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AUTO ASSESSMENT

Protest Petition Filed—School Board Stands Pat—Rumors of Legal Difficulties

The Board of Education met on Monday night to hear appeals on the assessment. As was predicted a protest was entered by several automobile owners on the rate of assessment of cars.

Samuel J. Wright presented a petition, representing 32 car owners, protesting against the rate as fixed by the Board last week. The Board after hearing the several different arguments presented, decided to let the rate of assessment, 25 per cent of the retail value, stand.

As has been reported in The Post the Board of Education has held three meetings on the question of auto assessment. At its last meeting the representative of the automobile interests presented what has proven to be their ultimatum: "Assess the cars at 20 per cent of their retail value for three years and we will pay our taxes. This seems to us a fair assessment."

The Board at that meeting after a lengthy discussion decided on 25 per cent the first year, 20 the second and third years, and 15 the fourth year—this being, as one member said, according to his best judgement, "We have been elected

to this office," he said, "and have made this assessment, what to our mind is only fair and equitable. Criticisms of our judgement have come from prominent, but from very few taxpayers. If they would accept 20 per cent as a fair proposition and we in our judgement decide on 25 to my mind good citizenship will pay the tax."

Last year the legal right to assess automobiles for school purposes was questioned, and by a friendly suit a decision was handed down by the court in favor of the school board. Charles B. Evans, legal counsel for the Board, had charge of the case.

There are rumors that several car owners will refuse to pay their taxes. With the decision of the court in favor of the School Board and Charles B. Evans, its counsel, who is also one of the protestants, some interesting developments may be expected. As one of the humbler tax-payers said yesterday "As usual the man who works will pay the bill."

(Note: In our next issue a review of the auto assessment difficulties will be given in these columns.)

Open Air Services To Continue

By a practically unanimous vote at the open air service held on the College campus last Sunday, it was decided to continue these helpful twilight services during the month of August. For the next two weeks Rev. H. B. Phelps of St. Thomas P. E. Church will be the minister in charge; for the last two weeks, Rev. L. E. Poole of the M. E. Church of Newark, Rev. W. J. Rowan of the Presbyterian Church will be absent until the regular church services are resumed in September.

Sail For Europe

Professor and Mrs. H. Hayward sailed Tuesday from Boston on the steamship Arabic, White Star Line for Liverpool. Professor Hayward will spend most of his time in County Ayr, with headquarters Kilmarnock, Scotland, taking side trips into the Highlands. Mrs. Hayward will spend the time in sightseeing in Edinburgh, Glasgow and Dundee. They will sail from Liverpool for home on August 26th, on the steamship Cymric. Mary Frances Hayward is spending the month with her grandparents at Northwood Narrows, N. H.

From Friends In London

Cards have been received from Professor and Mrs. E. V. Vaughn, mailed from London, July 14th. They left that city July 19 for Oxford, Warwick, etc., thence to Paris.

Lawn Fete Success

The "True Blue" S. S. Class, from Jackson Union S. S., near Cowentown, held a successful lawn fete at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steele, on Wednesday evening, July 16. Twenty members of the "True Blue" class were present. The proceeds amounting to \$18.24 will benefit Jackson S. S. which was organized in 1818. This school and the one at Leeds, organized in 1816, are the oldest in Cecil county, Md.

GROWTH OF NEWARK SCHOOLS

Some Statistics Given Out by Board

The following report, compiled by the Board of Education, shows the consistent increase in the enrollment of the Newark public schools.

Number of pupils enrolled at beginning, middle and end of each year.

Kindergarten—1910-1911, Sept. 30, Jan. 25, June 22; 1911-1912, Sept. 33, Jan. 34, June 32; 1912-1913, Sept. 25, Jan. 26, April 40.

Primary—1909-1910, Sept. 92, Jan. 93, June 96; 1910-1911, Sept. 84, Jan. 98, June 107; 1911-1912, Sept. 101, Jan. 99, June 101; 1912-1913, Sept. 107, Jan. 106, April 97.

Intermediate—1909-1910, Sept. 130, Jan. 137, June 125; Sept. 129, June 135; ET ETA ETA ET Jan. 135, June 125; 1911-1912, Sept. 138, Jan. 139, June 135; 1912-1913, Sept. 141, Jan. 137, April 136.

Grammar—1909-1910, Sept. 138, Jan. 132, June 107; 1910-1911, Sept. 127, Jan. 129, June 123; 1911-1912, Sept. 130, Jan. 139, June 113; 1912-1913, Sept. 132, Jan. 143, April 130.

Affiliated College Site Deeded To State

Land for the Affiliated College has been deeded to the State. The signing of the papers was completed on last Wednesday night, and check for \$9,000 amount held in option, was paid to Chas. Wollaston. When the Commission first considered the different propositions, Mr. S. J. Wright, the local representative of the Board of Trustees, was authorized to secure the option on this property pending the decision of choice of properties. This was done, as it was impossible for the Commission itself to take such option.

There was some thought that the deed be held by some individual in order that streets might be laid out at once, if the Commission so desired. No one felt willing to assume this responsibility so the title was made out direct to the State. Now, in order to lay out any streets or sell any portion as has been suggested, it will be necessary to secure an act of the General Assembly at its next session.

The Commission will meet on Monday next, August 4th, to consider plans and specifications to be submitted by the architects. It is supposed that work will be started at the earliest practicable moment.

Rumors that the buildings will not be ready for occupancy by September 1914, as required by the Act authorizing their construction are no doubt ill-founded and are in the main being nurtured by those opposed or lukewarm to the whole idea. Those acquainted with the personnel of the Commission feel confident that every thing possible will be done to have the buildings complete for the opening of the fall term.

Card Club Discontinued

An authorized report has come to this office that one of the Card Clubs, prominent in last season's social life of Newark will be discontinued. This action, said a prominent member of the Club, is in deference to the wishes of the clergymen of the town as expressed in their resolutions, published recently in The Post.

Bessie Patchen A Winner

Word was received here last evening that Bessie Patchen, owned by Charles Lafferty, Maplehurst Farm, won the race yesterday at Tasley, Virginia.

The popular little mare was driven by Clark McCanns who really found her. She is reported to have won the race in 2.18. Local horsemen are loud in praise for the Pencader wonder.

Miss Smithson

Makes Many Friends

In reckoning the success of the Summer School the name of Miss Smithson the matron, will stand ever prominent in the minds of the students with whom she came in contact. Her kindness and attention to details were the source of feeling of hospitality. Her interest in the teachers was so clearly demonstrated that they felt always a hearty welcome. The service at the Dining Hall under her supervision was the subject of wide comment. Miss Smithson was indeed a popular member of the Summer School Faculty and is so rated and remembered throughout the State.

Recovery Hoped For

Joseph Brown, well known in this vicinity who was found lying unconscious in a ditch on his farm about 10 days ago is still in serious condition, but the physician in charge has hopes for his recovery. It is not definitely known just how the accident occurred but it is believed that his horse became frightened and threw him out of the vehicle.

WEDDINGS

SHELLENDER-PEMBERTON.

Ira Cloud Shellender and Miss Alice Pemberton, both of Newark, were quietly married at the Newark Manse, by Rev. W. J. Rowan, last Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Shellender went immediately to their furnished home, in the Pemberton property on Main street.

Boy Scouts Camp Along Susquehanna

An enthusiastic troop of Boy Scouts, under Scoutmaster T. F. Manns, left early Monday morning for a two weeks camping trip along the shores of the Susquehanna, near Charlestown, Md.

The boys left town about 5 a. m. in light marching trim, for the fifteen mile hike to their camping grounds, reaching the chosen spot about 11.45. All the scouts were in excellent spirits at the end of the march, in spite of the heat. With the exception of sore and tired feet, in one or two instances, there were no unpleasant results from the long walk.

Patrol leaders and assistants went by train with all the baggage early in the day, so that there was welcome awaiting the hikers upon their arrival at camp.

The camp is conducted strictly according to regulations laid down in the Scouts' Manual, with the idea of developing self-reliance along all lines. It may be safely predicted that the boys are having jolly times over their experiments in cooking and are daily storing up memories which will enliven their future years.

E. L. Richards and family spent today at camp, and many other friends of the Scouts are planning to visit them during the week.

To Combine Institutes

County Superintendent of Public Schools, J. M. Carroll of Kent County and E. L. Cross, the newly appointed superintendent of New Castle County have decided to hold a joint Teachers Institute in the Dover Opera House beginning November 10 and continuing four days, or one day longer than has been the custom in recent years. The combining of the two institutes is considered by the superintendents to be beneficial to both teachers and superintendents. Dr. Wagner, Delaware's new State Commissioner of Education, will assist in the Institute, as well as well-known instructors already secured by Professor Carroll. Prof. Carroll will also have charge of the State Colored Institute, which will be held in Dover at the same time. The combining of the two institutes will bring to the State Capital over four hundred teachers.

Governor Names Commission

Governor Miller on Monday announced the following appointments. Members of the Panama Pacific International Exposition, as authorized under an act of the last Delaware Legislature creating a commission to be known as the Panama Pacific Commission of Delaware, of which the governor is to be chairman and the secretary of state to be secretary, the remaining members of the commission to be from the three counties as follows:

New Castle county—Thomas F. Bayard, Henry P. Scott.

Kent county—Benjamin A. Hezel, Walter O. Hoffecker, both of Smyrna.

Former Governor S. S. Pennewill and James J. Ross, Sussex county.

The commission have power to employ agents and persons to collect articles of natural and industrial production of Delaware. Also to collect portraits of value to the state to be exhibited as state exhibits. \$1,000 is appropriated for the commission to do its work, the members of the commission serving without pay.

Lawn Fete A Success

The Lawn Fete held on Salem School lawn last Wednesday evening far exceeded all expectations. Miss Longstreet, an elocutionist of Baltimore, favored the company with several fine selections. Musical selections were given by Mr. Harry W. Davis of Coopers Bridge and Mrs. Holcomb of Philadelphia, which were enjoyed by all. The sum of \$25 was realized and the commissioners desire to thank all who helped in any way to make the affair a success.

Violated Game Laws

For violation of the State game laws, Milford Cooling, of Rehoboth was compelled to pay a fine of \$10 and costs, the arrest being made by State game warden F. B. Murphy.

CO. E RETURNS FROM CAMP

Week of Work and Play Enjoyed by All

Co. E returned home at noon Saturday after a week's outing at Camp MacDonough, the Annual Camp of Instruction for the Militia. The boys were all tanned and looked like veteran campaigners as they marched from the station to their Armory. The camp this year was declared the best in all respects ever held.

Thursday was Governor's Day and a busy one for the boys as they were put through a number of drills and were officially reviewed by Governor Miller and staff. This was the "big day" at camp and, as one of the boys expressed it, the day of "big eats."

The first rain of the encampment came in the afternoon, but not enough to stop the scheduled program. Among the many to shake hands with the Governor were Mr. Eben Frazer, Mr. John Pilling and Mr. Nathan Motherall of Newark. Cigars were received from Leslie Hill. It has been his custom to treat the boys of Co. E every year.

Athletic events were a feature of the afternoon. Co. E had a good representation in the various events. Three of the boys were on the Second Battalion team in the base ball game between the First and Second Battalions, the game being won by the latter with a score of 10 to 8.

Friday was also a strenuous day instruction being given in the bivouac as in active service. A march of about a mile in heavy

marching order was made, the men proceeding directly to the site of the bivouac. The camp was quickly established under the direction of the officers; the shelter or "dog" tents erected, each tent sheltering two men, one half of a tent being carried by each man; fires built and the evening meal prepared. Each man prepared his own supper, consisting of 2 potatoes, 2 onions, 8 ounces of bacon, bread and coffee.

In the morning the temporary camp was broken, the men returning to the main camp where "police duty"—the gathering of garbage and cleaning of the camp stables was engaged in. Camp was then broken although some of the companies did not leave until afternoon. Because of being first in camp Co. E was the first to leave.

The officers and men were highly commended by regular army officers who declared the encampment one of the best in the country, the men and equipment comparing favorably with the regular army.

Co. E qualified quite number of marksmen and in a number of ways was one of the best companies in camp. With a proper Armory in which to practice and drill it would soon develop into a crack company. The boys intend going right after the new Armory and the hearty support of the citizens is earnestly asked for as the Armory would be an advantage to the town as well as the company.

Great Plans For Woods Meeting

Great preparations are being made for the annual Harvest Home to be held in Whiteman's Grove on Thursday afternoon and evening, August 14, under the auspices of the ladies of Ebenezer Church.

Kemblesville Band will furnish music during the afternoon and evening. All kinds of outdoor sports will figure prominently in the entertainment planned by the young people. Supper, of the kind for which the housewives of the community are famous, will be served in the evening.

A pleasing feature of the formal program will be the chorus of one hundred voices, led by Professor Denny, prominently known in Wilmington musical circles. This will be perhaps the largest outdoor choir ever assembled in rural Delaware.

The speakers for the day include Mrs. May Pauline Sparks of the National W. C. T. U., who will discuss "Life, Power and Reform," at 11 a. m.; Rev. Henry G. Budd of the Wilmington Conference will make the first address in the afternoon at 2 o'clock on "Christian Education"; Rev. E. C. Sunfield, Secretary of Wilmington City Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will talk on "The Down Side of Life" at 3 p. m.

In the evening Rev. Asbury Burke of Bethel, Md., the popular orator at last year's celebration, will speak at 8 p. m. Although the subject has not been announced, the name of the speaker is sufficient to draw a large audience from the entire community.

Sunday School Picnics

The Sunday School of St. Thomas' P. E. Church held their annual picnic on the Welsh Tract green today. The children were taken in wagons leaving the church at 10 a. m., and thoroughly enjoyed the day.

The Presbyterian picnic was held on Welsh Tract green last Wednesday, about seventy sitting down to the tempting basket luncheon set forth under the trees. Many other visitors arrived in the afternoon and spent a jolly day on the popular picnic grounds.

About 120 members of the congregation of the M. E. Church boarded the train at the B. & O. Station, Newark, last Thursday for Brandywine Springs Park. Large picnic baskets were much in evidence as the jolly crowd transferred from the steam cars at Kiamensi to the trolley at Marshallton. After arriving at the Springs a tempting picnic dinner was serv-

Celebration Of Mass

Mass will be celebrated at the Catholic Church on next Sunday, August 3rd, at 8 and 9.30 a. m.

OBITUARY

KATHARINE MOORE. Katharine, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, died at the home of her parents Monday after an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services will be held on Friday at 10.30. Interment at Bethel, Md.

GOOD ROADS AND SCHOOLS

Their Importance In The Development Of The Community

The Good Roads movement is being widely agitated and is of especial interest to Delaware because of the appropriations made by the last legislature for the building and maintenance of roads in the State.

The following illustrated lecture, delivered at the Summer School by Mrs. A. H. Reeves of Moorestown, N. J., is of timely interest. Mrs. Reeves is connected with the Office of Public Roads, which is under the direction of the Department of Agriculture.

As illustrations of actual instances carry more weight than mere theories, over 100 pictures were shown of actual examples of good and bad roads, the majority of which are located in Maryland, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, as being more suited to the requirements of Delaware.

The speaker considered the subject in its many phases and presented her plan and arguments in favor of better roads in a very convincing manner.

First and as of most importance, the relation of roads and school attendance was shown. It was proven that roads had the greatest effect on rural school attendance; that while in districts where roads were unimproved the attendance in bad weather dropped to almost nothing, in communities with good roads it was affected very slightly.

But the results of bad roads is more far reaching than this; it results in a greater percentage of illiteracy in rural districts than in towns, where sidewalks and streets afford easy access to the schools. It was shown that the percentage of illiterate persons is in direct ratio to the percentage of improved roads; that while in a number of southern states where only 1½ per cent of the total mileage of roads is improved illiteracy is many times greater than in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, and other leading states, where 30 per cent of the roads are improved.

Furthermore, bad roads are the cause of many farmers moving to the cities that their children may have the advantages of better educational and social facilities. The social side is a highly important feature of country life and deserving of much consideration. Lack of social life and recreation in rural districts is accountable for a large percentage of cases of insanity.

Country churches, a very important feature in rural social life, have suffered greatly in point of attendance, and in a number of instances it has become necessary to close them, all due to bad roads.

Bad roads are also responsible for countless cases of sickness, and many persons have died through the inability of a physician to reach them because of bad roads. These various effects combine to affect rural population, with the result that population has decreased in a number of cases in communities where roads were unimproved.

But in many localities where farms, homes, methods and roads are up-to-date the schools are a hundred years behind and are usually located on some small unimproved roads. The speaker earnestly advocated consolidated rural schools, easily reached by good roads, and a number of pictures

New State Flag Selected

A new State flag was selected by a Commission appointed for the purpose, at a meeting held at Dover last week. The Commission composed of the Secretary of State Thomas W. Miller, President pro tem George W. Marshall of the Senate and Speaker Chauncey P. Holcomb of the House, was named by the last legislature.

The new design selected is of a flag of Colonial blue with a diamond of buff in the center and the State seal in the center of this. Underneath this will be placed the date of ratification of the Federal Constitution by Delaware, which was the first state to take this step. The governor's flag will be identical with the State flag with the exception that it will be fringed and surmounted by a blue fighting cock.

The commission will file its findings with the recorder's office of Kent County and also the office of Secretary of State. The presentation of the new flag to the State and to the Governor will probably not be before the first part of next year.

New County Superintendent

J. L. Cross, principal of the High School in New Castle, has been appointed by Governor Miller to succeed A. H. Stoddard as superintendent of schools in New Castle county. Prof. Cross has had valuable experience in educational

varieties means \$125 per acre. One man in Kent boasts of receipts of \$251.83 from two acres last year.

Collecting Portraits

A second commission met at Dover on Friday afternoon to take steps to procure portraits of Delaware as prominent in public life, for the State House gallery. It is the purpose of the Commission to secure portraits of all colonial patriots up to the year 1776 and of all State officials of Delaware, including governors, congressmen, United States Senators, members of the judiciary, etc. Owing to the small appropriation at the disposal of the commission at this time, it was decided to purchase the portraits of distinguished officials living.

The commission believes that there are portraits in existence in various parts of the State which would add greatly to the collection.

We should not make the mistake of waiting until the pupils reach the high schools and colleges to teach them the value of good roads, as only a small percentage ever reach these institutions. It is not intended to make road builders of these children, but to impress upon them so strongly the necessity of good roads that they will advocate and support improvement along this line.

In some sections of the country the larger boys have become so deeply interested as to spend a few minutes every day on their way to and from school in repairing roads.

With the coming generations also rests our hopes for more sightly rural school grounds. All that is needed to accomplish this is a clearing away of rubbish and giving Nature a chance.

The need of good roads for transportation was forcibly illustrated by pictures showing roads before and after improvement, and loads possible of being hauled there out.

In Germany a ton may be hauled a mile for 8 cents; in France for 10 cents; in the United States it averages 23 cents, thereby inevitably raising the cost of living. From this it will be seen that good roads are not a luxury but an absolute economic necessity.

The value of the King split log drag was demonstrated, showing that a very little work with this appliance will keep the roads in almost perfect condition at a minimum cost.

The connection of rural mail delivery and good roads was shown by the statement that there are now 40,000 rural routes in the country. By bad roads the effectiveness of the service is greatly impaired. A law now requires a carrier to report within 24 hours to his chief any exceptionally bad road on his route. The chief, in turn, must report within 24 hours to the Office of Public Roads at Washington, when the road is condemned and mail delivery stopped until the road is put in good condition.

The lecture closed with the showing of pictures of interesting and famous roads throughout the world. Among these roads were: the Snake Route in Arizona; roads in Yosemite Valley, California; English roads; roads in Holland, built along the tops of dikes to save space; French roads, the best in the world today; roads in Germany; Devil's Bridge, between Switzerland and Italy, one of the world's greatest road engineering feats; Italian roads, among these being the wonderful Appian Way, built in the days of the Roman Empire and still in constant use; and the road leading to the pyramids of Cheops, used for the transportation of materials for that pile, and probably the oldest used road in the world today.

fields in Delaware and goes into office with the undivided support of the county. For a number of years he was principal of the Wilmington Conference Academy in Dover, and of the Milford public schools, before going to New Castle a year ago. The most important problem that confronts the new superintendent is the upbuilding of the rural schools of Delaware.

He is a beautiful black and cannot be excelled. He stands 16 hands high and weighs 1600 lbs.

Come and see him and some of his gels.

JOSEPH HIGGINS,
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July 20, 1913

Following a recent visit to Delaware made by J. J. Boonsteel, soil specialist of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, many truckers in Kent and Sussex County have acted upon his suggestions concerning the cantaloupe crop. There are often dry seasons while this crop, which cannot stand too much dry weather, is ripening. The fruit may live but it will be premature or blighted.

After waiting a reasonable time for rain Mr. Boonsteel advised getting out the small spray cart. This can be filled at the run and driven over the field at evening, so that the moisture may be and co-cooled with the dew. A number of farmers are trying this method this season and the crop in Delaware promises to be unusually good.

They are fast becoming one of the staples of the peninsula. The price, \$1.75 a carter for the early

they are making. They would be glad to hear of any one who knows of any portraits, daguerreotypes or photographs. Communications of this nature should be addressed to Chauncey P. Holcomb, secretary of Delaware State House Portrait Commission, New Castle, Delaware.

Executive Session

At Rehoboth

Mrs. Mary B. Donnell, Newark, attended the executive meeting of the State W. C. T. U., held at Rehoboth last Thursday. Arrangements were made for the annual convention to be held in Wilmington next September.

Capt. J. R. Conrad, and Pilot Cordy Magee have returned to Milford after a 580 mile trip in a 12-foot naphtha launch to Port Barron, N. Y., on which they started late in June.

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HERE AND THERE

Heavy rain on Thursday and Friday relieved the drought in Kent and Sussex counties and greatly improved crop prospects.

Relatives of Mrs. Elizabeth Williams of Middletown, who left \$65,000 of her \$75,000 estate to the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Delaware, have filed a caveat, the grounds for which have not been stated, against probate of her will.

Charged with non-support of his wife and two children, Charles Mackin, a militiaman, was arrested at Camp MacDonough one day last week, and given a hearing at New Castle by Justice Nickerson, who committed him to Greenbank in default of \$500 bail.

For alleged forgery of a promissory note for \$115.71, Leonard K. Maharty of Brandywine hundred is held for Court in \$500 bail.

The Columbia House, the only hotel in Bridgeville, has been sold to S. H. Messick.

Robert Wadsley is at home in New Castle with his right arm broken while cranking an automobile in New York.

Power boats will carry visitors from Ocean View and Ocean City to Fenwick's Island camp meeting which opens on Friday, August 1.

Caught in the fly wheel of the engine of a thresher, one day last week, John Mosley of Seaford, escaped with some cuts and bruises, though stripped of all his clothing.

The owners of properties required for the site of the new city and county building in Wilmington, were heard last week by the Sheriff's jury who were to meet this week and announce the awards.

A shelter shed for passengers is to be erected along the south-bound track of the Delaware Railroad at New Castle.

Growers around Georgetown, owing to scarcity of barrels, are unable to ship potatoes which would bring them 50 cents a bushel.

Harry Deputy of Milford, up to last week had sold this season from an acre of the Lovett variety \$300 worth of blackberries.

Wilmington city employees are moving for payment of the wages fortnightly instead of monthly.

Sparks from a threshing engine one day last week caused a fire which destroyed 50 tons of straw on W. H. McCoy's farm, near Hares Corner and for a time threatened house and barn.

Worms that strip the leaves from the branches are reported attacking apple trees in the Red Hill section, near Elkton.

Delmar boasts 56 owners of automobiles.

Plans are ready for the enlargement of the Catholic Church at Rehoboth.

The late peach yield around Bridgeville will be nearly normal, it is said, contrary to previous expectations.

Chester county property subject to taxation is assessed at 70,190,000 and money at interest likewise taxable totals \$18,516,000.

Ground has been broken at Rising Sun, Cecil county, for the town's new water works, on the standpipe plan.

A Civil Service examination will be held at Newark on August 23, for the postmastership at Cherry Hill, near Elkton, now vacant.

The ladies of Leeds M. P. Church, near Elkton, cleared \$200 from their annual carnival held on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Residents of Providence, near Fair Hill, raised \$77 from a recent festival held for the benefit of Union Hospital, Elkton.

Elk Neck Farmers' Picnic will be held on Thompson's Shore, Elk River on August 14.

The Maryland Live Stock Sanitary Board is treating with serum swine in the Cecilton neighborhood, where hog cholera is reported spreading.

Harford County, Md., farmers propose to get their seed wheat for next fall's sowing from sections where this year's yield was normal.

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A. L. STILTZ

People on Rehoboth Beach on Thursday witnessed the rising and spouting of a whale near the shore. Samuel West and a companion, while fishing off the Breakwater at Lewes were badly frightened when the same whale probably nearly upset their boat when it rose within thirty feet of them and began spouting, earlier in the week.

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PROJECTED IMPROVEMENTS

The meeting of Council on Monday night next should prove interesting. Reports of special committees appointed at last meeting will be heard. The committee on ways and means of placing all overhead wires underground have some interesting data to present.

Dr. Frazer, who has this matter in charge, is an enthusiastic supporter of the idea and will lend his effort toward the establishment of this improvement.

Practically every citizen whom we have spoken to, is in favor of the movement. It is hoped that Council will take immediate steps so that when the digging begins on the streets conduits can be put in at the same time. Also all the time possible should be given the public service companies now using the poles that they could make necessary preparations to be in readiness at the convenient time.

Another matter to be brought up is that of a building ordinance. Considerable talk has been floating around and lots of folks got "het up" over this suggestion. As the Ledger well put it, "A tempest in a teapot," the talk has lacked sense of reason. The fault of ill-constructed houses, which detract from the Town Beautiful, lies in the last analysis with Council. The question at issue is not what has been done (that is only illustrative) but what can, in the future, be avoided. By the adoption of a sane, reasonable Building Law, we are assured that future buildings will be in keeping with the progress of the town. Newark has no need for an ordinance, compelling all construction to be on the park type, but by, not only one, but many examples, we do need a law based on reason and common sense propriety. If Council wants to re-adjust building lines and condemn properties, we should render our hearty support.

Suggestive of this, we point to the livery stable on the Post property on South College avenue, a most unsightly shack at the main approach to the town. Whenever Council becomes imbued with the idea of the Town Beautiful and condemns this property, it will be razed without a murmur. It is the only thing we could do, to be consistent with our policy.

This statement is made in reply to those critics who take exception to our advocacy of the building ordinance. These buildings were not placed there by us but purchased with the property and, conceit, perhaps prompts us to say we would never be guilty of such construction in the Newark of today.

SUMMER SCHOOL

Only a few months ago, the idea of a Summer School for Teachers at Delaware College was scoffed at; today it is recognized as a permanent and well-founded institution. Predictions of failure have now reached recognition of unusual success. College professors and teachers alike are loud in their praise of the work done, assured that the influence for good cannot be reckoned. Aside from the actual work accomplished, a feeling of relationship has been engendered and a heartier co-operation established. The College knows better than ever before the need of the State and by this five weeks association with the teachers can more effectively render the service which it is intended and well fitted to perform. On the other side, the teachers appreciate the State institution and have seen by linking themselves with the upward trend, they can also be of more and better service to the community in which their profession makes them rightful and recognized leaders. The College has more appreciation of the teachers of our public schools while the teachers have recognized more truly the dignity and responsibility of their profession.

The success of the School this year is remarkable considering the short time in which Dr. Harter had to arrange the course of study and many other details necessary to the establishing of such an institution. With an enrollment of over 160, and a unanimous expression of enthusiastic approval of and appreciation of the work accomplished we may well look with confidence to the future of our School System in Delaware.

DR. WAGNER

Aside from the many advantages of the Sunbeam School, herefore reported, the introduction of Dr. Wagner, new State Commissioner of Education, was of interesting importance to the teachers gathered here.

Dr. Wagner immediately on his appointment, came to Newark and took up his work. He entered into the spirit of the work, got acquainted with the teachers and rendered valuable service in the success of the School. His enthusiasm for the work was contagious, his quick grasp of conditions and appreciation of the duties before him stamp him as a man of the hour in Delaware. Although too early to pronounce judgement, it is the general impression here that the Governor has served us well in inducing Dr. Wagner to take up this work.

One thing we are certain—that Dr. Wagner has made good in his first impression and has, we believe, the loyal support of those teachers, who are working for progress and better things in Delaware education.

AFFILIATED COLLEGE

To counteract any effect that rumors put out by a hard-death opposition may have it is suggested that the Affiliated College Commission make a public statement giving their opinion, whether the buildings will be complete for the fall term September 1914.

The bill provides for its completion at that time and we believe that the Commission will make every reasonable effort to comply with these provisions. Of course, it is admitted, that some inaccuracy difficulty might arise, preventing this.

Repeated rumors have come to us, saying that no one need take the opening at that date seriously. We feel sure the Commission recognizes very keenly their responsibility and are jealous of their reputation as men of affairs who do things worth while. These rumors, if persisted in portents malice.

Illustrative of our thought is this: A girl graduate of last June expected to spend this year under a tutor, ready to enter Delaware in 1914. Hearing this rumor, her parents immediately began preparations leading to another college.

A statement from the Commission would set at rest these rumors, be they ignorant or malicious.

PEOPLES' COLUMN

ESSAYS ON SOCIAL CRAP

Chips Are Better Than Serpents

Editors The Post:

I have no time to play cards, being busy with reading and my work, with a little time for association with my friends. But if I could spare the time I would play more or less. I learned in my home where my father taught the children so they could enjoy home life and not be tempted to be away evenings among bad company. My conclusion, after extended observation, is that people who play cards when they should be improving their minds, or out of doors, would not do anything if they quit cards merely from a sense of duty, and they might do worse. Like baseball playing on Sunday, excessive card playing, while not ideal, is for the benefit of the public if played where it will disturb no one in the proper enjoyment of better pursuits.

That amusement which is normal to the individual indulging in it, if itself not likely to increase the sum of human misery, should be left alone until such time as the individuals want something better. To drive card playing from a comparatively empty life is to empty basket of chips and make room for serpents. The interference with other people's lives, when they are not interfering with the lives of the citizens about them, is a task for a spiritual artist, and there are few of these artists either in or out of the churches.

The idea that card playing is a bar to all Christian work is venerable but unsound. It interferes only with that kind of Christian

work which has too little place for rational mental relaxation. The Good Samaritan kind of Christianity is often manifested by card players and the men and women who are the "salt of the earth," who promote practical religion, are often good players when they meet in social hours with others who like relaxation.

The appeal of the local clergy is well enough, but it calls attention to the fact that excessive card playing is much more frequently officially condemned by the clergy than is the forcing of little children into factories, the overworking and underpaying of women or the low wages which the workers receive and because of which they are forced to live in unfit houses and see their children lack proper clothing and culture. However, many of the clergy are doing what they individually can to improve socio-economic conditions in minor respects and, some of the Newark clergy having given a condemnation of excessive card playing, I look forward to hearing at an early date, from the same men, a warm condemnation of the wrongs which the employed class suffer.

In the meantime I call attention to the fact that more people are being damned by having whole families in factories, at incomes so small becomes unlovely and vice so attractive in comparison, than by the excessive card playing which is a comparatively small evil after all.

Twenty-fifth Century Man.

As Written By One All "Held Up"

Editor Newark Post,

My Dear Sir:

Since the so-called Ministerial Association has had so much to say on the subject of playing cards for prizes, I would like to ask this august body through the columns of your progressive paper, What is the difference between playing cards for prizes and playing games (of various kinds) for prizes?

If the prize is the "bete noir," surely then all games in which prizes figure should be included in their condemnation and not all the blame put upon the poor cards; they seem to make a distinction without a difference.

As their attack seems to be directed mainly at the two card clubs where occasionally a trifling prize is offered and whose members have long since cut their eye teeth, let me suggest that these "good men" turn their attention to the pernicious pool rooms which thrive in this town and where those of "immature minds" are nightly frequenters.

In conclusion let me add, that prizes were offered in games (not card) at a Faculty Club meeting and one of the prizes was not only won but accepted by the wife of a member of the Ministerial Association.

Truly, be it said, "Consistency, thou art a jewel."

Cards.

With Corsets On Queen Of Hearts Is Trumps

Editor of The Post:

I am considerably interested in a communication condemning card playing for prizes which appeared in the last issue of your paper. To my mind the contentions of the writer of that article are not warranted by facts. He has simply drawn a vivid picture of excess, highly imaginative and distorted—an example of Impressionism, or, perhaps, the Cubist art. Following the method of reasoning of the writer one might argue against almost anything in just the same way. For instance, take corsets.

Corsets in themselves are harmless things. They may, however, be productive of great harm. Corsets may be laced too tightly. When they are thus laced, they may cause permanent deformation of the body. This deformation may prove injurious to the progeny of the deformed. They may be weak and unhealthy. Weak and unhealthy people are detrimental to the State. A state having detrimental subjects is thereby weakened. Weak nations are easy prey to stronger ones. Etc., etc.

There are, we all know, cases of tight lacing, with minor injurious effects. But they are the exception and comparatively few. Our women are generally healthy, their offspring are strong and vigorous, and our race is one of the hardest in the world.

It is perfectly natural and proper for the fair sex to court physical as well as mental attractiveness. Beauty and grace of form are not to be despised. The small waist is no longer considered attractive by men. This the women know, and consequently they eschew it. But the graceful lines of a form moderately supported by corsets are to be admired. Corsets when properly used cannot be condemned in any way. Whence I contend that

corsets laced in moderation are not only healthful, but a positive boon to the gentler sex.

While this may seem somewhat foreign to the subject of card playing, it is, however, to show that in passing judgement upon anything even on religious grounds, one should go no further than St. Paul went in enjoining moderation in all things. And playing cards for club prizes, such as has been customary in Newark, I earnestly maintain is a harmless diversion that in no way can affect detrimentally the morals or the welfare of the community.

An Old Fogey.

Auto Assessment Question

In view of the discussion on the auto assessment with so many conflicting statements, The Post will attempt in the next issue to give a short impartial sketch of the question. It is only fair that the taxpayers in general be acquainted with what has been done and the objections raised. We hope those interested will allow themselves to be quoted, thus assisting us in presenting the question to the public.

ESTATE of Robert Armstrong, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Robert Armstrong, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Rachel Jane Armstrong and Robert L. Armstrong on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1913 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administrators without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrators on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1914, or abide by the law in this behalf.

CHARLES B. EVANS, Esq., Atty.

RACHEL JANE ARMSTRONG,
ROBERT L. ARMSTRONG,
Administrators.

By virtue of a renewed order of the Orphan's Court of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle County, made on the twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1913, will be exposed to sale at Public Vendue, on Tuesday, July 29th, 1913, at 11 o'clock A. M. at the Deer Park Hotel in the town of Newark, County and State aforesaid, the following described Real Estate of William Irons, deceased, to-wit:

An undivided one-fourth interest in that farm or tract of land, situate in Penncastle Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, adjoining lands of Mrs. Simpson, Delaware Clark, Valentine Comether, (Valentine Kemether) and Marson Comether (Martin Kemether) containing about twenty-two acres, 2 rods and 28 perches more or less.

Attendance will be given and terms made by

HUGH A. GARLAND, Administrator of the Estate of William Irons deceased, or by Francis H. Hoffecker, Esq., his Attorney.

ALSO at the same time and place the remaining three-fourths interest in the above described lands and premises will be offered for sale at Public Auction.

NOTICE

The assessment of the Town of Newark for the present year 1913 has been posted at George W. Rhodes' Drug Store on Main street. The Council of said Town will hold a Court of Appeals in Council Room of Town Building on Academy street on Monday, June 23rd, 1913, from One to Six O'clock P. M. when they shall hear and determine appeals from the said assessment and make corrections or additions to the same.

A rebate of 5 per cent will be allowed on 1913 taxes paid before August 1st, 1913.

S. B. HERDMAN,
Secretary and Treasurer
Per order of Council.

SALED PROPOSALS—BIDS WILL be received by the Levy Court of New Castle County, at the County Engineer's Office, Court House, Wilmington, Delaware, up to 12 o'clock noon, on July 8, 1913, for two ten-ton Road Rollers, driven by either gasoline or steam. Said proposals must be made to Benjamin A. Groves, President of the Levy Court of New Castle County, and each shall give a guarantee of good workmanship and performance for one year from purchase of same. June 12, 1913.

Newark, Delaware,

June 25, 1913.

To our Depositors and Customers:

We take pleasure in announcing to you that the arrangement proposed, in our letter to you of May 1st, 1913, by which the Farmers' Trust Company, of Newark, was to purchase and take over all of the Capital Stock, property and assets of The National Bank of Newark, was finally completed on June 24th 1913, and that every share of the Capital Stock of The National Bank of Newark was represented and voted for the plan.

The new Company now owns all of the property and assets of the Bank, and will continue its business under the management of the following officers and Directors:

OFFICERS.
J. Wilkins Cooch, President,
Alfred A. Curtis, Vice-President,
Joseph H. Hossinger, Secretary,
Henry Edwin Vinsinger, Treasurer
DIRECTORS

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Crawford Rankin
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Eben B. Frazer
Daniel Thompson

There will be no necessity for making any alterations in the checks now used by you, as the checks on The National Bank of Newark will be honored, in their present form, by the Farmers' Trust Company, of Newark.

We believe that under the present arrangement our facilities for promptly transacting any business intrusted to us have been greatly increased, and desire to thank you for your patronage in the past, and hope for a long continuance of our pleasant relations.

ALFRED A. CURTIS,
J. Wilkins Cooch, President,
Alfred A. Curtis, Vice-President
H. Edwin Vinsinger, Treasurer.

WANTED—Married man for work in pumping station. Must be thoroughly experienced in handling engines and pumping machinery. Must be able to furnish best references from former employer. Salary \$60 per month. Apply by letter only, to

ENGINEER,
Box 23, Route No. 2, Porters, Del.
7-30.

LOST—One Greenwich automobile, having the address Jenkins & Deacon, Washington Lane Garage, Washington Lane, Phila., Pa. Reward if returned to

W. B. POWELL,
Newark, Delaware.

WANTED—An honest, reliable married man who understands the milk business and some knowledge of making butter. Also young man who has some knowledge of the Ford car to help on a milk route. Both must be well recommended. Address MILK DEALER,
7-23, Oxford, Pa.

WANTED—Fireman for Steam Boilers
CURTIS & BROS., Inc.,
7-23-24.

FOR SALE—Building lot, 58 feet front by 160 feet deep, situate on Chestnut street. Bargain if sold soon.

Address S. M. DONNEL,
7-23-18, Newark, Del.

FOR SALE—150 bushels of Stoner Seed Wheat at \$1.50 per bushel. This wheat made 25 bushels per acre this year.

7-23-24. J. H. HOSSINGER.

Newark, Del., June 24, 1913. The National Bank of Newark, located at Newark, in the State of Delaware, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

J. WILKINS COOCH, President.

The Farmers' Trust Company of Newark has succeeded The National Bank of Newark, having purchased the assets and assumed the liabilities of said The National Bank of Newark, and the business will be continued by the Farmers' Trust Company of Newark.

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NEWARK, DELAWARE

Want Advertisements

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bowen are registered at The Addison, Asbury Park, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans left Wednesday for a trip to the Pacific coast. While away they will visit the former's sister, Mrs. J. M. Neill of Hyatt, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greer and daughter, Miss Eileen, have returned after a trip to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Alice Ahern of Bellevue, Delaware, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Gamble.

Mrs. C. A. Short and sister, Mrs. H. S. Colley of Wilmington, are spending some time at Blue Ridge Summit, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirk and daughter, Virginia of Philadelphia, are guests of Mrs. Rebeca Wilson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fader, Miss Emily Worrall and Mr. Edward Voght have returned from a motorizing trip to Atlantic City, Asbury Park and other resorts along the Jersey coast.

Mrs. Mary Cloud, who was overcome by the heat on Monday, is reported very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke of Easton, Md., were recent guests of Mrs. Nield, Deandale.

Mrs. Margaret Strickland is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Rebeca Crossan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lee of Philadelphia returned Monday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brooks.

Mrs. Ethel Campbell is spending some time at Asbury Park, stopping at The Addison.

Miss Laura Campbell and Mr. Earl Jones of Flushing, L. I., are the guests of Mrs. H. M. Campbell and family.

Mrs. Levi Keagle of Altoona, Pa., is visiting at the home of Dr. Lee Porter, Park Place.

Miss Margaret Davis of Wilmington is the guest of her aunts, the Misses Springer.

Miss Kate Young and niece, Miss Martin Wollaston, have returned after a vacation at Wildwood, N. J.

Dr. W. Owen Sypherd is spending some time at Buck Hill Falls, Monroe Co., Pa.

Mrs. Catharine Biddle, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Westley Smith of Welsh Tract, has returned to Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. Roberts and son, and Miss Elsie Smith have been recent visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith.

Mrs. W. S. Schofield of Pocome City is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cooch.

Rev. W. J. Rowan and family left Monday for Tilghman's Island, in Chesapeake Bay.

Mr. George L. Spence of Cherry Hill, for many years associated with J. W. Brown at the West End Grocery, has accepted a responsible position with Mitchell & Fletcher, large wholesale and retail grocers of Philadelphia.

ington spent several days recently with relatives of this pace.

Miss Annie Ash has been spending some time with relatives at Landenberg, Pa.

Mr. John and Wilkins Davis of Newark were Iron Hill guests last Sunday.

Miss Jennie Slack and Dr. J. Earle Gilliland were camping last week with a party of friends from Wilmington.

Miss Margaret Layton of Bridgeville was the guest of Gladys Walton last week.

KEMBLESVILLE

Miss Helen L. Willard of Avondale spent a few days of her vacation with her parents at Kemblesville.

Dr. F. B. West and family motored to Bower's Beach on Thursday and visited with Wm. Watson and family of Avondale, who have a cottage at the beach.

Misses Eva and Lora Slack of West Chester are the guests of Miss Evelyn Kelley.

Miss Bertha Crossan accompanied by her nephew, Master Joseph Good, left for Wildwood, N. J., on Wednesday to be gone a week.

Several from our vicinity attended Camp Meeting at Leslie on Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. West and Miss Bayme Wickersham attended the Mercer reunion at Lenape Park, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Grant of Cherry Hill, Md., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMillan on Saturday.

The lawn fete held on Saturday evening by the Ladies Aid was quite a success, the sum of \$25.50 being cleared.

Lawn Party At Glasgow

A lawn party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Price near Glasgow last Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. At a late hour the guests were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Wilson and daughter Elizabeth of Smyrna, Del., Misses Blanche Towson, Edna Chatburn, Marion Law, Liela Herberman, Phoebe Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Price of Newark; Messrs. Walter Hutchens, Raymond Buckingham, Wilkins Davis, Clarence Little, Leon Powell, Barry Powell and Dr. J. Earle Gilliland of Newark, Del., Mrs. J. A. Slack, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Slack and daughter Jennie Slack, May Dunham and Hettie Slack; Messrs. Joseph Slack, Charles Davis, Samuel Slack, and Frank Candor of Iron Hill; Messrs. Clarence Rambo, Charlie Rambo and Harry Cleaves of Elkton, Md.; Misses Julia McMullen, Edna Cannon and Catharine Price; Messrs. Roland McMullen, Wilson Price and Lee Cannon of Glasgow, Del.

PEOPLES COLUMN

Is An Auto A Horse

Editor Newark Post:

If the Board of Education in their attempted extortion of automobile owners think they are taxing a luxury, they are thinking twenty years back.

The automobile is not a luxury but a necessary means of transportation, and generally owned by those who have no horses; or if they do own horses, the automobile takes the place of the necessary additional horses and carriages to provide for the work or pleasure of the owner.

The idea of the automobile as a luxury does not exist, except in the cramped craniums of those narrow minded gentry who are dead to progress.

If the School Board are casting about for some luxury to tax, let them assess all pianos, or some other article of personal property that is a luxury pure and simple, but don't let them fool themselves into the mistaken idea that they can hold up the automobile owner and get away with it, they nor no other set of men can do it.

The automobile owners have banded together and made a united protest against the high-handed methods of the Board of Education, in the manner provided by law for such cases, and they will stand united for mutual protection against any demonstration of the disease-excess authority.

The automobile owners of this community are not a crowd of hoodlums or undesirable citizens, whom it becomes any petty local Board to attempt to drive away by unfair taxation and discrimination against them can only proceed from envy, jealousy, spite and spleen.

If proper redress cannot be secured otherwise let the automobile owners form a permanent organization not only for defense, but for attack, let them undertake to compel the Board of Education to

not sufficiently obvious that they are doing anything commensurate with their expenditures.

Let us take up the Commercial Course and see what it is costing us, and let us demand of the Board that they show a single case of where a graduate of this course is doing commercial work regularly and getting paid for it.

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SUFFRAGE WORK IN DELAWARE

A Sketch Of The Local Association

The Delaware Equal Suffrage Association, ever active in the cause of "women's rights," conducted interesting meetings last Saturday, the occasion being marked by the presence of Miss Mabel Vernon, a former Wilmingtonian. Miss Vernon is enroute for Washington after a successful campaign in New Jersey, to join the suffrage forces who will present a petition to Congress on Thursday, urging favorable vote on the Senate bill, to grant the franchise to women.

Local Suffrage workers have been busy during the last week circulating petitions through all parts of the State in order that Delaware's Senators may realize the sentiment that prevails in their home community.

The Delaware Equal Suffrage Association has been working enthusiastically for over twenty years. The Sunday Star of July 27 gives an interesting sketch of the history of the association from which the following facts are taken:

The idea of representation for women was first emphasized in the State by Mrs. Mary A. Stuart of Greenwood, who added a blue hen to the Republican float figuring in the campaign of 1884, declaring it should bear not only an eagle to represent freedom for men, but also a hen to represent the women.

In 1888 the State Women's Christian Temperance Union adopted the franchise department with Mrs. Patience Kent as superintendent, and held several public meetings. In 1889 Mrs. Martha S. Cranston was elected her successor, and still occupies the position.

The first distinct suffrage club in the State was the Equal Suffrage Association of Wilmington, started on November 18, 1895, with 25 members. Organization was effected by the election of Lea Pusey, Chairman and Mrs. B. Lundy Kent Secretary. A committee on constitution, consisting of Mrs. Mary D. Fulton, Miss Mary R. DeVoe, Mrs. T. Allen Hilles and Miss Mary A. Wilson, was appointed to draft a constitution for the Society.

After its adoption, a nominating committee, consisting of B. Lundy Kent, Albert G. Thatcher, Miss Mary Wilson and Mrs. A. D. Warner, made the following nominations: Miss Emma Worrell, president; Mrs. B. Lundy Kent, vice-president; Miss Emma Lore, secretary; Miss Rachel S. Howland, treasurer; Mrs. L. Allen Hilles, Mrs. Mary A. Fulton, A. G. Thatcher, members of the executive committee. On motion, the above became the first officers of the Wilmington Association.

STATE ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED

On January 17 and 18, 1896, Rev. Henrietta G. Moore, of Ohio, and Miss Mary Garrett Hay, now president of the New York State Federation of Women Clubs assisted in a convention at Wilmington, where a state organization—the Equal Suffrage Association of Delaware was formed.

In his words of welcome to this first suffrage convention in Delaware, Chief Justice Charles B. Lore always a staunch friend to the movement, indulged in the interesting reflection, that there was no place in America, that owed more to a woman than Wilmington. It was Hannah Shipley, who stood on the hills and decided to settle here. There was an election at that time, the Judge mused, between Hannah

ties in connection with medical colleges.

Constant growth in the importance of the position of State Superintendent of Schools, (corresponding to Commissioner of Education in Delaware) is reported by the United States Bureau of Education. In his survey of educational legislation for the year, Mr. J. C. Boykin declares:

"The importance of the office constantly increases. New duties and responsibilities are steadily added, and larger salaries are offered to attract and hold men of the calibre to make the position in fact as well as in name the head of the State educational system."

"The tendencies are all in the direction of increasing the dignity, responsibility and salary of the State Superintendent. The legislation of the year contained many instances in point. The Commissioner of Education in Massachusetts was authorized to approve bills for expenditures from funds placed under the direction of the Board of Education. In New Jersey the State Commissioner of Education now appoints all the county superintendents. He also determines and certifies to the educational qualifications of applicants for admission to medical colleges.

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"In Kentucky it was enacted that the State Superintendent shall act as special State inspector and examiner of all schools in the State which receive public funds; for this service he is to receive \$1,500 additional salary; he may appoint two assistants at \$1.00 each per annum, with their expenses for traveling; and he is allowed \$2,000 additional for clerk hire. In a vague and general way the Superintendent probably had already the power given him by this law, but it is now definite and specific, and the additional help given him will enable him to perform his duties in an effective manner not possible hitherto. And the \$1,500 added to his salary will prove to be a difference that is very real."

Although the tendency is to increase the power and responsibility of the State Superintendent is very strong, salary increments have not always kept pace with the requirements, according to the report. "It is still unfortunately true," says Mr. Boykin, "that in many cases the superintendents of the large cities and the heads of all the important institutions in a state receive considerably higher salaries and have far more certain tenure than the man who is nominally their official superior."

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and Joseph, and the woman outvoted the man.

PETITIONED TO CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

In January, 1897, the Equal Suffrage Association of Delaware memorialized the Constitutional Convention to strike the word "male" from the new constitution then in process of framing, and thus place the women of our beloved little State on an equal footing with their fathers, husbands, sons and brothers, legally, economically, industrially and politically.

Strong addresses and cogent arguments were presented by Mrs. Captain Catt of New York; Mrs. Martha S. Cranston, Mrs. Margaret W. Houston, Miss Emma Worrell, Mrs. Alfred D. Warner, of this State, but the measure went to defeat on the 16th day of February, by a vote of 7 yeas, 17 nays and 6 not present. A petition had been presented to the convention bearing the names of 1592 men and 1228 women, which could have been much increased, had an actual house-to-house canvass of every city and town in the State, been possible.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE HELD IN WILMINGTON.

On April 22 and 23, 1898, a National Equal Suffrage Conference was held in Wilmington under the auspices of the Delaware Association, by the Rev. Anna H. Shaw, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt and Miss Mary Garrett Hay—all representing the National Suffrage Association.

Mrs. Boyer of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Margaret W. Houston, Mrs. William A. Walling, Hon. David S. Clark of Kenton, George Roberts, Mrs. Martha S. Cranston and Mrs. A. D. Warner, all spoke and assisted in making the meeting a success.

Since the first convention in January, 1896, to the sixteenth held in November, 1912, the association has been on the alert to assist both morally and financially in national work, while fostering suffrage sentiment in Delaware at every promising opportunity.

ACTIVITY OF THE PAST YEAR.

State work culminated this year in the presentation to the Legislature of an equal suffrage bill, asking for the full enfranchisement of the women of our little commonwealth.

The bill won 6 votes in the Senate and 8 in the House, after a brilliant hearing before Dr. Anna H. Shaw, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, was the principal speaker, delighting the Legislature with her irresistible wit and logic.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE.

As suffragists never suffer from defeat, but count only their gains, the Delaware would-be voters have fallen to work again with renewed courage to prepare the way for a still more favorable reception of their bill by the Legislature of 1915. First of the links in the chain of action will be their maiden appearance at the Delaware State Fair.

Arrangements have been made with the managers for an attractive tent, where suffrage ideas and ideals can be picked up, while the visitors are enjoying a rest and refreshment, provided in dainty style by the ladies in charge.

Duties Of Commissioners Of Education

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Crop Conditions

The United States Department of Agriculture's crop report showing conditions on July 1 and issued last week shows:

Winter wheat—Condition 81.6 per cent of a normal. Indicated yield 15.56 bushels per acre. Estimated total production, 483,000,000 bushels.

Spring wheat—Condition, 73.8; yield, 11.7. Production 218,000,000.

All wheat conditions, 78.6; yield, 14.1. Production 701,000,000.

Wheat remaining on farms, 35,515,000 bushels.

Corn—Acreage, 106,884,000; condition, 86.9; yield, 27.8; production, 2,971,000,000.

Oats—Condition, 76.3; yield, 26.9; production, 1,081,000,000.

Barley—Condition, 76.6; yield, 22.8; production, 165,000,000.

Rye—Condition, 88.6; yield, 16.1; production, blank.

Potatoes—Acreage, 31,685,000; condition, 86.2; yield, 93.1; production, 348,000,000.

Tobacco—Acreage, 1,143,350; condition, 82.8; yield, 80.99; production, 92,000,000 pounds.

Flax—Acreage, 2,425,000; condition, 82.0; yield, 8.7; production, 1,000,000.

Rice—Acreage, 824,000; condition, 88.4; yield, 33.0; production, 27,000,000.

Hay—Condition, 80.5; yield, 1.33 tons; production, blank.

Apples—Conditions, 59.4.

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Friday—Mohawk Woodmen of America, No. 10170, 7:30 p.m.

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Rich And Poor Become Volunteer Road Builders

Five thousand Michigan men from nearly every walk of life have recently set an example which may well be followed by the whole United States by building 250 miles of excellent automobile road in a single day. And the women of the northeastern part of the State, through which the new highway runs, are entitled to much credit, too, for while their husbands, fathers, brothers and sweethearts labored at digging and plowing and grading these women cooked meals that put new heart in the muscle-weary workers and made this most notable accomplishment possible.

As a result of the labors of these Michigan people, on Monday, May 9, there is now an unbroken line of gravelled highway for over 250 miles from Bay City to Mackinaw City, where two days before there was mile after mile of corduroy road, sand holes and swamp lands.

Mayors of cities and towns, State officials, millionaire lumbermen and mill men shied in the hot sun, hewing with picks and axes at corduroy road slabs, throwing stone, shovelling sand and gravel, leading plow horses or performing other of the innumerable tasks which form part of road building. In this picture you have an idea of the spirit which animates northeastern Michigan.

T. G. Dafoe, Mayor of Alpena, went without his breakfast that he might board the car to which as leader of his "gang" he had been assigned for the day. William A. Comstock, regent of the University of Michigan, left his home at 4 o'clock in the morning. The Fletchers, Gilchristis, Richardsons, Johnsons, Churchills—all names which stand for millions in wealth and vastly more in prominence and prestige in northeastern Michigan—had family representation of at least one and in most cases more on the bee. They sweated side by side with the lowliest farmers and laborers of the district.

They did what seemed to be well nigh impossible in the big swamp in Pulaski township, Presque Isle county, just over the Alpena line. Corduroy, which was laid a generation or more ago and had long been the terror of motorists, has been removed or so completely covered up with a foundation of stone and earth, gravelled on top, that it will never again jar the backbone of the good roads enthusiast.

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tar in the making of candy it is changed into glucose; in the human system all starch is digested into this glucose. Also this is the starch which gives the sweetness to commercial glucose, which, when made from the starch of corn is known as corn syrup, and when made from starch of the potato has been called potato syrup. Then there is the sugar of milk.—Leslie's Weekly.

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BASE BALL NEWS-- GAMES OF THE WEEK

Newark again put one over on Aberdeen on Saturday at the home grounds, to the tune of 3 to 2. As this is the third straight victory, it looks like the boys meant to give somebody a hustle for the pennant.

The score:

NEWARK		R. H. O. A. E.
Beatty, 3b	.1	0 0 2 0
Jackson, ss	1	2 1 1 1
Gregg, 1b	0	1 1 0 1
Morris, lf	0	1 3 0 0
Rankin, cf	0	1 0 1 1
Howarth, rf	1	1 0 1 1
Marsey, c	0	0 10 1 0
Johnson, 2b	0	0 0 2 0
Hagan, p	0	1 0 4 0
Totals	3	6 27 10 4

ABERDEEN

ABERDEEN		R. H. O. A. E.
Schniebel, 1b	.0	1 1 1 0
Tarring, 2b	0	0 1 1 1
Herring, ss	0	0 2 5 0
Nealon, cf	0	0 0 0 0
Bruff, e	1	3 6 4 0
Pritchard, lf	0	2 1 0 0
Bonnett, p	0	0 0 3 1
Brown, rf	0	0 0 1 0
Cage, 3b	1	0 3 0 2
Totals	2	6 24 15 3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

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Oxford walloped Elk Mills on Saturday at the former's grounds, by the score of 19 to 4. This win gives Oxford a big lead.

Havre de Grace defeated Elkton by the score of 7 to 2. Finn was the star at the bat for Elkton, getting 3 hits.

Standing of the clubs:

STRICKERSVILLE		R. H. O. A. E.
Garrett, 2b	.0	1 2 2 4
Mote, cf	1	2 0 0 0
Fassett, p	0	0 0 0 1
J. Cann, ss	1	0 4 1 1
W. Crowe, c-lf	0	1 3 3 0
A. Cann, 1b	0	0 12 0 1
Walls, lf-c	0	0 5 0 1
J. Crowe, rf	0	1 1 0 0
Cloud, 3b	0	1 1 1 1
Totals	27	2 4 27 10 9

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Score by innings:
Newark .3 2 0 1 0 1 0 0 0-7
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Iron Hill won from Providence at Elkton Ball Park by the score of 7 to 4.

Deibert, the fast outfielder of the Iron Hill team proved the star with the bat, getting four hits, including a double out of four times at bat.

Appleton put one over on Bay View at the latter's grounds, to the score of 9 to 6. In the 7th inning the score stood 6 to 0 in favor of Bay View. By a rally Appleton tied the score, and in the ninth inning Kinable poled out a three bagger with the bases filled, this drive winning the game.

Standing of the clubs:

NEWARK		R. H. O. A. E.
Ferguson, lf	.1	0 1 0 0
Gray, rf	0	0 1 0 0
E. Dawson, 2b	.0	2 3 0 0
R. Dawson, 2b	.0	0 1 1 1
Herdman, 3b	.1	2 3 1 1
Gillilan, 1b	.1	2 3 0 0
Lovett, 1b	.0	0 4 0 0
Goodnow, ss	.0	1 2 1 0
Whirlow, rf-lf	.1	0 1 1 0
Fulton, cf	.1	0 1 0 0
O'Daniel, c	.1	0 8 4 2
Holton, p	.1	2 0 1 0
Totals	33	7 7 27 12 4

H. R. Tyson Starts Season

The local horseman, H. R. Tyson closed his training stables east of town last week, and started his string for the races on the Grand and Southern circuits, the former going to New York, the latter touring through the southern states. Clarke McCarns, with his horses, accompanied Mr. Tyson on the Southern circuit.

Public School In Limelight

The auto assessment has brought out considerable discussion of school questions in general in which much criticism has been made. A prominent citizen, who refused the use of his name, said the whole school question in Newark should be taken up and discussed publicly. "While," said he, "I am a school man and have never entered an appeal on my assessments, I fail to understand thoroughly the increased cost without marked increase in efficiency."

Another said to us on Monday evening, "We are aping the College too much. It's too expensive with the results gained." Contrary to this the rural man wants courses put in for his boy's advancement instead of so much College preparation. "The public school," said a prominent business man, "is not keeping pace with the town. Let the increase the tax as every thing else."

The taxes in Newark are lower than any town on the peninsula. The town in putting itself up-to-date is under extra expense and if we expect the schools to improve, we may naturally look for a higher school tax. I wish the Board would put a chip on its shoulder and go plain their non-settlement of after them."

To Collect Taxes By Law

The special auditor reports the books of George McCall, collector for the northern districts of Wilmington, from 1903 to 1912 inclusive, show delinquency totaling \$45,000. City Council will have subpoenas served upon all delinquents to come forward and plain their non-settlement of after them."

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