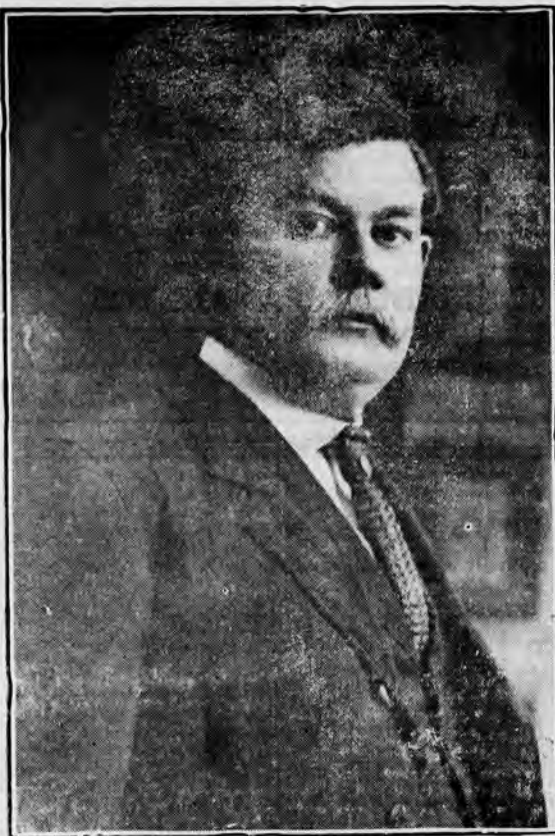


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COLONEL JOHN G. TOWNSEND
of Selbyville
Republican Nominee for Governor

STRONG TICKET NAMED BY REPUBLICANS--OPPOSITION FAILS TO SHOW HAND

Senator duPont Nominated Without Opposition--John G. Townsend
Unanimous Choice for Governor

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS—William H. Heald, of Wilmington (New Castle County); William J. Benson, of Dover (Kent County); William L. Simpson, of Milford (Sussex County).
UNITED STATES SENATOR—Henry A. du Pont.
GOVERNOR—John G. Townsend, of Selbyville.
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS—Thomas W. Miller, of Wilmington.
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—George M. Fisher, of Wyoming.
ATTORNEY-GENERAL—David J. Reinhardt, of Wilmington.
STATE TREASURER—William J. Swain, of Bridgeville.
STATE AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS—Charles J. Luff, of Dover.
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER—A. A. Watson, of Dover.

After one of the most exciting contests for years, the Republicans of Delaware at Convention yesterday nominated a ticket that will strongly appeal to the voters. While the opposition was strong and had gained considerable support, they failed to show their hand at the Convention. Many local leaders attended the convention. The platform as adopted follows:

The platform as adopted at the Republican State Convention yesterday follows:

We, the Delegates of the Republican party in the State of Delaware, in State Convention assembled, this twenty-second day of August, 1916, reaffirm our allegiance to the National Republican Party and re-assert our belief in its fundamental principles.

We endorse in full the platform adopted by the Republican National Convention held at Chicago June 10, 1916.

We pledge our loyal, unqualified and undivided support to Charles E. Hughes, the candidate of the National Republican party for the office of President of the United States, and to Charles Warren Fairbanks, the candidate for the office of Vice-President.

We express our entire satisfaction with the intelligent and patriotic public services rendered by Hon. Henry A. duPont, Senator, from this state, and with the energetic, forceful and able public service rendered by Hon. Thomas W. Miller, Representative in Congress, from this state.

We point with pride to the progressive, efficient and able administration of the office of Chief Executive of this state by our Governor, Hon. Charles R. Miller, and assert that his patriotic and impartial administration of the office furnishes sufficient reason

TOWN MEETING WELL ATTENDED

Make Town a Model One--Sanitary Expert to Conduct Clean Up Campaign

The attendance at the town meeting held in the Hose House on Monday evening was proof positive that Newark is aroused and determined to chase typhoid and other zymotic diseases from the community. An insistence upon the fact that all such diseases can be controlled, and a demand for publicity throughout all the campaign, were features of the meeting. Following a thorough discussion of the situation a motion requesting Council to employ a sanitary engineer, to make a thorough survey of the town, was carried unanimously. A detailed account of the proceedings of the meeting follows:

On motion of Mr. Hossinger Professor H. Hayward was called to the chair; Miss Wilson was named secretary of the meeting. As presiding officer, Professor Hayward announced the purpose of the meeting—a discussion of the health and water situation in the town. He urged anyone having ideas, criticisms, or suggestions, to express them briefly, frankly, and without hesitation.

H. J. Watson, Bacteriologist at the State Board of Health Laboratory was called upon for information. Dr. Watson responding with the brief statement, "I have nothing whatever to offer. At some future date I shall be prepared to make a statement."

Dr. Reed, representing the Board of Health, was called upon. Dr. Reed said, "Under the present conditions we find ourselves in a position to discuss health in Newark. We often hear a place spoken of as a health resort; Newark is a place that could be considered a health resort. There is no reason why it should not be, with the sewer and water systems at hand. It is only necessary to make use of the conditions offered. But if we do not make full use we cannot get the benefit of them. The Board of Health has been attempting to do their best. I should like to appeal to the citizens present to stir up sentiment for or against the Board. I am sure any member of the Board will be glad to receive suggestions, from anyone who has something to say worth while."

Professor Hayward referred to the three cases of typhoid among members of his own department—on the experiment station staff at Delaware College, and urged that

the probable cause be discussed freely and openly.

Mrs. Houghton was called upon to express the opinion of the ladies present. "We know that typhoid can be driven from a community," Mrs. Houghton said. "It has been done in other towns, and can be done here, if we will all co-operate. We must do away with all outhouses, protect our water, milk supply, and our fruit. If we go up and down the town and count the homes that have been robbed of a wife, a mother, a father, or a brother, we will realize the seriousness of the situation. Let's all get together. All the Board of Health wants is backing. We already have a competent Board. Let's stand back of them."

Mr. J. K. Johnston called attention to the weeds on two lots on Delaware Avenue, suggesting that they be cut.

Mr. F. A. Cooch called attention to the recent ordinance prohibiting pig pens within the town limits after January 1917. Mr. Cooch put the question, "What plan has the Board of Health made in regard to the disposal of the garbage?" Dr. Reed replied, "The question has been considered, but nothing worked out definitely enough to be brought forward at the meeting."

Mr. G. W. Griffin was called on. He said, "I feel that we have gathered tonight to hear what has been done. It seems to me the Board has hesitated in some instances to force citizens to get rid of cess pools. I should suggest blocking the town off, dividing the work and having a man go to each property owner. If there is a case that requires a little persuasion, use it; if it requires force, give it. Some portions of the town have a clay subsoil. A pool dug in these parts oftentimes fills up with water before the house is completed, and in a number of instances they have been so standing ever since. Personally I own a lot which is grown high with weeds. Someone said to me the other day, 'Don't you think it would be an improvement to cut them?' I accepted the suggestion and have arranged to have it done. Let each man get after the nuisances around his own place. I believe the Board of Health may feel assured that the majority of the citizens are back of them (continued on page 8)

WARNING FROM BOARD OF HEALTH

Citizens are urged to keep their children away from cities, railroad trains, trolleys and all gatherings. Home is the best place for the young people these days. You can help yourselves and us by giving notice to the Board of Health of any children in town who have recently come from Philadelphia or near by, or from either New York or New Jersey.

Signed BOARD OF HEALTH

Women's Club Plan Formal Exercises

At a special meeting of the New Century Club of Newark, held at the home of the president, Miss Frances Hurd, last Thursday, it was decided to hold formal exercises at the laying of the cornerstone in about two weeks. The stone will be presented by the supervising architect, Mr. Hough. Owing to the uncertainty of freight shipments it has been impossible to fix a definite date for the exercises, but it is believed they will be held early next week, days previous to the date for the exercises. The committee ask all club members and all townspeople to keep the event in mind, and plan to attend the exercises. A most cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

D. A. R. Picnic Called Off

Owing to the development of Infantile Paralysis in Delaware, the Cooches' Bridge Chapter, D. A. R. has recalled its invitation for a state meeting to be held at Cooches' Bridge, September 5th.

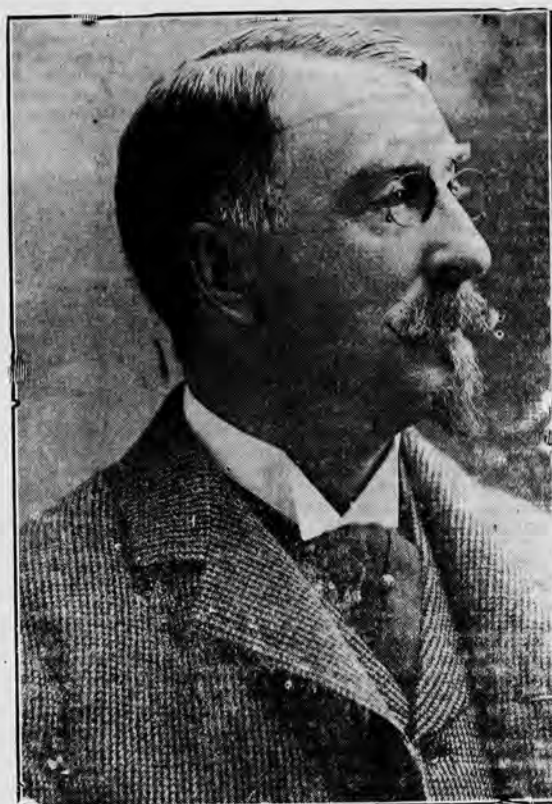
School Not To Open Until September

Owing to the prospect of a late summer, members of the Board of Education at their meeting on Saturday, decided to postpone the opening of school from August 28th, as previously announced, to September 4th, thus extending by one week the summer holiday.

CATSUP FACTORY BEGINS OPERATIONS

Running At One-Third Capacity

The P. J. Ritter Conserve Company began operations on Saturday. At present the tomatoes being used are shipped from southern Delaware where the company has under contract a large acreage. The local tomatoes are expected to arrive in about a week. At present the plant is being worked at only one-third capacity. There are probably twenty employees on hand, which number will be increased to seventy-five or eighty as the season advances. Catsup was made for the first time today.



COLONEL HENRY A. duPONT
Nominated for Re-election to the United States Senate

TO HAVE MUSIC IN NEWARK SCHOOLS

Selection Of Teacher Left To Women's Committee

A committee of ladies interested in the introduction of music in the public schools, attended the regular meeting of the Board of Education held in the High School building last Saturday evening. It had previously been stated that the Board had agreed to provide a teacher for one day a week, at an expenditure of \$4.50 per week, the regular grade teachers to cover on the work the remaining four days. Owing to the fact that none of the teachers had trained for the work, it was felt that the plan would not lead to the desired results. The visiting committee asked the Board if they would consider the proposition of securing a teacher trained in the development of children's voices, if the ladies guaranteed the difference in expenditure. By this plan the children would have the advantage of daily instruction and the community would gain a leader in musical activities.

A letter was read from Dr. Dams, head of the Conservatory of Music, at Cornell University, stating he could furnish an excellent teacher, who had completed the four years' course in the training school for supervisors in music, for the salary of \$550.

After discussion the Board agreed to pay \$300 and purchase the necessary books, a very few being required the first year, the ladies guaranteeing to raise the remainder of the salary.

The selection of the teacher was also left in the hands of the ladies' committee which is representative of no one women's organization, but rather stands for the united effort of the women of Newark to secure the right kind of musical instruction in the schools. The committee, at present composed of Mrs. C. O. Houghton, Mrs. L. B. Jacobs, Mrs. Wilmer Hill, Mrs. Fred Ritz, and Misses Nellie and Etta Wilson, will be enlarged in the near future. The ladies will meet an applicant for the new position this coming Friday afternoon.

Fine For Visiting With Children

As a means of impressing upon the public the importance of keeping children at home, the town of Schodack, N. Y., has imposed a fine of \$50 upon any person bringing a child under sixteen into the town, regardless of whether it has a health certificate or not.

FIRE DESTROYS MOTHERALL PROPERTY

Fighters Handicapped By Lack Of Water

Fire caused by an exploding oil stove in the home of Nathan M. and Robert Motherall, on last Saturday afternoon, burned the dwelling and gave the firemen a hard fight to keep the blaze from spreading to the adjoining property. Unfortunately the fire started at a time when the town stand pipe had been drained, and the firemen were unable to get water to fight the flames.

Miss Motherall had placed bread to bake in the oven of the oil stove, and retired to the second floor of the dwelling. A short time later she smelled smoke and, hurrying to the kitchen to investigate, found a section of the room in flames. Miss Motherall in her efforts to throw the stove out was painfully burned about the face and hands.

At the time the fire was discovered about 4:30 o'clock, Fire Chief E. Clifford Wilson and Dr. H. G. M. Kollock, president of the Board of Health, were at the standpipe on Quality Hill, supervising the work of cleaning it out. Because of the prevalence of typhoid fever public opinion had demanded that the standpipe be cleaned to see if there was anything there that might be causing the disease. The tank had been emptied, scrubbed out and a disinfectant used inside. Nothing whatever was found that could possibly contaminate the water supply.

It was two minutes after they had started to pump water into (continued on page 8)

OBITUARY

Mrs. Martha C. Wood

Mrs. Martha C. Wood, widow of Alfred Wood, of Londonderry, Chester Co., Pa., died at Avondale, Pa., on August 20. Services will be held on Friday at 12 o'clock at the residence of her son-in-law, James H. Kennedy, on Cleveland Ave., Newark. Interment at New London Presbyterian Cemetery.

Three children, William Wood, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Hill of Cockranville, Pa., and Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, of Newark, survive.

John E. Sherwood

John E. Sherwood, aged 59 years, died at his home near Newark, last Friday, August 18th. Funeral services were held on Monday at ten thirty. Interment at Globe Cemetery, New Castle. The deceased was a brother of F. M. Sherwood, of Newark.

DRIVING OUT DISEASE

The Way It Was Done In "Springfield"

"No family liveth unto itself alone, and still less does any community get sick unto itself alone, or die to itself alone. We are all members one of another." Such is the gospel set forth in the last issue of the Saturday Evening Post, in the article, "Uncle Sam Cleans Springfield," by Herbert Quick. The article is pertinent to the local situation and we here-with set forth the true story, as told.

Dr. Lumsden, epidemiologist, representative of the United States Public Health Service, in Washington, comes to Springfield (anyone of the thirty may be the town referred to) at the request of the Women's Club, to make a sanitary survey of the country. The specialist addresses the Women's Club, the Ministerial Association, the Chamber of Commerce. He tells them the cause of typhoid, dysentery, cholera infantum, and hookworm is known, and that any outbreak of these old zymotic scourges means that someone is at fault, and it cannot be attributed to any Divine displeasure. "We make our own typhoid and dysentery and cholera infantum just as definitely as we make our coffee," he says. "All three diseases are spread by the same cause—the failure to dispose adequately of human excreta. In other words, the failure to do properly the most important task which modern living conditions impose on the human race."

Next he goes to the mayor and asks to examine the city water supply. Here he finds a slight contamination. "If disease-producing bacteria could only be bred up to the size of mice," the specialist exclaims, "the work of the sanitary engineer would be rendered much easier." "It must be kept quiet," is the mayor's comment, however. "I dare say," he added, bracing up, "that the contamination is negligible; but it must be looked into. Let us move as quietly as possible."

"Sanitation," said the epidemiologist, "is a matter of public education. You cannot educate people on the sly. I should suggest that you make just as much noise as possible about it, instead of keeping it quiet. Water is the cause of some of your typhoid; but I shall be surprised if we do not find other and more important causes."

Dr. Lumsden sends out letters to every family telling of the survey; he talks before all the local organizations; he makes house to house visits. "He's a real fly cop," the deputy county auditor said of him one day. "He's a detective who really detects. He's makin' a census of all the flies in Springfield. He's a regular fly hound. He's mapping the routes of travel of every fly in this town. He knows the postoffice address of every fly that comes into the bakery, or the butcher shop, or the grocery store, or the kitchen. He knows just what outhouse and stable and hogpen each fly visited on his trip. He's going to get up a report on the fly industry of Springfield that will curl your whiskers."

After a short time the epidemiologist again appears before the mayor. "May I present my preliminary report at your next meeting?" he asks. "By all means," the mayor assures him, in no way anticipating the crowd that came to hear the report. They were all there, the Women's Club, the Ministerial Association, the local Federation of Labor, the Rotary Club. The epidemiologist had made no effort to secure the attendance, but the community was in the grip of a great idea—one of the sort of ideas which are the only legitimate field of municipal politics. Nobody thought of Republican or Democrat there; they were too much absorbed in the horrible thought that the presence in their society of the zymotic disease was proof positive that they were eating and drinking the accursed thing.

At last the speaker is presented, and gives his report. He exhibits a map of the town on which he had made a large number of dots—twenty-three hundred and thirty to be accurate—representing the locations of the unsewered closets.

Mrs. John Smith and other prominent people present sought out on the map their own homes and breathed sighs of relief. Sewer connections were universal in their neighborhoods. But the Reverend Charles Adair, who was pastor of the Calvary Mission, dawn near the slaughter-house, and Pete Carroll, president of the Federation of Labor, looked ask-

ance at this map. Each of them had children, and each of them lived in a nest of dots.

"Certain areas of the city," said the epidemiologist, "are free from these dots. Here are the places of the well-to-do. Do not think, however, that this gives them any immunity from infection. Look at them! They are merely islands in a sea of disease centers. On Grand Avenue your very best homes are built. From Grand Avenue the ground descends abruptly into neighborhoods of wage earners. The dots flank Grand Avenue on both sides. Let us suppose, Mr. Mayor, that you live on Grand Avenue!"

The mayor moved uncomfortably. He did live on Grand Avenue. So did Mrs. John Smith.

"You have servants who live in the unsewered area. They go back and forth. These closets are unprotected from flies, rats, cats, dogs or poultry. A fly, a thousand flies, may come—and undoubtedly do come every day—from these masses of poison to your kitchen or into your dining room. I need not dilate upon this. You know what the results may be. Flies are the worst enemy of the human race—except possibly mankind—but they are not the only carriers of disease germs. Cats, dogs, domestic animals, sparrows, all the unnoticed living things which feed upon ordure and migrate from place to place by night, by day, through the air, under ground—all these creatures are coadjutors with the fly. There is no way of making a city a safe place in which to live without making everybody and everything sanitary in that city, high and low, poor and rich, members of Grace Episcopal Church and of the Calvary Mission. I have spoken of the sewage in your city water, but here we have twenty-three hundred and thirty dangers which are a much greater menace."

The epidemiologist sits down. Not one person is unconvinced. The city solicitor is called and provides a proposed ordinance for the conversion of the insanitary dry closets into sanitary ones, on plans provided by the epidemiologist. The people charge the entrenchments of conservatism and the entrenchments give way. The commission passed the ordinance through two readings without debate. There is no argument against it. On the next Thursday evening the law permitted the ordinance to be given its third and last reading and final passage.

But the next morning a new element is heard from. Mr. John Smith and a delegation present themselves to protest against such legislation. Mr. John Smith has many little houses scattered throughout the city which he rents for from five to twenty dollars per month. The taxes on his property are already burdensome. He has held the property for many years. They are a losing proposition. He is land poor anyhow, and if the city is going to jump on him just because a lot of outside theorists have come to town working up excitement as to the health conditions in good old healthy Springfield, a man with a little property may just as well give up, he says. A special meeting of the commissioners was called for the next Monday night for the purpose of killing the new sanitary ordinance.

In the meantime, however, Rev. Mr. Adair gets to work. "My people are the first to die in the attack which disease makes on us every summer," he says. The following Sunday fourteen sermons were preached in Springfield on the subject of sanitation.

Springfield is considerably "het up" on Monday. The Federation of Labor have passed a resolution in favor of the ordinance. The Rotary Club has held special meeting at which it declared that the good name as well as the morality and intelligence of Springfield was hanging in the balance; and the Chamber of Commerce has appointed a delegation to attend the special meeting. The epidemiologist is not especially invited to attend the meeting, but since it is a public one, he goes to it. Someone calls for a word from the doctor, and the specialist rises and gives the conclusive word:

"I have nothing to say," he says, except this: There are in this city from two hundred to two hundred and fifty people who have typhoid, and an incalculable number of adults who will have dysentery and of infants who will have enterocolitis this summer if this ordinance is killed, who will not have it if it is passed and enforced. There are thirty people in this town who will be dead of

typhoid fever before January first, if this ordinance is killed, who will be alive if it is passed and enforced; and nobody knows how many children will be saved from suffering and death. Such being the case, and there is no doubt of it, I feel that it would be an insult to this commission for me to set these facts up against the expense, either to home owners or to landlords, of making the cheap but necessary improvements required by the ordinance. It is your matter, not mine. An argument by me would be improper."

Springfield is cleaned up. Her disease and deathrate have been cut down exactly as those things are cut down in any community which is cleaned up, and she is proud of the thing she has done.

Mr. Quick says: "The Public Health Service does not expect that this work will be carried into every county in the United States, but if the people generally will carefully consider the matter they will demand that it be done. The reduction in deaths from typhoid fever alone, in the counties already surveyed, averages from forty to fifty persons a year. Let us say forty-five. In the three thousand counties in the United States, therefore, one hundred and thirty-five thousand people die annually of typhoid fever, who would not die if the Public Health Service could extend its service effectively over the entire field."

The sanitary engineers of the U. S. government come at the request of the local board of health, and prefer to work with the State Board of Health. They have already dug into the affairs of such towns as North Yakima, Washington; Martinsburg, West Virginia; Bedford, Indiana; New Albany, Mississippi; Cambridge and Annapolis, Maryland; Hillsboro, North Carolina; Jasper, Alabama; Fredonia, Kansas; Perry and Adel, Iowa; and dozens of other towns and villages, and in the first nine counties covered by these surveys had made a careful physical and statistical study of about forty-seven thousand rural homes.

Through their surveys they have practically eliminated typhoid fever from the town of North Yakima, Washington, although prior to the time of their survey in 1911, the deaths from typhoid in that little city had averaged between twenty-five and thirty a year. They have driven typhoid fever out of the rural districts of Yakima county, which in 1910 had lost twenty-five lives through death by typhoid. In 1911, the year of their survey, the death rate fell to eleven; in 1912, to three; and in 1913, deaths from typhoid disappeared from the county. Their survey has in Orange county, North Carolina, cut the death rate from typhoid in half. In Berkeley county, West Virginia, their survey, made in 1914, reduced the number of cases of typhoid in the county from two hundred and fifty-nine in 1913 to twenty in 1915, with no deaths at all in the latter year. In Dorchester county, Maryland, these gentlemen have seen their work reduce the number of cases in one year from one hundred and fifteen to twenty, and the number of deaths from fifty-one to three. Lawrence county, Indiana, a county which received one of their educational surveys in 1914, rejoices in the fact that the number of cases had fallen from ninety-seven in 1913 to thirty in 1915, and the number of deaths from fourteen to five; while in Wilson county, Kansas, their survey has cut the typhoid rate exactly in two.

The Government officers know they can do this thing in any county in the United States. Furthermore, they know that they can leave any such county so thoroughly awakened and enlightened that the good results will be permanent. They know, too, that while they are doing this they are warding off future attacks of tuberculosis, pneumonia, and other diseases, that they are saving the lives of incalculable numbers of victims of dysentery and enterocolitis.

Typhoid is the disease on which they lay the greatest stress because it is easily diagnosed, and when you have it you know it. It is an unfailing clue to bad sewage disposal; for it never attacks a person who has not eaten or drunk the excreta of the human body.

Auto Strikes Little Girl

Body of the young daughter of James L. Liley of Wilmington, who with her mother has been visiting at Mrs. Mary McCrea's home on East High street, Elkton, on Friday morning attempted to cross the street in front of an automobile

driven by Rev. S. E. Maloney, pastor of one of the Elkton colored churches. He tried to avoid the child and ran the car against a high board fence knocking part of it down but the car struck the child and she was picked up unconscious. Physicians found no broken bones but could not tell for the time being whether or not there were any internal injuries.

Robbed And Beaten On Road

Eugene Manlove, a well-known farmer of the Cecilton section was waylaid, beaten and robbed of \$16 and a gold watch on Tuesday night of last week on the Middletown-Warwick road. He had spent the day in Middletown and was on his way to the home of a relative when attacked. He was found lying senseless on the roadside early on Wednesday morning and was taken to his sister's home at Cecilton. It was found that his skull was fractured and that he was badly beaten about the head and body. He was taken to Union Hospital, Elkton, where his condition is reported serious. No trace of his assailants was found and he was not able to give a description of them.

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HERE AND THERE

Fifty odd carloads of watermelons and cantaloupes were shipped from Laurel station and 17 from the Broad Creek and Bacon sidings on Wednesday.

Mrs. William H. Baggs has presented to Asbury M. E. Church, Smyrna, a window representing "The Good Shepherd," as a memorial to her uncle, Judge Isaac Davis, and his wife.

Joseph L. McGarvey, 54 years of age, a member of the Washington Fire Company of Wilmington, died at the Homeopathic Hospital on Thursday from injuries sustained in a fall down stairs at the engine house on the previous Saturday night.

Professor John H. Wiley on visiting the school buildings in Laurel on Thursday found that thieves had ransacked them, plundered his desk and done more or less damage.

The \$30,000 school bond issue of the consolidated districts of Camden and Wyoming has been awarded as follows: Farmers' Bank, Dover, \$15,500; J. M. Satterfield, Dover, \$10,000; Arley B. Magee, Dover, \$3,500; Dr. Thomas C. Frame Dover, \$1,000.

The Maryland State Motor Vehicle Commissioner reports that automobiles registered in the State thus far this year total 37,000 against 32,000 for the whole of last year.

The entire graduating class of 1916 at the Wilmington Teachers Training School has been given appointments by the Board of Education for the coming year at \$350 per annum.

Judge Churchman in Wilmington last Monday fined Alexander Malawski and William Johnson, colored, \$100 each and gave them six months in the Workhouse for carrying deadly weapons. The former carried a revolver and the latter a razor.

A mould left and punch house, to cost from \$70,000 to \$100,000, will be added to the Pussey & Jones plant in Wilmington.

The Ladies Aid Society of Head of Christiana Church cleared \$40 from its peach and ice cream festival.

James A. Hart, the well-known grain dealer of Townsend, tore the ligaments of his leg while helping to unload a car load of wheat and is confined to his home by the injury.

Charles Colby has started operations at the St. Georges cannery with a large number of hands.

Court House Bailiff Isaac Four-acre is laid up with a broken rib at his home in Wilmington caused by a recent fall.

Truxton Boyce of Stanton will seek Democratic nomination for Representative from White Clay Creek Hundred.

The Kent and Sussex Levy Courts will replace the boundary bridge over the Mispillion at Milford with a new structure of concrete and iron.

The driver of an auto truck conveying the Milford base ball team was fined \$50 for violating the speed rules in Maryland after his arrest by officers employed by the State Road Commission.

Georgetown section grape-growers, it is stated, will use much of this year's large yield for making wine.

Seventy of the Wilmington Leather Company's glazers went on strike last week when their demand for a ten per cent raise in wages was refused.

Fire of unknown origin one day last week, destroyed the barracks, barn and stable on the farm of Secretary of State George H. Hall, near Milford and about 30 tons of hay were also burned. Loss, \$2,000, partly insured.

An automobile in which Mrs. Laura Taylor and her two sons of Washington, D. C., were on their way to Atlantic City ran against the abutment of the overhead road bridge near Charlestown, on Wednesday morning and was wrecked. Mrs. Taylor was thrown out and severely injured. She was brought to Union Hospital, Elkton, for treatment.

The annual basket picnic of the Farmers' Association of Red Lion and St. Georges hundreds, held on Thursday at the home of William K. Price, "Linden Hill," near St. Georges, was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

"Woodlawn," one of the finest farms in Kent county, located near Smyrna, has been sold by its owner, Dr. P. S. Downes of Dover, to Frank Slaughter of the Smyrna section, for \$22,000.

Dover has two carnivals set for September, Philodenis Lodge I. O. O. F. will hold one Sept. 18-23 for the benefit of its proposed new temple building fund, and the Robbins Hose Company has arranged for one from Sept. 11 to 16.

Rev. A. V. Lightbourne has accepted a unanimous call from the congregation of the Peoples' Christian Church at Dover to succeed his father, the late Rev. A. W. Lightbourne.

Justice Bartley at Elkton last Tuesday imposed fines of \$7 and costs each upon nine persons arrested by a traffic officer of the Automobile Commissioner's force for violating regulations.

Chancellor Charles M. Curtis and wife have returned to Wilmington after a delightful visit to Bermuda whose people do not fancy automobiles or other conveyances.

The marriage of Miss Maude Natalie Denney, of Dover, to Mr. Jay Gordon Russell, 3d, of Boston, and London, took place on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Layton B. George at Lenox, Mass. After an auto trip through the White Mountains and Vermont, Mr. and Mrs. Russell will sail for England where they will reside in London.

Guns of Delaware City report few reed birds as yet on the marshes but rail are numerous. The season opens on September 1.

Warren W. Rich, former United States consul at Salina Cruz, Mexico, and later in the customs service in Porto Rico, died suddenly on Thursday at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. William Tschudy in Smyrna, aged 52 years.

The Middletown New Century Club has planned a series of informal weekly dances, the second of which was given last Tuesday evening. The pool orchestra attends free of charge and the proceeds will be applied toward finishing the cloak room in the new club house.

Seaford and Laurel authorities are making it warm for auto speeders and local officers have spotted numerous offenders in both towns.

Pocomoke Tribe of Red Men figures in the first tax sale advertised in Gumboro hundred by Volley M. Murray, Receiver for Sussex county, who serves notice upon all delinquents that settlement must be made under penalty of sale of their property.

Russell Squire of Eighth and Spruce streets, Wilmington, arrived home from Denning, N. M. last Monday night. He sought to enlist in the O. M. D. but was rejected for physical defects. He hid aboard the troop train and was discovered at Harrisburg. Major Lank allowed him to look after the officers' horses in the stock car. At Denning he tried again to enlist but was again rejected. His father sent money to

Captain Ellison to buy the persistent patriot a ticket to Wilmington.

The marriage of Miss Augusta Egee of Chesapeake City and Mr. Artisan Smith of City Point, Va., formerly of Wilmington, is set for 8 p. m. on September 2, in the Church of the Good Shepherd in Chesapeake City.

William Ball, of Delaware City, will seek Republican nomination for Representative.

Members of Diamond State Grange enjoyed their annual picnic on Friday on Charles P. Dickey's farm at Stanton.

Senator Saulsbury has nominated Le Roy Warren, a nephew of Postmaster George R. Mears of Georgetown, for a cadetship at West Point.

George Foard, aged 75 years, of Delaware City, long in the employ of the canal company, was fatally stricken with apoplexy on Friday.

Wilmington bank clearings last week totalled \$2,549,812.56 against \$1,801,752.43 for the like week last year.

Arthur L. Gross, Charles E. Potts, William A. Hunter, Frederick Catts, Edward J. McAleer, John J. Gill, Oscar T. Ward, James L. Curlett, and Leon T. Wheathey have been sworn in as probationers on the Wilmington police force. John T. Laskowski and James A. Reilly have been nominated for examination for patrolmen.

The Senior Philathea Class of New Castle M. E. Church cleared upwards of \$50 from a lawn festival at the home of Mrs. John B. Montgomery.

Second Lieutenant C. Otis McCauley of Company E of Elkton, First Regt. M. N. G., now at Eagle Pass, Texas, will receive a commission for like rank in the regular army.

The Tyler Tube Company which operates the Principio Forge, Cecil county, has offered its hands a bonus of five per cent for regularity.

Among the large yields of wheat reported in Cecil county is that of the Kershaw farm, near Elkton, 601 bushels from 15 acres or 40 bushels per acre.

Ladies of Leeds M. P. Church near Elkton cleared \$185 from their recent two nights carnival.

Chief Judge Constable has drawn the jurors for the September Court for Cecil county among whom are the following from the Fourth or Fair Hill district—Charles F. Burton, Jesse Bedwell, William A. Hill, John T. DeCrea, and Thomas Kay.

E. R. Sutton of Perryville, the lowest bidder, has received the contract for the construction of 1.1-3 miles of improved road between Cecilton and Warwick.

Little Elk Tribe of Red Men will hold a carnival at Cherry Hill, September 7, 8 and 9.

The festival held on the lawn of Reuben Reynolds, near Fair Hill, for the benefit of Union Hospital, Elkton, netted \$82.

Ernest Biles was attacked by a vicious bull in the barnyard at his home, near Fair Hill one day last week, which knocked him down, breaking his collar bone and three of his ribs.

The nine Masonic Blue Lodges of Kent and Sussex counties have been invited to a lawn social to be given by Hope Chapter of Georgetown.

Met Death At Cut-Off Tracks

Thomas F. Smith, a machinist at the Todds Cut railroad shops who lived with his wife and child at 801 Heald street, South Wilmington, was struck by a freight train, about 3 a. m. last Tuesday on the cut-off at Heald street and New Castle avenue, and died about three hours later at Delaware Hospital.

Jr. O. U. A. M. Field Day

The excursion train bearing visitors to the Junior O. U. A. M. Field Day exercises at Lewes tomorrow (Thursday) will leave Wilmington about 6 a. m. and arrive at Lewes at 9.48. After its arrival the parade will start from the station headed by Mayor Thompson, of Lewes, State Councilor Jacob Brown of Wyoming, and other officers followed by the Dover band of twenty pieces, a long line of automobiles, floats of local stores, members of the Order, the fire apparatus and firemen in uniform. Mayor Thompson will welcome the visitors and Frank Jones of Georgetown, Jacob Brown of Wyoming, and Charles D. Bird of Wilmington will respond. Yacht trips to the breakwater, fishing and bathing will occupy the afternoon and the Lewes and Penalyn base ball teams will play a game. It is expected that 2000 members of the order will join in the parade.

Will Enlarge Steel Plant

The Midvale Steel Company, it is stated, has purchased two blocks of land, adjoining the Diamond State Steel plant, bounded by A. Lobdell, Locust and Buttonwood streets in South Wilmington, along with 26 acres known as the Capelle property. Permission will be sought to close streets running through the property. Dwellings and other buildings on the ground will be razed and additions to the steel plant will be erected on the site. When ready for operation the enlarged plant will employ a big force of hands.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Chapman are spending a vacation at Claiborne-on-the-Chesapeake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Curtis returned Tuesday after an extended stay at Ashbury Park, N. J.

Mrs. J. H. Hossinger and children returned Sunday after a stay of several weeks at McDaniel, Md.

Mrs. George Lovett, Miss Katharine, Alberta, and Olive Heiser are the guests of relatives in New Jersey.

Miss Leta Waters of Philadelphia was the recent guest of Mrs. Martha Young and family.

Professor and Mrs. E. Conover have returned after a three weeks' stay in New Jersey.

Mr. Broadus Mitchell is spending a vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Mame Pelham and Miss Elizabeth Beck, of Steubenville, Ohio, were the week-end visitors of Mrs. Pelham's brother, Mr. A. C. Stiltz.

Mr. Wm. Crow of Steubenville, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crow.

Mrs. Arthur Cowdill and daughter, of Washington, D. C., were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg.

Mrs. Elizabeth Forrester and daughter Mabel of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Newark relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Skiles, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bissler, of Alliance, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewis of Newark are spending a week at Atlantic City.

Misses Cornelia and Eleanor Pilling, and Edith Spencer are spending a week at Atlantic City.

Miss Ida Jones has returned after a month's visit in Philadelphia.

Mrs. J. B. Street, Misses Sallie Margaret, and Irma Cornog, and Miss Naomi Street, spent last week along the Susquehanna river, near Columbia, Pa.

Miss Anna Willis, town librarian, is spending a ten day vacation at Stone Harbor, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lynch and children of Philadelphia, are spending a two weeks' vacation with Mrs. Lynch's mother, Mrs. Frank Willis on Cleveland avenue.

Professor Tiffany and family are spending some time with Mrs. Tiffany's mother, at Childs, Md.

Mrs. V. G. Willis, who was taken to the Delaware Hospital, seriously ill on Tuesday, is reported to be holding her own nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Skiles and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bissler of Alliance, Ohio, were the guests last week of their daughter Mrs. L. L. Lewis. The party motored from their home to Newark.

Mrs. Amanda Cornog was the recent guest of her son, Mr. Howard Cornog, Lansdowne, Pa.

Miss Eleanor Brooks has been visiting her grandparents in Wilmington.

W. Terry Mitchell and Knowles R. Bowen are on a two-weeks' camping trip in the Blue Ridge of Virginia.

Miss Mary A. Powers of the Women's College, Newark, has opened her cottage, on Baltimore Avenue, Rehoboth.

Morris R. Mitchell has returned from the Military Training Camp, Plattsburg, New York.

Miss Grace Merrick gave a dinner last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Ruby Robinson and Mr. Maurice Nassivera, who were married at Elkton on Friday.

Miss Mary J. Groff is spending some time at Camp Asulykt, Lake Placid, New York.

Mr. F. J. Merrick and son William are spending this week in Norfolk, Va., where the former is attending a convention held by Superintendents of Cemeteries from all parts of the United States.

Miss Martha Cannon of Marcus Hook, Pa., is spending the week at the home of her grandfather, Mr. F. J. Merrick.

Mrs. Anna Fossett and son Leonard are visiting relatives at McColl's Ferry, Pa.

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

Mr. H. R. Tyson spent the week end in Newark before leaving for a six weeks' trip through the New England states.

Mrs. Lewis Cann, Misses Alice Davey, Elsie Davis, and Gertrude Willis, are spending a vacation at Wildwood, New Jersey.



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WEDDINGS

Robinson-Nassivera

Miss Ruby E. Robinson of Newark, and Mr. Maurice Nassivera of Glens Falls, N. Y., were quietly married at Elkton last Friday morning, August 18th, by the Rev. S. M. Perry, a retired Presbyterian minister of that town. The bride and groom returned to Newark where they boarded the train on the B. & O. for New York. After spending several days in the city they left for Lake George, planning to go from there on a week's camping party in Maine. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Nassivera will reside at Glens Falls, New York, where the groom is connected with the Imperial Wall Paper Company.

Crossan-Snow

Friends in Newark have received announcement of the marriage of Mr. Howard Walter Crossan, formerly of Newark, and Miss Mildred Louise Snow, on Friday, the eighteenth of August, at the home of the bride, Swampscott, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Crossan, following the ceremony, left for an ocean trip from Boston to Norfolk. They came to Newark today where they will spend a week with friends in the vicinity.

Mr. Crossan is a graduate of Newark High School, class 1902 and Delaware College, class 1908. At present he is with the General Electric Company, at Lynn, Mass. The bride and groom will be at home, 90 Albano street, Rosindale, Mass., after December first.

Pierson-Dressner

Miss Elizabeth Pierson of Newark and Mr. Leonard Dressner of Wilmington, were married August 10 by the Rev. J. L. Ward at the Chestertown M. P. parsonage. After a short trip to Atlantic City the bride and groom moved to their furnished home in Wilmington.

Delightful Social Evening At Local Church

About fifty members of the Christian Endeavor societies of the Green Hill and West Presbyterian churches, spent the evening with the Society of the Newark Presbyterian church, in the lecture room, last Friday. The visitors were pronounced a jolly party and won the favor of everyone. During the early part of the evening a musical program was rendered by Mrs. Cann, Miss Marie Ritz, Miss Anna Ritz, and Miss Nellie Wilson. Later the guests took up the entertainment. The presidents of the two societies made short speeches, and the pastor of the Green Hill church, Rev. Mr. Cockran gave two songs—one, Harry Lauder's "Scotch Laddie," and the other an Italian Ballad. Several other visitors sang, and one of their number gave a number of readings. An enjoyable evening was spent. Ice cream and cake was served at the close of the evening.

Fourth Delaware

Holds Reunion

Richard G. Buckingham, president of the Fourth Delaware Regiment Association, has announced the annual reunion to be held at Shellpot Park this Thursday, August 24. Speeches will be made by the Rev. Mr. Adlis, of Marshallton, and by Francis R. Hoffecker. Patriotic songs will be sung, and possibly one veteran, who blew the bugle in a Civil War army, will play. There were 45 men present at the reunion last year, but as a few have died since, it is expected that about 35 will be present this year.

W. J. Richards, secretary of the association, is among those who have died during the year.

Suffrage Meeting

August Thirty-first

There will be a suffrage meeting in the hose house at 2.30 p. m. on Thursday, August 31. Will all women please make an effort to attend. There is not one humanitarian movement that cannot be helped by the use of the ballot in the hands of women. Everybody welcome.

Laura C. Pollard

INFANTILE PARALYSIS SITUATION IN STATE

Four Cases Reported In Delaware To Date

State and local health authorities report practically no change in the infantile paralysis situation, except the development of one case which had been under observation. The case of little Anthony Cirino, aged one year, reported definitely yesterday afternoon, is the only new one reported. The child lives with its parents in the Lieberman flat, 107 East Front street, Wilmington. This single case, in view of the heat and the epidemic in two adjoining states, it is declared, does not produce a cause for alarm. The first case reported, that of Elizabeth Turner, aged 6 years, at Guyencourt, is doing well.

People of Delaware are apparently heeding the injunction to be careful about traveling out of the state with young children, as reports made last night to Dr. A. E. Frantz, secretary of the State Board of Health, indicate that there has been a considerable falling off in the number of children who have applied for certificates to enter other states. The number of children being brought into the state from infected localities also has decreased.

The Cirino child makes the fourth case in Delaware. This child is in a serious condition. Dr. Charles B. Leone had been attending the case, but yesterday afternoon Dr. V. M. Myers, city physician, and Dr. A. E. Frantz, secretary of the State Board of Health, were called and pronounced the case infantile paralysis of the most malignant type.

The house was at once placed under quarantine by the health officials and Chief of Police Black has directed the city patrolmen to co-operate in every way in seeing that the house is properly isolated.

Other suspected cases of infantile paralysis are now under observation but no names or addresses are being given in order to prevent unnecessary anxiety to any persons. Dr. S. C. Frederick, president of the Board of Health, declares that should any of these cases develop the Board of Health will announce them and a rigid quarantine will be placed about the homes of those affected.

Additional guards have been placed about the Kline home, 1004 Delaware avenue, where a death from the disease occurred early in the week. The occupants of the house will be kept in the yard today, it is understood, while the entire building and contents are fumigated.

Efforts of the State Board of Health to have parents keep their children at home are meeting with success, it is declared by Dr. A. E. Frantz, secretary of the State Board.

Horse Runs Away on Railroad

Considerable excitement was created Monday evening when the horse driven by Frank Coleman, in the employ of Gus Smith, Strickersville, became unmanageable at the B. & O. crossing, West Main street. The gates were down for the 8.19 to pass, when the horse broke through and ran down the track. Coleman jumped from the wagon, and the animal kept on in mad fright, finally coming to a stand between a telegraph pole and a fence. The wagon was totally demolished, and the horse slightly cut, but the driver escaped injury.

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Sweet, too, as honey—and goodness alive!
Seems all creation is peaches today—
My ma can fix 'em in ever' which way.
Some she cans plain, and the halves bye-and-bye—
Maybe next winter—she'll slice in a pie

Some she preserves—that's the way I'll take mine!
Swimmin' in thick, amber syrup, they're fine!
Pa like's 'em pickled, with cloves stuck about;
Sis loves peach butter—and so there's no doubt
All of our family is tickled to find
Ma most too busy to change her own mind.
Cannin' time's here! Get that spicy sweet whiff?
Wrinkle yer nose, and just take a good sniff!

—Daisy D. Stephenson, in "Fun and Frolic," in The People's Home Journal for September.

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CONTINENTAL DEFEATS PARK A. C.

Plays Deciding Game Next Saturday

Continental easily defeated Park A. C. Saturday by the score of 4-1. The visitors could do very little with Crowe who allowed only three hits. Moore's hitting was a feature and Herdman and Gray did brilliant fielding. Next Saturday, August 26th, the Continental boys will journey to Yorklyn and play the deciding game of a five game series. Each team has won two games apiece and Saturday's battle will be for blood. Last Saturday's score follows:

Continental	R	H	O	A	E
Herdman, 3b	0	1	0	2	0
A. Crowe, p	0	0	1	2	1
Roberts, cf	0	1	1	0	0
Moore, lf	1	2	0	0	0
Gray, ss	0	0	2	4	0
Tasker, 2b	0	0	1	3	1
W. Crowe, c	0	1	8	2	0
Foxsett, 1b	0	1	0	13	0
Fulton, rf	2	1	1	0	0
Totals	4	6	27	14	2

Park A. C.	R	H	O	A	E
Sweeney, c	0	1	7	0	0
Crawford, ss	1	1	1	2	0
Brown, 1b	0	0	9	0	0
McCullion, 2b	0	0	3	3	0
E. Flynn, 3b	0	0	1	2	1
Hall, p	0	0	0	3	0
Cune, cf	0	1	1	0	0
Hartzell, rf	0	0	0	0	0
J. Flynn, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	1	3	24	10	2

Harvest Home At Jackson Hall

On Friday, August 11, Jackson Union S. S. held an out-door picnic and harvest home. Dinner was served in the grove near Jackson Hall, after which an interesting program was rendered. American flags were attached to the trees beneath whose shade seats were provided, and the organ belonging to the public school. Mrs. Samuel Murray presided at the organ. Patriotic selections were sung, and solos given by Misses Edith Robinson, Isabel Biddle and Helen Fisher. Miss Anna M. Scott, superintendent of the Sunday School, introduced Dr. Samuel Charles Mitchell, president of Delaware College. Dr. Mitchell made very interesting references to Andrew Jackson, for whom the Sunday School was named. He mentioned four things which are essential to the welfare of a community—the public school; the public road; the public health and the public library. In connection with the last named subject, he related that years ago, a school-boy, in conning his geography he paid great attention to a tiny picture of Harvard University. It impressed him so that he desired greatly to attend that school. It was his good fortune, later, to enter Yale as a result of his efforts prompted by the picture in his text book.

Dr. Mitchell said, that personally, he had been greatly benefitted and influenced by three books bought when a school boy—"Half-Hours with the Best Authors." He spoke of the necessary interests of life—the support of the home, etc., but impressed the fact that the value of the soul ranks above all else.

Rev. Adrian Van Overen, pastor of Christiana and Head of Christian churches, was the next speaker. He stated that in order to interest a Sunday School class the teacher must be alive with enthusiasm. In this connection, he related his own early experience in Sunday School work. He impressed the thought that nothing worth while is ever accomplished without high ideals, which must be preceded by similar ideas. He made reference to the One who was nailed to the Cross for our transgressions.

At the close of Mr. Van Overen's address Alfred P. Scott was announced. Mr. Scott, a former member of Jackson Sunday School now engaged in teaching in the South, was glad to be among acquaintances and friends. He spoke in favor of community meetings which bring the people together for the common benefit. He believes that the Sunday School and public school should work together for the uplift of the neighborhood.

After Mr. Scott's address the audience sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Supper was served in the grove and in the evening a festival to benefit the Sunday School was held. Jackson Union Sunday School is the second one organized in Cecil Co., dating its origin to the year 1818.

Your Flag and My Flag

Your flag and my flag, and how it flies today.
In your land and my land, and half the world away.
Rose-red and blood-red its stripes forever gleam;
Snow-white and soul-white, the good forefathers' dream.
Sky-blue and true-blue, with stars that gleam aright.
The glorified guidon of the day, a shelter through the night.

Your flag and my flag, and oh, how much it holds.
Your land and my land secure within its folds.
Your heart and my heart beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-tossed, the red, the blue, the white.
The one flag, the great flag, the flag for me and you.
Glorified the whole world wide, the red, the white, the blue.

Your flag, my flag, to every star and stripe
Drums beat as hearts beat, and fife shrilly pipe.
Your flag, and my flag, a blessing in the sky,
Your hope, and my hope, it never hid a lie.
Home land and far land, and half the world around,
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Report of Diamond State Cow Testing Association

The latest report from the Diamond State Cow Testing Association shows that 40 pounds of butterfat or 1,000 pounds of milk during the period gives the names and records of 30 days ending August 20th, of the cows in the association 1916. The table follows, which have produced more than

Owner of Cow	Name of Cow	Breed of Cow	Age (Years)	When Born	2000	2500	3000	3500	4000
Newton L. Grubb	White Face	Gr.	7	6-4-10	1160	81	48.74		
Newton L. Grubb	Red Pennmark	Gr.	8	6-4-10	1029	80	41.09		
Newton L. Grubb	Bijou	Gr.	9	6-22-10	1171	85	50.20		
Newton L. Grubb	Jake	Gr.	5	6-16-10	1147	74	45.00		
James Smith	Dinah	Gr.	7	6-8-10	1047	74	35.51		
Harvey Ball	Peggy	Gr.	8	7-15-10	999	74	34.90		
John L. M. San	Yvonne	Gr.	8	6-23-10	1206	72	48.00		
John C. MacCall	Mar Phoebe	Gr.	8	6-23-10	1174	73	32.08		
Wm. A. Russell	Bottomap	Gr.	4	7-30-10	1001	43	48.91		
Miss Ann Post	No. 1	Gr.	4	6-18-10	1224	72	39.20		
Miss Ann Post	No. 2	Gr.	6	6-22-10	1003	78	24.83		
William H. H. Jr.		Gr.							

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While there will be much to be done up until the last few days, arrangements for the Delaware State fair at Wawaset Park, Wilmington, September 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, are well in hand, and there is every indication that the management will realize on their plans to make this the greatest fair Delaware has yet seen.

It was originally planned to make Tuesday children's day as usual, when all school children would be admitted free, but on account of the epidemic of infantile paralysis in New York and Pennsylvania and New Jersey, the Delaware State Board of Health has requested that the fair management cancel this arrangement. Therefore there will be no free day for children, and furthermore children of 16 and under will not be admitted to the State fair grounds any day during the week. The fair management will enforce this order.

HOW TO HANDLE THE SUGAR PROPOSITION

Government Recommends Method Of Preserving Fruit

Fruit for use in pies or salads or as stewed fruit can be put up or canned without the use of any sugar at all, according to the canning specialists of the department. They, therefore, advise those who, because of the high price of sugar, have been thinking of reducing the amount of fruit they put up, to can as much of their surplus as possible by the use of boiling water when sugar syrup is beyond their means. Any fruit, they say, may be successfully sterilized and retained in the pack by simply adding boiling water instead of the hot syrup. The use of sugar, of course, is desirable in the canning of all kinds of fruits and makes a better and ready sweetened product. Moreover, most of the fruits when canned in water alone do not retain their natural flavor, texture,

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Newark Town Library

The Library will be opened:
 Monday 3 to 5.45 p. m.
 Tuesday 9 to 12 m.
 Friday 3 to 5.45 p. m.
 Saturday 9 to 12 m. 7 to 9 p. m.

Banks

FARMERS' TRUST Co. Meeting of Directors every Tuesday morning
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Building and Loan Association

Secretary—W. H. Taylor
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Lodge Meetings

OPERA HOUSE
 Monday—Knights of Pythias, or K. of P., 7.30 p. m.
 Tuesday—Improved Order of Red Men, 7.30 p. m.
 Wednesday—Heptasophs, or S. W. M., 7.30 p. m.
 Thursday—Ladies' Circle, S. W. M., 7.30 p. m.
 Friday—Modern Woodmen of America, No. 10170, 7.30 p. m.

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Monday—Jr. Order American Mechanics, 7.30 p. m.
 Wednesday—1st and 3rd of every month, White Clay Camp, No. 5, Woodmen of the World
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Fire Alarms

In case of fire call the following numbers in succession:

27 D

99 A

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Hurt By Flying Car Door

Daniel Despert, colored, of Washington, D. C., is at Delaware Hospital, the victim of a peculiar accident. While en route to Philadelphia, he rested his arm on the side of a car window. Several miles below Wilmington the train passed a freight, the door of a car of which had worked loose and was thrown against Despert's arm which was badly crushed. At Wilmington he was removed from the train and taken to Delaware Hospital where amputation was found necessary. His condition is reported serious.

Fire Apparatus For Laurel

The Laurel Fire Company at a special meeting held on Wednesday night awarded a contract to the American La France Fire Engine Company for a Type 40 Combination chemical engine and hose motor car with a junior pump. The apparatus will have a 75-h. p. motor, 40 gallon chemical tank and pump of 400 gallons per minute capacity at 120 lbs. pump pressure. It will carry 1000 feet of hose and the members of the company.

EXPERIENCES ALONG THE BORDER

First Hand Impressions From One Of Company E's Men

The Delaware men at Fort Deming have settled down to routine camp life. Letters from the men are still enthusiastic over the experience they are having and the treatment received. A letter written on August 17th states: "We had some excitement last night when we thought we had been attacked by Mexicans. About six thirty p. m. we heard a crack and then, hiss! a bullet came whistling about ten feet over our head. Fellows dropped to the ground out of range of the bullets. Assembly sounded. There was some excitement for a few minutes. The guard went out after the attackers loaded to the muzzle. They caught five men, but instead of Mexicans they were Arkansas men who said they were gunning for rabbits. We don't pretend to be rabbits and they are in the guard house awaiting trial. I don't know what they will get."

"Then again, about eleven p. m. we heard a call on post number 7, and then a shot rang out. All rushed over to the post. One of the guard's rifles accidentally went off, and shot him through the hand, so you see we have had a little excitement. You can never tell what minute things are going to happen, but we are ready for most anything."

"We took a hike out across the prairie this morning, under heavy

marching orders. We pitched shelter tents out among the sage brush and cactus, also beneath Old Sol who was shining straight down. It is needless to say all of us are brown as berries and hard as nails. We are feeling fine."

"This life is certainly an experience for a fellow. I shall never regret coming although I have a slight attack of homesickness at least once a week."

"Company E played H in base ball yesterday. We won 8 to 4. This makes us champions of the First Delaware Infantry. The Regimental Team leaves on Saturday night to play Tyrone, a mining town about thirty-five miles north of here."

There are good movies in Deming; we see the best players at the shows. On Monday evening we saw Marguerite Clark in "Mee and Men."

Mr. G. W. Rhodes today dispatched a box containing cigars, tobacco and chewing gum for the Company E men.

Do You Keep Your Hands Clean?

Disease germs lead a hand to mouth existence. If the human race would learn to keep the unwashed hand away from the mouth many human diseases would be greatly diminished. We handle infectious matter more or less constantly and we continually carry the hands to the mouth. If the hand has recently been in contact with infectious matter the germs of disease may in this way be introduced into the body. Many persons wet their fingers with saliva before counting money, turning the pages of a book, or performing similar acts. In this case the process is reversed, the infection being carried to the object handled, there to await carriage to the mouth of some other careless person. In view of these facts the U. S. Public Health Service has formulated the following simple rules of personal hygiene and recommends their adoption by every person in the United States.

Wash the Hands Immediately Before eating.
 Before handling, preparing or serving food.
 After using the toilet.
 After attending the sick, and
 After handling anything dirty.

Ancient Clock Brought \$100

Hubbard Reynolds, grandson of former Governor Robert J. Reynolds, at a recent sale near Willow Grove, of the personal effects of Mrs. John C. Grawell, bought for \$100 a grandfather's clock, said to have been brought to Delaware from Amsterdam about 300 years ago.

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TOWN MEETING WELL ATTENDED

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Most of us realize that this is a serious situation. I should like to ask whether at the present time our water is all right?

Dr. Reed replied and said: "I hesitate to answer this question definitely, 'Yes' or 'No.' We should like to let some time elapse before saying that precaution shall not be taken. From cultures made myself—the last one Sunday—I can report satisfactory results. There is always a possibility, however, of an accumulation being pocketed. To illustrate: In my laboratory today I was running water for some time to get some cold to use. The water was clean and good. But suddenly there came a rush, in this instance, of rust, which illustrates my hesitancy in pronouncing the water pure and fit for drinking purposes."

Mr. Griffin stated, "I believe for too long this whole situation has been treated in secret. I should like to insist that the public know the facts. Let the Board put more energy into their work; get rid of all the cess pools. That will be a long step. I understand the trouble in the milk supply has been corrected."

Professor Hayward said, "I heard one of our citizens remark today, 'No town was ever cleaned up by the soft pedal method.' We must turn the spot light of publicity upon our work. Personally I welcome anyone to come and point out to me anything on my premises that is a menace to health."

Professor McCue put the question: "How many cases of typhoid fever have been in or originated in Newark during the last three months?" Dr. Reed replied, "To the best of my knowledge twenty or possibly twenty-one." Professor McCue: "According to statements made by physicians eight have been developed within the last ten days. Therefore the disease must be on the increase. I should like further to ask if the Board of Health has been able to trace the source of infection of any of these cases?" Dr. Reed: "It is practically impossible to trace definitely the cause in many instances. Some of the cases have followed definitely certain milk routes, others have been blind ones. We know that typhoid is spread through the milk, water, and discharges from typhoid patients. Possibly through the medium of soiled hands we may contract the disease. Personally I do not believe since my connection with the town, that the water supply has been a source of typhoid infection."

Professor McCue: "Can the Board of Health tell how many outside closets there are in Newark?"

Dr. Reed: "There is a survey being made, which is not yet complete."

Professor McCue: "How many chronic breeding places for flies are there in Newark?"

Dr. Reed: "In reply I can only say the Board of Health has taken steps to do away with one source of fly trouble. I refer to the stable manure pile."

Professor McCue: "How many properties connected with the sewer still use the outside closet? Don't you think this is a feature of the situation that may receive immediate attention?"

Dr. Reed: "There are a great many outside closets still in use. These have already been condemned."

Professor McCue expressed pleasure at Mr. Griffin's remark relative to sparing no publicity. "It is rather nauseating to know," he said, "that in order to get typhoid you have to eat or drink some excrement from a human body."

Mr. D. C. Rose was asked to comment on the situation. He said, "A few years ago we spent \$60,000 for a sewer. Either every one must connect or we have wasted our money. Every house in town should be compelled to connect, and to connect at once. Every property that I own is connected with the exception of one, and arrangements are being made to take care of that. There are some surroundings in the vicinity of the new restaurant on Main street which are not as they should be and we have had typhoid. I believe lack of sewer connection is one of the great sources of trouble in Newark."

Professor McCue put the question, "Will it be possible to eliminate typhoid fever before the source of infection is found?"

Dr. Reed replied: "It is entirely possible if we eliminate the possible causes. If we have only one in mind, I am afraid typhoid

fever, while it may be lessened, will not be done away with. My opinion is this: if we do away with the known sources, we shall be rid of it."

Mr. Bonham was called upon for remarks: "The company which I represent, as employers of labor, is anxious to see the town rid of typhoid fever," he said. "If we co-operate with the Board of Health in doing away with all closets, and insist upon a pure water and milk supply, the absence of pig pens and manure piles, I believe we can reduce the number of cases to a very few."

Dr. Reed said: "We are discussing the subject as though it affected the control of typhoid alone. We should remember that a clean-up campaign goes a long way toward heading off all disease. If we are surrounded with good health conditions, we are going to be more resistant, stronger, more able to withstand any disease. In the old days we used to say diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, cholera, etc. were contracted from leaky sewer pipes. I remember a splendid old doctor of my acquaintance who thought he had found the cause of all these diseases, because after having the leaky pipes in a house where there had been repeated cases, repaired, no others followed. Of course, he reduced sickness in that house, because he cleaned it up, with the certain result."

Professor Hayward, chairman of the meeting said: "This evening has brought out the fact that Newark is solidly back of the Board of Health and Council. It seems we are not just sure of the sources of the present cases. I should like to suggest that we as a community chip in and employ a sanitary engineer to tell us what is the matter. Judge Landis on a recent visit to the College Farm told me of a brother in Cincinnati, who loved nothing better than to go into a community and run down the cause of sickness to its source. I should like to see employed such an engineer. I personally am willing to make a reasonable contribution. Let us hear it discussed."

In reply to the question, "Can such a man not be secured from Washington?" Professor Hayward replied, "Yes, but in that case we take what some senator or representative gets for us. We may or may not get a thoroughly competent man."

Mrs. Houghton made the motion, "That Council be asked to get a sanitary engineer, using discretionary powers. If a man from Washington can be gotten well and good. If this is impossible and there are not sufficient funds available, let the townspeople make up the deficit by contribution."

Dr. Manns asked, "What will it cost to get such an engineer?"

Mayor Hossinger replied, "I believe we could get a satisfactory man for from \$500 to \$1000. Council has never refused any request from the Board of Health. Of course the town has a limit to its borrowing power, but it may be we have on hand that amount over the regular running expenses. This morning I wired to Washington inquiring at Senator Saulsbury's office whether or not it would be possible to get a government expert to make a survey of the community. I was assured that it could be arranged."

Mr. Walter Curtis moved that a government expert be gotten from Washington. Mr. Griffin said, "I think there might be a committee appointed to look into the advisability of the appointment, the committee to be allowed the option of going to Washington or to Wilmington for an interview with Senator Saulsbury. I should hardly feel like saying go out, get one, anywhere, anyhow."

Following the discussion the motion as originally made by Mrs. Houghton, giving Council authority to employ an engineer and to use discretionary power as to the employment of same, was seconded by Mr. Bonham, and carried unanimously.

Mr. D. C. Rose called attention to the dead head water supply, saying one citizen had stated that the water at his home was half the time unfit for use. He asked whether or not it would be possible to have such places flushed at certain intervals, in order to purify the water. Mr. Hossinger replied that we have three dead heads on our water system. He believed the matter could be arranged by the installation of fire hydrants.

Mr. Frank Smith who had made the complaint explained that his home was at the extreme East End, connected with the lower tap, before going to the sewer. "The condition," he said, "is bad all the time. The women claim

the conditions for washing are fierce. The clothes can't be gotten a good color. We are forced to carry all our water from a pump which sits back on a farm. I have repeatedly asked if there could not something be done. I am not a resident of town now, but I have been for thirty-two years, and I am at present paying water and light rent. I should like to do all in my power to rid the town of disease. The East End is the approach to town. Some weeks ago when a colored man on an adjoining farm had his hay cut in the field, I took my scythe, and cut the hedge, in order to work for a 'Town Beautiful.' I ask Council's attention and co-operation."

The chairman expressed the belief that the matter would be adjusted.

Mr. Otto Thomas inquired, "How long will it take Council to get the engineer here?" Mr. Hossinger replied, "I can't answer."

Professor Hayward assured the questioner that he would be gotten here as soon as possible.

Dr. Manns put the question: "Is there malaria in town? If so, why?"

Dr. Reed replied: "I believe there are one or two cases. I have been surprised that we have no more, on account of the mosquitoes that are around here."

Dr. Manns also asked: "I was told at the time the standpipe was cleaned previous to the present instance, that a cartload of sparrows was taken away. Is this rumor true?"

Dr. Reed replied: "Judging from my observations last Saturday I believe there is no truth in the report. I watched the work very closely last week, and could find only oxide of iron—a tonic—which had peeled from the sides lying in the bottom. The flakes might be a little hard to swallow but further than that could do no harm to the water."

Mr. Hossinger replied, "I was present when the standpipe was cleaned about two years ago, and practically the same condition existed at that time."

Dr. Manns thanked the gentlemen, saying he had asked the question merely to clear up gossip. The two rooms of the Hose House were filled with an audience, thoroughly representative of the population of Newark and the thorough discussion of prevailing conditions was appreciated by everyone.

Camp Near Charlestown

A camping party left Newark early Monday morning, to spend a week at Charlestown, along the North East river. The party is staying at the Little bungalow. Among the number are Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Plumley, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Strahorn, Mrs. Paxson, Mrs. Moore, the Misses Winnie Eader and Nellie Wilson, and Mr. Ira Steele.

FIRE DESTROYS MOTHERALL PROPERTY

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the standpipe to refill it that the fire alarm sounded. When the firemen arrived the rear of the house was aflame but with plenty of water it could have been extinguished within a few minutes with only a slight loss. As it was the water supply which was coming direct from the pumping station was limited and not sufficient force back of it to get a stream to the second floor. At times the supply would give out entirely. It was at these times that the tin roof proved valuable as it kept the flames inside. As soon as possible more pressure was put on the pumps and the water gates in other sections of Newark were closed diverting the entire supply to the one section. This gave sufficient water to extinguish the blaze. The Continental Fibre Company offered to turn the supply in its large private tank into the mains but this was not required.

Several times while the Motherall house was burning the fence and a section of the kitchen of the Walker property, an adjoining frame dwelling, caught fire but was put out by a bucket brigade. Some of the furniture in the Motherall house was saved but most of it was destroyed or badly damaged by smoke and water including most of the clothing of the two brothers and their sister. The damage was probably \$2,500, partly covered by insurance. As a precaution a great deal of the furniture was removed from the home of James Walker. That the entire row of frame houses on Delaware Avenue was not wiped out was due to the fact that

there was no wind and to the tin roof on the Motherall property which aided the firemen with what little water they had in keeping the flames inside.

The Elkton firemen were sent

for and gave valuable assistance with their chemical stream. The Reliance of Wilmington also answered the call, but did not get into action.

The fire demonstrated the nec-

essity of additional water supply for the town, either another standpipe or a reservoir. Town Council has been considering the matter for some time and the fire incident will likely hurry action.

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