry, 42 years old, a member of the Boston (National League) Baseball Club in 1893, died at Pittsfield, Mass.

The House completed the annual post-office appropriation bill in committee of the whole, striking out proposed rate increases for second-class mail, provision for penny postage and other new features.

There will be 215 Republicans and 215 Democrats in the next House, according to an unofficial advance list of members.

Plans for a 1,000-mile railroad, leading off from the South Manchurian line at Omsk into South Siberia, were described in dispatches received in Washington from Vladivostok.

Creation of an American Court of Arbitration empowered to effect peaceful settlement of controversies among the nations on the American continents was suggested at the annual meeting of the New York State Bar Association in Brooklyn, N. Y. A resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a committee to report the advisability of establishing the Court of Arbitra-

tion. Charles Evans Hughes was elected president of the association.

Private William Henson, of Company D, Second North Carolina Infantry, died at the base hospital at El Paso of pneumonia. His home was in Goldsborough, N. C.

Sunday.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the large three-story frame office building owned by S. W. Bachlat, on Main street Berkeley Springs, W. Va., entailing a loss of \$25,000.

Weldon H. Wells, former Kansas City broker's clerk, confessed to County Prosecutor R. P. Duncan that he shot and killed Mona Byron Simon, a Grafton (W. Va.) girl, in a room in a hotel at Columbus, Ohio, last Thursday night. His statement, according to the authorities, says he killed the girl in self-defense. Wells, who was arrested in Huntington, Ind., early Saturday morning, arrived in Columbus in the custody of the police.

More than \$8,000,000 has been subscribed toward the fund for retired ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, it was announced by Dr. Joseph B. Hingeley, corresponding secretary of the Board of Conference Claimants at Chicago.

The West paid honor to the memory of Col. William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) while the body of the man who had done so much to make her cities possible lay in state beneath the huge dome of the capitol, from the flag pole of which the Stars and Stripes floated at half-mast. The body was dressed in a frock coat, in which were pinned the badges of the Legion of Honor and of the Grand Army of the Republic. The casket bore the inscription: "Colonel William F. Cody, Buffalo Bill."

The Democratic members of the House Committee have agreed upon an independent bond issue of between \$250,000,000 and \$500,000,000 to meet the Treasury deficit.

Monday.

Serbian Minister Michailovitch, the first to be accredited to this country, presented his credentials at the State Department and was introduced to Secretary Lansing and the other officials.

Fire destroyed an entire business block at Closter, N. J., with a loss of \$75,000. Guests at Ward's Hotel were forced to flee unclothed and occupants of adjoining blocks were rescued by firemen.

A decision favorable to the Government and against the railroads in the railway "mail-pay divisor" case, involving millions of dollars in paying for mail transportation, was given by the Supreme Court. It sustained the Court of Claims' decision sustaining the Postmaster-General's reduced computation and compensation plan.

A bid of \$1,000 was made for the original manuscript of the late Eugene Field's poem, Little Boy Blue, which was contributed to the allied bazaar by Slason Thompson, an intimate friend of the poet. The bid was received from David R. Forgan, president of the National City Bank, Chicago. The bazaar is for the benefit of the wounded of the Entente Allies.

Interpreting the Mann white slave law, the Supreme Court decided that prosecutions under the law for transporting women in interstate commerce are not limited to commercialized vice and include personal immoral escapades.

A bill to establish a national military park on the site of the revolutionary battle at Guilford, Courthouse, N. C., passed the House and now goes to the Senate.

Rear-Admiral Allen V. Reed, U. S. N., (retired), a classmate of Admiral Dewey at the Naval Academy, died suddenly of heart trouble at his home in Washington, D. C., aged 79 years.

Test cases regarded as decisive of about 800 railroad claims against the Government; for approximately \$35,000,000 additional compensation for carrying the mails from 1907 to 1911 were decided by the Supreme Court against the railroads. Appeals of the Chicago and Alton and Yazoo and Mississippi railroads from rejection of test claims were dismissed.

Chicago's billboard regulation of 1911, prohibiting billboards on residence

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FROM THE COUNTY.

Following a serious operation that she underwent several days ago, Mrs. Helen Cutshall McCleery, wife of Geo. B. McCleery, the well-known jeweler, died at the Frederick City Hospital on last Saturday. She was the daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Cutshall, of Woodsboro. Besides her parents and husband, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Harrison Mort, and Miss Ruby Cutshall, both of Woodsboro. One brother, Emory Cutshall, also survives.

The late Dr. James K. Walters, of Thurmont, names his sons, Charles C. Walters and John S. Walters, as executors, they to charge no commissions. The will is dated April 6, 1916, and is witnessed by Maurice J. Albaugh and Stanley R. Damuth. Mrs. Walters and the two sons are each given one-third of the estate. The executors are directed to sell Dr. Walters' interest in the drug store known as J. B. Winger and Co., Nineteenth St., and Fairmount Ave., Philadelphia. The executors are also to sell that part of the personal property that is not desired to be kept. Other smaller matters are also disposed of in the will.

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Frederick County Agricultural Society held in Frederick last Saturday: David Cramer, of Walkersville, was elected as president to succeed Martin E. Kefauver, who last year headed the organization. Vice-president, Dr. Charles H. Conley; Secretary, O. C. Warehime; Treasurer, Guy K. Motter; Superintendent of privileges, Harry M. Cramer; Chief Marshal, J. Harry Grove; Keeper of grounds, C. N. Daugherty; Counsel, D. Princeton Buckley; The 1917 Fair will be held on October 16, 17, 18 and 19. The society voted to continue its membership in the Pen. Mar Racing Circuit.

Dr. William S. McPherson, 92 years old, the oldest physician of Frederick county, son of the late Dr. William S. and Catherine Davis McPherson, died Monday at the home of his grandson, William McGill, near Catoctin Furnace. The McPherson family is one of the most prominent in the State. For half a century Dr. McPherson had lived on the historic estate near Catoctin Furnace. The mansion was erected in 1808 by Baker Johnson, a brother, of the first Governor of Maryland Politically, Dr. McPherson in early manhood was an adherent of the Whig party, but later gave his support to the Democracy. During the Civil War he was commissioned surgeon by Gen. Stonewall Jackson, but did not accept, owing to poor health. 1868 he was appointed head of the State Department of Labor and Agriculture, which office he held for four years. He was a member of the last Constitutional Convention of Maryland and was 12 years a justice of the peace. In 1848 Dr. McPherson married Miss McPherson, a first cousin, and grand-daughter of Judge Thomas Buchanan, of Washington county. She died in 1896. Two children survive, Thomas Buchanan McPherson and Mrs. Mary B. McGill, both of Catoctin Furnace.

Farmers' Institutes will be held in various sections of Frederick county during the week of January 22, it was announced last week by Noah E. Cramer, secretary of the Farmers' Association, following the receipt of a letter from Dr. Richard S. Hill, director of this department of the Maryland State College of Agriculture. The institute will be held in Frederick Thursday morning, afternoon and night, January 25. The sessions will be held in the Armory. The institute will be held in this county on 5 days, the following schedule of dates having been announced: Middletown, January 22; Myersville, January 23; Jefferson, January 24; Frederick, January 25; Thurmont, January 26.

By a decision of a court in Ohio, Harriet Merritt, her son Lewis Mateon, and her daughter, Laura Brown, colored, all of Frederick, will receive approximately \$10,000, the estate of John W. Mateon, colored, who died some time ago in Ohio. The money was about to revert to the State because of the fact that no lawful relatives of the deceased could be found, when through the efforts of Attorney Leo Weinberg, the rightful owners were located in Frederick.

No longer may youngsters under 16 years of age loaf in Municipal Court during court sessions and grin in keen appreciation at the tales of woe told by derelicts lined up before the presiding magistrate to answer to charges ranging from theft to murder. They are barred from the court room unless they are summoned to testify. Then they may appear only long enough to give testimony. The new order of affairs together with a complete set of rules, which if obeyed to the letter will assure

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HIS FATHER, AMOS TUCK, ONE WHO NAMED REPUBLICAN PARTY

First American To Win French "Prix de Vertu."—Became Partner In A Banking Firm.

A recent dispatch states that Mr. and Edward Tuck are the first citizens of the United States who have been crowned by the French Academy since the institution of the Prix de Vertu. This great honor was granted to them on account of their philanthropic work in France and Frederic Masson speaking in the name of the French Academy said:

"Mr. and Mrs. Tuck are the first citizens of the United States who have been crowned by the French Academy since the institution of the Prix de Vertu. Breaking with century-old customs the academy for the first time has crowned both a foreign enterprise, namely the international committee of the Red Cross and a foreign name—that of Mr. and Mrs. Tuck, who for thirty years have been dispensing goods and works in our country without ostentation or seeking any recognition. My colleagues could not better honor our friends on the other side of the Atlantic than in awarding the prize to these two benefactors of France."

Edward Tuck, LL.D., was born in Exeter, N. H., and graduated from Phillips Exeter Academy in 1858 and from Dartmouth College in 1862. Mr. Tuck is the only son of the late Hon. Amos Tuck who was credited with naming the Republican party. Soon after leaving college he entered the diplomatic service and was for a year United States Vice Consul in Paris. In 1881 he became a partner in the banking house of John Monroe & Co., of New York. After a successful career Mr. Tuck retired from active business and has since resided in Paris. He married an American lady in Paris who is in perfect sympathy with his philanthropic work.

Mr. Tuck's father, the late Hon. Amos Tuck, was a member of Congress for six years and naval officer at the Port of Boston.

Pennsylvania Prospering.

"The European war has had the most remarkable effect upon the great industrial centres of Pennsylvania," remarked J. A. Luckett, of New York.

"Before the war one could see on the streets of Pittsburgh and other manufacturing cities hundreds of able-bodied men with no apparent occupation. With the coming of the war and the extension of the big steel plants, the establishment of munition factories and other industries supplying the war-stricken nations these ne'er-do-wells disappeared marvelously. Now you will find them working in factories earning \$10 a day and in many instances more.

"I never saw so much money as in Pittsburgh. In some of the smaller towns where there are steel works or munition plants one can find a great many of the workmen living at the best hotels.

"This is what the war has done for the big industrial centres in Pennsylvania, and I presume other sections are just as prosperous."

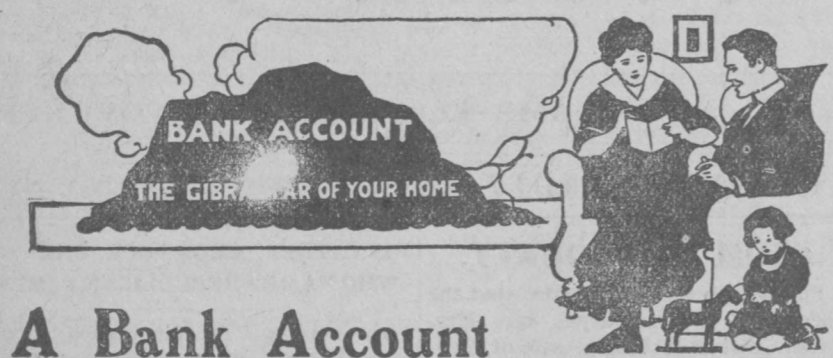
The Derivation of Marshall.

A contributor to the New York Evening Post gives the following derivation of Marshall: "General Joffre has recently been created a marshal, which is the highest military rank bestowed on French officers. Originally it was an old German title signifying 'master of the horse;' the word 'mare' once meant 'stallion' as well. A famous royal 'studyard' entrusted to a Swabian marshal was located in Stuttgart. 'Master of the horse' was subsequently translated into Low Latin, and became 'count of the stable' (comes stabuli). In feudal France the chief of the royal household was known as Comes Stabuli, or Constable of France. Marchal and Connetable are veritable German concepts. Altogether many a French institution, both civil and military, has a thoroughly Teutonic background, in spite of its apparently Latin gloss and Gallic culture.

Large Fund for National Shrine.

The National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception continues to interest the Catholic women of the United States, and up to the present time over \$60,000 has been received for its erection, which was collected mostly in small sums, coming from all sections of the United States.

A list of Catholic student organizations in secular colleges and universities, prepared by the Newman Club of the University of California, shows that there are 61 associations organized to safeguard the spiritual welfare of the Catholic students in attendance at secular institutions of learning in the United States.



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VALLEY ECHOES.

The Christmas play was enacted with much eclat last Thursday evening. In spite of the fact that yuletide was almost over a hearty enthusiasm was evinced among the guests and student body. "Christ is Born" a drama by W. H. Carroll, S. J., offered excellent opportunity for several progressive vocalists to display their ability and talent. Exquisite solos by the Misses Caroline Gable, Marie Foley, Lucile Morgan and Margaret Cain were appreciated. The entire setting of the drama was realistic and vividly recalled the yuletide joy. A synopsis follows: Act 1—The Birth of Christ is looked for by the whole world; Act 2—The Birth of Christ is made known to the Hebrews through the Shepherds; Act 3—The Shepherds adore the Infant Saviour; Act 4—The Birth of Christ is made known to the Gentiles in the persons of the Magi; Act 5—The Infant is acknowledged as God and is adored by all the nations. Among the guests were: Mrs. Alice Smith Cunningham, '10, Baltimore; Misses Hartnett and Sweeney, Chicago; Misses George and Emma Moore; Louise and Masie Sebold; Valerie Welty; Mrs. D. C. O'Donoghue and the Messrs. Donoghue, Emmitsburg.

Rumors are abroad that the seventh grade will give a play on the evening of January twenty-ninth, feast of Saint Francis de Sales. All are eagerly awaiting the official announcement, as this is an event of great importance to the little ones participating in the role, as well as to their many friends.

A chief event of this week was the lecture on Journalism given by Mr. Sterling Galt, proprietor and editor of the Chronicle, to the senior and junior collegiates. The origin and development of the art of printing with its concomitant results to the present day models were explained; the topics incident to the subject were discussed; several specimens of type, matrix, photographs, cuts, added to the information of the classes. The interesting subject was presented by one who understands and realizes the responsibilities of his office.

Sunday, January fourteenth, the Class of '17 read their first set of scholastic theses. The subjects afforded scope for imaginative, logical and philosophical development, embracing linguistic, scientific and literary discussions.

M. S. M's. Basketball Schedule Announced.

Manager Mulhearn, of Mt. St. Mary's College basketball team has recently completed his schedule for the remainder of the season.

- The schedule of games is as follows:
- Jan. 19—Lebanon Valley at Emmitsburg.
 - " 25—Davis and Elkins at Emmitsburg.
 - " 27—St. John's at Emmitsburg.
 - " 31—Albright (Pending) at Emmitsburg.
 - Feb. 3—St. John's at Annapolis.
 - " 7—Susquehanna University at Emmitsburg.
 - " 10—Loyola at Baltimore.
 - " 13—Temple University at Emmitsburg.
 - " 17—Pennsylvania College at Emmitsburg.
 - " 20—Bucknell University at Emmitsburg.
 - " 24—John Hopkins (Pending) at Emmitsburg.
 - " 26—Open.
 - Mar. 1—Loyola at Emmitsburg.
 - " 5—Open.

A MERCILESS JUDGE.

One Who Shows No Favor. A merciless judge is Father Time. Before him the weak and the wanting go to the wall. Only the truth can stand. For years the following statement from this sternest of all tests.

Mrs. A. Harrison, 325 Liberty St., Hagerstown, Md., says: "I had a very bad back, which pained me persistently. I couldn't sleep, no matter how tired I was, on account of the misery and pain across my back. I could do little bending but what my back pained me and I couldn't do my housework. The passages of the kidney secretions were annoying. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me."

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs. Harrison said: "I am glad to confirm my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Harrison has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props. Buffalo, N.Y. Advertisement.

W. Md. Plans To Perfect System

Under the plan of consolidating the properties of the Western Maryland Railway and the completion of its financial plans, all of which have just been sanctioned by the public service commission, the company will undertake, it is said, a vast improvement program. The first of these in this section may be the providing of a double track nine miles long between Hagerstown and Highfield, near the brow of the Blue Ridge grade.

For this work, it is said, the company expects to spend between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000. Its completion will enable the road to handle its rapidly increasing traffic more expeditiously and economically.

OBITUARY

MRS. JANE CORRY.

Mrs. Jane Corry, widow of the late James Corry, died at her home, "Hill Side," near Mt. St. Mary's shortly before noon Wednesday after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Corry had been in ill health for many years and was in the 88th year of her age. She was before her marriage Miss Jane Taylor.

The deceased is survived by two daughters, Misses Annie and Martha at home and Paul J. Corry, of Scranton, Pa.

The funeral services were held this morning at 9 o'clock in St. Anthony's church, Rev. Father Traggesser officiating. Interment was made in St. Joseph's cemetery, Emmitsburg.

JOHN RODDY.

John Roddy, a well-known citizen of Thurmont, died suddenly Monday morning about 4 o'clock, at the home of his brother, Frank A. Roddy at the age of 73 years.

Mr. Roddy, who never married is survived by the following sisters and brothers; Miss Mary Roddy, of Thurmont; Mrs. Henry Eckenrode, near Mount St. Mary's; Mrs. Vincent Sebold, Emmitsburg; Frank A. Roddy, Thurmont; Daniel and Hugh Roddy, near Mount St. Mary's and Abraham Roddy, of Kansas City.

The funeral services were held yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock in St. Anthony's church, Rev. John Eckenrode, of Hagerstown, nephew of the deceased officiating. Rev. George Traggesser, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, delivered the eulogy. Monsignor Bradley, Father Maloney, Rev. George Traggesser and Rev. J. O. Hayden were in the sanctuary. Rev. Fr. Rennolds sang the Mass. Interment was made in the Old Cemetery on the Hill.

MRS. MARGARET MILLER.

Mrs. Margaret Ellen Miller, wife of Joseph A. Miller, deceased of near Rocky Ridge, died last Thursday, of a complication of diseases, aged 72 years, 4 months and 8 days.

The deceased is survived by the following children: Mrs. C. E. Boothe, of Frederick; Mrs. George H. Beitler, of Loys; Charles E. Miller, of Frederick; J. Howard Miller, of Newport News, Va.; Edw. B. Miller at home. She also leaves the following sisters and brother: Miss Jennie Ecker, of Thurmont; Mrs. Laura Creager, of Rocky Ridge; Mrs. Alice Valentine, of near Littlestown, Pa.; Mr. M. S. Ecker, of York, Pa. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, at Rocky Ridge, Lutheran church, the pastor, Rev. William Iback, officiating.

URIAH R. WARRENFELTZ.

Uriah R. Warrenfeltz, one of the oldest residents of this county died last Saturday evening at his home in Thurmont of acute indigestion. He was 91 years, 1 month and 10 days old. He was the son of Peter and Sophia Rouzer Warrenfeltz and the last member of the family. Two daughters, Mrs. Mamie Gall, of near Thurmont, and Miss Sarah Warrenfeltz, of Thurmont, survive.

Mr. Warrenfeltz was a life-long member of the Thurmont Reformed church. He was a member of the building committees of the Appolds and Thurmont churches. He was a member of the Improved Order of Odd Fellows.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock with services at the late home, Rev. P. E. Heimer officiating. Interment was made in the United Brethren cemetery, Thurmont.

CORP. JAMES F. CULBERTSON.

Corporal James F. Culbertson died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Annie Everhart, Baltimore, on last Wednesday, aged 79 years. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Everhart, Mrs. Estelle Slusser and Mrs. Ida Martin.

The body was brought to Emmitsburg Saturday morning and was interred in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Corporal Culbertson attended the 50th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg and while there narrated his remarkable experience at the Battle of Gettysburg as follows:

One of the most miraculous escapes from death during the Civil War is enjoyed by Corporal Culbertson, of Company K, First Infantry, Pennsylvania Reserve Corps. At the Battle of Gettysburg, more than 50 years ago, the Reserves, of which he was a member, charged over the Wheatfield and, amidst the exploding shrapnel and rifle fire, Corporal Culbertson was struck by a bullet, which entered his head above and behind the right ear and emerged at the opposite side. The regiment was ordered to march in double-quick time and the injured man, making a last effort to maintain the pace of his comrades, staggered forward several strides and collapsed in the arms of Private Harry Beamer. He was carried to a barn and he laid there for two days without medical attention and using his last energy he struggled to his feet and walked to his home at Middle Creek, on the Maryland Line, a distance of more than six miles, where he was attended. Previous to the time of his wound he had been engaged in a number of battles and had distinguished himself on

innumerable occasions. He participated in the battles of Dansville, Mechanicsville, Gains Mill, Charles City Cross Roads, Malvern Hill, Bull Run, South Mountain, Antietam, Fredericksburg, Gettysburg, Bristoe Station, Mine Run, Wilderness, North Anna, Spottsylvania Courthouse and Bethesda Church. One of his most prized relics of the war is the hat which he wore the day he was shot. The holes are plainly discernible, showing the entry and exit of the course of the bullet.

FROM ALL PARTS OF COMPASS

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streets without consent of more than half of the property owners, was upheld as constitutional by the Supreme Court in the Thomas Cusack Company's suit against the city. The ordinance was the first of its kind to be passed upon by the court.

J. Maurice Pettit, who killed his young wife, Mrs. Katherine Pettit, of Chicago, by cutting her throat in their home last August "to keep her pure," as he said, "was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Barrett in the Criminal Court. Pettit pleaded guilty. Pettit's counsel argued that his client was unbalanced mentally.

Tuesday.

Mother Mary Ann, of Milwaukee, superior-general of the Sisters of Notre Dame in the United States, died of pneumonia while on a visit to New Orleans. She was born in Germany in 1848, and had been a member of the order for more than 50 years.

A proposal to establish a protectorate over the Holy Land under the American flag is being mooted in London as a solution of the most difficult problem in the tangled political situation in the Near East.

By a fire of unknown origin the armory of the Second Regiment, New York National Guard, of Troy, N. Y., was totally destroyed. The armory was valued at \$200,000, and the loss, with the equipment of various military organizations destroyed, will amount to nearly half a million dollars.

Almost every conceivable subject was covered in bills which found their way into the House and Senate, 84 bills being introduced in the House and 19 additional ones in the Senate, in addition to a constitutional amendment favored by Governor elect Cornell for the adoption of a budget system.

New import duties and consumption taxes just put into effect in Brazil are expected to aid the Government materially in meeting its 1917 expenses.

Admiral Dewey, the nation's Spanish War hero and by priority of grade the ranking naval officer of the world, died at his home in Washington, in his eightieth year.

Revenues, including bond issues, totaling \$525,000,000 will be raised by means of an additional inheritance tax, an excess profits tax of 8 per cent, on corporations and co-partnerships and by bonds, Democrats of the House Ways and Means Committee decided today.

Wednesday.

Esther Redmond Power, daughter of John Redmond, the Irish leader and patriot, and wife of Dr. William T. Power, of 1 Willow Place, Far Rockaway, New York, died in St. John's Hospital, Long Island City.

A terrific explosion, followed by fire, wrecked the power house of the Buffalo and Susquehanna Coal Company at Dubois, Pa.

After careful investigation, the Senate Commerce Committee voted to recommend confirmation of all the President's appointments to the Shipping Board.

The appointees are: Bernard N. Baker, of Baltimore; John A. Donald, of New York; Theodore Brent, of New Orleans; William Dunman, of San Francisco, and James B. White, of Kansas City. The committee found objections to Baker, Donald and White insufficient to warrant an unfavorable report on their confirmation.

The government has purchased as an addition to the Parliament building the historic Chigi Palace, which before the war was occupied by the Austrian Ambassador to the Quirinal. The palace belonged to Prince Chigi, who bears the hereditary title of Marshal of the Conclave. The purchase price was \$1,000,000, which included \$200,000 for the art collection. Another \$1,000,000 is to be spent in altering the structure and joining it up with the Parliament building.

Thursday.

Brig. Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn, former military attaché at Berlin, was ordered to return from the border to become assistant to Chief of Staff Scott, as president of the War College and third ranking officer of the Army.

In recognition of the services of Admiral Dewey to his country, Representative Allen, of Ohio, introduced in the House a joint resolution authorizing that hereafter the Danish West Indies, just acquired by the United States, be known as the Dewey Islands. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Miss Mary Pryor, of Foxville, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Clinton Blickenstieff.

Mrs. Ben Eyer and little daughter visited Mrs. Carl Gall, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dewees spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Tom O'Conner.

Mrs. Effie Creager and daughter Margaret, of Thurmont, visited her daughter, Mrs. Carl Gall, on Friday.

Miss Lula and Mable Dewees spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Florence Demuth.

Mrs. Charles Gall was suddenly called to the bed side of her father, Mr. Warrenfeltz, of Thurmont on Saturday and who died Saturday night.

Mrs. Jennie Freshour and Miss Kate Lohr, of Thurmont, spent Thursday with Mrs. William Dewees.

FROM THE COUNTY.

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a court deorum long missing from magistrate hearings in Frederick city, went into effect this week with Justice August T. Brust presiding.

The annual supper of the Men's Club of All Saint's Episcopal church, Frederick, was held Tuesday night in the Sunday school room with the largest attendance of any previous annual meeting in the history of the organization. Eighty-two members were present, everyone of whom was inspired by the splendid address of the Right Reverend John Gardner Murray, Bishop of Maryland, the club's guest of honor.

Some of the topics that have been suggested are as follows: A Clergyman's or Doctor's or Guardsman's or Patriot's Point of View of the Advantages of Universal Obligatory Military Training and Service Universal Military Training and Service As the Only Solution of Our Present Deplorable Military Situation, The Economic Value to the United States of a System of Universal Obligatory Military Training and Service. The Americanization of our Foreign Element by Universal Obligatory Military Training and Service, etc.

Sarah Louisa Powell, daughter of Wm. C. and Myrtle Powell, died at the home of her parents, near Thurmont, on Wednesday, January 10, of scarlet fever, after an illness of two weeks. She was aged 4 years, 4 months, and 6 days. Those surviving her are her father, mother, one small brother John Powell, and great-grandmother. The funeral was held Thursday with interment in the cemetery at Thurmont.

High School students and others in Frederick city and county interested in the pressing issues of the day, preparedness against invasion by a foreign foe and universal military training, will learn with a great deal of interest of the splendid offers made by the Maryland League for National Defense for the best essays advocating obligatory military service and training.

The following is a list of prizes that will be offered the winners: First prize, \$100; second prize, \$50; third prize, \$25; 10 other prizes, \$10 each. The judges of the contest will be representatives from the following five papers; F. L. Davidson, Baltimore Sun; Joseph Y. Bratton, Baltimore American; Frank F. Patterson, Baltimore Evening Sun; Walter R. Hough, Baltimore Star; James Lock, Baltimore News.

Pope Thanks President

Congratulations from Pope Benedict XV on the recent peace move of the American Government were conveyed to President Wilson Tuesday by Juan Riano, the Spanish Ambassador. The Pope sent no suggestions for future moves. The message was conveyed through the Spanish Ambassador because the Papal Legation here has no diplomatic status.

On its own account the Spanish Government has already replied to President Wilson's peace note, taking the position that it would do nothing for the present.

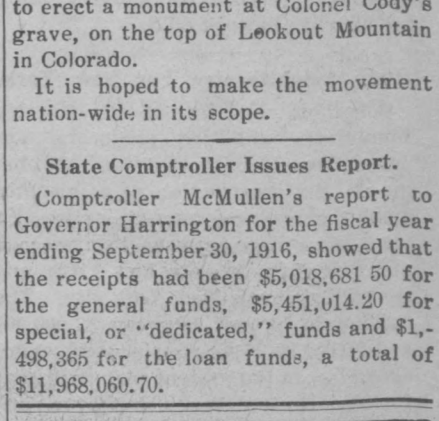
For Monument To Col. Cody.

The memory of Col. William F. Cody, (Buffalo Bill) is to be perpetuated through a monument inaugurated by Cleveland Boy Scouts. The organization this week will start the collection of contributions of 5 cents each from Cleveland children, the fund to be used to erect a monument at Colonel Cody's grave, on the top of Lookout Mountain in Colorado.

It is hoped to make the movement nation-wide in its scope.

State Comptroller Issues Report.

Comptroller McMullen's report to Governor Harrington for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1916, showed that the receipts had been \$5,018,681.50 for the general funds, \$5,451,014.20 for special, or "dedicated," funds and \$1,498,365 for the loan funds, a total of \$11,968,060.70.



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Sloan's Liniment quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing. Cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments, does not stain the skin.

Have a bottle handy for emergency, rheumatic aches and pains, neuralgia, lumbago, gout, strains, sprains and lame back, yield to Sloan's Liniment.

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SALE REGISTER.

When the printing and advertising is done by this office, sale notices under this heading will be published free of charge until the date of sale. Under other conditions the rate will be as follows: Four insertions \$5.00; each additional insertion 10.; entire term \$1.00.

- February 8, at 10 o'clock, Charles Creager, at Jack's Mountain Station on the road leading from Fairfield to Emmitsburg (turn in at the old Young place) live stock, farming implements and household goods. A. D. Adams, auct.
- Feb 15, at 12 o'clock, George Hoffman, near Orphan's Home, Pa., live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- Feb 23, at 12 o'clock sharp, Wm. Miller, on the Middleburg road, 2 miles south of Taneytown, household goods. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 1, at o'clock, Clarence McCarren at the farm on the Keysville road, near Emmitsburg, livestock and farming implements.
- March 2, at o'clock, E. A. Flohr, at his farm 1 mile above Zora on the Waynesboro pike, live stock and farming implements.
- March 3, at 11 o'clock sharp, Paul Harner, on the Harney and Littlestown road, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 6, at 11 o'clock, George V. Lingg, at his farm on the old Frederick road, near Emmitsburg, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- March 7, at 11 o'clock, J. J. Overholzer, on the David Rhodes farm, along the Gettysburg road in Freedom township, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- March 8, at o'clock, Jerry Miller, at Harbaugh's Vally, live stock and farming implements.
- March 8, at 10 o'clock, Albert Wolf, near Bethel church, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 9, at o'clock, Martin Baker, along the Fairfield road in Liberty township, live stock and farming implements.
- March 9, 1917 at 10 o'clock, Martin L. Baker, in Liberty township, along the road leading from Fairfield to Emmitsburg, about 2 miles from the former, 6 head of horses, 18 head of cattle, 12 head of sheep, hogs, 100 chickens, corn, rye, hay, corn-fodder, machinery and household goods. J. M. Caldwell, auct.
- March 14, at 10 o'clock, A. R. Stonifer, near Keysville, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 15, at o'clock, Edward Grimes on George Gillelan's farm, on the Plank road, 2 1/2 miles east of Emmitsburg, live stock and farming implements.
- March 16, at 12 o'clock, E. A. Seabrook, at his farm on the Tract road, live stock and farming implements. Charles Mort, auct.
- March 16, at 9 o'clock, Lewis Troxell, on the old Frederick road, 1 mile North of Loys Station, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- March 19, at 12 o'clock, Harry Sents, near Piney Creek Church, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 20, at 10 o'clock sharp, Hezekiah Study, 2 miles from Taneytown on the Taneytown and Littlestown road, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, auct.
- March 22, at 12 o'clock, Mrs. George Fogle, near Taneytown, live stock, farming implements and household goods. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.
- March 27, at 1 o'clock sharp, Michael Humbert, between Bridgeport and Taneytown, live stock and farming implements. Wm. T. Smith, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale at Jack's Mountain station, on the road leading from Fairfield to Emmitsburg, (turn in at the old Young place) on

Thursday, February 8, 1917,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following: SIX HEAD OF HORSES, No. 1, Maude, bay mare, 10 years old, in foal, good leader and will work anywhere hitched; No. 2, Jack, bay horse, 7 years old, good off-side worker and leader; No. 3, Jim, black horse, 8 years old, good saddle horse, leader and will work anywhere hitched; No. 4, Belle, bay mare, 9 years old, good saddle mare and leader; No. 5, John, sorrel horse 16 years, good leader and single driver; No. 6, Nellie, bay mare colt coming 2 years old, making of a good mare. NINE HEAD OF COWS, consisting of six milk cows, 2 heifers and one bull, some fresh by day of sale, some close springers, 40 HEAD OF PIGS, 2 brood sows, both will have pigs in March, balance shoats weighing 40 to 60 lbs. Farming implements—2 wagons, one 4-horse Stadelbaker wagon; one 2-horse wagon (Auburn), Deering binder, 2 mowers, one McCormick, other Deering; 18-foot bay ladders, wagon bed, 2 corn planters, 11-foot Crown drill, this drill has been used but one season, good as new; hay ladder, hay rake, lime spreader, field roller, manure spreader in good order; 2 double corn plows, 2 single shovel plows, 1 single shovel plow, 3 Syracuse plows, cultivator, 2 18-tooth harrows, 5 double trees, 3-horse double tree, 6-horse spreader, 2 4-horse spreaders, 10 single trees, 5 jockey sticks, 3 log chains, shovels, forks, spring wagon, rubber-tire buggy, buggy pole, sled, grindstone, wind-mill, 2 sets front gears, 2 sets lead harness, set breechings, 6 bridles, 3 collars, 4 housings, set check lines, 4-horse line, set buggy harness, 6 halters. The following household goods: Bed-room suit, sideboard, 9x12 Ingrain rug, 40 yds rug carpet, No. 5 DeLaval Separator and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms—A credit of 8 months will be given on all sums of \$5 and over; all sums under \$5 cash, purchasers to give notes with approved security. No goods to be removed until settled for. A discount of 4 per cent. for cash. All notes not paid when due interest will be charged from day of sale. MRS. BERTHA CREAGER. A. D. Adams, auct. John Johnson, clerk.

WILL OF THE LATE ROBERT H. PATTERSON FILED FOR PROBATE

Many Legacies To Members Of Family. —Considerable Estate Disposed Of. —A. M. and G. Meade Patterson Executors.

Various institutions of the Presbyterian church are remembered in the will of the late Robert H. Patterson, of Emmitsburg, who died October 30, 1916 and whose will has been recently filed for probate in the Orphans' Court. Mr. Patterson disposes of a considerable estate.

The Presbyterian church of Emmitsburg, formerly known as the congregation of Tom's creek, is given \$300, to invest and use the income toward the pastor's salary, and for no other purposes. The Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian church is given \$200. The Presbyterian Board of Publication and Sabbath school work is given \$200, and also \$200 additional, the latter to be used in educating young men for the Presbyterian ministry. The Presbyterian church, of Emmitsburg, is given \$50, to invest and use the income in keeping in repair the Patterson lot in the Presbyterian cemetery, near Emmitsburg.

Family Remembered.

Albert M. Patterson, a nephew, and the Register of Wills for Frederick county is given \$300. G. Meade Patterson, another nephew, is given \$400. Eight hundred dollars are given to the children of Annie M. Weybright, a deceased niece, they to share equally. To Katie Smith, wife of Albert Smith, \$350. To Nettie Byers, wife of George Byers, \$350. To Harry, Bertha and Nellie Bennett, children of Caroline Bennett, deceased \$300 in three equal shares. To Martha E. Bollinger, \$200, only in event that she survives the testator. To Frances V. Arthur, \$200, only in event that she survives the testator. To Josephine N. Hiltbrick, \$200, but only in event that she survives the testator. To Julia A. Patterson, \$200. To Mary E. Patterson, \$200. To George Howard Patterson \$100. The above are three children of William Patterson, deceased. If any one of them die in the lifetime of the testator, the share of that one is to lapse. To Minnie Patterson, wife of G. Meade Patterson, \$200. The furniture and household goods of every description are given to G. Meade Patterson. If there be any surplus of the estate, after the above bequests have been paid, the nephews and nieces then living are to share in it equally. Albert M. Patterson and G. Meade Patterson are named as the executors, without bond. The will was executed on August 27, 1914, and is witnessed by Charles D. Eichelberger and the late Eugene L. Rowe.

Bad Habits.

Those who breakfast at eight o'clock or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner at six are almost certain to be troubled with indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest before taking another. Not less than five hours should elapse between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may reasonably hope for a quick recovery. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

**Advertisement. Jan. 5 1mo.

The Empress of Russia is said to be the finest royal singer in the world.

Thrift Day will be observed on Saturday, February 3.

WOOD'S Seed Catalog

for 1917, tells about the best

Farm and Garden Seeds

and gives special information as to the best crops to grow, both for profit and homeuse.

The large increase in our business which we have again experienced during the past year is the best of evidence as to the high quality of

WOOD'S SEEDS.

Write for catalog and prices of Grass and Clover Seeds, Seed Potatoes, Seed Oats or any Farm Seeds required. Catalog mailed free on request.

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Build of Concrete—Use Security Portland Cement

Concrete can be used to advantage in many ways on every farm. By easily followed rules it can be successfully laid in winter.

Skilled help unnecessary—do the work yourself.

We will gladly send literature telling how to make concrete feed floors, watering troughs, sidewalks, fenceposts, etc. and buildings that are fireproof and everlasting.

Grow Bigger Crops With Berkeley Lime

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Sold By **BOYLE BROS., Emmitsburg, Md.**

Berkeley the best Hydrated Lime

I, a Southern Gentleman, am Named



Open Your Dictionary

At This Page

And You Find Sovereign King Or Them All

Well, way back in 1901, after I had been in this bright, happy world for several days, I began to get worried like. I didn't have any name.

Folks were calling me "it" and "the new one" and "whatdya-call-it." I didn't like it a bit. Then one day I heard the Big Chief telephoning all his department heads to meet in his office.

Pretty soon they all came filing in. Tall chaps, short chaps, fat chaps and skinny chaps. "Now that he is here," said the Big Chief, "what will you name him?"

My! how they wrangled and wrangled

and wrangled. You know, you have heard them argue whether He'd be called Jack or John or Jim before. Finally, one fellow spoke up and said:

"Why not call him 'SOVEREIGN'?" His mother was a Virginian, his father an aristocrat of the Carolinas. He comes from the very best stock. He comes from the very sweetest, ripest, mellowest Virginia and Carolina tobacco. He is being raised right in one of the cleanest, whitest, healthiest homes on earth. He is a Southern born, a Southerner bred, a Southern gentleman—the king of them all—a real SOVEREIGN.

The Folks of the South KNOW good blood. The Folks of the South KNOW good tobacco.

SOVEREIGN—the best—is none too good a name." So I was named, friend, for I want you as one of my friends, and it means a whole heap when I say—

I am guaranteed by *The American Tobacco Co.* —Buy me. If you don't like me return me to your dealer and get your money back. I have said it. A Southern gentleman is known the world over for keeping his word, and I have given you mine.

Sovereign Cigarettes

FOR THE GENTLEMAN OF THE SOUTH
"King of Them All"

Dates for Spring Sales.

Farmers! Reserve a date at this Office for your Spring Sale. It is to your advantage to do it NOW.

The Swift Company reports its gross sales for the fiscal year 1916 in excess of \$575,000,000. Net profits are placed at \$20,465,000 against \$14,087,500 the previous year.

State of Maryland State Roads Commission

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for hauling out approximately 5182 tons of stone chips for oiling State Roads, as follows: Frederick county: Contract No. 12-A—5182 tons will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 23rd day of January, 1917, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Bids must be made upon the blank form contained in the book of specifications. Specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the State Roads Commission this 9th day of January, 1917. F. H. ZOUCK, Chairman. CLYDE H. WILSON, Sec. ad-1-12-2.

THE FORUM

"Between the points of difference usually lies the truth, and open discussion never harms it."

[The Editor would have it understood that he is not responsible for the views expressed in communications addressed to him and published in THE CHRONICLE.]
[No attention will be paid to anonymous communications.]

To the Editor of The Weekly Chronicle:

Your Editorial "War between the City and Counties" is a timely one. Why should there be a "War?" Baltimore is certainly a great part of the State of Maryland, and its wants should be considered, and there is no reason why the Counties should not be willing to meet the representative citizens of the City and work out a plan that would be fair and reasonable; that Baltimore City can expand in a business way without any politics being mixed up in this important matter to the whole State.

WILLIAM J. GROVE.

Dr. J. A. W. Matthews, V.S.

GETTYSBURG STREET, EMMITSBURG, MD. PHONE 26 3

The Smaller

—town business man who complains that city stores are robbing him of patronage should give some serious thought as to how the city stores are doing it. They have only one method of reaching consumers. That method is advertising. The smaller town business man can buy all the advertising he wants for less money than can the city business house. Space in the city papers cost more yet the percentage of readers of any city daily are small when compared with the readers in any community of the local paper published in that community. The whole secret is that city business houses know they must advertise to get business, and they consider advertising as one of the necessary investments connected with their business.

Let the small town business man give the same attention to his advertising that the city business houses give to its, and he can fight them to a finish and come out the victor, every time.

GUY K. MOTTER ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW

Will be in Emmitsburg on Tuesday of each week from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. Office at Emmitsburg Savings Bank. Frederick office tel. no. 780. June-8-10-tt

DEATHS TRACED TO BAD TEETH

Dr. Joseph Head Tells Importance of Keeping Mouth Free From Germs.

Dr. Joseph Head of Philadelphia declared that many deaths are due in some measure to infections of the mouth which could have been prevented if attention had been paid to cleanliness of the mouth, teeth and gums. Dr. Head's subject was "The Home Care of Teeth as a Means of Preventing Disease."

Dr. Head illustrated how to use the brush in the most effective manner, and said that if people would continue to clean the teeth properly, practically all the diseases of the mouth which are engaging the attention of the dentists and doctors would disappear in the course of twenty years. He asserted that rubbing the gums so briskly that they bleed is the surest way to prevent germs from causing diseased gums and other infections of the mouth. Dr. Head named rheumatism, heart trouble and other diseases that make a person decrepit at thirty or forty as being due in many cases from mouth infection. He declared that the mother should begin the cleaning of teeth as soon as the baby receives its first molars, and this work should be kept up daily until the child is old enough to continue it for itself. He urged the mothers to begin by cleaning the surface of the baby's teeth with a piece of dental floss and thus save the child from disease of the teeth which in many cases are present for years before they make themselves felt.

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MANUSCRIPTS offered for publication will be returned if unavailable, when accompanied by stamps.

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Entered as second-class matter January 1, 1909 at the post office at Emmitsburg, Md., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1917.

"A glance over the pages of history reveals to us that of all institutions which affect the wellspring of human activity the newspaper is perhaps the greatest."

THE CHRONICLE will be independent in politics, progressive in spirit and a champion of what it conceives to be right. Its columns will always be open for a dignified discussion by the people of any subject that may seem to them interesting, or that may in anywise be a benefit to the community at large.

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Communications intended for publication in this paper, letters of a business nature in relation to the Chronicle, and all orders for Job Printing to be done at this office should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

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 635 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 Linganore Hills and the Catocotin 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 knowledgeable, 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 108 years—is located here; St. Joseph's College and Academy for young ladies—equally as noted during its 107 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.

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

"If I could not be a king, I should be a journalist!" "Could the power and dignity attached to the position of a journalist be more forcefully shown than be those words of a sagacious European ruler? The press, indeed, is one of the most potent factors in the religious, domestic and civil spheres. A newspaper, good or bad, has much to do with the morals and ideals of a people. It remains then as the duty of the press to maintain such lofty standards as will exert a good influence upon the reading public. The aim of the newspaper is also to please; therein lies its support and possibility of substantial success; its days are numbered according to the sanction or disapproval of the people.

But this goal may be reached in divers ways, excluding that all too prevalent advertising of crime, which "must make criminals as surely and for the same reason that advertising goods will make purchasers." This is resorted to especially by those who look upon their profession solely as a money-making scheme, forgetting that "an ideal journal is one which best presents a picture of the world's progress."

A newspaper is necessarily a commercial enterprise, but it is indeed the only one possessing the unique power of moulding the thoughts and deeds of a people. This consideration should be the strongest incentive for keeping the press keyed to the pitch of high aims. In hundreds of homes throughout the country the daily or weekly news is the only form in which literature enters, leaving aside the family bible, an almanac and perhaps an occasional book, made possible by a few scant savings. Its contents are eagerly devoured by school boy as well as hoary headed sage, by the active and the indolent, by the laborer and the patient toiling wife.

To the young especially is the newspaper a vital part of their existence, "a standard to which their own lives will conform." How important, then, that these standards be as high as possible! In its relation to the state, the newspaper possesses an almost incredible amount of influence. At the instance of the press, laws are enacted, sentences repealed, legislators elected or defeated. In fact, "as the hand-maiden of education, religion and civic betterment there is nothing in the wide world to be compared with the newspaper." Nor is the power of the press coterminous with a locality or nation. It has been said that journalism is a bond of international acquaintance, for it is largely through this means that we learn much about our alien brothers and they about us. The advancement then of one nation may be also the advancement of others, by reason of the example and stimulus presented in our newspapers.

But as there is an obligation upon the journalist, there is also a corresponding one upon the reader; that he countenance nothing but the best in this line and when he has the advantage of having a good newspaper in his community, let him by manifesting his appreciation and earnestly cooperating, increase its beneficial effects, so that the good gleaned may be cherished and diffused, "a monument more lasting than bronze" to the great institution of the press, which has

played so important a part in the betterment of mankind.

PERSONALITY.

"Personality is that which is most intimate to me,—that by which I must act out my life. It is that by which I belong to man, and by which I am able to reach after God; and he has given to me this pearl of great price. It is an immortal treasure; it is mine, it is his, and no man shall pluck it out of his hand."—HUGH R. HAWES

What is the root potential and influential force in the world, humanly speaking? Beauty, wealth, brains or blood? None. All of these worthy assets fade into insignificance before the world-mover, personality. Real success in any sphere of life is due chiefly if not entirely to this factor. Consider the master sway of Napoleon over the hearts and lives of his soldiers and how he still lives in the fascinated memory of man, a vital an effective factor.

In our own time note in the political arena the magnetic something, discernible in a man's actions, which attracts the crowd and wins the way. In literary achievements it is the peculiar style or matter bespeaking the individual mind which surprises and charms the reading public. Glance within the ballroom, the obvious queen of the evening is not the modern Grecian goddess, or the most handsomely gowned, or the most dashing woman. No, it is she whose every look, word and gesture exerts an indefinable magnetism.

In education the importance of personality is even more emphasized. The teacher beset with obstacles well nigh unsurmountable and imperfect physical and social conditions, dealing with children indifferently fed and clothed, counteracts triumphantly all the baneful influences by the magical charm of a personality that illumines the very atmosphere and is transmitted into the being of each pupil.

To endeavor to define this term is futile; suffice it to say that he who by a subtle charm, the product of his spiritual rather than his physical nature, awakens our latent sympathies and engages our affection is one possessed of this priceless dower. Personality is vitalizing, invigorating, refreshing, stimulating, restful, wholesome, alluring, entrancing.

We become enamored of the powerful personal lure of Poe, Byron, Shelly, Stevenson, after reading their works; we half unconsciously assimilate their mystic charm and incorporate it in our own lives, because the cold print has been vitalized by the breath of their personality and humanity.

Personality is never affected, never obviously sought or labored; like all true art its effectiveness lies in the concealment of artistic devices and rounded perfection. Can there be a higher art than that of leading an individualistic life; of moulding the lives of others to high standards; can there be a higher art than the supreme one of personality?

MISTAKES? Everybody makes them. The biggest mistake is in thinking that you can't make a mistake. The first one may be due to lack of knowledge, but the second one starts the habit. When you make a mistake acknowledge it—and then correct it.

ARE you doing anything for your community? You live here, you know, and you are identified with it; moreover it is because

of the community that you are enabled to live. Anything for Community welfare, then, should elicit your support, and hearty support, at that.

DREAMERS, idealists, men who "don't know any better" and whom the "practical" world calls "fools"—these are the persons who every now and then make the world sit up and exclaim "We didn't know it could be done!"

In this day of "cures" and "tonics," when everybody is "takin' somethin'" for this, that and the other ailment, isn't it singular how many persons are disregarding work as a tonic for that disintegrating disease—idleness?

"TRY the knob of every door you see—one of them is sure to open."—Sounds like a paragraph in a book put out by a correspondence school of burglary.

WHEN not occupied in the exciting diversion of falling down on icy pavements the elect have been consulting the Ouija board the past week.

"BREAD with a New England Conscience."—Wonder what's in it, wooden nutmegs, white clay and cement beans?

"EXAMINED Shell; Killed."—Some of those storage eggs are pretty dangerous, brother.

"CAN'T Save The Milwaukee."—Curses! And the best that's brewed, too.

"SHOE leather has gone up."—Especially up the ankles.

"DUST on the Ocean."—Is that going dry too?

Goldsmith's Obituary Notice.

It would be difficult to find a more quaint announcement of death than that published in an old newspaper in 1774, at the time of Oliver Goldsmith's demise.

"1774, April 4. Died, Dr. Oliver Goldsmith. Deserted the village. The traveler hath laid him down to rest: the good natured man is no more; he stoops but to conquer; the vicar hath performed his sad office; it is a mournful task from which the herald may essay to meet the dread tyrant with more than Grecian or Roman fortitude."

Who Owns the Falkland Islands?

Few people are aware to this day that the Falkland Islands are marked in all Argentine maps and geographies as "unlawfully retained by Great Britain." The origin of the dispute was that England after abandoning the islands in 1774 resumed possession in 1829. The Argentine government protested and, as A. Stuart Pennington points out in his book on the country, is even today "careful to do nothing which could even apparently recognize the rights of the present possessors." It was for that reason that it declined a proposal a few years ago to run a line of Argentine ships to the islands.

Beautiful Bridges.

Popular love of art may be carried too far. The author of "Charles Bourbon, Constable of France," tells us that on the occasion of the sack of Rome the citizens refused to secure their safety by taking the advice of their captain, Reuzo da Ceri, and cutting the bridges Ponte Quattro Capi and Ponte Sisto. The people declined on the ground that they were "too beautiful."

An Ox Hide.

"Thomas," said the professor to a pupil in the junior class in chemistry, "mention an oxide." "Leather," replied Thomas. "What is leather an oxide of?" asked the professor. "An oxide of beef," answered the bright youngster.—Chicago News.

Was Coming Back.

"Seemed to sadden old Geldbox when his new son-in-law said goodbye after the wedding. Is he so fond of him?" "Well, not exactly. You see, the new son-in-law didn't say goodbye; he said 'Au revoir.'"—Browning's Magazine.

Foiled.

"Dearest, I ordered to be sent home today a most beautiful hat for only \$30. It's a perfect love!" "My darling, your love will be returned."—Puck.

Grumblers deserve to be operated upon surgically. Their trouble is usually chronic.—Douglas Jerrold.

WASHING THE DISHES.

Doing This Job Only Once a Day, It is Said, Saves Time.

"The careful housekeeper will always resent the suggestion that once a day is often enough to wash dishes," writes Dr. H. Barnard in "Table Talk" in the National Food Magazine. "She cannot train herself to allow soiled plates and silverware to stack up from one meal to the next, for she has been taught that such actions are evidence of shiftless, slovenly housekeeping. As a matter of fact, along with many other notions which are fixed in the operation of the home, both time and energy are saved by cutting out two of the three daily dishwashing jobs."

Dr. Barnard goes on to recite the experience of one housekeeper who actually dared study the homely work of dishwashing. One week she washed dishes three times a day; the next week she washed each day's dishes altogether. She used the same number of dishes each day in both weeks. She found that it took her fifty-one minutes a day to wash dishes after each meal; and forty-one minutes a day to wash them once a day.

This took account only of time, but there was a considerable additional saving in gas or fuel consumed by heating water once instead of thrice a day, to say nothing of the saving in soap.

SALT IN THE FOOD.

Why Its Flavor at Times Is Too Weak or Too Strong.

The average housewife wonders why she often over or under salts her dishes when she "knows" that she salted them just right, as she always did and as the recipes called for.

The reason is just this: The seasoning value of different brands of salt varies widely. This is easily proved. Take five slices of ripe tomatoes; apply equal parts of five makes of salt upon the separate pieces. Eat as soon as salted. The difference in flavor, permeation, rapidity and equality of dissolution and seasoning value are readily detected.

A table salt should be fine, the crystals of equal size, quickly soluble and free from ingredients which absorb moisture from the air. Large and small crystals will not dissolve uniformly; consequently the full salting effect is not obtained until the large crystals are dissolved. The quickly soluble salt diffuses itself through the food at once and gives an equality of savor. Sticky salt is an intrusive nuisance.

Failures in salting are largely due to changing from one make of salt to another. Get the best grade, grow accustomed to its use and stick to it.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Single File.

When the Indians traveled together they seldom walked or rode two or more abreast, but followed one another in single file. It has been thought by some that this practice resulted from the lack of roads, which compelled them to make their way through woods and around rocks by narrow paths. If this were the real reason for the practice, then we should expect to find that the tribes who lived in open countries traveled in company, as do whites. The true reason for journeying as the Indians did in single file seems to be a feeling of caste. This feeling was at the bottom of other customs of the Indians. It made their women slaves and rendered the men silent and unsocial. This peculiarity is Asiatic. How it has warped and disfigured Hindu life is well known. The women of a Chinese household are seldom seen in the street. The children, when accompanying their father, follow him at a respectful distance, in single file and in the order of their ages.

Poor John!

"Hello! Is this you, mother dear?" "Yes, Sue. What is it? Something awful must have happened for you to call me up at this!"

"It's not so awful. But John, dear, hasn't been feeling well, and the doctor gave him pills to take every four hours. I've been sitting up to give them to him, and now it's about time for his medicine, but John has fallen asleep. Should I wake him?"

"I wouldn't if I were you. What is he suffering from?" "Insomnia."—Pittsburgh Telegraph-Chronicle.

Smoking in Japan.

In Japan woman has smoked ever since tobacco was introduced and invariably used the pipe of metal with the tiny bowl holding only sufficient tobacco to provide half a dozen whiffs which was in universal use until the cigarette entered Japan with other western innovations.

His Excuse.

"Your honor, I frankly admit that I was exceeding the speed limit, but I was afraid of being late at court."

"What was your business at court?" "I had to answer to a charge of exceeding the speed limit."—New York Times.

Friendly Advice.

"We surprised all our friends by getting married." "Good enough. Now surprise 'em by staying married."—Exchange.

An Ancient Cake.

Patience—Would you like to see the cake I got on my twenty-eighth birthday? Patience—Why, yes! Is it well preserved?—Yonkers Statesman.

How blessings brighten as they take their flight!—Young.

WRITING FOR THE STAGE.

Sir W. S. Gilbert Was Not Overproud of His Own Work.

"No man," writes Mrs. Alec-Tweedie in her reminiscences, "My Tablecloths," "had stranger admirers or keener haters than W. S. Gilbert. Successful people always have, but then, added to his success, he had a pompous manner and a sarcastic tongue."

"He was in excellent form one May night in 1898 when he dined with me. We were talking about 'Lysianne,' Sarah Bernhardt's new play, which I had just seen in Paris, and I said it was a poor play splendidly acted."

"'It's a poor play it's sure to succeed,'" he retorted. "No good play is ever a success. Fine writing and high morals are hopeless on the stage."

"That is severe."

"Not any too severe. I have been scribbling twaddle for thirty-five years to suit the public taste and ought to know. And, after all, look at the theater. It contains some 1,500 persons. Now, if you serve up tripe and onions for the gallery it offends the stalls; if you dish up sweetbreads and truffles for the stalls it disgusts the pit. Therefore plain leg of mutton and boiled potato is the most suitable fare for all. Light flippery and amusing nonsense are what I have endeavored to write. But I can tell you that after thirty-five years of that sort of thing, which I am glad to say has brought grist to the mill, I am about sick of it, and I shouldn't mind if I never wrote another word."

FADS OF LITERARY MEN.

A Letter From His Wife Always Made Hawthorne Wash His Hands.

Keats liked red pepper on his toast. Dickens was fond of wearing jewelry. Joaquin Miller nailed all his chairs to the wall.

Edgar Allan Poe slept with his cat and was inordinately proud of his feet. Daudet wore his eyeglasses when asleep.

Thackeray used to lift his hat whenever he passed the house in which he wrote "Vanity Fair."

Alexandre Dumas the younger bought a new painting every time he had a new book published.

Robert Louis Stevenson's favorite recreation was playing the flute, in order, as he said, to tune his ideas.

Robert Browning could not sit still. With the constant shuffling of his feet holes were worn in the carpet.

Longfellow enjoyed walking only at sunrise or sunset, as he said his sublimest moods came upon him at these times.

Hawthorne always washed his hands before reading a letter from his wife. He delighted in poring over old advertisements in the newspaper files.

Oliver Wendell Holmes used to carry a horse chestnut in one pocket and a potato in another to ward off rheumatism.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Horrors of Thirst.

There is no horror like the horror of thirst—no physical suffering comparable to it. A traveler over the desert in Egypt describes a man who had lost his way, wandering about for days without water, and finally came staggering into his camp. The man's eyes were bloodshot, his lips swollen to twice their natural size. His tongue, blue, parched and swollen, hung out of his mouth. To allow such a man to drink water at will would be like pumping cold water into a red-hot steam boiler. It would kill him. This man required to be held forcibly by four men in his eagerness to get at drinking water, while a fifth man allowed a few drops to trickle down the throat of the sufferer at long intervals. He had to be cooled off little by little, like an overheated boiler.

An Unanswerable Argument.

The poor relation had not been invited to the formal function at the great house, but he went to the door in spite of that oversight.

"Where's your card?" inquired the first gentleman in waiting.

"Haven't got any," responded the poor relation meekly.

"Nobody can get in without a card."

"Well, I'm nobody," murmured the poor relation, but the first gentleman in waiting could not grasp the delicate humor of it, and the poor relation was turned away from the inhospitable door.—Exchange.

Where Men Wear Combs.

The traveler in India is surprised to see that men wear combs in their hair much more than women do. A Chinese gentleman wears what we know as the circular comb and a very ornamental back comb of tortoise shell to gather his curly locks together. He wears a full beard also, but his servant must trim his own beard and is allowed to wear the circular comb only.—Exchange.

Bad Color Scheme.

"The man I am engaged to has been terribly wild, but is going to turn over a new leaf."

"Don't put your trust in such a bad color scheme. Rosy futures seldom grow on a purple past."—Baltimore American.

Sure Thing!

Mrs. Exe—Dear, what does it mean when you get a notice from the bank that your account is overdrawn? Exe—In the case of a man it means that he is married.—Boston Transcript.

His Tender Spot.

Hokus—That fellow Closefit doesn't know what it means to be sensitive. You can't hurt his feelings. Po—Did you ever try pinching him in the pocketbook?—Town Topics.

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FIFTY BIG EXPLOSIONS OCCURRED DURING EUROPEAN WAR

Death List Of One Hundred And Thirty-Five In Munition Plants Of United States.—Three Hundred And Eight Hurt.

Since the European war led to development of munition manufacturing in this country more than fifty big explosions, many mysterious in origin, have occurred in plants of powder and chemical companies. New Jersey has had twenty-eight of the explosions.

Casualty lists, necessarily incomplete of explosions throughout the country total 135 dead and 308 injured. At the plants of the Du Pont Powder Company alone at least seventy men have been killed and eighty injured. Parts of this company's works at Haskell, N. J., and Carney's Point, N. J., have been blown up several times, as has the plant of the Aetna Explosives Company at Emporium, Pa.

Most spectacular of all the explosions and most severe in the material damage it caused was that from Black Tom Island shortly after two o'clock on the morning of July 30 last. The noise of the first of the two terrific blasts was heard in cities more than 100 miles away. Manhattan was rocked as if by an earthquake. Dynamite, cellulose and shrapnel, exploding in salvos, caused the damage, estimated to exceed \$25,000,000. Five persons were killed, 116 injured.

Explosions which took the greatest number of lives were those in the Upper Hagley yard of the Du Pont Company, near Wilmington Del., on Nov. 30, 1915, when thirty-one men were killed, and in the Du Pont plant at Gibbstown, N. J., May 15, 1916, when eighteen were killed.

The most disastrous explosions since August 1, 1914, were:

Sept. 18, 1914—Guncotton in the Wright Chemical Company's plant, Union Township, N. J. Three killed.

March 6, 1915—Du Pont powder plant Haskell, N. J. Five dead.

April 1—Plant of Equitable Powder Company, Alton, Ill. Five killed.

May 12—Guncotton storehouse, Anderson Chemical Company, Wallington, N. J. Three dead.

July 6—Cordite plant of Canadian Explosives Company, near Montreal. Six killed, eight injured.

July 13—Mixing building, United Safety Powder Company, Jeffersonton, Ky. Three dead. Two buildings of Du Pont plant, Carney's Point, N. J. One dead, three hurt.

Aug. 3—Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia. Three killed.

Aug. 16—Gelatine house of Grove Run, Pa., plant of the Aetna Explosives Company. Five killed.

Oct. 1—Du Pont Powder Works, Haskell. One dead, eleven injured.

Oct. 6—285,000 pounds of smokeless powder at Aetna Explosives Company plant, Emporium, Pa. Four dead, three hurt.

Nov. 30—Packing house in the Upper Hagley yard of Du Pont Powder Company, near Wilmington, Del. Thirty-one killed, six injured.

Jan. 10, 1916—Du Pont Carney's Point plant. Three killed twenty injured.

Feb. 2—Howe Rubber Company, New Brunswick, N. J. Two dead, four hurt.

Feb. 7—Du Pont works, near Tacoma, Wash. Three killed.

Feb. 18—Semet-Solway Company's plant, near Syracuse. Four dead, twelve injured.

May 9—Atlas Powder Company plant, Hopatcong Landing, N. J. Five killed, four injured.

May 15—Du Pont Powder Works, Gibbstown, N. J. Eighteen dead, twenty injured.

June 6—Plant of Du Pont Company, Wayne, N. J. One killed, eight injured.

July 1—Aetna Explosives Company's Emporium plant. Seven dead, five injured.

July 13—Du Pont Works, Haskell. Five dead, twenty-six injured.

July 30—Black Tom. Five dead, 116 injured.

Sept. 15—Du Pont Works, Haskell. One dead, ten injured.

Farm Animals Up In Value.

Value of farm animals on farms and ranges of the United States in January aggregated \$6,685,020,000, the Department of Agriculture announced Tuesday. That is an increase of \$664,350,000 over their value a year ago.

Horses numbered 21,126,900, a decrease of 33,000, and were valued at \$2,174,629,000; mules, 4,639,000, an increase of 46,000, valued at \$584,864,000; milch cows, 22,768,000, an increase of 660,000, valued at \$1,358,435,000; other cattle, 40,849,000; an increase of 1,037,000, valued at \$1,465,786,000; sheep, 48,483,000, a decrease of 142,000, valued at \$346,064,000, and swine, 67,453,000 a decrease of 313,000, valued at \$791,242,000.

Ancient Mine Found in Arizona.

An ancient mine of Spanish origin, or earlier, has been uncovered near the old Ajo mission, in southeastern Arizona. It is said that a storekeeper of the neighborhood recently freighted a quantity of the ore, equal to a carload, across the desert ninety miles to El Paso, making a profit of \$3000. For thirty years a negro has been picking high-grade ore out of these ruins on the sly.

FOR INCREASED FARM DEVELOPMENT IN MARYLAND

President Gray Calls Attention To Courses At State College of Agriculture.—Has Issued Pamphlet.

An important step in the direction of arousing interest in increased farming development in Maryland has been taken by President Carl R. Gray of the Western Maryland Railway Company, who on his own initiative, has issued a pamphlet calling especial attention to the short winter courses at the Maryland State College of Agriculture and pointing out the opportunities for getting greater yields out of the rich Maryland lands. Mr. Gray is a member of the board of the agricultural college and as such, is evincing keen interest in all matters pertaining to agriculture.

Some of the pertinent statements mentioned in the booklet are that the net return from Maryland's 50,000 farms should be doubled and that the State's yield of corn could be increased two barrels an acre, thus giving the farmers nearly \$4,000,000 more a year. One pint of milk a cow a day, it is explained, would give the dairymen over \$1,000,000 more for their labor each year. Unused hill land could be turned into pastures that would feed at least a half million sheep.

"Maryland," says the pamphlet, "can be made the greatest fruit State in the East." Land suitable for orchard fruits now valued at \$10 to \$30 an acre can be made worth \$150 to \$300 an acre.

Maryland's soils, climate and location are exceptionally well fitted for growing food for man. She has 10,000,000 consumers in the cities and towns located at her doors.

The consumers should pay less for food and the producers get more for their products than at present. Co-operation between buyer and seller, will make this possible. More profit in farming will attract settlers and increase land values.

"The water power that is going to waste on thousands of Maryland farms should be harnessed and made to lighten and do much of the farm labor. Her 200,000 growing boys and girls are entitled to as good educational advantages as other states provide for their children. They should be trained to make the most of these possibilities."

Leather is Nearly All Gone.

Owing to the condition of the leather market in this country shoe dealers in Baltimore are at sea not only as to the continued increase in prices and just where it is going to stop, which is, of course, the vital point to the retailer, but the manufacturer is now most concerned as to the source of supply. The condition is now said to have reached a point where the entire country is in dire straits for leather. The entire shoe industry is at its wits' end trying to procure enough leather for the manufacture of shoes, to say nothing of the exorbitant prices that leather is now commanding.

Of the leather consumed in the United States it may roughly be estimated, according to a widely known dealer in Baltimore, that about 70 or 75 per cent. enters into footwear, perhaps 10 per cent. into upholstery, predominantly of automobiles; perhaps 10 per cent. into the belting of machinery, while the remainder is used for trunks, traveling bags, pocketbooks, gloves and for the finer artistic leather products.

G. A. R. Veteran Pleads For Return Of Son.

Abraham Myers, examiner civil war division, United States pension office, ex-member Company D, 4th Illinois Cavalry; ex-member Company L, 12th Illinois Cavalry; member Lincoln Post, No. 3, Department of the Potomac; aide-camp on staff of commander-in-chief G. A. R., has sent a letter to Inaugural Chairman Robert N. Harper, asking that his son, who is in the 3rd Regiment, District National Guard return home for the inaugural parade in March so that they as veterans of two wars may parade together.

Mr. Myers visited Emmitsburg last summer and has a number of friends in this place.

Parcel Post Plan To Cut Living Cost.

With \$10,000 given by a retired merchant to back the test, postoffice officials and a number of citizens, headed by Rabbi J. Leonard Levy, have planned to inaugurate a new plan for marketing by parcel post. As outlined by Rabbi Levy to the Pittsburgh Association of Credit Men, the postoffice will provide books in which producers in rural districts may list their products, with prices and approximate parcel post charges for delivery to the customer of Pittsburgh. Those desiring farm products, fruit and vegetables may consult the lists.

Valuable Coal Tract Sold.

A block of 10,000 acres of coal land, five miles east and southeast of Washington, is reported to have been sold by J. V. Thompson and associates of Union town to a large steel firm. The consideration is said to have been from \$4,000,000 to \$6,000,000.

The tract is considered one of the most valuable in the country on the market. It has a frontage on the Baltimore & Ohio and the new Chartiers Southern branch of the Pennsylvania is near by. Immediate development of the tract is expected.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I want to formally announce that I have sold the egg and poultry department of my business to the Blue Ribbon Egg Company, Messrs. Callahan & Rotering, and I ask for them the same liberal patronage that was accorded me.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. Paul Corry, of Scranton, Pa., attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Jane Corry on Friday.

Mrs. George Cook, of Hammon, N. J., visited her sister, Mrs. T. E. Zimmerman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maxell, and daughter, Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fitez spent Sunday in Woodsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Middleton have returned from an extended visit to New York.

Miss Vincenta Sebald, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sebald.

Miss Louise Bushman, of Hagerstown, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bushman.

Miss Margaret Boyle is visiting in Baltimore.

Mrs. Harry S. Boyle is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary C. Welsh, of Baltimore.

Mrs. J. Brooke Boyle has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Miss Thurza Eichelberger has returned to her home in Frederick after spending a week as the guest of Miss Nelle Felix.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Rotering have returned from their wedding tour to New York and other cities.

Miss Annabelle Hartman has returned to Baltimore after spending several days with her aunt, Miss Belle Rowe.

Prof. Frederic J. Halmis is visiting in Hagerstown.

Bishop John G. Murray, of Baltimore visited in Emmitsburg last week.

Mr. Robert Horner, of Baltimore, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Anna Horner.

Miss Alice McCleaf, of Atlantic City, N. J., is visiting her brother, Mr. A. L. McCleaf and family.

Those who spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCleaf were: Mrs. D. K. McCleaf, Iron Springs; Mrs. Wm. McCleaf, of Virginia Mills; Mrs. John McCleaf and two children, Willie and Alton, Mrs. Eston White, Mrs. E. Seifert, of Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shorb and three sons, Mrs. Allen Pryor Mrs. Wm. Florence, Miss Alice McCleaf.

Catherine Hoke Given Birthday Party.

On Monday evening a little party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Hoke, on West Main street, in honor of their little daughter, Catherine, who celebrated her seventh birthday.

The time was spent pleasantly by all the little guests present. During the party Alice Kerrigan, Louise Zurgable and Joseph Guise rendered some very sweet solos. The following were present: Alice Kerrigan, Bertha Rosensteel, Adele Rider, Anna Guise, Louise Zurgable, Adele Myers, Alice Topper, Helen Guise, Irene Baker, Mary Guise, Catherine and Beatrice Hoke and Masters Richard Bollinger and Joseph Guise.

Invented By A Former Resident.

In the current number of Popular Science Monthly appears a mention of a Baby-Incubator invented by Dr. Alice M. Seabrooke, Superintendent of the Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia. This incubator can be constructed out of the ordinary soap box.

The incubator contains all the features of the expensive types, with arrangements for heating and moistening the air and for keeping the temperature under control. It is provided with a glass top with two sections: There are well-protected openings on all sides so that the little patient can be watched and attended without being disturbed.

Dr. Seabrooke is a native of near Emmitsburg where some of her relatives still live.

Penn State Asks \$3,500,000.

A budget calling for a State appropriation of almost \$3,500,000 to meet the needs of the Pennsylvania State College during the next two years has been prepared by the board of trustees. A State-wide campaign to inform the public of the work, growth and needs of the college has been launched. Circulars setting forth this information will be distributed by students, alumni and friends of the college. It is believed this activity, together with the personal appeals to the members of the Legislature, will obtain an appropriation sufficiently large to prevent further crippling of the institution.

Dr. Joseph E. Rowe, son of Mrs. E. Cora Rowe, of this place, is a professor at this institution.

Annual Retreat Of Holy Name Society.

During the retreat of the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Catholic church held last week, the services each evening were exceptionally well attended. Rev. Father Dougherty, C. M., Springfield, Mass., gave the retreat.

On Sunday morning at 7 o'clock a Solemn High Mass was solemnized, Father Dougherty was celebrant, Father Hayden, deacon and Father Maloney was sub-deacon. At this Mass the Society received Holy Communion in a body.

At 7.30 P. M., the Society attended the closing exercises of their retreat, a well delivered sermon was given by Father Dougherty and all received a special Papal Benediction and the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. Edgar L. Annan Jr., entertained at Five Hundred last night.

Several cases of measles were reported in and near Emmitsburg this week. The interior of R. L. Annan's Store on the Square, is being repainted this week.

On Wednesday, January 17, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Lawrence celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary.

A number of people received hard falls on the icy pavements the first part of the week.

From a foreign subscriber comes the following: "The Chronicle is always a most welcome paper."

The Civic League will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday evening, January 26.

"I do enjoy the Chronicle, it is such an interesting paper," writes a much valued subscriber from the far South.

The Thurmont bowling team defeated the Emmitsburg team last night in Thurmont by 91 pins.

The maximum temperature during the past week was 44 degrees on Thursday. The minimum was 16 degrees on Monday.

Miss Ruth Topper who was operated on at the Frederick City hospital several weeks ago, has returned home where she is convalescing rapidly.

Among the real estate transfers in the county this week was the following: Frederick C. Goodwin to Charles Corbin Cretin, real estate in county, \$5.

Every night, until a late hour this week the younger element of the town have enjoyed coasting on the nearby hills.

Mr. Lefevre Kerrigan met with a very painful accident while sledding one day this week. The sled on which he was riding ran into a telephone pole and badly crushed his right knee.

From the Court records: The late Eugene L. Rowe, of Emmitsburg, leaves all his estate to his sister, Miss Martha B. Rowe, who is also named as executrix. The will is dated December 3, 1910 and is witnessed by A. A. Horner and E. L. Annan.

A valued Philadelphia subscriber writes the following: "We find the Weekly Chronicle the most interesting and newsiest paper and look forward to receiving same each week and would not want to miss a single copy."

The latest addition to the Chronicle Museum is an English twist-barrel shotgun, with brass mounted stock, the gift of Mr. Samuel F. Rowe. The barrel of this gun, which is very old, is in hexagon form and measures 4 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M., pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church tendered the Holy Name Society a "Smoker" on Tuesday evening. The time was very pleasantly spent and over one hundred men were present.

Mr. William Frailey, a student at "George Washington University," Washington, D. C., recently passed the District of Columbia, State Board Examination and is now a registered Pharmacist. Mr. Frailey is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frailey, of this place.

In the suit of Harry Green against the Emmitsburg Motor Car Company, the jury rendered a verdict for the appellant for \$35. The suit involved a dispute growing out of the purchase of an automobile.

Miss Ann Kirwood Murray, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. John Gardner Murray, of Baltimore, assisted by her sister, Miss Ruth Murray, and a number of next seasons debutantes, will have charge of the sale of candy at the benefit performance on Monday evening at Ford's for the Bryn Mawr School League, when Mrs. Fiske will be seen in "Erstwhile Susan."

Among the fifteen culture supply stations for the use of physicians and tuberculosis patients established in Frederick county by Deputy State Health officer, Dr. R. B. Norment, are two in Emmitsburg; Progressive Pharmacy, Charles J. Rowe and Co., and T. E. Zimmerman druggist. Supplies for these stations will be furnished by the State Board of Health, and are comprised of sputum cups, paper napkins, etc., used for the treatment of tuberculosis patients.

THE LAST WEEK

The Christmas Savings Club

Emmitsburg Savings Bank

Tomorrow, Saturday, January 20, will be the last day on which cards may be taken out in the 1917 Christmas Savings Club. All cards must be paid up to date, or in advance, before the closing of the Club, otherwise they will not bear interest. A few cards remain to be taken out in the more desirable classes. At this date the Club membership exceeds all previous years.

H. M. WARRENFELTZ,
Cashier.

To Inspect Guardsman.

Under instructions from Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, commanding the Department of the East, Major M. B. Stewart, of the United States Infantry, has begun the inspection of the troops in the Maryland National Guard since their federalization last summer.

CHURCH NEWS

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.

REFORMED

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

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

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.

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.



MOTTER-PRICE.

A very pretty wedding took place last evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Motter, East Second street, Frederick, when Miss Lillian E. Motter, became the bride of Mr. Edwin Renolds Price, Van Lear, Kentucky. The best man was Mr. Kennedy Price, Jr., of Brownsville, Pa., and the maid of honor was Miss Serena Motter. The father of the bride, Rev. Isaac M. Motter, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Henri L. G. Kieffer.

The bride was dressed in white satin with touches of hand-embroidery outlined with pearls and of Duchess lace. She wore a white bridal veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and orchids. The maid of honor was dressed in yellow satin trimmed with gold lace and net. She carried a bouquet of violets.

Among the out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hack and daughter Miss Eleanor Hack, of Baltimore, formerly of Emmitsburg; and Mr. L. Edwin Motter, of Emmitsburg.

WATCH YOUR LIGHTS AND TAGS

Substantial Penalties For Disregarding Provisions of Auto Laws.

Motor Vehicle Commissioner Baughman and his deputies are rigidly enforcing the law applicable to lights and licenses on automobiles. The law requires the white light from the rear in such a manner and of sufficient illuminating power to make readable the numbers on the rear license tag. License tags must be fastened so as not to swing; they must be kept clean and be entirely unobscured. The fine is \$5 for disregarding each of these requirements.

Both tags must at all times be carried on the auto, one in the front and the other in the rear. The registration certificate and operator's license must also be carried in the car. Failure to have them constitutes violation of the law.

In Honor of Miss Jessie Rouzer.

A most enjoyable party was given last Thursday evening at Gray Gables, the home of Mrs. Robt. A. Tyson, Thurmont by Mesdames Robt. A. Tyson, E. C. Kefauver, H. D. Beachley and Stanley R. Damuth, in honor of Miss Jesse Rouzer, whose marriage to Mr. Francis Matthews will take place on February 21st.

Five Hundred was played during the evening, after which the guests assembled in the dining room where the color scheme for decoration and favors, was yellow and white—when dainty refreshments were served.

At the close of the evening's festivities the bride to be was presented with a beautiful cut glass compote, the gift of the hostesses.

Entertains At Auction Bridge.

Mrs. A. A. Horner entertained at Auction on Tuesday night at her home on West Main Street. The following were present: Mesdames, J. Brooke Boyle, J. Stewart Annan, E. Cora Rowe, T. E. Zimmerman, George Cook, E. L. Annan, Sr., E. L. Annan, Jr., A. A. Horner; Misses Ann and Estelle Codori, Helen K. Hoke, Elizabeth Horner, Anna and Alice Annan, Marion Hoke, Ruth and Helen Shuff.

On The Honor Roll.

Sergeant John E. Buffington, of Taneytown, who served in the Company C, 6th. Maryland Regiment, has had his name placed by order of the War Department, on the Medal of Honor Roll, which admission carries on extra pension of \$10 a month for conspicuous gallantry in action in carrying the lines of the enemy at Petersburg, Va.

Another Taneytown soldier of the regular Army, Mr. Harry L. Baumgardner, has received from the War Dept. his marksmen's pin, and sharpshooter's badge, to which he has been entitled ever since being discharged from army service. He had a mark of 70 as marksmen and 80 as sharpshooter. The badges are of silver and are quite handsome, aside from being souvenirs of value to him.

The Habit of Taking Cold.

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90°F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere.

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S. L. FISHER, optometrist of Baltimore will be at the New Slagle Hotel Wednesday, January 24th., one day only, usual monthly visit, good glasses as low as one dollar, see our Ad. elsewhere in this paper.

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Bungalow or Cottage in Emmitsburg or Thurmont, six or more rooms, must be furnished and modern. Reference exchanged. Address.

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REWARD.

Lost a pocketbook containing money, January 18, between Boyle Brother's warehouse and Ober's school house, by way of Presbyterian cemetery. Reward if returned to CHRONICLE office. adv.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The list of delinquent taxpayers of Frederick County will be printed in the newspapers of the county on or about Jan. 17. This refers to taxes for 1916. R. G. HARLEY,
County Treasurer.

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 - A lot of Carpet and Matting
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ACROSS THE LINE

Debt on the St. James church, Gettysburg, has been reduced nearly \$40,000 in a period of four years, it was shown by reports made at a recent meeting of the church council. The present debt on the edifice is \$10,700, while four years ago it was \$50,500.

Caught beneath a falling tree last Thursday afternoon, Hiram Miller, Fairfield, sustained a compound fracture of the left leg and was forced to lie on the ground exposed to the cold for more than a half hour before help arrived and he was released. The accident occurred at Mr. Miller's farm about a mile east of Fairfield. He and a hireling, a Mr. Krider, were engaged at felling the tree. It crashed down before Mr. Miller could get from under it and his leg, struck between the knee and ankle, was crushed beneath it.

Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, superintendent of the Hoffman Orphanage, who has conducted the institution near Littlestown successfully since its establishment several years ago, has resigned and his place will be taken by the Rev. Andrew H. Smith, York.

Plans contemplated for some time and now rapidly draw to a stage which will warrant a definite announcement of expected success, are about to be given to the public for the establishment in Gettysburg of a hospital. The manner of financing the project, the question of its conduct, and all other details, are assuming definite form and the physicians at the head of the movement state that within a few days they will be able to outline for publication the entire matter.

A movement has been launched for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of Newville. A week will be set aside, late in May or early in June, and the exercises will combine, with an old home week, a celebration, including pageants, processions and a variety of exercises. The town was laid out in February, 1817, but the celebration will be postponed until the weather is more favorable for outdoor exercises.

George S. Billmeyer, 65 years old, one of the pioneer car builders of York, died suddenly last Saturday night of heart trouble. He was president of the Billmeyer & Small Company, which was founded by his father, Charles M. Billmeyer. This company built the cars used on the first railroad in Japan.

Miss G. Alice L. Sites, daughter of George F. Sites, Fairfield, and Lawrence W. Baltzley, son of Mrs. William Baltzley, McKnightstown, were married December 31st at the home of George P. Sites, Woonsocket, South Dakota. They will reside in Woonsocket.

Alleging that Michael M. Brown, a butcher, of York negligently kept a vat of hot lard in his slaughter barn, into which his 9-year-old son fell, Calvin Pentz, father of the injured boy, instituted two damage suits Monday against Brown, one for \$10,000 and the other for \$1,000. It is alleged by Mr. Brown that the boy, on account of his injuries, will never be able to earn a livelihood. The suit for \$1,000 is to cover the costs of physicians, nurses and medicine.

Six veterans of the Civil war, three of Adams county and the others of York, have benefited by pension raises through the efforts of Congressman Daniel F. Lafean. The bill providing for the pension increases passed the house of representatives late last Friday night. Those receiving increased pensions in Adams county are:

Joseph Taylor, Virginia Mills, who served with company G, Twenty-first regiment, Pennsylvania cavalry, \$36 a month.

Francis R. Culp, Arendtsville, who served with Company K, Seventy-sixth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, \$36 a month.

David Freed, Arendtsville, Adams county, who served with the Twenty-first regiment, Pennsylvania cavalry, \$30 a month.

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LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mrs. George W. Pittenger and son, Harvey, spent Tuesday afternoon with her son, Mr. Elmer J. Pittenger and family.

Mrs. Samuel Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. Ethel M. Pittenger and family on Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. W. Pittenger and Clarence R. Moser spent Thursday in Frederick on business.

Mrs. Clara M. Moser, of LeGore Valley, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pittenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Pittenger and children spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grogg and family, of near Rocky Ridge.

Mr. Samuel Grogg and family, of near Rocky Ridge, spent Tuesday with Mr. Elmer J. Pittenger.

Mr. Maryland Thompson and Mrs. M. A. Hawkins, of Montgomery Co., visited Mr. Jesse Fox and family the past week.

Mr. Jesse Fox attended the organ recital at Thurmont on Tuesday evening last.

Mrs. Sadie Kolb is visiting Mrs. Mollie Kolb and family.

Mr. Jesse Fox and friend spent Sunday evening in Graceham and Thurmont.

Mr. Washington Pittenger spent a day with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence R. Moser, of LeGore Valley.

Misses Edith and Beulah Tressler spent Sunday with Misses Ruth and Leah Fox, of Creagerstown.

Miss Ada B. Pittenger spent Friday with Miss Leah Fox, of near Creagerstown.

GRACEHAM

Mr. Raymond Boller spent Sunday with his cousin, Miss Belva Slottlemeyer of Wolfsville.

Miss Lula Snowberger and Mr. Hovis of Waynesboro, spent Sunday with Miss Jessie Hesser.

Mr. Mahlon Barton spent Sunday with Mr. Charlie Troxell and family.

Miss Laura Zentz and daughter Hazel, visited Mr. Geo. Zentz, of near Moters, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Alvey Zimmerman, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. Clyde Young and family and Mr. Will Martin spent Sunday with Mr. Ben Keiholtz, of near Harmony Grove.

The Minerva Club gave Messrs. Raymond and Otto Boller a surprise Thursday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and music, and at 11 o'clock all were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served. Those present were: Rev. W. R. Scheel and wife, Mrs. Harry Null, Mrs. Mattie Colliflower, Mr. and Mrs. John Pittinger, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. William Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boller; Misses Lottie Troxell, Belva Colliflower, Glenna Boller, Cordie Pyle, Florence Colliflower, Agnes Joy, Ollie, Ruth and Dorothy Boller, Hazel and Lottie Zentz, Florence Buhrman, Bessie and Elsie Crawford, Marie Firor; Messrs. Raymond and Otto Boller, Hubert Joy, Elmer and Luther Buhrman, Charles Troxell, George Hoover, Freddie Firor, Leslie Troxell, Charles Miller, Guy Crawford, Will Dubel, Guy Boller, John Cramer, Edward Boller.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fox and two children spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Agnes Colliflower.

Mrs. Adam Lentz visited Mr. and Mrs. John Joy Tuesday evening.

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George Shorb and daughter, Bertha and son, Daniel.
Mrs. Shorb who has been ill remains the same.
Mrs. Oden and son spent a few days in Waynesboro last week.
Mr. David Guise lost a valuable horse by death last week.

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late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of August, 1917, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 11th day of January, 1917.

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EIGHT CLUBS IN NINETEEN-SEVENTEEN BLUE RIDGE LEAGUE

Admits Cumberland And Piedmont Into The Circuit.—To Play 98-Game Schedule.

The Blue Ridge League known in the baseball world as a six club circuit will hereafter be among the eight club circuits of the class D standing this year. At the annual meeting, in the Hagerstown courthouse Tuesday afternoon, of the Blue Ridge League, composed last year of Hagerstown, Frederick, Martinsburg, Chambersburg, Hanover and Gettysburg, it was unanimously voted to admit Cumberland and Piedmont into the circuit.

Applications from Johnstown, Altoona, Uniontown and York were rejected.

A motion to make the salary limit \$1,000 a month, including manager, was adopted after a heated discussion. The president was authorized to appoint a secretary at a salary of \$200 a year.

Ninety-eight games will be played. The president has been instructed to formulate a schedule and submit it to the officers for adoption.

The following officers were elected: President J. Vincent Jamison, Jr., vice-presidents, Col. Joseph C. Roulette, Hagerstown; Col. Nelson Russler, Cumberland; F. K. Schmidt, Frederick; W. H. Fisher, Chambersburg; D. E. J. Meisenhelder, Hanover; G. C. Kimball, Gettysburg; C. C. Culbertson, Piedmont; treasurer, Mac Von Schlegel, Martinsburg.

Chemist Has Invented Mineral Soup.

A Philadelphia chemist has invented a mineral soup that is pronounced fully as nutritious as the finest beef extract. It is a decidedly peculiar recipe and one that might well make the ordinary cook book shudder. You take portions of sodium phosphate and calcium carbonate and ammonia sulphate, add a little sugar and a small amount of yeast. These ingredients are mixed and set away until reaction by autolysis ensues, and a brown sticky paste that has all the nutritive qualities of commercial beef extract is produced.

Wayne MacVeagh, President Grant's minister to Turkey, Attorney General in the Cabinet of President Garfield, President Cleveland's ambassador to Italy, and brother to Franklin MacVeagh, former Secretary of the Treasury, died at Washington last Thursday, at his winter residence, 1719 Massachusetts avenue.

WHY MD. FARMERS SHOULD ORGANIZE

CLEARLY SHOWN IN ANNUAL REPORTS OF COUNTY DEMONSTRATION AGENTS.

ESSENTIAL TO DEVELOPMENT

Enables Farmers To Aid Themselves and Each Other In Solving Their Problems.

College Park, Md., Jan. 18.—The improvement of farming methods and conditions in Maryland during the year past as indicated through the reports of the several county demonstration agents has been measured to a large extent by the growth of farmers' organizations in their various sections. Although steady and consistent improvement has resulted in most sections where the individual demonstrator has carried out his work successfully, the best results are being obtained where the progressive farmers of a neighborhood have joined with the County Agent in forming a local farmers' club, grange, or community association. Through co-operation with such farmers' organizations the influence of the County Agent is much increased. There is a better understanding of his work, questions are freely asked and answered, and the average farmer goes home to his own labors knowing better how to make use of the services of his County Agent and along with lines his fellow-farmers think improvements in his farm operations should be made.

In Harford county, for instance through the influence of the county grange organization and the several local farmers' clubs, the farmers of that section are progressing rapidly in improving farming conditions. Where here and there, an individual or a neighborhood showed commendable progress, whole communities, and, in fact, the agricultural interests of the entire county are awake to the needs of their section. Following the organization of various communities in the county into clubs, granges, and associations, the farmers of Harford county have organized other associations for the promotion of special industries to which the county is adapted, such as cow testing, corn breeders', and milk producers' associations that are already bearing practical fruit in making farming a better paying business in this section.

The presence and growth of these organizations has been especially helpful in enabling the farmers of Harford county to make the most intelligent use of their County Agent, T. E. McLaughlin, who has accomplished some most helpful work during his first year's employment. The most recent step in which he has actively co-operated has been in the organization of eleven boys' agricultural clubs in connection with the schools of Harford county and with the consent and support of the school authorities. In taking this advanced step, Harford county has taken another long stride toward settling the question of how we shall keep the farm boy on the farm. Yet without the strong backing of local farmers' clubs and granges, such a forward step could not have been taken or thought of. The best support that any county demonstration agent receives comes from the progressive farmers' clubs and granges of his county whom he has convinced of the value of his services and the most practical method of developing the agricultural interests of his territory. On the other hand, the Maryland farmer who is making the greatest profitable profit and at the same time getting the most healthy enjoyment out of life for his family and himself is the member of the local farmers' club or grange or community association made possible through his efforts and intelligent co-operation with his County Demonstration Agent and his State College of Agriculture.

Planning the Farm Garden.

College Park, Md., Jan. 18.—The importance of the farm garden to the country household is now being impressed on the students of the Maryland State College of Agriculture enrolled in the correspondence course on vegetable growing. In connection with planning the farm garden, the writer, E. F. Stoddard, says:

"Long before the time of seed planting, the size of the plot should be secured and a plan of the garden drawn to scale. This will enable the grower to figure out just how many rows of vegetables he can have, and also just where each vegetable will be planted. Then when planting time comes, the work can proceed without further difficulty. An architect always draws a plan before he builds a house. Is it not just as important for the gardener to plan his work beforehand? The exact plan of the garden will depend upon the personal tastes of the owner and will be different for each individual.

"Whatever the size of the garden may be it should be oblong in shape, that is about twice as long as it is wide. Plantings are made in long rows, wide apart, to permit of horse tillage as much as is possible. Here every effort should be made to reduce hand labor to the minimum, for time is more expensive to the farmer than space. The main effort should be to produce the best yields with a minimum expenditure of labor, regardless of the space required.

GET TOGETHER FOR PERMANENT PROSPERITY.

Every man and woman engaged in American factories, mills and mines, whether they know English or speak it, are naturalized or intend to become citizens, have a direct interest in maintaining industrial prosperity. When times are good, all workers should not only be thrifty in habit and lay up a little something for possible rainy days, but they should do all they can to keep the good times with us.

Simply because your language is different from that of the foreman, overseer, superintendent, manager or owner of the plant in which you earn a living, is no excuse for misunderstanding your own common interest in prosperity by hating your partner in your own industry or listening to and following the gospel of dissension and violence which selfish agitators so often preach.

Do not blindly follow the man who tells you how hard your lot is. Often he is doing so untruthfully and for the purpose of getting you to contribute membership money for his own support in idleness. Agitators get rich by preying on the men in American industry, whom they urge into unlawful or harmful acts by misrepresenting conditions or holding out foolish and false promises of better things if they follow their orders. You know conditions yourself, and you know or ought to know that the man or men whom the agitator who pictures your employer as an inhuman driving machine is actually a partner with you, interested in having the plant or industry successful.

The more successful your plant or industry becomes, the more room for you to grow with it there will be. It should be your feeling, then, that you will not do as little as you may find it convenient to do, but to do just as much as you possibly can do, and then reasonably expect to share in the rewards that always come to the efficient worker.

Do not be a clock watcher in the factory. Those who wait for hours to strike or whistles to blow and "soldier" at the bench, machine or in the office, never get ahead in the ranks of industry. They never get any more pay because they are not worth any more, and often are worth less than they get. Remember the old adage that a man who never does any more or as much as he gets paid for, never gets paid for any more than he does.—Industrial Conservation, N. Y.

PUTTING BUSINESS RIGHT WITH THE PUBLIC.

A few years ago some big industrial organizations and certain railroads employed business tactics which, according to the popular idea, would make the financial adventures of Pizarro. Morgan or Captain Kidd look as amateurish as the verbal exploits of Bobby Make-Believe.

All are more or less acquainted with the details. We will concede that there were some glaring abuses, but the public when it came to apply a remedy ignored the fact that these were peculiar to comparatively few institutions and instead of tackling the trouble where it lay furiously assailed everything classifiable as business—the trust magnate, the independent manufacturer ready and anxious to obey the law, the small retailer, a law abiding and useful citizen—the innocent and the guilty suffering alike. Seemingly the law was invoked not to regulate, but to persecute.

There could be but one result. Business was demoralized, and the whole country has felt the evil effects. Now the public is beginning to realize its error and in a rather grudging way is making some concessions.

Business is being permitted to speak for itself, and a movement has been instituted by the leading business men of the country under the title of the National Industrial Conservation Movement for the purpose of repairing the damage that has been done. Nothing revolutionary is contemplated. The plan is simply to educate the public by taking it into the business man's confidence. Meetings will be held in various trade and industrial centers. All classes of citizens will be invited. The purpose of these meetings is to give the public a new and correct viewpoint as to the effects of drastic legislation and restriction of business on the prosperity of the country. Every effort will be made to give the public a clear view of the problems and difficulties which beset business.

Special favors are not sought through these meetings, only fair play. It is believed that once the citizen grasps the situation his whole attitude toward business will change and that he will readily co-operate toward bringing about better conditions.

Common Capitalists.

Every man or woman who possesses a dollar or owns a set of tools is a capitalist. People generally make the mistake of thinking that the only form of capital in existence is the national currency—the dollar, franc, ruble, mark, lire or pound sterling. Yet everybody knows that many a successful business man's only original capital was brains, knowledge, ability, determination or ingenuity. It would be well for more people to recognize this truism before abetting, either by action or attitude, ceaseless efforts on the part of some political or other self-seekers, to hobble business men and industrial development. Such is the spirit of industrial patriotism which is needed in America.—Industrial Conservation, New York.

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