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CHURCH REFORMS

Inside the Cup and Other Novels Discussed by Dr. Rowan

Fears Series of National Calamities Necessary

In opening the discussion the speaker frankly admitted that present conditions in church circles are far from satisfactory. He attributed the weakness of the church in part to lack of confidence in the integrity of the Bible, which started in the pulpit and has spread of the pew. The church seems to be wanting in power and attractiveness. Her membership increase is small, and of those in the church few comparatively live their religion so as to gain the confidence of the world. Three attempts have been made to reform the church through the printed page, two of them being from writers of fiction. One is represented in Robert Elsmere by Mrs. Humphrey Ward, the second is The Inside of the Cup by Winston Churchill, and the third in In His Steps by Rev. Charles Sheldon. The speaker then proceeded to analyze the three books. The story of Robert Elsmere was written to show the effect of German Rationalism on the English pulpit. According to Mrs. Ward the way to reform the church is to originate a new church with a Bible divested of its miracles and with a religion shorn of the supernatural.

The Inside of the Cup follows in the same line, but adding a new feature, which is defined as social democracy. In criticizing the book Dr. Rowan called attention to its points of merit, namely its fearless denunciation of tainted money and the inconsistencies of church members, its personal rebuke of sin in high places, its deprecation of the absence of church unity, and its faithful presentation of the materialism of our age. On the other hand he characterized the book as being faulty in its failure to understand the motives and scholarship of the opponents of the destructive criticism; in its attack on the virgin birth, and the resurrection; in the interpretation of the Nicene and Apostles' Creed to make them agree with modern thought; in fine, with those reforms in operation the church could not exist one century.

The third book, In His Steps, was then taken up. The speaker declared that it differs from the other two in that it is the work of one trained in theology. It accepts the Bible as the book of inspiration, true from cover to cover, genuine history and not a collection of myths, and it also takes for granted that the time honored creeds of the church need no changing. It calls for a complete consecration of the individual, who is to model his life after the example of Christ. The world's criticism of this book is that its principles are impracticable, which charge the speaker represented as a humiliating confession that men may take Christ with them to the place of worship, but must there part company with Him, for to take Him into their business affairs would mean financial ruin. The real reason for the failure of the church to run the world is not because her doctrines are offensive, not because her machinery does not run smoothly, but because men are too prosperous in their secular affairs to pause and consider the needs of their souls. Perhaps nothing less than a prolonged series of national calamities may bring this generation to its senses. The speaker concluded his address with a summary of the plans proposed for reforming the church, and expressed the opinion that the emancipated gospel of a Robert Elsmere and a John Hodder could reduce religion to a mere ethical culture, which in turn could take away from instead of increasing the effectiveness of the

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The local branch of W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cloud.

LOCAL D. A. R. HOLDS MEETING

Season's Work Outlined

The regular meeting of the D. A. R. Chapter of D. A. R. was held at the home of Mrs. R. C. Reed, Newark, on Saturday afternoon, October 11th. The national society asked four of the chapter's members to serve on different committees and three were able to undertake the work.

The treasurer reported a gratifying surplus in the treasury, and two new members were reported. The Welfare of Women and Children Committee urged that the chapter do something in our own town.

A committee was appointed to arrange for a bake or entertainment to be given by the chapter soon, and after all business had been transacted the meeting adjourned for a short social hour.

PLANS FOR 1914 SUMMER SCHOOL

State Board Names Committees

The State Board of Education at a recent meeting held at Dover changed the length of the Summer School to be held at Delaware College in 1914 to a period of six weeks instead of five as last year. Special work in pedagogy has been provided for and a model school where children will be taught according to the most approved methods.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Messersmith, Ridgley and Wagner was appointed to purchase a typewriter for the use of the Board and the Commissioner of Education.

The Board also appointed a committee to confer with the Delaware State Fair directors about offering prizes for school exhibits at next year's fair.

Sussex School Superintendent Hardesty submitted a report in which are shown many improvements in the schools of that county.

Standing committees were appointed as follows:

Teachers, Henry Ridgley, George S. Messersmith.
County Superintendents, George W. Twitmyer, H. Clay Davis.
Admission of Pupils to Graded Schools—Albert Worth, Frederick Brady.
State Aid to Normal Schools—H. Hayward, Albert Worth.
Courses of Study—George W. Twitmyer, George S. Messersmith.

Centenary Service At Glasgow

Those who visited Old Penender Church at Glasgow, Delaware, last Sabbath Day, enjoyed a feast that comes but once in a hundred years when the Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of its birth.

In the morning the pastor, Rev. Geo. L. Smith preached in his usual vigorous and forceful manner a sermon from the text in Exodus: "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward."

Mrs. Wilkins Cooh of Newark, a former pastor's daughter, also a former president of the Society for many years, followed Mr. Smith with a very instructive and pleasing address, giving out words of cheer and comfort to the noble band of women who through a century from generation to generation have kept alive an active working society.

In the afternoon Miss Harlan, president of our Home Presbyterian Society charmed the large audience with a short inspiring address. The sermon was preached by Dr. Gillilan of Newark and a short address by Dr. McElmoyle of Elkton. There was special music by the choir assisted by Mr. Harry Davis and a quartette from West Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, composed of Miss Edith Robb, Miss Gertrude Chandler and Messrs. Clymer and Frazier, who delighted the audience in the afternoon several times with their trained voices. Altogether it was a day long to be remembered in Old Penender.

The Farmers' Trust Company is building an addition to the Bank House to be used as a Directors' Room.

STATE FARM

In a stock judging contest conducted by the Hagerstown Fair Association, the Delaware College team from the Agricultural Department won laurels for themselves and the College. Every man on the local team was in the winning. Mulholland won first prize in judging Jersey cows, Houston first in Ayrshires, Seward second in Holsteins, Gibbons third in Holsteins.

Grievous won third in judging bulls.

This is a remarkable showing—every man winning points.

As a team, Delaware ranked second. The Pennsylvania team took first prize and Maryland followed Delaware for third place.

Professor Hayward and seven students visited the well-known Barclay Farms at Rosemont, Pa. on last Saturday. The purpose of the visit was to give students an opportunity of working on some of the finest representatives of the Ayrshire breed of dairy cattle. While at the farms they met nineteen students from Penn State College who were there for the same purpose.

Dr. Taubenhans is spending most of the week in Laurel and vicinity carrying on investigations of sweet potato diseases.

Dr. Manns was in consultation at the farm of Charles M. Lee of Devon, Pa., last Saturday.

The College Farm will ship three Guernseys to Mr. M. T. Philips of Pomeroy, as soon as they have been tested for tuberculosis. The Farm also sent yesterday a pair of mules to J. Stanley Frazer, who has a large contract at Brills, New Jersey.

Flint Hill was re-opened last Sunday after undergoing extensive repairs. A large congregation was in attendance and revival services are to continue.

THE PUBLIC WANTS TO KNOW

A Ramble, With A Smack Of Reason, On The Library Question. Inquiry—How Many Read And What?

Contrary to the wishes and the opinion of a few, the Public likes to know all the facts of an institution which affects the general welfare. The Public has the right to ask for information concerning any institution, which it supports, even in a small way.

There is in Newark a Library in the Academy Building. Over the door of entrance there appears the following:

NEWARK TOWN LIBRARY.

This institution was founded by ladies who are members of The New Century Club. It has been brought to its present standing through their efforts. It is now managed by them. Its relation to the public, its policy is dictated by them solely. Their efforts and success are to be commended. Without the attention and energy here displayed, it is probable that we would be without a Town Library of any description. This, however, may be disputed as some there are who think that had not the subscription library been here, we would have established one this Free Library—a Town Library in fact as well as in name.

Be that as it may, we stand ever ready to commend heartily those who have made possible the present Library. They are deserving of much credit. With the means at hand, their success shows enthusiasm and energy is commendable. The point we wish to bring out is this: The institution is not, in its fullest sense, a Town Library. The words over the entrance are misleading. Yet, granting credit to the ladies under whose management this Library has its life, it has received support from the Town. Entertainments and those Carnivals, supported by a generous public, brought to the Treasury a snug sum. This fund now invested, we understand, helps in a small way to support this Town Library. Yet, now fairly, is it a Town Library?

By making it a Free Library in real fact, we could by an insignificant increase in taxes, secure State

WEDDINGS

THOMPSON-RILEY.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Estella Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Thompson of Chester, Pa., to Mr. Peter Aloysius Riley, on Tuesday, October the seventh. Mr. Riley is well remembered in Newark where he has many friends.

The bride and groom are spending some time at Delaware Water Gap, Pa. They will be at home to their friends after November first at 8.30 West Eighth street, Chester.

HOLTON-CUBBAGE.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. Calvin Cubbage, 1934 North 31st street Philadelphia, Pa., on Wednesday evening, October 8th, when Mr. Mr. Cubbage's daughter, Helen Kathryn, became the wife of William Evans Holton of Newark, Delaware. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, Elder Benjamin Cubbage, assisted by Elder B. F. Coulter. The bride was gown in white crepe meteor trimmed in Duchess lace and was attended by Miss Marion Green of Washington, D. C. Lawrence Hayes of Philadelphia acted as best man. Miss Clara Snodgrass of Philadelphia played the wedding march and Kathryn Holton, sister of the groom was flower girl. Buffet luncheon was served to the relatives and friends. After a stay at Delaware Water Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Holton will take up their residence at Newark, Delaware.

Those who attended from Newark were: Mrs. W. J. Holton and daughters, Laura, Edna and Kathryn; Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Holton; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Hitchens and Misses Sarah and Emma Campbell.

Rally day was observed at Wesley on Sunday the 12th, and revival services commenced Sunday evening, to continue through the week.

BESSIE PATCHEN HOME AFTER GOOD SEASON

Wins Nine Races Out of Ten

Bessie Patchen, the pride of local sportsmen, has returned home at Maplehurst Farm (C. H. Lafferty) for the winter. Her first season out under the care and driving of Clarke McCarns has won her the title of Princess of the Turf.

McCarns really found the sporty young pacer and every race has created surprise and won admiration. Entering into 10 races, she has come in first in 9 of them bringing the ribbon and the money. In her last race at Richmond she won easily, the \$2,000 purse. Many residents here remember the bay beauty on our speedway during the sleighing carnivals. With the marvelously clever brushes shown here, it was seriously questioned whether she would make good facing the wire. The season just passed has proved her true.

Mr. Lafferty, her owner, and McCarns, driver, are rightfully proud and friends are loud in praise of the victories won.

S. S. CONVENTION WELL ATTENDED

The thirteenth annual convention of the White Clay Creek Hundred S. S. Association convened in the Presbyterian church, Christians, yesterday. Both afternoon and evening sessions were well-attended. Among the speakers were Prof. T. F. Manns, Mrs. Mary B. Donnell, Rev. A. Van Overen, E. Ross Farra and Rev. John L. Johnson.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: president, Rev. O. H. Connelly; vice-president, Rev. J. S. Gillilan; secretary, W. A. Singles; treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Dayett. Executive Committee: John W. Davis, George W. Davis, Thomas F. Manns, W. J. Rowan, W. W. Vansant, A. Van Overen, Department Secretaries: Elementary work, Miss Martha Smith; Home Department, Mrs. Mary C. Kilgore; Teachers' Training, Mrs. B. F. Singles; Adult Class, Rev. L. E. Poole; Missionary, Mrs. Harry E. Tomlin; Temperance, Mrs. Mary E. Webber.

The next convention will be held in the M. E. Church, Newark, sometime during the month of October, 1914.

Ex-Governor's Portrait To Be Painted

Following custom, former Governor Simon S. Pomeroy has arranged for a portrait of himself to be placed in the Governors' Hall, at the State House at Dover. It is pleasing to note that a local artist has been engaged to do the work—the choice of the former Governor being Robert Hinckley, of Rhoboth.

Horse Sinks In Sewer Trench

Excitement was created on Delaware avenue Monday when a horse ridden by the young son of C. P. Wollaston, went down in the Sewer trench. The street was blocked off, but the youngster looking for a short cut to the Chambers' blacksmith shop, turned up the street. The horse had been turned on the newly replaced earth, in order to settle it, and when the horse stepped on the soft dirt, his sudden sinking gave the young rider a scare which he will likely remember for many a day.

Cencrete Bridge To Replace Old One

The old covered bridge over the Big Elk, on the Elkton-Newark road, wrecked during the storm of October 1, is to be replaced by a concrete structure with a roadway of 21 feet, to be completed within 60 working days. The contract was awarded by the County Commissioners last week to the Luten Bridge Company of Cleveland, O., for \$4,244.

Newark Grange Meeting

Newark Grange will meet in College Hall next Monday night at eight o'clock. A full attendance is urged as important business will be before the meeting.

New Car Received

G. Pader has purchased a new 1914 model Haynes touring car, delivered yesterday.

ALUMNI ORGANIZE

High School Graduates Outline Plans for Community Development

Civic Center Prominent Feature Of Organization

Members of the Alumni of Newark High School met in the High School building last Thursday evening when permanent organization was effected. The officers are as follows: president, Warren A. Singles; vice-president, Miss Agnes Medill; recording secretary, Miss Bessie Whittingham; corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. N. Reed; treasurer, Miss Dora Law.

The object of the Newark High School Alumni Association is to urge the members to strive for a broader outlook and a more charitable view of life, by acquainting themselves with good literature; to stimulate public interest in the schools and to awaken a feeling of responsibility in the development of the community where their education was received.

Any person who has completed the work of any one of the regular courses of the High School is eligible to membership. All members are expected to follow a plan for self-improvement outlined by a Committee named for that purpose.

According to the Constitution adopted three members shall be chosen by the five elected officers, who, together, will constitute an advisory Board, who will appoint three standing committees: one on Self-Culture, one on Public Interest, and one on Sociability.

It is the aim of the Committee on Public Interest to extend the influence of the school by devising plans for opening the school house at least one night every month, as a social center for the community.

The annual meeting of the Association will be held the Friday night previous to the graduating exercises in June.

The Secretary is having some difficulty in getting the names of early graduates of the school. Any information along this line will be heartily appreciated.

CHURCH NOTES

The Ladies' Improvement Society of White Clay Creek Church will hold their annual poultry supper in the lecture room of the church on Thursday, October 16, from 5 p. m. to 9 p. m. If stormy the following evening.

The Ladies of the Christiana Presbyterian Church will hold a supper in Webber's store building on November 5th and 6th.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Newark, will give their annual poultry supper in the banquet hall, Opera House, on Thursday, November 13th.

The Hon. John G. Wooley, once a candidate for President of the United States, will deliver a stirring temperance address in the M. E. Church, Newark, Friday night at eight o'clock. Admission will be free.

Every lover of free speech and a good cause should embrace this opportunity to hear one of the greatest platform orators and temperance workers in the country.

The congregation of the M. E. church was crowded out of the Audience Room last Sunday and worshipped in the basement of the church, owing to the incomplete condition of the new pipe organ being installed. It is expected the new organ will be completed this week and the congregation will be in their accustomed place of worship next Sunday.

The pastor will preach at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. at which time the public is invited.

Accepts Position At M. A. C.

Arthur S. Houchin, Jr., has accepted the position of Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at the Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, Md., a recently created office. Mr. Houchin will assume his new duties today. He graduated with honors from Delaware College last June.

THE WORK OF THE NEEDLEWORK GUILD

HOCHESSIN BRANCH TO HOLD REGULAR MEETING

Directors of the Hochessin branch of the Needlework Guild of America are busy collecting garments previous to the annual meeting to be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Norman Mancill, Yorklyn, on Saturday, November 8th, at 2 p. m.

The Needlework Guild is organized to give those "who have" a chance, in a way everybody can afford, to help those "who have not."

The following paragraphs clipped from an article published several years ago in the Ladies' Home Journal explain the scope of the work:

"Of the thousands of people who, through crime, accident, sickness or other adversity, yearly pass through the medical and other charitable institutions of this country, many are insufficiently clad. These institutions and societies rarely have adequate funds to supply this lack. Very often the clothing that is brought with them must be immediately burned.

"Consumptives under outdoor treatment, with its call for heavy woollens; the children in day nurseries, and homes and fresh-air work; rescue work among men and women; the work of the Seamen's Aid Societies, and the Societies for Discharged Prisoners; the convalescent patients just leaving hospitals—these and hundreds of others demand a large amount of proper clothing which the institutions themselves cannot supply. "Of all the munificent legacies left for charitable purposes, it is seldom that any of the funds can be used to supply suitable clothing for out-growing patients. In many cases these connected with the institutions feel obliged to meet this call from their own pockets, and most of them can ill afford to do it. Now, the Needlework Guild accomplishes just this, for it collects new, plain, suitable garments for the outgoing patients in hospitals, homes and other charities.

"The effect of new, substantial clothing upon a person destitute from sickness or other causes is moral uplift rather than pauperization. The Guild does not seek to take the place or lessen the responsibility of boards of directors toward their particular charity by stocking their linen-closets, but is designed to supplement and complete the works by taking it up at the point where they are compelled by circumstances to drop it.

OPENING FRESH FIELDS

The Needlework Guild owes its origin to an English woman of the nobility, who was foster-mother to hundreds of orphans in an institution which she had founded, and who conceived this unique and practical way of providing for her wards. In 1885, a lady travelling in England learned of this charity, which had then grown to great strength, and brought the idea home to Philadelphia. Her niece, the founder of the American organization, interested a few young women of her acquaintance, and from this little band the work has grown, until now there is a national body governing the Branches throughout the United States, and constantly working to extend its usefulness by forming new Branches.

There are three hundred and fifteen Branches in thirty-five States. Each Branch controls its own work. A town has the simple organization of president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and under them work directors dealing with at least ten members, who each contribute, annually two or more new articles of wearing apparel or household linen. Stress is laid on the word "new." There are many suitable agencies to handle partly-worn garments, but the Guild, by its charter, cannot accept them.

There is an annual collection and the clothing is distributed according to the votes of the directors. In a city, where the work is larger, there are section presidents, each having directors under her; otherwise the general working principle is the same. The organization is non-sectarian, and men, women and children may join.

HOW YOU CAN WORK FOR THE GUILD

For financial support, the Guild requires that each director shall have one "money-member." This insures a voluntary gift of any amount, and offers a place where the men can fit in splendidly. There are no fees, fines or dues.

The Guild needs afford good work for members who can knit stockings, socks, bed-shoes, knee-caps, jerseys, comforters, hoods, crossovers, shawls and mittens. For the young and old it yields pleasant employment for the porch and by the winter fireside.

who were not able to get canvases here last year, will be represented next month. It is anticipated that the exhibition will far exceed that of last year. Because of limited hanging space only former pupils of Mr. Pyle can be invited to exhibit, but already 70 of these have sent acceptances, and some pictures have arrived. The Pyle pictures purchased by the society for a permanent collection for the city also will be shown again.

Prizes have been offered by the society and the jury of award will include John E. Parker, art editor of the Ladies Home Journal; Joseph H. Chapin, art editor of Scribner's Magazine; Christian Brinton, art critic of New York City. A prize of \$100 has been offered for the best illustration, and \$100 for the best picture other than illustration, such as landscape, portrait or subject paintings, it being left to the discretion of the artist to decide in what class his picture shall be entered.

Valuable Prizes Offered By Horticultural Society

Country life in all its branches, but particularly in fruit culture is encouraged by the offers of the executive committee of the Peninsula Horticultural Society at its Dover office, preparing for the winter meeting and show of the Tri-State society in Easton, Md., in January.

In addition to \$1,200 cash prizes offered, the executive committee for the horticulturists, announces that it will give special premiums like line for fertilizer, nursery stock to the extent and value of \$20; a gold prize offered by General Seth of Easton, for the best martin house for this insect-seeking songbird; and prizes for almost everything produced on the farm, even to canned goods.

Nothing in the line of edibles seems to have been forgotten in the regular premium list, which offers money from three States for those who excel in their exhibits of home grown produce. Sweet potatoes, white potatoes, cabbages, collections of vegetables, quinces, nuts of all kinds, chestnuts in particular, celery, spinach, kale, lettuce, onions, parsley, pumpkins, salsify, spinach and turnips all come in for prizes of from \$1.50 to \$25. An offer of \$10, first; and \$5, second; stands for the best general collection of white potatoes.

In announcing the apple prizes, the committee gives notice that the

judges will take into consideration: (1) the amount of fruit displayed; (2) the number of varieties displayed; (3) the excellence of fruit displayed; and (4) the arrangement of display. A first prize of \$25 is offered for the best single box of apples; \$15, second; \$10, third. For the best three boxes of apples, three prizes of \$15, \$10, and \$5 are offered. For the best ten boxes of apples, \$50, first; \$30, second; and \$15, third, is offered.

Five dollars is offered for the best single box of Arkansas Black, Ben Davis, Fall Pippin, Gano, Gravenstein, Grimes Golden, Jonathan, King David, Lawyer, Limbertwig, Lankford, Missouri, Nero, Nickajack, Paragon, Rome, Stark, Stayman, Winesap and York Imperial.

A prize of \$150 is offered for the best general display of all.

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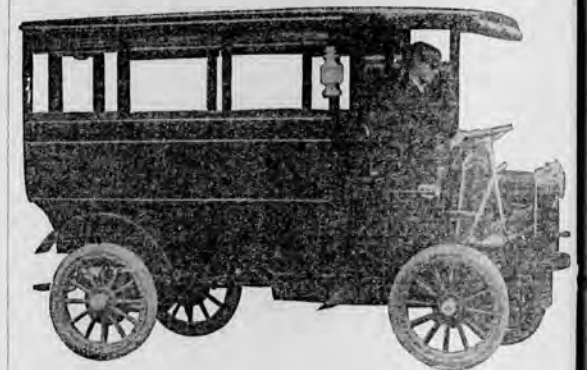
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Experts See No Relief From High Meat Prices

The Government's experts declare that meat will go higher, that there is no immediate prospect of relief, that there is a shortage of beef in the world markets and that practically the only hope of reasonable prices, or rather of the prevention of still higher prices, lies in the slow process of persuading the individual farmers to return to the ancient practice of raising each a few cattle for market, as their forebears did.

The bulletin issued by the Agricultural Department on this subject is a thorough study of the situation from Argentina to Canada, from Mexico to Australia; its array of facts is convincing and the logic of the argument appears to be unassailable. Here is one statement of fact that exhibits at a glance the reason for the high cost of meat: "In the last six years the number of beef cattle has apparently fallen off over 30 per cent, while the population has, of course, increased." In January, 1907, the number of cattle was 51,000,000; at the beginning of the present year the number was 36,000,000.

The sources of outside supply are limited and can afford only temporary relief because there is a shortage in other parts of the world. Meat will be higher, declare the experts, and any permanent remedy must be found on the ordinary farmsteads of the country. The farmer must be persuaded to raise cattle. This will be a difficult task. The farmer has a bitter saying. "Yes, I know beef is high, but see what happens to you if you try to sell a steer."

The Government experts have a plan: they want to help the farmer to get a market; they suggest public abattoirs "to which farmers may consign their fat stock" so that the meat may be sold to the consumer "without passing through the interminable line of middlemen, each of whom takes his toll."

It will be noted that in the opinion of the government's wise experts meat is sure to be high for years, for the task of persuading the farmers of this vast country to do what they believe to be an unprofitable thing is almost as formidable

able an undertaking as to persuade the entire population to be virtuous and not to worry.

—Public Ledger.

The Corn Loss

Twice before in the last twenty years the corn crop has suffered very serious injury—in 1894 and 1901. Both times the yield fell one-quarter below the average of the three preceding years. The first time it was a calamity—the second time merely an unfortunate incident; but if the damage this year as in the two years named probably it will make hardly any perceptible impression upon business.

The reason, of course, is that any single crop is relatively less important. With the steady advance of industrial arts no one item counts for so much. Twenty years ago exports of grain cut a very considerable figure in the national balance sheet. Now they are insignificant.

To go back only to 1901, products of agriculture under the Interstate Commerce Commission's classification made up thirteen per cent of the total railroad freight tonnage. They now constitute only nine per cent. In 1901 grain alone made seven per cent of the total tonnage against four per cent at present. In 1901 all manufactures made a hundred and thirty-seven million tons of freight; ten years later, two hundred and sixty-seven million tons. Nothing is king any more.

Saturday Evening Post.

Art Exhibit In DuPont Auditorium

The second exhibition of the Wilmington Society of the Fine Arts will be held in the DuPont Auditorium, opening Monday evening, November 3, with a private view to which members of the society and exhibitors will be invited, and continuing open for the public during the remainder of the week, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 10 in the evening. An admission of 25 cents will be charged. Although conducted on the same lines as last year's exhibition, the pictures exhibited will be entirely new, and many of Mr. Pyle's pupils

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HERE AND THERE

William J. Ferris has been chosen president of the trustees of New Castle Commons.

Farmers of the Townsend section are annoyed by corn and chicken thieves.

Rev. George C. Graham of Carbondale, Pa., has been tendered a call to the rectorship of St. Philip's Church, Laurel.

A. M. Strickland has begun work on the new three-story addition, 28 by 32 feet, to Union Hospital, Elkton.

County Tax Receiver Lippincott of Wilmington, for the first three months of the present fiscal year reports receipts of \$221,949.

Henry, the five-year-old son of Henry A. Warburton of Elkton, fell off his velocipede on Saturday, breaking an arm.

For the week ending on Saturday there were 13 marriages in Wilmington compared with 125 during the like week last year.

The Cecil County Commissioners last week sold \$25,000 worth of county road bonds to Townsend, Scott & Co., bankers and brokers of Baltimore, at \$103.37.

Former Governor S. E. Penne will have a portrait of himself painted by Robert Hineley of Rehoboth, to be placed in the State House at Dover.

A Halloween Mask Party and old fashioned barn dance will be given by Diamond State Grange of Stanton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Diekey.

The Wilmington Board of Assessment Revision and Appeals has made a contract with New York experts for an appraisal of all the real estate in the city.

The Sussex Grand Jury on Thursday in its report described the Georgetown jail as unsanitary and unfit for use and recommended that it be torn down and a new one erected.

Mrs. Emma L. Smith, widow of Sterrett Smith, died at her home near Pleasant Hill, Cecil county, on Wednesday, aged 67 years. Her funeral was held on Saturday with interment in Union Cemetery.

United States Commissioner of Education Philander P. Claxton, will be among the speakers at the joint teachers' institutes of New Castle and Kent counties, opening at Dover on November 11.

Miss Elva Dean, daughter of E. Dean, of Elkton, a graduate of the University of Maryland School for Nurses, has been put in charge of the nursing staff of the Fayetteville, N. C., Hospital.

Columbus Day, October 12, falling on Sunday this year, was observed on Monday. The United Italian Societies of Wilmington paraded and banks, schools and many business houses were closed.

His spectacles falling off and striking a live wire in the power house of the Wilmington Southern Traction Company on Saturday, Raymond Barnes was scalded about the face and his clothing was set on fire by the resulting flash.

The plant of the Eureka Fertilizer Company near Perryville, has been sold by the receivers of the concern to the Hess Fertilizer Company of Lancaster, Pa., for \$10,250 and will shortly resume operation.

Morris K. Blumberg's store, 222 King street, Wilmington, was entered on Thursday night by unknown parties and robbed of about \$200 worth of men's clothing and furnishings. It is thought the thieves loaded their plunder in a wagon stationed nearby.

Under the first quarterly distribution of the State School Fund Cecil county is awarded \$7,250 from the School tax, \$715 from the free school book fund, \$1,625 for support of approved high schools and \$1,500 for colored industrial schools, a total of \$11,000.

Lessons From Belgium

"We do not treat our soil as we should or could. A Belgian farmer gets as much from ten acres as we in Pennsylvania get from a hundred." This statement was made by Dr. M. G. Brumbaugh, Superintendent of Public Schools, who

Mrs. Emmeline Ford, widow of William B. Ford of the Glasgow section died at the home of her sister, Mrs. James E. Dean, in Elkton, aged 77 years. Her funeral was held on Saturday with interment in the Presbyterian Cemetery at Glasgow.

City Solicitor Hastings has advised the Wilmington City Council that it cannot open curb markets other than those provided for by the market laws, and that present regulations must be enforced, to the exclusion of all but farmers and truckers from the street markets.

Robert Smith and Harry Jones of Milford, the former rooting for the Giants, and the latter for the Giants, agree at the opening of the recent championship contest that the backer of the losing team be hitched up with an ox to a cart and be driven about the town, and it's up to Jones to "Gee" and "Haw" at Smith's call.

Charles S. Marton, who early last winter made a deadly assault upon William Kerr, a neighbor, living near Lewisville, was found guilty in the Chester County Court last week, although he is an inmate of the Insane Hospital at Embreeville. Judge Butler in his charge told the jury that they should convict the accused unless reasonably satisfied that he was not of sound mind.

Seven street dealers charged with violations of the market regulations were arraigned before Judge Churchman in the City Court, in Wilmington on Thursday. Mrs. Catharine Cella and James Rieco were fined \$5 and costs and Nathan Bernstein \$1 and costs. Councilman Jacob Zimmerman, Michael Polese, Harry Buckson and Benjamin Hicks were the other defendants but their cases were continued.

Hold-ups on the streets have been common in Philadelphia for some time past and are growing frequent in Wilmington. Two cases occurred there toward the end of the week. A negro with a revolver stopped Joseph Serson of 1212 B street on Christiana avenue and going through his pockets, robbed him of \$20. Thomas Sinex of 224 Maryland avenue was halted at Adams and Chestnut streets by a young white man armed with a revolver and robbed of a gold ring and \$2.50 in cash.

A Wilmington special says that President E. L. R. Maxey and Secretary T. R. Ott of the United States Railway Steel Tie Company of Pittsburgh, are negotiating for the purchase of the long idle plant of the Diamond State Steel Company, which is to be offered at trustees' sale on October 22. The Steel Tie people are seeking to obtain the property at private sale. Should they secure possession it is said that they purpose building a modern plant on both sides of the Christiana employing 2500 hands and costing several million dollars. The corporation has a capital of \$25,000,000 and has just completed a plant in St. Louis.

Odd Fellows of Wilmington, Middletown, Harrington and Milford, with officers of the Grand Lodge went by special train on Thursday to Georgetown, where in the evening, in the Opera House, the degree staff of Eden Lodge of Wilmington, initiated a class of upwards of fifty members. Members of the order from most of the towns in lower Delaware were present.

A fairly well-dressed youth of about twenty years, entered J. M. Webb's restaurant at Tenth and Tatnall streets, Wilmington, about 6 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and after eating a plate of hot cakes drew a revolver and forced Albert Carter, the manager in charge, to turn over to him \$11 from the cash register. The robber forced an insurance agent, who said he had \$50 about him, to remain seated at a table nearby and also silenced Miss Frances Wilson, one of the clerks, who chanced to enter the place. She and Carter ran out and gave the alarm when the robber left the place. He ran down Tenth street to Shipley and at Eighth street disappeared from the sight of three pursuers. The police have been on the lookout for the robber but have found no trace of him.

spent the Summer months inspecting educational conditions in France, Germany, Belgium, Holland. Intensive education is largely responsible for the agricultural prosperity of the Belgians. Nowhere in Europe is more attention paid to developing children than

in that little kingdom. Much effort is devoted to the two great fundamental functions of society—agriculture and education. The Department of Agriculture is working with the sole purpose of enlightening the people on agriculture, the basis of the people's wealth, and on education, the basis of a people's prosperity and enjoyment.

CONTINUATION SCHOOLS.

The continuation school embraces one of the most important things in foreign educational systems. The system of continuing the education of a boy or girl after leaving school is one which should be incorporated in the plans of the Board of Education of every American city. These schools are established and carried on for the benefit of those children who must leave school at an early age and seek employment. The children are paid a weekly wage for three or four days' work on condition that the balance of the week, or so many hours as stipulated in the contract of employment, will be spent in the continuation schools, thereby gaining knowledge and experience which enhances their value to their employer and lifts them out of a mediocre state of life.

Missionary Meeting

A regular meeting of the W. H. M. S. of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. E. M. Thompson. Work of the year was reviewed and reports from various officers occupied most of the time. Election of officers for the ensuing year followed: Mrs. Manns for president; Mrs. McNeal, vice president; Mrs. Williams, recording secretary; Mrs. Short, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jacobs, treasurer.

A social hour followed with refreshments served by the hostess. Adjourned to meet in November with Mrs. McNeal.

Many Cases Of Rabies Among Cats

Analysis made at the laboratory of the State Board of Health, here, on Saturday, of the head of a cat that had bitten several children at Felton, showed that the animal was in the last stage of rabies when it attacked the children. The cat was owned by Mr. Dill and the latter's son and the children of several neighbors were bitten.

During the present year more cases of cats having rabies in Delaware have been reported than in all the previous years that tests have been made at the Stat Laboratory. Dr. Watson, in charge of the laboratory, is unable to explain this outbreak among cats. Six or seven tests have positively shown that the animals were suffering with rabies when they died or were killed. About fifteen persons bitten or scratched by cats have taken the Pasteur treatment given by the State Board of Health.

NOTICE!

To the Taxpayers of WHITE CLAY CREEK HUNDRED

The tax payers of White Clay Creek Hundred are hereby notified that I will be at the following places to receive County, Poor, Road, Capitation and Dog Taxes, for the Year 1913. Will be at the following places between the hours of 9 to 12 a. m. and 4 to 4 p. m.

NEWARK, ERNEST FRAZER'S STORE
August 4, September 4, October 2, November 3, December 1.

NEWARK, WASHINGTON HOUSE
September 8, October 20, December 22.

NEWARK, LOVETT'S STORE
July 21, August 11, September 15, October 6, November 10, December 15.

CHRISTIANA, CURRIER'S HOTEL
July 25, August 18, September 22, October 13, November 17, December 30.

AT HOME, McLELLANDSVILLE, DEL.
Monday and Friday Evenings.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED:

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

F. W. LOVETT,
Collector.

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OCTOBER 15, 1913

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR GOOD

The recent action of the graduates of the Newark High School in forming an Alumni Association is worthy of more than casual attention. Last year's class, we are informed, stands sponsor for the idea and in setting in motion such an organization, they have built well. If a spirit of co-operation can be aroused, the possibilities can be on first thought, scarcely reckoned. In the adoption of the Constitution and By-Laws, there appears motives for real successful work. Aside from the purely social side, which we in no way desire to underestimate, the Constitution outlines a campaign for individual culture by acquiring a habit for the reading of the better kind of literature. This in itself is sufficient motive for the organization. All of us are too prone, in this day of best sellers, to neglect the gems of our own and English writings. So called Summer reading, requiring neither thought nor effort, is extending too far into our lives and is robbing us of the books worth while.

Most promising of the work of this new organization is the attempt to make the Public School the Civic Center of the community. This idea which is being successfully tried out in many parts of the country, is really a revival of the old New England Town Meeting. It is the common meeting place for the citizen, whatever his wealth or station. Our society today is divided more than ever before by social and denominational lines. This is inevitable in any growing community. But there are interests common to all, rich and poor alike.

The Public School Building is the logical place for discussion of community interests. Here every citizen irrespective of creed or station can come and feel personal interest. In this age of business advancement with our variant attractions, we have lost something. Although our development, in its rapidity, is the wonder of history, we are beginning to see a lack of understanding that was a dominant feature of the life of the community, a generation or so ago.

Comparative studies show this defect of our community life, today, to be the lack of this common civic center. To establish this, in a small way, is, we understand, one of the objects of this new organization. The idea is fraught with untold possibilities. It means work. It means co-operation with no lagging of enthusiasm but the opportunity is here to serve well the community and from no source can it come with true American spirit as from the graduates of our Public Schools.

Sociability, Self Culture and Development of the Civic Center—worthy all. We wish you well.

THAT CARD DISCUSSION

Cards—The long drawn out discussion has, in our opinion, done more harm, by engendering harsh feelings (a mild form of hate) than cards themselves. That there is a difference of opinion, in many instances an honest difference, no one will deny. With that difference, what benefits it to continue the strife? It merits little attention and accomplishes no good. So let the discussion cease.

Of the merits of the question we are not qualified to speak. Never having played the game, we do not know the subtleties of the harm, as claimed by one side, nor the recreative fascination as held by the devotees of the game. To our mind the harm lies in the excess—the gross waste of time, the lack of wit in providing social recreation. Yet in the discussion, excess rather than reason has been the dominant feature. Personalities and slaps at local organizations, which in a town of this size, amounts to personalities, have lowered the dignity of the discussion. Hiding behind a *nom de plume*, the writers have said things for which they would be ashamed to stand as the public sponsor. The anonymous writer has a power for good, but in this discussion he has abused it and made us the ugly victims of his cowardice.

In this card question as in any other, we welcome a discussion on the right and wrong. But with this proviso: if writing any-

mously, discuss it as a general proposition; if aimed at any person or local organization play the man or woman, and sign your name. We are firm believers in citing names, arguing a question, not in generalities but with concrete facts but in so doing fair play demands us to fight in the open.

Discuss Cards or anything else in The Post, your letters are always welcome. But when you call names give yours,—that's all.

PEOPLES' COLUMN

The Homeopathic Hospital Fund

Editor The Post:

People in Newark and vicinity should take an active part in the work of raising a fund of a hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the Homeopathic Hospital in Wilmington. The institution deserves well because of its excellent management, its progressive spirit in maintaining the most scientific system of hospital work and because it is a place where people of this section can be taken when ill and be sure of having a treatment which will include a mild and careful handling of every phase of their bodily ills. The old days when human beings who were sick were treated as though they were made of leather with brass fittings have not wholly passed in many hospitals and though the old school methods are all right for people who prefer them, the maintaining at its highest possible efficiency of a hospital where surgery is performed under the best conditions by doctors belonging to a school of medicine which has long led in surgery and in scientific discovery is of vital importance to the public. We may, any of us, at any moment, have to be taken to some hospital and we ought all to do our best to help maintain a place where we would wish to go if the need arose.

I have had personal acquaintance with the kindly, efficient and enlightened management of the institution and have been impressed strongly with the democratic spirit that prevails there. The poorest and least attractive of patients, the negro and the weaker people who are called fallen, are treated as promptly and efficiently as the paying patients. The hospital needs the improvements badly; any of us may need them if we are unfortunate enough to require hospital care, and we ought to prepare the place when we can for the days when we shall be afraid for ourselves or some one we love and need to be able to feel we have not neglected to do our part for ourselves and for humanity. I hope many in this neighborhood will feel like giving something; each according to his means, for this practical helpfulness.

One Who Is Grateful.

Shop Talk

Vacations are over at The Post. The girls and boys who make the wheels go round at the Shop, here, are all back ready for work again. Mountains, Sea Fishing, Back Home and Sight Seeing are the recreations enjoyed.

Harry Cleaves, better known as plain "Harry"—our pressman, spent his vacation at the printing plant of Norman T. W. Munder in Baltimore. This is one of the model shops in the Country, doing nothing but the highest class of work. At the recent Printers' Exhibition in New York, Mr. Munder's work took all the ribbons in sight. Harry spent a week there, where he had the range of the plant. Inks, half-tone work, color processes and embossing claimed most of his attention. Experiments are now being carried on at our Shop and some day we'll get out something just to show what can be done on our presses.

Mr. Shultz went to Roycroft Shop, East Aurora, met Elbert Hubbard, put up at the Inn and hooked all the Ideas he could from their Printing Plant.

Others went to the Mountains and Seashore—(all except the Devil—he doesn't draw sufficient salary).

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THE POST.

FARM NOTES

With the sudden change in the weather on Sunday followed by slight frost on Tuesday morning, farmers are hustling with their last pickings of tomatoes for the cannery. This week will probably wind up the season's pack.

Most of the corn is cut and considerable wheat already seeded. There is some corn, planted on scarlet clover sod, still a little green. It is thought that this week free from killing frosts will make this crop safe.

Considerable rye is being seeded this fall. There has been great demand for seed. White Bros. of Wilmington bought the crop of 400 bushels from the T. C. duPont Farm and are finding ready sale.

Celery is looking up fine and a good crop will supply the local markets.

Fall sown timothy is looking especially good. Frequent rains and exceptional weather have done much for this planting.

Hay is reckoned scarce and Wilmington stables are bidding high. Refusals of \$22.50 were made by some of our farmers last week.

Pork prices promise about the same as last year. September prices ran about \$14.50 to \$15.00 per hundred. Prices being offered for October and early November killings are 12 cents—with the usual 20 pounds off per cwt.

The wet season this fall has helped the dairy products. Even upland pastures are green. The supply of milk at the creameries exceeds that of this date of previous years. Prices at Newark Creamery now \$1.75 per 100 pounds, 4 per cent test.

Judging from reports, there will not be the usual amount of sweet potatoes in the local market. Late white potatoes promise good crop.

Chestnuts are plentiful; "corn shucks" thick; horses heavy coated—all signs point to a good old winter of days when we were kids and didn't pay the coal bill.

Eggs good price, bringing 45 cents retail on the market in Wilmington. Some Newark garden farmers have trouble disposing of them owing to the new rulings. Farmers are afraid to take a neighbors produce. This will be remedied. It is probably only temporary while the Clerk is ridding the street of squatters.

TO THE FOOTBALL TEAM

Meant For A Word Of Cheer

Sportsmanship first. That's the absolute essential and you Delaware boys have that. A mainly game, a play to win, a hard fight—that's the game. Win? Yes, if you can. But so long as you play the game as you have so far, we should be ashamed of ourselves, as we are of others, if we criticised. If there's any thing that gets on our nerve, it's this: To hear some weak-kneed Silk Stocking who doesn't know a forward pass from a punt, to criticize his own institution, flesh and blood as it were, when they fail to run a score. He can sit back in a car, and curl cigarette smoke heavenward and map out all the tricks to defeat a visiting team. Usually he doesn't know enough about Athletics to know what to say if he stubs his toe—yet he can assume that air *la supreme* and discuss any thing from the size of Ty Cobb's ankle to the proportionate curve of a horse trough which in his youth was his foot tub, used at the week-end.

We like to see a winning team, of course. But the game's the thing and Delaware has a reputation for clean sportsmanship worth a series of touch downs the length of the State.

When we see a game like last Saturday's we feel like saying, "Good boy, you held 'em down. You came near tickin' 'em and didn't. Hard luck, old man. Great game though, go get 'em next Saturday. We are with you."

No Benzine Artist is qualified to criticize, so don't mind him. And any Delaware Boy or Man who cusses the team, playing a clean game,—well, he's no sport and has disqualified himself. He'll never wear the "D" with our vote. Don't mind the silk stockin' critic. He doesn't count. If our support means anything, it's yours. Go get 'em.

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Farm of 160 Acres, one mile South of Kemblesville Pa. Land in good state of cultivation. Good House and Barn. Price Reasonable.

Farm of 115 Acres at Thompson Station, 80 Acres tillable, balance in timber and meadow. Running water at house and barn. Price \$5000—only \$1500 cash necessary. A bargain.

Farm of 106 Acres 2 miles from Newark, 20 Acres in heavy timber, 15 Acres of meadow. Land is rich and good crops raised.

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These trees are all clean, healthy and true to name. Our record for sending out stock true to name and healthy, should be worth something to the prospective orchard planter.

We also have California Privet hedge plants, Pear, Cherry, Shade, English Walnut, Black Walnut, and Chestnut trees, Grape Vines, Currant and Gooseberry plants.

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Seven-room brick house on Prospect avenue. Centrally located, good stable and outbuildings. Price \$2800.

Franklin Township
107 1/2 acres, 2 miles south of West Grove. Ten-room stone mansion, also eight-room frame house. New barn, 40 by 60, strawshed attached. Stabling for thirty head of stock and all necessary outbuildings. Price, \$9000.

160 acre farm, one mile south of Kemblesville. 12-room modern frame house, also tenant house. Brick barn, 50x60, slate roof, strawshed, attached and other outbuildings. 20 acres young timber, 20 acres fine meadow. Plenty of all kinds of fruit, land level and the making of a fine farm. Price, \$12,000.

Nice little farm of 20 acres in Franklin township, four miles south of West Grove. Good seven-room house with water at door. Frame barn with stabling for 12 head with never failing siphoned water supply. All in first-class order. Price, \$2750.

Eight-room brick house in Strickersville. Fine location for a doctor or individual business. About one acre of land, well set in fruit trees, also English walnut trees. Barn for stabling three horses. A price. Up-to-date home cheap. Price, \$2250.

London Grove Township
Nice little farm, 2 miles north of West Grove, 1 mile from Chatham, containing 56 acres, seven room brick house, stabling for 10 head of stock. Good well of water at house and barn. One acre asparagus and fruit of all kinds. \$3200.

Avondale
House, lot and stable. 10-room brick house on Pennsylvania avenue. Water supplied by bore. Stable for three carriages, small chicken house. Price \$3000

West Fallowfield Township
42 acres, 6 miles north of Elkview. Four acres meadow, 4 acres timber. All kinds of fruit. 7-room stone and frame house with cistern for water. Barn 40x50 for ten animals and other necessary outbuildings. Price, \$2500.

London Britain Township
100 acres, 1 1/4 miles west of Landenberg, P. R. R. and E. & O., 10-room frame house, slate roof, hydraulic ram supplies water at both house and barn; double decker barn, 40x60, for 13 head of stock; 10 acres meadow, six acres timber; all necessary outbuildings and plenty of fruit; rather hilly but good quality of land. Price, \$3250.

Delaware
The J. T. Johnson property, containing about 114 acres mostly in White Clay Creek Hundred. Two sets of farm houses and barn to stable 25 head of stock, one mile from Thompson Station on the Pomeroy and Newark Railroad and 3 miles from Newark, Delaware. It is well watered and would make a fine dairy farm. \$8000.

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HOUSE TO RENT—Six rooms and bath. All modern conveniences. Apply 10-S.4t Mrs. TILLIE THOMAS

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Three rooms, furnished for light housekeeping for two. Address 8-20.1 Newark Post.

ESTATE of Robert Armstrong, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Robert Armstrong, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Rachel Jane Armstrong and Robert L. Armstrong on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1913 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administrators within delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrators on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1914, or abide by the law in this behalf.
CHARLES B. EVANS, Esq., Atty.
RACHEL JANE ARMSTRONG, ROBERT L. ARMSTRONG, Administrators.

ESTATE of Tamer McCormick, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Tamer McCormick, late of Mill Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Joseph W. McCormick and Harry M. McCormick on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1913 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executors within delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executors on or before the 15th day of September, A. D. 1914, or abide by the law in this behalf.
Address
J. HARVEY WHITEMAN, Esq., Attorney-at-Law, Wilmington, Del.
JOSEPH W. MCCORMICK, HARRY M. MCCORMICK, Executors.
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PERSONALS

Professor and Mrs. Charles L. Penny arrived in New York on Friday morning on board the Lusitania of the Cunard Line, on their way home after spending the summer in Europe.

G. W. Bickling and family leave this week for Washington, D. C. where Mr. Bickling has accepted a government position.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Murray returned Friday after a stay at Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vought have returned after a visit with relatives in New York State.

Mrs. C. B. Williams of Ocean View, Delaware, is visiting relatives in Pender Handed.

Mr. G. L. Medill of Brandywine Hundred spent Sunday with his parents in Newark.

Mr. Nicholas Johnson of Farmington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright.

Mrs. Hill of Philadelphia was the recent guest of Miss Jean Long-fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Osmond have returned after a three weeks' vacation spent in Harrisburg, York, Columbia, and Collingswood.

Mrs. Jacob Frick of Wooster, Ohio, and Louis A. Rutter of New York spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Kierski.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Evans returned from a ten days' trip to Boston, Mass., the first of the week, where Mr. Evans attended the Bankers' Convention in session there.

Mr. R. A. Whittingham left on Monday for Pittsburgh, Pa., where the annual inspection of the P. R. R. officials, over the lines east, started on Tuesday morning.

Richard R. Whittingham leaves on Thursday for a trip, including New York, Boston and Waltham, Mass.

SCHOOL NOTES

Zelma Dixon spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents at McClellandville. Daniel Duhamel spent the week-end in the country.

Pupils of the Fifth Grade have started to work for a library. About two dozen books have been secured.

Several pupils have been chestnut during the past week. Harry Shannon reported ten quarts gathered.

Anna League spent the week-end with friends in Baltimore.

Alice Leck visited Wilmington last Friday.

The pupils of Sixth Grade are much pleased with the new clock that has been recently placed in their room; also a set of maps.

Many pupils of Sixth Grade have enjoyed chestnut hunts during the past week.

Sarah Mousley is confined to her home with typhoid fever. We extend to her our best wishes for her early recovery.

Miss Margaret Davis spent the week-end with Miss Patience Thompson.

Miss Patience Thompson spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James, near Newark.

Misses Annie and Sarah Wilson and Edna Green visited Miss Elizabeth Jarmon on Sunday.

We are very sorry to report that Paul Gregg, who has been ill for some time with quinsy has not yet returned to school.

Master Carl Riley suffered with a very sore hand last week, the result of striking it.

An attempt is being made by the Eighth Grade to memorize a number of valuable quotations. They are favorite selections of Dr. F. H. Green of West Chester, Pa.

Miss Emily Scott entertained her cousin, Miss Marion Negen-dank of Mount Chanin, on Sunday.

KEMBLESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Kennedy spent the past week in West Chester, Pa., visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mary Blackburn, who has been suffering with a gathered jaw is feeling better.

Mrs. Addie Magoon has been seriously ill with heart trouble.

Mr. C. T. Richards and family accompanied by Miss Isabel Steele left town on Friday morning for a three days' automobile trip, during which time they travelled four hundred miles and visited the points of interest in Lancaster, Columbia, York, Gettysburg, Frederick and Washington, returning home by way of Baltimore and Wilmington.

Don't forget the "Pound Society" in Willard's Hall, Thursday evening, October 16. Everyone welcome. Please bring a pound of anything you wish, to be sold at auction for benefit of the church.

Miss Lizzie Parker and her mother, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with friends here.

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dempsey entertained on Sunday the following guests: Mrs. Laura Jones of Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cross-land and children, Beatrice and Mabelle of Salem, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dempsey of Mermaid; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Johnston and daughter Madeline of Milltown; and Miss Elizabeth Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. David Eastburn and son Rodney of Red Mills were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Thomas Moore and family.

Mr. E. H. Buckingham and family were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Florence Hendrickson of near Stanton.

Mr. Lewis Fell and family of Wilmington were recent guests of his brother, Mr. Wilmer Fell and wife.

Messrs. Thomas Moore and Abram Dennison witnessed the Athletics-New York base ball game in Philadelphia on Friday.

Miss Sara Mousley, who has been ill with typhoid fever for some time is slightly improved at this writing.

Miss Elva Dempsey is spending the week with relatives in Salem, N. J.

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Interesting entertainment will be furnished by the boys of the organization.

Miss Helen Thompson has returned after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Francis Pyle, George School.

Miss Louisa Swayne of Fairville spent the week-end with Miss Ellen Mitchell.

Miss Edna Staats spent the recent week-end at her home near Smyrna, Delaware.

Boquets For Wilmington

The following is taken from the current issue of the Chester, Pa. Board of Trade Bulletin:

Wilmington has many things of which to be proud—her Hotel Du Pont, her proposed Municipal Building, her large industries and her healthy size. In these and many other things Wilmington is far ahead of Chester, and we freely praise her; but when it comes right down to the spirit of enterprise, "push-and-get-there," and enthusiastic determination to expand and actually be the greatest little old Garden of Eden in the industrial and manufacturing world, Chester has it laid over her in much the same proportions as a hurricane to a zephyr.

Elegance, health, wealth and size are beautiful virtues for Wilmington to have but greater than these is the determination to be more than that—and that is what Chester—to a man—has.

We congratulate the Mercantile Association of Wilmington. Under the able guidance of its progressive directorate it is conducting a membership campaign which should be productive of splendid results. Howell S. England is actively furthering the efforts of the Mercantile Association and great things no doubt are to be expected of it.

Instead of many small business men's associations such as we have in Chester we need an aggressive mercantile association such as they have in Wilmington.

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Education Compared To The Measles

"Education, like the measles, is contagious," is the way State Commissioner of Education C. N. Kendall put the subject of community responsibility for good schools to a big audience at the recent opening of the fine, modern schoolhouse at Hampton. Several communities have opposed the state department's heroic methods of procuring better school facilities in the rural districts, and the commissioner took the opportunity to preach his hearers a little sermon to the effect that the success of any public institution of learning does not rest entirely with the teachers and the school board.

"A good schoolhouse does not necessarily make a fine school," he said. A good schoolhouse may have a ventilating system, proper heating, good light, fine seats, etc., but a good school is made by the attitude of the men and women of the community, and especially the attitude of the fathers and mothers in relation to the school. The public schools have done much, but cannot do everything for the young people. There are others who share with the teachers in the welfare of the pupils. No parent can escape his or her obligation; the responsibility rests principally upon the home. Too many parents feel that the whole thing can be handed over to the teachers."

Touching on the new field of practical trades and agricultural education in the public schools, he said: "No school in New Jersey is worthy its name unless it trains the boys and girls how to work; unless it trains them into a seriousness of life. I hope as time goes on that you may develop right here on this magnificent hill courses in industrial education and courses in agriculture, so that these boys and girls, as a result of their school life, shall see that right here in Hunterdon county is the finest place on earth for them to live. We especially need farming courses in our schools. One of the most essential things in our American life today is to teach our boys to make proper use of the land."

An Argument For Vocational Schools

There are two million children, between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, out of school in this country. Recent investigations indicate that not more than half of these are at work at any one time, or were forced to leave school through economic pressure. The other half are idle. Practically all left school because the schools did not hold their interest. School has become distasteful to them and their parents had tired of insisting on their attendance.

Colleges Flourishing

Reports from the large colleges and universities show a very large enrollment of new students and the number is increasing each year. All the state institutions are said to be crowded, and the entrance requirements are being advanced in the hope of checking the flow of young men who are demanding opportunities for a higher education, the need of which is more generally recognized today than ever before.

It is probable that the increase in the number of students more than keeps pace with the growth of population, but this may be explained in many ways. The country is growing richer, the young men are becoming more ambitious, but the real reason for the increase in the students is that the colleges and universities have greatly widened their field. Not so many years ago the majority of young men seeking a higher education had in mind following the law, medicine or the ministry as a profession and the colleges catered to their wants the courses being limited, the classical predominating, with a so-called scientific course which was subordinate and secondary.

All this has changed. It is not an important college that does not have half a dozen courses, that is without a technical department, and in most of them, even in those where the classical studies formerly held undisputed leadership, the number of technical students far exceeds the classical.

Many young men ambitious for business careers now go to colleges. The modern institution is trying to meet the demands of modern life.

Beautiful specimens of the closed garden have been found during the past week in woods near town. The blossoms shade from light blue to purple loveliness and fully repay the nature lover for a long ramble in search of its hiding place. Its haunts are moist shaded places. The plant is a vigorous one, with stout stems and leaves that bronze as the days advance. The blossoms are firmly closed as though to protect the delicate reproductive or-

gans within from the pranks of Jack Frost in the late autumn days. The opinions as to the shade or color of the gentian are as varied as those remarkable individual reports of the size of the moon, for the plants which bloom in the sunlight produce flowers of a deeper hue than those blossoming in the shade. Thoreau calls them a "transcendent blue," "a splendid blue, light in the shade, turning to purple with age." Mr. Burroughs also finds them "intensely blue."

The fringed gentian which grows in moist meadows, and lingers late into November, has not been reported in this locality during the present year.

**Illustrated Lecture
In M. E. Church**

The Anti-Saloon League announces that it has secured Hon. John G. Woolley to speak at the M. E. Church, Newark, Friday evening, October 17th.

Mr. Woolley has been for a score of years the leader in temperance thought in America. At one time he was candidate for President on the Prohibition ticket in the days when that party was the only political power fighting the Liquor Traffic.

Mr. Woolley was at one time superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of the Hawaiian Islands, and later, to bridge over an emergency, was superintendent of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon League. Although well known by his platform work and writings among temperance workers in all parts of the world, Mr. Woolley so far as can now be ascertained has never spoken in Wilmington.

In his trip to Delaware, he will speak at Georgetown on Tuesday night, October 14th, in Wesley M. E. Church of that town. On Friday night, October 17th, he will speak at a mass meeting in Newark M. E. Church; on October 19th, at an afternoon mass meeting at the Majestic Theatre in Wilmington, and at night in the M. E. Church at New Castle.

When asked if Mr. Woolley would launch a campaign for state-wide prohibition for Delaware, Mr. Poole, superintendent of the Delaware League, said, "I shall leave that question for the people of this state to settle. However, one thing is certain, if the liquor interests outside of this state, in Philadelphia and Baltimore, keep meddling with Delaware politics and laws, it is a very brief time before they will find the people of Delaware adopting state-wide prohibition as the only method of relief."

Illustrated Lecture This Evening

"The Other Fellow, Who is He?" is the subject of an illustrated lecture to be given in Glasgow M. E. Church this evening, October 15th at 8 o'clock. An admission of 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children will be charged. Proceeds for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Catechism For Sewing School

What two things are necessary when you sit down to sew?
Clean hands and clean nails.
What articles do you need?
Needle, thread, thimble, scissors and emery.

How many kinds of stitches are there in plain sewing?
Seven.

What are they?
Overhanding, running, hemming, backstitching, gathering, overcasting, buttonhole.

What number thread do you use in ordinary plain sewing?
Number 50.

What number needle?
Number 8.

What number thread in making ordinary buttonholes.
Number 40.

How long thread do you use in your needle?
As long as from the middle finger to the elbow.

In threading a needle which end of the thread do you use?
The end that comes first from the spool.

What is the rule about a knot?
One simple rule must never be forgot.

Hide like a secret each little knot Of what use is emery?
To make the needle run easier.

In what direction should you sew?
From the right hand toward the left hand.

What is the rule for holding the work?
Work to the eyes, not eyes to the work.

—Woman's Home Companion.

Newark Train Schedules

BALTIMORE & OHIO

Eastbound—week days: a. m., 7.20, 9.17, 10.25; p. m., 1.08, 4.23, 5.50, 6.53, 8.17, 10.17; Sundays: a. m., 6.53, 9.17, 10.25; p. m., 1.08, 3.11, 4.04, 7.20, 8.17, 10.17.

Westbound—week days: a. m., 12.23, 5.19, 7.02, 8.41, 8.52; p. m., 1.29, 2.33, 3.39, 6.12, 9.26; Sundays: a. m., 12.23, 5.19, 9.19; p. m., 1.29, 2.33, 6.22, 9.26.

*Express trains.

PENNSYLVANIA

Northbound—week days: a. m., 1.59, 5.59, 7.41, 8.33, 11.13; p. m., 12.21, 3.04, 4.34, 5.46, 8.49; Sundays: a. m., 1.59, 8.33, 11.38; p. m., 2.47, 4.34, 5.46, 8.49.

Southbound—week days: a. m., 12.35, 8.05, 10.04, 10.31, 11.26; p. m., 12.02, 3.04, 4.54, 5.34, 6.35, 7.04; Sundays: a. m., 12.35, 8.19, 9.24, 11.26; p. m., 12.02, 5.34, 6.29, 8.28.

*Express trains.

Newark Center trains for Philadelphia—week days: a. m., 7.30; p. m., 12.10. Arrive from Philadelphia: a. m., 8.08; p. m., 7.14.

Delaware City trains leave: a. m., 8.33; p. m., 12.04, 4.48, 5.47. Arrive: a. m., 8.28, 10.04, 11.11; p. m., 5.25.

NOTICE!

To the Taxpayers of NEW CASTLE HUNDRED

The Taxpayers of New Castle Hundred are hereby notified that I will be at the following places to receive County, Poor, Road, Capitation and Dog Taxes, for the Year 1913.

NEW CASTLE, MAYOR'S OFFICE
Mondays, July 28, August 11, 25, September 15, 29, October 13, 27, and November 10, 24.
Hours 10 to 12 a. m.

BEAR STATION, GEO. E. DAVIS' STORE
Tuesdays, July 29, August 20, September 23, October 28, and November 25.
Hours 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

RED LION, WILLIAM F. SILVER'S STORE
Mondays, September 22, October 20 and November 17.
Hours 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

WILMINGTON, COURT HOUSE
Saturdays, August 23, September 27, October 25, and November 29.
Hours 10 to 12 a. m.

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EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED:

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

JOHN E. TAYLOR,
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COOCHES BRIDGE.
July 28, August 20, 1 to 2 p. m.; September 23, October 21, November 18, December 16, 9 to 12 a. m.

GLASGOW.
July 28, 2.30 to 4 p. m.; August 20, 1 to 4 p. m.; September 23, October 21, November 18, December 16, 1 to 4 p. m.

SUMMITT BRIDGE.
July 30, August 21, 9 to 11 a. m.; September 25, October 22, November 20, December 17, 9 to 12 a. m.

KIRKWOOD.
September 25, November 20, December 17, 2 to 4 p. m.

AT HOME, SUMMITT BRIDGE
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HARDWARE

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LIVERY

C. W. Straborn
Alfred Stiltz

LUMBER

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Faculty Arts And Science Club Organized

After several preliminary meetings at the homes of various Professors, the members of the Delaware College Faculty who teach Arts and Science subjects organized the Arts and Science Club on Friday evening, October 10. The object of the club is first, to promote sociability among the members of the department and between professors and students; second, to improve the efficiency of the Arts and Science course; and third, to further the general welfare of the college. A permanent organization was effected with the appointment of a steering committee consisting of Professors Short, E. L. Smith, Syphard and Vaughan. The duty of this committee is to direct in general all the activities of the club.

Among possible activities of the organization may be mentioned the securing annually a number of men prominent in business and professional life to lecture to the students on subjects closely related to the work of the department; a course of lectures annually by members of the department looking toward the unification or co-ordination of knowledge within the circle of subjects comprised in the Arts and Science department; the giving greater publicity to matters connected with the work of the department which would be of general interest to the people of the State; monthly discussions in the club of literary, historical, scientific, philosophical, and educational subjects. The club will meet once a month or oftener at the homes of the various members.

The members of the Faculty who are eligible to membership are: President George A. Harter; Professors Elisha Conover, E. L. Smith, C. O. Houghton, W. O. Syphard, C. A. Short, W. J. Rowan, C. L. Penny, E. V. Vaughn, R. C. Reed, Assistant Professor H. E. Tiffany, and Instructors G. E. Dutton and H. K. Preston.

Delaware Graduate Goes To New York

William H. Conner, A. B., Class of '00, who is a member of the Delaware Bar and well-known in this section, left his home in Peneader Hundred Monday to become a student of the Rand School of Social Science, East 19th street, New York. Mr. Conner will take a course of one year in social science, preparing himself for organizing, writing and speaking work for the Socialist party, to which he will hereafter devote his time. The school was founded by the Socialists for this work and has many hundreds of non-resident students and a well-organized college for resident students in departments of political, industrial and social philosophy and history. Mr. Conner, who has often written very interestingly for these columns, has many friends in this vicinity and in Wilmington where he practised law for some time, and we are among those who wish him all kinds of good fortune.

Interscholastic Field Meet

At a meeting of the Athletic Council of Delaware College, held last evening, the committee appointed to consider the advisability of an interscholastic field meet, reported the plan a feasible one. The committee was instructed by the Council to proceed with plans for the event to be held some time during May, 1914. Invitations will be issued to schools of Delaware and neighboring states. Two classes of entries will be provided, such schools as Tome, Wilmington High, Friends, West Chester High, etc. coming under class A, and the small high schools in Class B.

Neither Team Scores In Football Game

In a well-played game on Joe Frazer Field last Saturday Delaware held the boys from Pennsylvania Military College of Chester to a tie. The home team outplayed the visitors in the first half, but owing to errors in judgement in using the forward pass, were unable to score throughout the game.

The line-up:
Delaware P. M. C.
Groff, L. E. Baynton
Carswell, L. T. Ringle

Lenderman, L. G. Whitaker
Dean
Loomis, C. Cramp
Foster, R. G. Shuldy
Wright
Pepper, R. T. Coseo
Cann, R. E. Swallow
Huston, Q. B. Campbell
Doherty, 1st H. B. Reed
Taylor, 2d H. B. Frick
Handy, F. B. Broski
Milbourne.

Time of periods, two of 12 minutes, two of 10; head linesman Koerber, Lafayette; umpire, Ayres; referee, Klineman; substitutions: Delaware, Dean for Lenderman; P. M. C., Wright for Shuldy, Milbourne for Broski.

The game next Saturday will be with Temple University on the home grounds.

Boy Scouts To Give Benefit

A benefit performance will be given by Newark Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, Tuesday evening, October 28, in the Newark Opera House. Special pictures will be shown. Admission, ten cents.

Newark Boy Scouts have purchased a fine Spalding basketball, the same as is used by leading colleges and athletic organizations. A first and second team will be chosen from the Troop and a number of games will be played during the fall and winter. It is hoped to develop a good team to meet Scout teams from other towns.

Lecture And Moving Pictures

White Clay Camp, No. 5, Woodmen of the World, will give a moving picture benefit in Central Hall.

Saturday evening, October 18. There will also be an address by Mr. Fitzgerald of Omaha, Nebraska. First show at 7.30. No children under sixteen years of age will be admitted unless accompanied by their parents. Adults, free.

Help Pay For Band Stand

Bear in mind the Minnehaha Band will give a Motion Picture Benefit on Thursday night, October 16th, in the Opera House. This is to assist them in paying for their Band Stand recently erected on the Academy Grounds, and it is hoped the townspeople will lend a helping hand at this time when it is greatly needed for this benefit. Tickets can be purchased from any of the band members or at the box office on Thursday night. There will be five reels, and a good singer from Philadelphia has been engaged for this night. Let all that can turn out on Thursday night. Do so in order to swell the receipts. Admission, 10 cents to all.—Adv.

Prof. Hayward has been invited to discuss the question of Economic Dairy Feeding at the meeting of the N. J. State Board of Agriculture at Trenton in December.

A number of the other cows are being started on official test, and it is expected that they will make creditable records during the year.

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These with a personal or two run in with foot ease and Butt's pills and things that babies and most editors cry for: perhaps an item that "Ike Jones has come out with his buggy newly painted. Congratulations, Ike," or "Miss Sallye Smythe has announced her intention to appear at Hymen's Bower sometime during the coming fall. A good catch, Sam, but there's many a slip between cup—etc." These, with an editorial begging subscribers to support the home paper, a word on foreign missions and announcement of weekly prayer meeting and the ever present oyster supper make up the usual country weekly.

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