

WHITE CLAY CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We have not time to dwell upon the general and special causes which drove our Scotch-Irish ancestors to this country, but there were a number of distinct waves of immigration, all having their origin in the religious persecutions which occurred in Scotland and Ireland. It is evident that one of these waves rolled into this country about the year 1720. The fact that a large portion of these immigrants landed at New Castle accounts for the early planting of so many Presbyterian churches in this county and in the adjacent parts of Pennsylvania and Maryland.

The Rock Church dates from 1720, and the New London Church sprang up soon afterwards. The upper Octoraro Church dates from 1720.

The first movement of which we have intimation, for the establishment of the White Clay Creek Church, occurred in 1721, and we infer from all we can find, that while there were some persons residing on this side of the creek who were connected with the Head of Christiana Church, the movement was made in main, by others.

The Lower Brandywine Church sprang up at the same time and seems to have been a part of the same movement.

Another reason for the opinion that this church was established by newcomers who had no connection with the neighboring churches is, that there does not appear to have been any opposition to the organization. New Castle had opposed the organization of the Head of Christiana Church, that Church in turn opposed the organization of Rock Church and the Rock Church persistently opposed the organization of the New London Church. In the year 1727, when the people of Middle Octoraro were about to erect a church nine miles from Upper Octoraro, they were required to place it two miles further distant, White Clay Creek, at its old location one mile north of where the present building stands, was about five miles from the Head of Christiana and about nine from New Castle, and there was no opposition we infer that the mass of the people who made the movement, never had been, and were not likely to be, identified with those churches.

At a meeting of Presbytery, held "in Mr. Gillespie's meeting house at the Head of Christiana" Aug. 1, 1721, it is recorded: "It being reported to this Presbytery that James Moorhead, a wandering impostor (who was publicly disowned by an order and Act of our last Synod), doth intrude upon

some of Mr. Gillespie's people and others between White Clay and Red Clay Creeks; it is therefore by this Presbytery appointed that Mr. MacGill shall preach to said people upon the Sabbath of this instant, August, and that he shall read to said people the above act of Synod and admonish said people to beware of said Moorhead." Mr. MacGill reported two weeks later that he had "performed the appointment to the people of White Clay Creek."

The Presbytery again record, May 2, 1722: "An address being made by the people of Brandywine and the people of White Clay and the people on the north side of Red Clay Creek, desiring that they might be erected into a congregation and joined together in order to have the Gospel and ordinances thereof settled amongst them, the Presbytery, after mature deliberation, agreed that as soon as said people can be provided with an orderly and Gospel minister, they be erected into a congregation."

Mr. Hook was appointed to supply them, also Mr. Gillespie; but both in the appointments and the report of their fulfillment the name "Brandywine" alone is used. Again, Oct. 5, 1722: "Upon a supplication from the people of Brandywine, the Presbytery recommends it to Mr. MacGill to supply said people at his discretion until our next meeting."

March 12, 1723, he reported that he had supplied "the people of Brandywine and White Clay Creek as recommended to him."

At the same meetings the Rev. Robert Laing, who is spoken of as "lately come into Somerset county in Maryland," whose credentials had been sent to Synod and approved and who had been recommended to supply the people of Snow Hill during the winter in pursuance of a supplication from them, was appointed to preach at White Clay Creek the third Sabbath of that month, at Brandywine the fourth and fifth, and at White Clay Creek again the first Sabbath of April.

The appointment of Mr. Laing to supply the people of Brandywine and White Clay was renewed at several meetings of Presbytery during the summer.

What a strenuous life must these pioneer preachers have lived! What does not this community owe to their labors? We hear much of soldiers and their deeds, but what of these noble men?

The first mention of a church building for the White Clay Creek congregation is in a record of Presbytery for June 5, 1723: "appointed that our next Presbytery is to meet at White Clay Creek meetinghouse the first Wednesday of August next."

Under date of August 13, it is recorded that "the Presbytery did not meet according to appointment, because of a great froster in White Clay Creek."

Those of our readers who attended the sessions of Presbytery in White Clay Creek Church last April, may contrast the present conditions surrounding church and people with the difficulties attending our ancestors in those early days. With reverence we may repeat:

"Hither hath the Lord helped us."

We may consider the first pastorate of White Clay Creek as beginning in 1724.

The Rev. Thomas Craighead was the son of a minister who was a native of Scotland, but was during thirty years a pastor in Ireland.

He was educated in Scotland, married the daughter of a Scotch laird, practiced medicine for some time, and then, under a deep sense of duty studied divinity and preached the Gospel for several years in Ireland.

Influenced by the same causes which drove many Presbyterians to America, he came to New England in 1715. He attended the meeting of New Castle Presbytery at the Head of Christiana Church, presented his credentials and was received as a member. At this meeting he received a call to Rock Church, but declined a month later and accepted a call presented by John Montgomery and John Campbell, representatives of the congregation of White Clay Creek Church.

He was a supply Brandywine every third Sabbath. There was no record of his labors in this congregation. The Church doubtless prospered under his ministrations.

We may presume that the congregation was constantly strengthened by the increasing Scotch-Irish immigration. One fact which seems to imply growth is, that in 1728 the church asked for the whole of his time. The Presbytery agreed to the request, but appointed him to supply the people of Brandywine every fifth Sabbath, "and that he visit and catechize them as formerly."

His pastorate ended in 1733. The Rev. Adam Boyd, who had come from Ireland to New England, had made arrangements to return to his native country, and, with this design, had obtained a certificate of good character from the celebrated Cotton Mather, dated June 10, 1724. Owing, however, to an attachment which he had formed for a daughter of Mr. Craighead, he changed his mind, came down in this direction, and, connected himself with this Presbytery, 1724, and was ordained and installed pastor of Octoraro and Pequea Churches, Oct. 13, 1724.

On this occasion the Rev. George Gillespie made the proclamation, in accordance with the custom, three times, at the door of the meeting-house of Octoraro, that if any person had anything to object against the or-

dination of Mr. Adam Boyd, he should make it known to the Presbytery then sitting. Ten days after he was married to Miss Jane Craighead. Mr. Boyd had a very extensive field of labor. There are now within its original bounds perhaps a dozen strong Presbyterian Churches.

In October, 1733, Mr. Craighead received and accepted a call from the Pequea part of the field. After laboring there about two years he went to the vicinity of Carlisle, Pa. It is related that during a protracted meeting at the Big Spring Church, April, 1739, "so powerful were the influences of the Spirit that the worshippers felt both, even after having exhausted their stores of provisions, to disperse. Mr. Craighead was delivering a parting discourse; his flow of eloquence seemed supernatural, and his audience was melted to tears. Exhausted, he hurried to pronounce the benediction; waving his hand he exclaimed, "farewell farewell!" and sank down and expired in the pulpit. His remains are said to rest under the corner-stone of the present house of worship at that place.

The age which Mr. Craighead attained is not known, but his wife, at her death in 1738, was 74 years old. Her tomb still remains in the old White Clay Creek Cemetery.

They had a noble posterity distin-

guished in Church and State. Of their descendants several took part in the American Revolution, and a large number have been ministers of the Gospel, some of them very distinguished.

The second pastorate extended from 1737 to 1761. The Rev. Charles Tennant was born in Ireland. His father, a minister, came to this country in 1716, and after assigning in writing his reasons for separating himself from the Episcopal Church, was received as a member of the Synod of Philadelphia.

It had been necessary for those who wished to enter the ministry of the Presbyterian Church in this country, to obtain their education either in a New England College or in Europe, but Mr. Tennant taught his four sons, all of whom entered the ministry, and many others. The small building which he occupied as a schoolroom received the celebrated name, "the log college."

The Tennant family an dthose associated with them occupy a very important place in the early history of the Presbyterian Church. They cooperated with Whitfield in his evangelistic labors and their names are prominent in the great Schism of 1741.

This division of the Church was truly lamentable.

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Sunday School Lesson

By R. S. Holmes

Lesson I. October 2, 1910.
THE WISE AND FOOLISH VIRGINS.

(Matt. 25: 1-13)

Golden Text.—"Be ye therefore ready also; for the Son of man cometh at an hour when ye think not." Luke 12: 40.

The twenty-fifth chapter of Matthew is one of the most interesting of the whole story of the life of Jesus, not only for what it contains, but because it is the record of his last teaching before his death. Its last words are the destiny of the wicked and the righteous, and as his last public teaching are exceedingly solemn. Jesus knew of what he talked, and he did not hesitate to say "everlasting punishment" and "life eternal."

THE LESSON.

A Story of Readiness and Unreadiness. Vs. 1. The "Ten Virgins"; their camp; their evening journey to meet the bridegroom coming on the wedding evening. This is part of the discourse in the last chapter. To understand this parable read from any good commentary the customs connected with a marriage in the time of Jesus. In Abbott's Commentary on Matthew, pages 208-209, is an admirable description. Dr. Abbott's first note declares that this is a parable of the second coming of Christ. To see clearly all that is meant, read carefully chapters 23 and 24. The eight woes pronounced upon the Pharisees and the doom of Jerusalem, with his discourse out on the Mount of Olives, make it clear he had in mind the end of the age. The "ten virgins" therefore represent the professed followers of Christ in the world at the end of the age.

Vs. 2. Here is a description of the character of believers in Christ. There have always been "wise" and "foolish" members of the Church of Christ. Wisdom and folly are characteristic of life in all callings and professions. There is no wonder some Christian professors are foolish. Do not press the parable, and say because the proportion here is five to five, therefore half of the Christians of the world are failures. Jesus was not giving a lesson in arithmetic.

Vs. 3. Wherein the folly of half these wedding procession waiters lay is at once given. They were out for what might prove an all-night vigil, and the lamps would need a complete filling with oil. But these five took their lamps as they were, and made no provision for a future need. There are plenty of people like that now.

Vs. 4. Here is the contrast. Wisdom was shown by forethought. They carried lamps in which was oil, and also other vessels, or cans, in which was the oil for replenishing when the wick in the lamp should burn dimly. Forethought is vastly better than afterthought. That man is blessed who can answer to the question "Are you ready?" "Yes, I am."

Vs. 5. The slumber while the bridegroom tarried was fatal. One can always be expectant of the second coming of Christ, but one cannot always keep awake. There must be times of sleep, but there should never be a time of unreadiness.

Vs. 6. "And at midnight." If he had only waited until daylight there would have been no trouble. But he came at the midnight. The cry passed on along the road he was to take: "The bridegroom cometh!" Then there was stir and haste. "Go meet him!" With eager haste these ten sleepers, having lacked, prepared.

Vs. 7. They all trimmed their lamps, both wise and foolish. Externally everything was in readiness. All tried to put fire to their lamps. Those of the wise burned clear. Those of the foolish burned the wick to a char, died slowly down and went out, leaving only a smoking stump. Dismay then. They could not go thus. Wishes and lamentations were of no avail then.

Vs. 8. They had one resource. Swift appeal is made to their associates. "Give us, lend us. Our lamps will not burn. We have no oil." Their lamps had burned out while they slept. They were in sorry case. They could do nothing of themselves. They had no resources. The appeal must be made to others. These five are not the last who have tried to go to heaven on the lives and achievements of others. See what happened.

Vs. 9. The wise shook their heads. "It is only midnight. We may yet have to wait until dawn. Should we have to wait there will be not enough for us and you. Go to the sellers. Wake them. Buy oil. Then come." So they parted company. They never met again.

The world is full of people who fall thus. They make preparation after the time for action has arrived. The time to prepare is now. An old rabbi was wont to teach his pupils to prepare for death on the day before a came. When asked when that would be, his answer was "Perhaps tomorrow. Therefore prepare today."

Vs. 10. While gone to buy, the bridegroom came. With him after once his wedding procession had begun there was no tarrying. They who were ready went in with him. Then the door was shut. That is one of the most fearful sentences Jesus ever uttered. There is no lawful way by which a door shut may be passed through if the owner says no. At the coming of the Christ, the saved ready, expectant, prepared ones will with him go into the Kingdom of Heaven. When he has shut the door, who, or what, can open it?

Vs. 11-12. Here is the reward. The five found the sellers of oil, bought their supply, filled their lamps, and marched, just five alone, to the hall of the marriage feast. There was no rejoicing company of which they were part. Five virgins, late, alone, arrived before a shut door. They knocked. They called. The bridegroom heard. "Open for us," they cried, and they stood with earnestness. "Lord, Lord,

and back through the closed door came the hope-blazing answer, "I know you not."

Go such an answer there is no reply. With such a Lord there can be no argument. Already, because neglectful of the necessary thing, they come to a shut door that will never open. Almost partakers of the joy of the five wise with whom they began the night, they failed in the moment of their opportunity.

Vs. 13. Then comes the solemn closing of the parable. "Watch, therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh." Blessed is the soul which when this lesson is taught can say, "I am ready."

REFLECTIONS.

The emphatic word in this lesson is not "virgins," but "watch."

Remember Jesus said this, and the last verse shows that the "Son of man" is the bridegroom.

Who is the "Son of man?"

Any one can wait for him as he comes. But those who go to make preparations for his coming after the very "he comes" is made, run a great risk.

The hand that shuts the door must open it from the inside. There is no outside opening.

The Old Testament has, in sentiment, the same lesson: "Seek ye the Lord while he may be found." He cannot be found after the door is shut.

Of Interest To Delawareans

Work on the new State administration building and the remodeling of the old State House is progressing rapidly. The old building is beginning to assume the appearance of the old Colonial structure, and the dome presents almost a perfect likeness of the dome which graced the old Capital many years ago.

The Delaware Council of Improved Order of Red Men will meet in Lewes, October 26th and 27th. Preparations are already being made. The large auditorium has been secured for the Council and about 300 delegates are expected to be there from all parts of the State for the affair.

The Fall meeting of the Presbytery of New Castle will be held at Ocean City, Md., this year, beginning on the 10th of October. The Presbyterian Churches of Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland comprise the Presbytery of New Castle. Of the two meetings held annually in different parts of the Presbytery, the most important is the Spring session.

The contract is about to be given out for the widening and dredging of the six principal curves in the Delaware river, between Philadelphia and deep water. As the American Dredging Company was the lowest bidder on all six contracts, this firm, no doubt, will receive the entire contract.

Eighteen young women have enrolled at the Wilmington Teachers' Training School. At the Howard High School for colored pupils, four young women are taking the same course.

The annual convention of the Delaware State League of Postmasters was held in Wilmington last Friday. Postmasters from most of the larger towns of the State were present.

The Geographical Society of Philadelphia took their first autumn excursion of the season yesterday, when it made the trip to Wilmington on the steamer City of Philadelphia. Old Swedes Church was visited, the afternoon being spent in a walk along the Brandywine.

The cornerstone of the Peoples' Settlement Building at Eighth and Lombard streets, Wilmington, was laid last Saturday. Dr. Kellou, Chancellor C. M. Curtis, Josiah Marvel, William H. Snyder attended and spoke at the exercises.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 28, 1910

WE wish to call attention to our special articles this week. Dr. Rowan writes another of his "Heroes of 1812" sketches. The sketch of White Clay Presbyterian Church will be interesting to many of our readers and bring back pleasant memories. Also our column "Newark in History and Tradition" this week will interest many who love these stories of the past. The sketch of New London Road will reveal points not generally known. These sketches have been much appreciated by many of our readers, and we have been asked to continue this department. If you have any story of older Newark, let us have it. Let our children learn the story of Newark in those days ago. By so doing they will become more interested in their home. And no worthier act can you perform than to teach the young to love and honor the deeds of the past. These sketches of romance and tradition appeal to them and lead to the more serious study and appreciation of their town in the days that "tried men's souls" and prompts them to prepare, that they may carry on the work of their ancestry and make their today a fitting sequence to the deeds of yesterday.

CORN IS KING

EVERYWHERE we see the laborer shoulder his blade to begin on a siege of cutting and we know the first step in the harvest of America's golden grain is begun.

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Secretary of Agriculture Wilson says that the most striking thing in the world's agriculture is the value of the corn crop of 1909 in the United States. He sets \$1,720,000,000 as the figure representing the returns and notes that it nearly equals the amount expended for the clothing of 70,000,000 people according to the census of 1900.

Quoting the Secretary—"This corn came up from the soil and out of the air in one hundred and twenty days—\$14,000,000 a day for one crop."

He certainly can afford to influence over the homelike return that Nature yields for the efforts put forth by man.

"Let other lands, exulting gleam
The apple from the pine,
The orange from its glossy green,
The cluster from the vine;

We better love the hardy gift
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Send up our thanks to God!"

We Stand Corrected--A Piece Of Famous China In Newark

Editor NEWARK POST:

Sir—I wish to make a correction to the article on Miss Vining in a recent edition in regard to the old set of India China presented to Miss Vining by General Anthony Wayne. Instead of being in Dover, this historical set of china is now in the possession of Col. Nicholas Ridgely Johnson, of Farmington, Del., a brother of Mrs. T. Pilling Wright, of this place, and a great grandson of Doctor Charles Ridgely, who was a half-brother of the fascinating Revolutionary belle. The set is of artistic and dainty design, and is in an excellent state of preservation. I may further add that a cup and saucer of the old set now adorn the china closet of Mrs. Pilling Wright. Mr. Johnson also has in his possession another historical relic closely associated with Miss Vining—a handsome, cloth-bottomed mahogany chair which belonged to his great great grandfather, Judge Nicholas Ridgely, who married Miss Vining's mother. Yours very truly,
M. VANG SMITH.

News Here And There

(Continued from Page 1.)

Thomas J. Jones and wife, who have been the guests of P. M. Sherwood, have returned to their home at Center Square, Pa. Mr. Jones talks very interestingly of the sugar beet industry with which he has been engaged in Orange County, California, where he was superintendent of a plant which had a capacity of 2,000 tons per day. He has recently retired, having returned to the East to make his home. Mail bag receivers are being installed at the P. B. & W. Station. These receptacles are for catching mail pouches thrown from the fast mail express. All possibility of accident is avoided, which was common in the old way of throwing the pouches from a fast moving train on the platform. Several accidents have occurred recently and the authorities are putting in these receivers at the most prominent stations. Those installed here are the first to be put in on the Maryland division.

Many Newarkers are taking in the sights at Trenton Fair.

Mrs. Keybold and party from Delaware City, arrived at Newark today and were afternoon guests of Mrs. W. H. Steele.

George Kerly, aged eleven years, of Iron Hill, was kicked in the head by a horse last Saturday. The boy was so seriously injured that he was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital. An examination revealed a fractured skull. After an operation, he is on the road to recovery.

The residence of George Griffin is being lighted with electricity.

Attention has been called to the condition of the stone road leading to Newark from Wilmington. It is thought it will take \$1200 or \$1500 to make the needed repairs. The proposition is for the Levy Court to assume one-half of the expense and the other to be left with the citizens of that community.

How Do Our Preachers Stand

Mr. Editor:

As the election approaches the Sacro question becomes more vital. It has occurred to me that an expression of opinion of the ministers would be interesting. Do not mean from a party standpoint—it is not a party question—but from the standpoint of merit. There are differences of opinion and we want to know how our preachers stand. If you will find this out and publish results, you will accommodate an inquiring public.

VOTER.

All the ministers of the town receive copies of the POST, and your request will thus come to their notice. No doubt, the ministers of the town will make a satisfactory reply. We gladly offer our columns to the discussion of this or any other issue. "License" and "No-License" are welcome to the discussion of this problem.—Ed.

"A Plea For The Dog"

At the last meeting of Council steps were taken to rid the town of the dog nuisance. Other councils knew how unpopular it was and rather than have the ill will of the masses the matter was dropped, but there seems to be more of a desire to press the good work than ever before.

This locality has always been the haven for dogs, and it is traditional that the hardy Welshman brought with him a number of fine dogs, and one of the first fox kennels in America was located near Cooch's Bridge, on the Welsh Tract.

He is man's companion in every clime and is the only animal that can be found on "Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strand". Nature made them for each other, as he did the negro and the mole.

He is ever ready to lick the hand that would strike him, and humbly follow his master even to his grave. His pitiful howl over the grave of his master at the dead and solemn hour of midnight, has often made him enemies, who cared little for the love that bound them together.

REGISTER'S ORDER.

Office of the Register of Wills, New Castle County, Del., Sept. 27, 1910.

Upon the application of Elizabeth Wollaston and Benjamin R. Lee, Executors of Albert Wollaston, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, in said county, deceased, it is ordered and directed by the Register of Wills that the Executors aforesaid give notice of granting of Letters Testamentary upon the estate of the deceased, with the date of granting thereof, by causing advertisements to be posted within forty days from the date of such Letters in six of the most public places of the County of New Castle, requiring all persons having demands against the estate to present the same, or abide by an act of Assembly in such case made and provided; and also cause the same to be inserted within the same period in the NEWARK POST, a newspaper published in Newark, Del., and to be continued therein ten weeks.

Given under the hand and seal of office of the Register of Wills aforesaid, at Wilmington, in New Castle County aforesaid, the day and year above written.

FRANCIS M. WALKER, Register of Wills.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary were in due form of law granted unto the undersigned, on the 27th day of September A. D. 1910, and that all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased must present the same, duly attested, to the said Executors, on or before the 27th day of September, A. D. 1911, or abide the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

ELIZABETH WOLLASTON, BENJAMIN R. LEE, Executors. Charles B. Evans, Esq., Attorney-at-Law, Newark, Del.

While we all admire the fine Scotch collie of our ex-Congressman, well-fed fox hounds of the village doctor, and the well groomed bull-dog at the Washington House, we should not forget the mongrel cur of "boogie row." There he is in Paradise Alley. No restraint on him there. He has every comfort of the family, and if one would want to see a picture of contentment, go there and see how the picanninnies enjoy him.

Return in the afternoon, you will find them in the arms of Morpheus, basking in the sunshine. What if our foxhounds so disturb some people? We have only about forty here and they are always hunting. They have caught three foxes in four years, and when not fox hunting they are hunting something to eat. When their appetites are satisfied they are content.

Heavy Hauling and Carting

ALL WORK CAREFULLY DONE

Light Livery Attached. Phone 142
Heiser's Stable

WILMER E. RENSHAW

NOTICE

All persons are warned not to post Bills or Signs of any kind on trees or poles within the town limits. All persons violating this ordinance will be prosecuted.

D. C. ROSE, Chairman Street Committee.

AUCTIONEER

HOSEA R. SMITH.

Newark, Delaware
Your patronage solicited.

PLUMBING—I am ready to attend to any work you may have.

DANIEL STOLL, Rear basement of Armstrong's Store.

Life Insurance

I represent one of the best Life Insurance Companies, The National Life Insurance of Montpelier Vt.

When thinking of Insurance have a talk with me before placing your insurance elsewhere.

GEO. D. KELLEY, JR., Newark, Del.

Merchant Tailor

Altering, cleaning and pressing neatly done. Clothes bought and exchanged. Some clothing for sale now at reasonable prices.

Notify me by postal and I will call for work.

JOHN H. HERBENER, Newark, Del.

Near Squire Chambers.

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A
Modern Dwelling

Detached. Liberal grounds.

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Ripe for building in the improved sections. Location, price and terms to suit any purchaser.

REAL ESTATE

is advancing in price

BUY NOW

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"Granite Hall Farm"
West End

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J. JEX,

Newark,

Del.

tent to hunt fleas.

No, gentlemen, before you take this step, go back to your childhood days and think of "The old house-dog that lay stretched on the floor where the shadows of the afternoon used to steal"—for when a boy you never had a better friend than "Old Dog Tray."

Chasing off the dogs is one of the first steps to breaking up the old family home, and the home-life which is fast passing away needs help. Protect the dog and you have the old hearthstone.

THE DOGS' FRIEND

Aaron J. Michener's Will

The will of Aaron J. Michener, late of West Nottingham, dated April 5, 1910, and witnessed by Estelle J. Smith and William S. Evans, was admitted to probate in the Register's office yesterday. After bequests of furniture, silverware, etc., to his daughters, his

gold watch and chain to his nephew William P. Reynolds, his Masonic sword and scabbard to his nephew, Austin H. Reynolds, and \$100 to his faithful housekeeper, Carrie V. Lan-der, if living at his death, he leaves \$3,500 to his daughter, Harriet J. Worthington, less her proportionate share of the expenses of settling his estate; the balance payable within five years and bearing interest at 5 per cent. The rest and residue of his estate, of every description, is left absolutely to his daughter, Amanda M. Reynolds, who is named sole executrix, without bond.

Special

SPECIAL—Mason's half-gallon jars, 70 cents per dozen.

J. W. BROWN, West End Market.

Special Notice

On every Saturday I am making special sales in

NOTIONS For Ladies and Children. Some Fine Bargains.

STOP IN AND SEE THEM

EMMA BARNEY, 360 Main Street.

12 YEARS

Practical experience at

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Tin Roofing and Sheet Iron Work

Estimates Gladly Given.

DANIEL STOLL

Basement Armstrong's Store

OFFER EXTRAORDINARY
\$500 Reward

The Anti-License Campaign Committee for Rural New Castle County offers to pay the sum of \$500 to the first person in Delaware, whether representative of the liquor interests or otherwise, who will prove that the closing of the saloons in Kent and Sussex Counties has resulted in increased taxation in those counties, or in any sense damaged their legitimate business interests. This offer is free to all, and will be held open until Nov. 8, 1910. Answers urgently solicited for submission to a competent board of Judges.

Let the liquor men read offer above and make good their false claims.

BY ORDER OF

ANTI-LICENSE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

WANT COLUMN

The Want Ad Column in this paper is an innovation to country newspapers. The usual rate is higher than most people wish to pay for a small notice. Any little thing you have to sell, it will pay you to run in a notice in this column. Lost, Found, Want Ads, all come under this heading.

Be sure to always look at the Want Column. It has paid others. It will pay you.

Rates Only 1 Cent a Word

Just the place for a small notice. Have you anything for sale? Put it in this column and it will bring a buyer.

LOST

LOST—A chased gold pin, round, about the size of a nickel, somewhere between the P. B. & W. Station, College Campus and the Tuberculosis Hut at Newark Center. Reward. Return to this office.

WANTED.

WANTED—Situation as Clerk in any kind of store. W. P. Mahan, Rising Sun, Md.

WANTED—Coal ashes removed free. Notify

D. C. ROSE, Chairman Street Committee.

WANTED—A first class carpenter. Steady employment. Apply to The Continental Fibre Co., Newark, Del.

WANTED—Young girl to assist in house. Apply to Mrs. Teller, College Farm.

WANTED—A quantity of good cabbage for sauer kraut. Apply John H. Herbener, Newark. Near J. K. Chambers.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The large Store Room in Newark Opera House Building. The best location and lowest Mercantile Rent in town. Apply to—Newark Trust and Safe Deposit Co., Newark, Del.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room—second story front—on Wilkins Terrace. Address R. NEWARK POST, Newark, Del. Phone 93.

FOR SALE

Building Sand at the pit or delivered. (65-5 D. & A.) Crossways Farm.

FOR SALE—One Rhode Island Red Rooster and 6 Pullets. 13 Black Langshang Pullets, 5 months old. Apply Evan W. Lewis.

FOR SALE—A Two Horse tread power. Address, K. NEWARK POST, Newark. Phone 93.

FOR SALE—7-Room Dwelling. Steam heat, Stables, Fruit, etc., on Cleveland Ave. Special bargain to right-away purchaser. Apply only to—

Real Estate Department, Newark Trust & Safe Deposit Co.

Thoroughbreds for Sale

This is the best time of the year to buy your breeding stock. Let them become accustomed to their new homes. I have some very choice White Wyandotte Cockerels for sale at reasonable prices. Come early and pick out the best. The finest will be gone in a few weeks.

Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Newark, Del. D. & A. 65-5

WANTED

Men and boys. We have steady employment for a few competent and reliable men and boys. None but those wanting steady employment with opportunities of advancement need apply.

The Continental Fibre Co. Newark, Del.

WANTED

Girls to learn rolling, at Wall Paper Factory, also able bodied boys over 16 years of age.

Steady work and good wages.

Apply

AD THOMAS,

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Prompt and personal attention.

Tent At Cemetery

Appointments the Best

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Classed gold pin, round, with a buckle, somewhere in P. B. & W. Station, Col. and the Tuberculosis Center. Reward. Return.

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Coal ashes removed. Notify D. C. Rose, Street Committee.

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Young girl to assist in Mrs. Teller, College.

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PERSONAL

Miss Mary Barwick, of Chesapeake City, Md., and Miss Scott, of Elkton, visited Miss Ethel Campbell last week.

Mrs. Jex, of New York, and Miss Sedam, of New Brunswick, were the guests of Misses Herman Tyson last week.

L. B. Jacobs and wife arrived to Dover and return last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rose returned this week from an extended trip in the West and Canada.

Mrs. Arthur J. Wood, State College, Pa., and son, are visiting G. G. Kerr and family.

Prof. and Mrs. Close, from College Park, Md., visited Miss Fannie Shapleigh last week. They made the trip in their auto.

Mrs. Isaac Moore has returned from a trip through the Northeastern States.

Miss Jane Cooper, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Maggie Anderson.

Miss Sarah Pyle, of Wilmington, visited Mrs. Hayward last week.

Mrs. Lee Warren, of Lukens, Florida, has been visiting relatives around Newark.

Mrs. Belle Fuller, of Baltimore, and Miss Sue Clendenin, of Wilmington, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Alexander Wilson, at Wilson's Shops.

Miss Ethel George, of Bear Station, is visiting Mrs. Raymond Gray.

Miss May Brown, of Wilmington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Currinder.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osmond and daughter, Marie, of Columbia, Pa., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Osmond.

Edgar and Raymond McMullin are attending Trenton Fair.

Mrs. Catharine Biddle has returned home after spending three weeks at Seaside Park, N. J.

P. F. Hoffman and wife from New York State, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loring Wivel.

Miss Florence Butler and Miss Phoenix are spending a few weeks at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mrs. Katie M. Dean, who has been visiting Dean's, returned to her home at Greensboro, N. C.

D. C. Rose and wife have returned from an extended Western trip.

Mrs. C. A. Bryan and Mrs. T. R. McMullin spent last week at Atlantic City.

Mrs. E. J. Barr, of Philadelphia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. Roseby McMullen.

Mrs. Biddle has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Roberts, nee Louise Clark Smith, who is a resident of the Artists Colony at Rose Valley, Pa.

South Newark Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mills spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Lunkel.

Miss Ethel Frazer visited Miss Edna Colbert, on Saturday and Sunday.

Francis McCarthy spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. B. Corbett.

Mrs. Lester Riggs, of Claymont, was a visitor here on Saturday.

Free Photograph

You may have your picture taken absolutely free of charge by the Union Portrait & View Co., by calling on Opening Day, Saturday, October 1st. The offer is necessarily limited to one member of a family, the hours from 8 a. m. to 3 p. m.

The new studio is over Ed Herben's Post-Card and Music Shop.

As One Man Sees It

Before this town takes up the sewer question to decide the citizens should first find out the financial condition of our present utilities.

Let us say at the beginning that I am in favor of a sewer and expect to do my part toward it. I am not in the Council, on the Sanitary Commission Board and hold no office connected with the town. I am a plain citizen.

I am in sympathy with the majority action of the Council and in sympathy with the progressive spirit of the Commission—so understand this is not a knock.

As I have heard you say, there is not a man in town that knows how much it costs to pump a gallon of water. We only know that we are pumping more than we get pay for. There is a leak in the tank and in the financial budget. And no one can tell exactly where the

trouble is. No manufacture or business concern could stand this strain.

There is not a man in town that knows how much it costs the town to produce electricity for one light.

That's not good business. I do not blame a single member in Council any more than I blame any citizen. It is not the fault of this Council. This thing has been going on with this spirit of neglect for years. No one has the time or the inclination to find this out. They have just been neglected. The present Council has started a plan of bookkeeping that the finances of the town can be im-

proved. This is well. But overhauling the finances is due to the man who will start a movement to find out the cost of production of our utilities.

Then we can take up the sewer question and start out with a clean sheet. It takes money to make these calculations. It will be well spent if we hire some one to find out these items and hand them over to Council.

I should like to suggest, also, that you publish the full financial report of Council after each meeting.

The statement issued once a year of little interest to any one and is oftentimes presented in such shape that it

is impossible to draw any definite conclusions.

If I am wrong in these things, will some citizen or member of Council set me right.

I should like to know what it costs us to pump a gallon of water—how many we pump—how many we sell and what we get for it. The same with the lighting proposition. Will anyone answer?

TAX PAID.

No 1536

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

National Bank of Newark

AT NEWARK IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE

WARE AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS.

SEPT. 1st, 1910

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$39,621.70
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	184.10
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	32,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	880.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	75,998.02
Banking house, Furniture and fixtures	16,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	898.72
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	708.48
Due from approved Reserve Agents	33,191.91
Checks and other Cash items	468.95
Notes of other National Banks	1,813.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents	362.61
Legal Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specific	\$17,520.50
Legal-tender notes	19,430.50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	1,625.00
6 per cent. of circulation	1,625.00
Total	\$102,667.19

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	45,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	6,342.89
National Bank Notes outstanding	32,500.00
Due to other National Banks	11,130.49
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	346.30
Dividends Unpaid	85.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	296,536.39
Time Certificates of Deposit	88,477.93
Certified Checks	2,163.10
Cashier's checks outstanding	68.00
Total	\$102,667.19

State of Delaware, County of New Castle, ss: I, H. E. Vinsinger, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: H. E. VINSINGER, Cashier.
J. WILKINS COUCH, S. M. MOTHRELL, GEO. W. WILLIAMS, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of September, 1910.
LEONARD W. LOVETT, Notary Public

DR. A. S. HOUGHIN

VETERINARIAN

Delaware Avenue Newark, Delaware.

Phone Connections.

REORGANIZATION SALE
To Close Out An Overstock

300 WASHBOARDS, 19c each

200 WHIPS, 9c each, 3 for 25 cents

25 ICE CREAM FREEZERS

1 qt. \$1.40, 2 qt. \$1.65, 3 qt. \$1.90, 4 qt. \$2.25, 6 qt. \$2.90, 8 qt. \$3.60

Newark Hardware Co., W. H. DEAN, General Manager

Five Passenger Touring Car

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BY THE HOUR OR DAY

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Getting Settled for Winter

After the summer vacation days comes the time to put the house in order for the winter.

Bell Telephone Service

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HAVE YOU A BELL TELEPHONE?

THE DELAWARE & ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE CO

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WANTED—To buy Antique Furniture. Drop me a postal and I will call.

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MERCHANT TAILOR

Ladies and Gentlemen

I am prepared to do tailoring work of the best grade.

Drop in and see my samples.

Suits from \$16.50 to \$35.

Fits guaranteed or money refunded.

You are to judge the fit.

I can make you up a suit as good and for the less money that you can get in the cities.

TRY ME

I also do scouring, dying and pressing.

I want every man who wears tailor made clothes to come see me.

I spend the money I get in Newark. Do you?

Give me a trial.

SAMUEL MILLER

Next Door To National Bank

G. W. Singles

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Our Ad. Directory

Newark's Leading Business Houses

THE PLACE TO BUY

AUCTIONEER—Hosea R. Smith.

AUTOMOBILES—The Overland A. K. Fader.

BANKS—National Bank, Newark Trust and Safe Deposit Co.

BUILDING LOTS—Miss Martha Pennington, John Jex.

COAL—E. L. Richards.

DAIRY FEEDS—Campbell.

DRY GOODS—Chapman, Campbell, Emma Barney.

DRUG STORE—George W. Rhodes, P. D., successor to Mrs. J. B. Butler.

GROCERS—Campbell, Chapman, J. W. Brown, Kilmon, Sherwood.

HARDWARE—Dean Cash Store, Campbell.

INSURANCE—George Kelley, Joseph Hossinger.

LIVERY—Charles W. Strahorn, Alfred Stiltz, Wilmer E. Renshaw.

LUMBER—John A. Hopkins, E. L. Richards.

MEAT MARKET—Charles P. Steele.

PHOSPHATES—E. L. Richards.

POST CARDS & MUSIC STORE—Ed Herben.

PLUMBING, HEATING, ETC.—L. B. Jacobs, A. C. Pyle, Daniel Stoll.

PRINTING—The Newark Post.

PUMPS—WELLS REPAIRING—G. W. Singles, H. H. Shank.

RESTAURANT—L. E. Hill, W. R. Powell.

SHOES—Douglas Shoes—Charles Norowski.

TAILOR—J. H. Herben, Samuel Miller, J. M. Gemmell.

TYPEWRITER—The Underwood.

UNDERTAKER—R. T. Jones, E. C. Wilson.

UPHOLSTERING—R. T. Jones.

VETERINARIAN—Dr. A. S. Houghin.

WILMINGTON—The leading Clothing Store—Mullins, Delaware's Pioneer Trust Co., Security Trust & Safe Deposit Co.

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I am prepared to furnish all kinds of hardwood lumber, cut to order.

Posts of all kinds sawed to order.

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Quick service at reasonable prices.

That's the reason we have increased our trade over two fold during the last year.

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Orders promptly filled.

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Start a Bank Account To-Day--That's Wisdom.

You Want The Best Bank--That's Proper.

The Newark Trust and Safe Deposit Co.--That's It.

Resources Over \$180,000--That's Important.

Opera House Building--That's The Place.

One Dollar Starts You--That's All.

We solicit your account no matter how small. Interest paid on all Deposits.

Newark In History And Tradition

Story Of New London Road--Indian Settlement At London Tract

When the white man first came to make his home in the Western Hemisphere he found a world filled with wonders. The vast mountain system extending from the Arctic region toward the tropics and on again through frigid climes; the great lakes, long rivers, broad valleys and wonderful cataraets; he found strange birds, animals and plants, but the most interesting of all was a new race of his own human kind.

The succeeding chapters in the story of the association of the white man and the red depended largely upon the beginning. When the Spaniard was the first white man whom they encountered, the sequel was a tale of the Indian's cruelty; when the first pale face of their acquaintance chanced to be a follower of William Penn, the narrative that followed promises to be pleasanter to contemplate.

Our region, which in its early days was so closely connected with the colony of Penn., shared the kindly relations which existed between Friend and Red Man.

The Lenape branch of the great Algonquin family overspread Southern Pennsylvania, Northern Delaware and Maryland. It was this tribe with whom Penn. talked under the famous old elm when he so deeply impressed these children of the forest, as he compared the white and red men to different members of the human family. We all know how well their promise "to live in love with William Penn and his children as long as the sun and moon gave light," was remembered. It is said that when an Indian wished to pay the highest compliment to a white man he would say, "He is like William Penn."

One historian tells us that the Indians, in the early days, were distributed all over Chester county, Pa., but were sparse west of White Clay Creek. Thus we gather that in our immediate locality permanent villages were rare, although this country was constantly traversed by many, on their way to the fishing shore along the Chesapeake and Delaware.

Occasionally four or five wigwags were found clustered in a place, on the south side of a hill when a spring of water was near. Some of these groups were of considerable size and were known as Indian towns. One of these was in London Britain township, Chester county, Pa., near the London Tract Baptist Church, on the well-known "Creek Road." There they followed their usual employments—the men hunting and fishing, the women the making of baskets and the cultivation of small patches of Indian corn.

We may picture the Indian there—living his life, surrounded by the silent, forest-clad hills of that rolling country—to which the stream adds music as it winds its way through the valley below. For him the sun filled the world with a golden glory by day and the moon and stars cast their silvery reflections by night. There he related his legends, sometimes touching upon the sublime themes of creation and again descending to weird and revolting witch stories unworthy of repetition.

At times he was happy and sung in his tent and at play, again living in dread of those invisible spirits which he believed inhabited all Nature around him.

It requires a vast area to support a people who live off the natural products of the land. The Indian was forced to travel miles in his search for food. Paths marking the easiest routes to the fishing grounds soon became fixed. Many of these possessed all the value of the Indians' cunning in selection and when the settlers came to build their highways, nothing better than a following of the old Indian trails was considered.

A famous one of these is the road leading from Newark into Chester county, commonly spoken of as the New London Road. An old Indian trail, extensively travelled, ran from Parkersburg to the fisheries of the Chesapeake and Delaware. The trail for many miles, followed a ridge which divides the waters flowing into the Susquehanna from those joining the Delaware. In its whole course it did not cross a single stream. This is now known as the Limestone Road, running through Oxford, Pa.

Connecting with this famous trail was the other "Indian Path", as it was formerly called—later becoming the mentioned New London Road. In the first part of its course it is the watershed dividing the streams flowing into the White Clay and Christina Creeks, but finally forming the dividing ridge between the waters of the Big Elk and White Clay Creeks. The many turns in the road are probably accounted for by the fact that only two streams, so small as to afford no inconvenience, are crossed on the entire road.

At the entrance to the village of New London stands a beautiful old oak, which is supposed to be one of the trees blazed to mark the path in its beginning. Fortunately this exceptional specimen in the world of trees is sincerely appreciated by the inhabitants of the section. Their fondness for the boughs which have put forth the bud and leaf, each in its time, irrespective of the coming and going of generations is shown by the way in which they safeguard it and surround it with care. It seems, as the seasons roll by, to only gain in hardness until now it stands as a fitting representative of the strength and ruggedness, characteristic of the colonists of early times.

In this instance the aesthetic sense and reverence for age has triumphed over the pull on the purse strings, for the members of New London Church, in front of which the tree stands, even considered paying for the number of extra yards of macadamized road which would be necessary in order to make the curve and go round the landmark. This has not been necessary, however, as it is believed a special petition to the State will accomplish

Some Points On Potatoes

Most farmers have now harvested their potatoes, or they are expecting to do it in the near future. Once this done, the keeping of the potatoes becomes an important problem. A few simple facts here to guide the farmer in this enterprise will not be out of place.

Fresh harvested tubers should not be stored away immediately, but they are to be left in the open air to allow the excess of moisture to evaporate. In collecting the tubers care should be taken to rid them of any mud which has a tendency to cling, especially when the potatoes are harvested after a rainy day (a thing which is very undesirable to do) care should be taken to separate the sound from the unsound tubers. The scab (*Oospora scabiei*), the dry rot disease (*Fusarium oxysporum*) and the soft rot (*Phytophthora infestans*) are usually the worst enemies of the potato grower. Tubers affected with the above diseases should not be allowed to be stored with healthy ones. One or two tubers affected with the scab, or any of the above mentioned diseases, are capable of affecting a whole bin of healthy tubers. Discard and separate any tubers which show the least sign of rot. This should be done the more scrupulously, when some of the potatoes are intended for seeds for the next year.

Finally no potatoes should be stored away in damp and warm places. Cool and airy cellars are the best places for potatoes to be stored in. The reason is that a warm and moist atmosphere encourages the growth of parasitic fungi. This, of course, means a rapid decay of the stored potatoes. On the other hand, a cool and dry atmosphere retards or prevents decay.

J. J. T.
The Executive Committee of Pennsylvania State Grange has appointed Dr. Hannah McK. Lyons, of Lincoln University, an associate editor of Grange News—the official organ of the State Grange. Mrs. Lyons is a sister of Mrs. Elmer Thompson, of Newark.

September 25th marked the opening of a two weeks' Evangelical campaign in the Kembleville M. E. Church.

KILMON-TALKS ABOUT FEED

Everybody is talking about Pure Food Products and a wave of reform has swept the country—the outcome of which is all food products are what they are labelled to be.

We Sell That Kind of Groceries

But in this reform we have lost sight of the Feed for animals.

JUST TAKE THE SUBJECT OF MIDLINGS

MIDLINGS is often written on the bag—and mill sweepings IN THE BAG.

How can you tell good midlings?

The color of MIDLINGS is WHITE.

Now if you get a bag marked Midlings and they are dark—that means MILL SWEEPINGS.

Now all the proof you need to this statement is just to come take a look at the Midlings I am selling, any farmer in this section will agree with me when they compare the PURE WHITE MIDLINGS and MILL SWEEPINGS.

10 PER CENT. CHEAPER HERE

I am selling Pure White Midlings at least 10 per cent. CHEAPER THAN YOU CAN BUY ELSEWHERE.

Bran, Corn and all Mill Feeds--All as Good--Some better than sold ELSEWHERE.

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Having received a complete line of

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I am now in position to supply all demands of the school children.

Tablets, Composition Books, Note Books, Pens, Pen Holders, Pencils, Crayons, Rulers, Etc.

I also have writing paper by the BOX or POUND.

Would be pleased to show you our line.

George W. Rhodes, P. D.
PHARMACIST

Newark, Delaware

The Newark Hardware Co.

SUCCEEDING

The Dean Cash Store

WHAT IT IS AND ITS POWER

The principal office and place of business to be located in the town of

NEWARK, STATE OF DELAWARE

The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted and carried on are to do any and all of the things herein mentioned, as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do as principal, agent, contractor or otherwise, either alone or in connection with others, and in any part of the world, viz:

To engage in conduct and carry on the business of Retailers and Wholesalers, and also dealers in

HARDWARE

OF EVERY KIND, NATURE AND DESCRIPTION

MANUFACTURERS, MILL FACTORY, FOUNDRY, FORGE,

MACHINE SHOP, BUILDERS, ELECTRICAL, PLUMBERS,

STEAM FITTERS, GAS FITTERS AND OTHER SUPPLIES

TOOLS, CUTLERY, SADDLERY AND OTHER GOODS

TOOLS OF EVERY KIND AND DESCRIPTION

IRON, STEEL, COPPER AND ALL OTHER METALS

of every kind and description and all and everything made therefrom or combination thereof.

Vehicles, Machines and Machinery of every kind and description, Rubber, Fibre and all other substitutes of every kind and description or any combination

or modification thereof, and all things made therefrom.

Glass, Paints, Oils and Gasoline

of every kind and description. To manufacture, sell and repair

Motor Vehicles, Engines, Machinery and Equipments,

including all Apparatus, appliances and equipments used in connection with the manufacture, storage or operation of motor vehicles.

To carry on the business of Electricians, Mechanical Engineers and manufacturers and workers and dealers in ELECTRICAL WORK AND APPLIANCES. To build, erect and install plants and appliances for Motive Power, Heat or Light, to sell and deal in all things used in connection therewith.

The incorporators have secured a good business location and expect to sell stock enough to erect buildings that will be a credit to the town.

Under the new liberal laws of the State, and with trade already established by the originator of the Dean Cash Store, we expect even a greater share of the business covered by the charter granted us, with the trade in Newark and vicinity.

As has been the policy heretofore of selling for a small profit and turning the money over quickly we have been able to sell the goods for less money than some of our competitors, and with our contemplated larger store the decreased cost of handling and ability to buy in larger quantities will still further decrease the selling price and thereby make a greater increase of business and result in a store that will be a credit to the town. We have under consideration two plans for financing the operation of a new building. One plan offered was that of outside capital taking enough stock to pay for cost of building. We have already the pledge of stock from Newark investors for a small amount and the matter has not been thoroughly advertised yet.

Our other plan was suggested some time ago and after consultation with prominent men of the town the principle if carried out would mean even a greater chance for our original thought to give to our customers and friends their Hardware at a price competing with or lower than they can purchase elsewhere, and keeping the money gained thereby at home.

Shares are to be issued at \$50 each and to investors in Newark Hardware stock it is a chance to boom the town with a home industry.

For further particulars apply to

W. H. DEAN

GENERAL MANAGER

Captain James Lawrence

On October 1st, 1781, James Lawrence was born in Burlington, N. J. Feinimore Cooper informs us that the father of Lawrence was a respectable lawyer who intended to educate his son for the same profession, but, seeing the boy's inclination was to a seafaring life, obtained for him on September 11th, 1798, a midshipman's warrant. He served, therefore, in the Mediterranean Squadron during the war with the Barbary States, and was one of the volunteers who under Decatur engaged in the hazardous undertaking of destroying the Philadelphia in the harbor of Tripoli. Promoted to a lieutenant, he commanded the Vixen 14, and the Wasp 18. In 1811, just before the second war with Great Britain broke out he was made a captain, and was given the big Hornet 18. On February 24th, 1813, off the mouth of Demerara river, British Guiana, South America, he met and defeated the British brig Peacock. The battle lasted but fifteen minutes, in which time the guns of the American tore great holes in the sides of the Peacock and caused her to sink. The two frigates were fairly matched, the Hornet measuring 480 tons and carrying a crew of 135 men, while the Peacock measured 477 tons and mustered a crew of 130 men. But there was a most remarkable disparity in the damage inflicted. The Hornet had one killed and four wounded; the Peacock five killed, including her captain, and thirty-three wounded. The Hornet came out of the contest without receiving any injury to her hull, and a very little to her spars, while the Peacock was riddled like a sieve. It was a clear case of superior generalship and gunnery. Having so many men on board Lawrence deemed it expedient to set sail for New York, at which place he touched about a month after the engagement to report his success, and to be received with acclamations of praise. As a reward for his victory he was appointed to command the Chesapeake 38. He asked for the Constitution, but had to be content with a ship that, ever since her brush with the Leopard in 1807, had been regarded as the unluckiest ship of the American Navy. Just as soon as Lawrence took command of the Chesapeake he realized that her officers and crew were at variance with each other. The crew was made up of scrubs, picked up at random, many of them being of foreign extraction, and having no interest either in their ship or the flag of the country. They complained that their wages had not been paid, and at last threatened to leave. Under the direction of a man of the skill and magnetism of Lawrence they could have been welded into one perfect machine, provided there had been sufficient time, say a month or two. But in the harbor of Boston there appeared the British frigate Shannon 38, Captain Broke, who had the reputation of being one of the ablest captains in the British Navy. For seven years he had commanded the Shannon, and had gathered about him a most efficient crew. Lawrence regarded the presence of the Shannon as a challenge to a duel, and he felt compelled to accept the challenge, although he was aware of the fact that his crew was mutinous and ill-sorted. He, who had sent a written challenge to the Bonne Citoyenne to come out of the harbor of Bahia and try conclusions with the Hornet, could not afford to decline the challenge of the Shannon. It is said that Commodore Rambridge advised him to wait until his ship was in condition to fight, but he refused to take the advice. So out went the Chesapeake to her doom, on June 1st, 1813. For the first few minutes the battle was fiercely fought, both ships suffering severely, when by a mere accident the frigates fell foul of each other, and while thus fastened together the Chesapeake was exposed to a raking fire that literally swept her decks. Although wounded in the leg, Lawrence refused to leave his post, and he sought to inspire courage in the hearts of his men. So imposing a

figure marked them out as a special target, and soon a bullet from the muzzles of a British marine found a resting place in his abdomen. With the head of the ship had low confusion seized the Americans, who scampered from the decks to the hold, allowing the boarders to take possession and haul down the flag of the Chesapeake. The contest lasted only fifteen minutes, but in that short time both ships were like slaughter pens. The Chesapeake lost 48 killed and 98 wounded, and the Shannon lost 23 killed and 56 wounded. As the Shannon and Chesapeake were on the way to Halifax, Lawrence died, June 6th, 1813, and was buried with military honors. Later on his remains were conveyed to New York and interred in Trinity Cemetery. Pedestrians passing along Broadway may read on the monument facing the street these words:

"Neither the fury of battle, the anguish of a mortal wound, nor all the horrors of approaching death could subdue his gallant spirit."

His dying words were—"Don't give up the ship."

W. J. ROWAN.

Heart Cheer

"Go forth under the open sky, and list to Nature's teaching Earth with her thousand voices, praises God."

"The more we know the better we forgive, Whoe'er feels deeply, feels for all who live."

"There's no dearth of kindness In this world of ours; Only in our blindness We gather thorns for flowers."

"Being all fashioned to the self-same dust, Let us be merciful as well as just."

"Tis with our judgments as our watches; none Go just alike, yet each believes his own."

"Despondency is ingratitude. Hope is God's worship."

"Be still, sad heart, and cease repining; Behind the clouds is the sun still shining."

"Thy fate & the common fate of all, Into each life some rain must fall, Some days must be dark and dreary."

"Hope against hope, and ask till ye receive."

"Behind the dim unknown, Standeth God within the shadow, Keeping watch above his own."

"At the bottom of a good deal of the bravery that appears in the world there lurks a miserable cowardice. Men will face powder and steel because they cannot face public opinion."

"Were we as eloquent as angels, we should please some men, some women, and some children much more by listening than by talking."

"Enjoy your own life without comparing it with that of another."

"No one can bring you peace but yourself. Nothing can bring you peace but the triumph of principle."

"Some persons follow the dictates of their own conscience only in the same sense in which a coachman may be said to follow the horses he is driving."

"The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart."

"Strong characters are brought out by change of situation, and gentle ones by permanence."

"Suffering becomes beautiful when anyone leaves great calamities with cheerfulness, not through insensibility but through greatness of mind."

"He makes no friend who never made a foe."

"Blessings start forth forever; but a curse is like a cloud—it passes."

"I have lived to know that the secret

of happiness is never to allow your energies to stagnate."

"Trials teach us what we are; they dig up the soil, and let us see the weeds we are made of; they just turn up some of the ill weeds on to the surface."

"The eternal stars shine out as soon as it is dark enough."

"Men think God is destroying them because he is tuning them. The violinist screws up the key till the tense cord resounds the concert pitch; but it is not to break it, but to use it tunelessly, that he stretches the string upon the musical rack."

"It is often better to have a great deal of harm happen to one than a little; a great deal may rouse you to remove what a little will only accustom you to endure."

"Eagles we see fly alone; and they the but sheep which always herd together."

"There are a good many real miseries in life that we cannot help smiling at, but they are the smiles that make wrinkles and not dimples."

"God delights in true earnest thinkers."

"The scholar's place is always in the van and his home is in the rugged heights. Other men may lie down to sleep in the furrows which they have plowed and by the heaps of metal which they have dug from the mine, but the scholar, like the Christ, seeks the mountainside an idle might and the silence, and when he comes to mingle with the people and to put his hands to his daily task, it is with a touch of heaven. His soul grips the common place and transforms it with the light of the spirit."

Civil Service Examinations

The following Civil Service examinations are announced to be held in Wilmington, on October 10th. To secure eligibles to fill vacancies which are constantly occurring in the position of laboratory helper, \$600 per annum, in the Bureau of Chemistry, Department of Agriculture; to secure eligibles from which certification to fill a vacancy in the position of teacher of woodworking and mechanical drawing, \$800 per annum with quarters; to secure eligibles from which to make certification to fill vacancies as they may occur in the positions of mechanical draftsman and topographic draftsman in the Isthmian Canal Service—entrance salaries from \$150 to \$300 a month; to fill position of practical paper maker, and assistant in farm accounting (either sex), Bureau of Plant Industry, salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum.

Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association will hold its 46th annual convention in Altoona, Pa., October 12th, 13th and 14th.

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Get your order in at once. Take advantage of this opportunity to buy at the lowest price that can be gotten anywhere.

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Around Town

FRESHMEN:

"Havin' known your father before you and the mother that bore you, and seeing her rub the roses off her cheeks tryin' to keep your onery little soul in your worthless little body, I'll give you this sentiment to put in your pipe and smoke: man—if they ever be a law ag'in damn fools, the first raid the officers should make is on the colleges. And now may ye be struck blind before ye get your education and dumb if it makes a fool of ye."

(Mr. Dolan to John Barclay, in "A Certain Rich Man")

(FROM A BOY TO THE BOYS)

I want to tell you boys about another boy I know. He's all right, you would call him a "brick", "true", or "he's all there", or some such and you would just about hit it. I'll bet he has as much fun as any of the rest of us, yet he's on his job. It's this way. He sells the Saturday Evening Post and he's making money at it. He has a bank account and they say a man who is on his job and has a bank account is all right, so a boy must be, too. This summer there was a prize offered to the newsboy who made the best record. Well this boy—"Oh, why he got it, that's all," you say.

No it is not all, either. The prize was a bicycle or so much money. He too like money, bought a bicycle and deposited the rest in bank.

Some one told him, you say. Yes, perhaps, some one did, but the thing is, he was financier enough to see the wisdom of it and turned a deal into a good proposition. Now he has a good wheel and money in the bank. It is drawing interest—making him money. Just the same as though he had some one working for him.

He did not stop selling papers. Sold out last week—had to buy more to supply his customers.

Now I understand he is agent for the Ladies' Home Journal. If he is, my next order goes to him.

Now, what I want to tell you, boys, is that he is having, as much fun as you are, and making money, too, and it will come in handy some day. He will be in business when some of you are just getting started.

This is a free Ad and that is an item. The boy doesn't know anything about it. He just got this for nothing, perhaps it's high at that, but this is to say that Newell Reed is a hustling newsboy, who sells Saturday Evening Post and Ladies' Home Journal, and if you want these journals send for Reed. And if you buy, he will be glad, and so will I.

AN OLD BOY

"NON NOBIS SOLUM"

That is a language that has been dead for a hundred years, or is it a thousand? Anyway, it means in up-to-date New Century Club English—"Not for us alone."

That is a worthy motto—in fact, most mottoes are good. The tough part about them is that they are hard to live up to. "Not for us alone." Get that in working shape and there is nothing what good it could do, especially if backed by a body of whole-souled women, agreeing on working "not for us alone," but for all.

It is the motto of the New Century Club and the library is an example. Yet it needs an invitation attached to it for many there are that do not know that it is "not for us alone," and the blessings of the sprinkler are due to the Club's efforts.

There is a Rummage Sale coming, the proceeds to go for a picnic for the Club. If the motto is engraved on the instrument in good Latin spirit, the music will be purer, more tinged with romance of Southern climes. And Newark will be happier—if the chords are struck to the melody—"NOT FOR US ALONE."

Strickersville

Mr. and Mrs. A. Draper, Wilmington, were recent guests at Harry Draper's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whann, of Philadelphia, were recent guests with friends here.

Miss Ethel Baldwin, Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, of Philadelphia, were recent guests at J. C. Vansant's.

Philip Gallagher, Philadelphia, spent last week with friends here.

Prof. Ernest Smith, of Princeton, was a visitor with friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vansant attended the Sunday School Convention at Courtsville, this week.

Miss Sarah Taylor spent a few days with Mrs. J. C. More, last week.

G. M. Vansant is on an extended trip to Erie, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Canada.

Miss Filine Henry has returned to Philadelphia after a ten weeks' sojourn in the country with Mrs. William C. Fitzsimmons.

Miss Marguerite Hall is visiting friends in Newark.

Mrs. G. M. Vansant is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pyle, Newark.

Thomas Perry, Wilmington, spent over Sunday with friends here.

Glasgow team got cold feet last Saturday when they neared the Strickersville boys' grounds, as they met their venerable old catcher going the opposite direction, and his impression was, that he with the rest on route did not have a chance with the S. B. B. C. boys, so retreat was the word, to have a defeat.

Wm. Smith is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stevenson, New Castle, Del., spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Draper.

Mrs. William C. Fitzsimmons spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Anna McDowell.

A. Messick, Newark, spent Sunday at George Cray's.

Edward McDowell won the soil case, chanced off Saturday night by the

Strickersville, base ball club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Draper gave a watermelon party on Saturday night. There was a great time and all enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Moore were serenaded on Wednesday night last. It was a noisy band and all wished Mr. and Mrs. Moore happy days.

The chimney on the Ebenezer M. E. Church, which has been in such bad condition, has been rebuilt, the bricks of which were carried to the roof by A. J. Whiteman of Cedar Heights farm, who is in his 75th year. He is as active as a man several years his junior.

Miss Mary Jones, of Philadelphia, has been spending a week at the home of Thomas Harkness.

Miss Phoebe Mousley, of Holly Oak, has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Emma Welsh.

Miss Bessie Moore spent Friday with friends in Newark.

Report of the Condition OF THE NEWARK TRUST & SAFE DEPOSIT CO at Newark, in the State of Delaware, at the close of business September 1, 1910.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$101,823.96
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	832.91
Stocks, securities, etc., including premium on same	21,629.63
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,209.73
Bonds and mortgages	\$8,998.18
Checks and other cash items	50.89
Fractional paper currency, stocks and bonds	241.90
Specie	\$1,728.70
Legal tender notes	6,279.70
Cash on deposit in other banks or trust companies	8,118.19
Total	\$180,588.99

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	11,420.20
Individual deposits subject to check	137,829.62
Certified checks	1,024.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	235.17
Total	\$180,588.99

State of Delaware, County of New Castle, ss: I, Geo. D. Kelley, Jr., treasurer of the above named corporation, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. D. KELLEY, JR., Treasurer.
S. J. WRIGHT,
HENRY G. M. KOLLOCK,
JOHN W. DAYLITT,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1910.
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Center Hall Building

Chestnut Hill

Mr. William Hawthorn and family were visitors at Charles F. Walton's on Sunday.

Mr. Frank V. Brown and family were at H. M. McCormick's on Sunday.

Mr. Leonard White will speak at Ott's Chapel, Sunday, October 2, at 2 o'clock, subject, Temperance. Come and hear Mr. White. He is a good talker.

Mrs. A. S. Whiteman visited her sister, Mrs. L. M. Whiteman, on Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Biddle has returned from a sojourn at Seaside Park, N. J., to her father's, Jacob Gecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lamborn and daughter, Helen, and Miss Catherine Mousley spent Sunday at the home of Alban Buckingham, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Eastburn and daughter, Iva, of Red Mills, spent Sunday at the home of W. P. Stinson.

Frank Pennock and Thomas Moore spent Monday in Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Moore spent the week end with Miss Klair, of Milltown, J. W. Worrall and R. G. Buckingham are attending the G. A. R. encampment at Atlantic City.

R. G. Buckingham and J. W. Worrall have returned home after spending the week at Atlantic City, where they attended the G. A. R. Encampment, of which they are both members.

Miss Lelia Chandler, of Wilmington, has been spending a week with her uncle, Thomas Moore and family.

Mrs. Granville Eastburn spent Thursday afternoon at the home of Alban Buckingham, Sr.

A ring of eight keys was found on the road between Pleasant Hill and Union on Wednesday last, the owner can secure same at Dempsey's store by proving property.

Wm. Harkness and W. J. Campbell attended the duPont Gas Company ball game at Wilmington, on Saturday.

Miss Bessie Moore spent the week end with New London friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dempsey and daughter, Elva, spent Sunday with Wesley McCreary and family of near Newport.

Mrs. H. A. Craig, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Eli Davis and daughter, Mabel of Thompson, spent Sunday at the home of Alban Buckingham.

Mrs. Granville Eastburn spent the week end with relatives at Middletown.

Mr. Joseph Eastburn is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Linnord Webster, at Collamer.

Mrs. Caroline Buchin is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Granville Eastburn.

Mrs. Ida Storey, of Philadelphia, has been visiting J. T. Eastburn and family.

Miss Eekers, a Methodist Deaconess, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting James Little and family.

Mrs. W. P. Stinson and daughter, Mrs. Eastburn and baby spent one day recently with Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, at Kembleville.

Harvey Davis and family spent Sunday with the family of J. W. Worrall.

Catherine Mousley was entertained on Sunday by Louise Harkness.

I will have in a supply of those Morris River Cove oysters the first of the month, and they promise to be exceptionally fine this year.

Walter R. Powell

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IRON HILL ITEMS

Colonel Albin Slack, of Quincey, Ill., has returned home after spending some time with his relatives, Mrs. J. Slack and family, of this place.

Mr. Peter Legates, of Philadelphia, and Mr. David Legates, of Wilmington, spent a few days with their mother, Mrs. Hetie Legates.

Elder Eubanks preached at the home of Mrs. J. Slack, on Tuesday last.

Mr. William Walton is doing a rushing business this season with his canners.

Mr. Samuel McCullough, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. Stephen Ash and family.

The wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Slack was given Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Major, of Cowtown, Md. There was a large number of relatives and friends present. The newly married couple received many beautiful gifts.

Mr. Samuel Slack attended a sale recently and purchased a beautiful two-year-old colt.

Miss Marion Law, of Newark, was the guest of Miss Helen Slack Saturday and Sunday.

Professor William Midget, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, has been spending some time with his relatives, Mrs. J. Slack and family.

Mr. Walter Gregg, of Hockessin, Del., spent Sunday with Iron Hill friends.

The young people of Newark and Iron Hill expected to have had a jolly time last Saturday, but they met with a great disappointment. We hope they will have better success in the near future.

Miss Hetie Slack has started to take music lessons again after a two-months' vacation.

Football
The first football game of the season will be played on the College grounds Saturday, October 1st, Delaware versus Williamson. The game is called at three o'clock. Admission, 50 cents.

Engagement Announced
Mrs. John B. Doyle announces the engagement of her daughter, Alice B. to Elton G. Adams, of Federalsburg, Md. The wedding will take place the latter part of October.

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Local Option Recommendations from Kent and Sussex County Farmers

(Extracts from letters received by the New Castle County Anti-License committee. Many Farmers whose letters are not printed here offer similar testimony.)

Cheswold, Del., July 19, 1910.
I have better, steadier labor now than ever before and particularly on Monday mornings. It used to be that my labor was unreliable after Saturday and Sunday debauch. I can obtain day labor much easier now than when we had saloons. The laboring classes about here live better and dress better than before. No-license has been a great blessing to them and their families.
C. H. PIERSON.

Greenwood, Delaware, July 18, 1910.
The elimination of the saloon in Sussex county has been a great help to me as a farmer. I employ four or five men through the year, and I have had only one man this year under the influence of liquor. I used to be badly hindered in work when we had the open saloon. My farm hands are far more steady now.
C. W. PARKER.

Dover, Delaware, July 30, 1910.
Regarding the working people of this community a great change has occurred with them and their families since the saloons were voted out. They are better clad and better provided for. Ruffians are things of the past, accidents on the public roads due to drunkenness fewer, hard driving by the farm hands while drunk much decreased.
H. L. BOGGS.

Georgetown, Delaware, July 20, 1910.
I find quite a vast difference between our farm labor now and before the saloons were abolished. Laborers are much more reliable and dependable. They will report for work when they promise, whereas when we had saloons they would go to the towns at night, become intoxicated and not able to work next day.
C. T. PIPPIN.

Dover, Delaware, July 19, 1910.
The saloon going out of this County has been a blessing to farm laborers. We have noticed it much in our work. Hope Rural New Castle county will succeed in removing saloons.
A. G. MASSEY.

Harrington, Delaware, July 18, 1910.
Before the saloons were closed we let our laborers have teams on Saturday nights to go to town. They abused the teams because of drunkenness. Sometimes the men would be away drunk for two or three days and consequently unable to perform labor. I can say from personal observation that these things have been largely eliminated.
B. THARP CALLAWAY.

Bridgeville, Delaware, July 18, 1910.
Farm labor is much more satisfactory both in Kent and Sussex Counties than when we had saloons. Laboring men and their families are in better condition than ever before. The farmers are greatly benefited on this account.
H. P. CANNON.

Georgetown, Delaware, July 27, 1910.
I am glad to say that the farmers of this locality have much benefited since the abolition of the saloon. A better class of farm laborers has been one result and a more prosperous class of farmers is noticed. I can name several instances where farmers and farm hands were habitual drunkards when we had saloons and are now sober, industrious and saving.
W. A. PHILLIPS.

Dover, Delaware, July 26, 1910.
When Kent County went dry, we saw quite a benefit to farm labor, and the same is still noticeable in these parts. When we further restrict the illegal sale of liquor, a greater change in farm labor will take place.
THOMAS C. ROE.

Georgetown, Delaware, July 26, 1910.
As a farmer I find Local Option in this County a great help to me and now using it for the comforts and necessities of life. They are far more dependable and can be expected to be on hand for work and do an honest day's work, while such was not often the case when we had saloons. Through the country you very seldom see a man under the influence of liquor. Such was not the case in 1907 and before.
E. H. TINDALL.