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AVERAGE PERIOD COMES TO CLOSE

1936 REVIEW GIVES STORY EVENTS HERE

Grade Crossing Elimination and Political Upheaval Placed at Top

BUSINESS ON UPGRADE

Many Personnel Changes Are Noted During Year; Death Takes Accident Toll

The first step in what is hoped will be the eventual elimination of all grade crossing in Newark, and the decisive political upheaval that shunted a heretofore powerful Republican machine into the discard were the outstanding developments of a crowded 1936, according to the files of THE NEWARK POST.

People here ran the gamut of emotions, enjoyed the fruits of well expended efforts, suffered the pangs of sudden tragedy, saw conditions improve and others decline, much in keeping with an average American community living a not generally unusual 12-month span.

Changes Are Noted

With the November election in Delaware bringing wholesale changes in both the state and county personnel, a general shake-up was made in the list of town employees following the local election in April. Many other changes in personnel by business enterprises in Newark and vicinity were made during the year.

The tragic death of Fred White, Wilmington, who was a sophomore at the University of Delaware, topped the list of accidents in the vicinity. He was killed early in October when his car struck a tree on West Main street. Leonard Yerger, a classmate, suffered serious injuries in the same crash but lived.

"Dog Fight" Dies

Threatened legal action against Deputy Game Warden William Wideman, who was charged with supervising the improper burial of a stray canine, which he had killed near the milk shed at "Oaklands," was dropped by Mike Elizabeth E. Wilson, co-owner, when the case was slated for trial before the Court of Common Pleas in May.

Charges against Wideman followed the finding of numerous dogs' bodies in White Clay Creek, where youngsters were discovered swimming in pools infected by decayed remains. (Continued on Page 7)

Famous Iowa Art Developer Comes Here in January

Grant Wood, the famous Iowa artist, will be the guest speaker on the next University Hour program to be held in Mitchell Hall on Thursday evening, January 7. He will speak on "Regional Art," a phase of art which he has done more than perhaps any other American artist to develop.

Grant Wood's reputation as one of the great American artists of today became established only recently at the Chicago Century of Progress, where his first pictures were exhibited.

Famous Overnight

His "American Gothic" made him famous almost overnight, and his "Daughters of Revolution," "Fall Ploughing," "Arbor Day," and "Dinner for Threshers" have attracted wide attention because of their realistic representation of the spirit of certain aspects of American life.

Strangely enough, Mr. Wood began his art career making fifteen minute sketches of doughboys and officers in the trenches during the World War, in which he served as a private.

Grant Wood is the fourth representative of the field of art to appear on the University Hour Programs in recent years. The other three were Rockwell Kent, Bruce Bairnsfather, the cartoonist, and the late Loreda Taft, the sculptor.

Meanest Thief?

A candidate for the unsavory title "meanest thief of the Christmas season" filed his claim on the evening of December 24 by stealing lights from a beautifully decorated tree at Seydell's Service Station, E. Main Street, at Newark Center.

While civic minded individuals and groups were bemoaning the too few decorations on the main thoroughfare, the thief made off with his petty loot.

Police are keeping a figurative ear to the ground in a forlorn hope of apprehending the culprit.

WATCHMEN HERE WILL BE SHIFTED

Arthur McMullen On Duty For 12 Years To Go To Unknown Post

When the new over-head bridge spanning the Pennsylvania Railroad crossing on South College Avenue is opened for use today at ten o'clock, Arthur McMullen, a Perryville native, who has been employed as watchman between the hours of 7 a. m. and 3 p. m. every day for the last twelve years, will be transferred.

During this long period of years, only one accident has happened while the veteran gatekeeper was on watch and this came about, not through negligence on the part of McMullen, but the stupidity of a driver who crashed through the gates after begging to have the barriers raised.

Work Difficult

Work at the crossing is especially difficult due to the fact that there are no bells or light signals to warn of approaching trains. This must be detected by the watchman, and an unceasing vigil is constantly necessary. Mr. McMullen has had drivers shout at him in anger and once a man attempted to raise the gates, in an effort to avoid a few minutes delay.

"It's a thankless job," he said, "even though I carry every life across these tracks while I'm on duty and the people know it."

"We've had no warning of approaching trains," he added. "We have to be on the lookout all the time and that isn't an easy job when the day is overcast."

Mr. McMullen does not know where his next post will be, but it is certain, since the bridge will be ready for use today, that a shift will be made in a short time.

Mike Saffery, of Elkton, who has been on the morning shift for over a year and John Russell, of Newark, on the evening shift for the past few months, will also be assigned to different posts.

Oglethorpe Woman Found Drowned In Christiana

Three-quarters of an hour after she had disappeared from the home of her mother at 1349 Chestnut St., Wilmington, the body of Mrs. Samuel Lane, 31 years of age, of near Oglethorpe, was found in the Christiana River near Third Street bridge Thursday, December 24.

According to relatives, the woman had been depressed for some time and she left her mother's home without indicating where she was going.

Forty-five minutes later she was seen floating in the river by Clayton Richardson, a Sun Oil Company watchman near the bridge. Richardson notified police who removed the body from the water.

Funeral services were held from the Jones Funeral Home on Tuesday afternoon, December 29, at 2 o'clock. The body was interred at Lombardy Cemetery.

LEAVES FOR FLORIDA

Albert A. Curtis, retired paper manufacturer of 189 W. Main Street, and his attendant, George Neighbors, departed on Tuesday for an extended stay at West Palm Beach, Florida.

WASTE TAKEN FOR SUBJECT BY ENGINEER

Du Pont Expert Reveals Much of Interest in Talk To Lions Club

ARMSTRONG LENDS AID

One of the largest gatherings in recent weeks was on hand for the meeting of the Newark Lions Club at the Deer Park Hotel Tuesday evening to hear Robert W. Phillips, salvage engineer employed by the E. I. du Pont de Nemours Company, speak on the "Romance of Wastes."

The speaker was assisted by Robert Armstrong, Newark resident who is connected with the advertising department of the same concern. Joseph McVey, president, officiated at the meeting, which was under the direction of Louis Handloff, chairman.

Wastes In Industry

In discussing the salvage engineer's place in industry, Mr. Phillips pointed out that supplies of raw materials would soon be exhausted were it not for the development of chemical processes whereby basic matter is constantly being reclaimed for use and re-use.

"Wastes of today are profits of tomorrow," he cited in revealing interesting figures concerning the annual production of iron, copper, lead and other common products. "The utilization of scrap is necessary to preserve natural resources," he added.

Displays Products

Giving a brief insight into how many standard articles now marketed are made from reclaimed material, Mr. Phillips displayed a varied collection of products in everyday use.

Included in the exhibit were baking powder, cold cream, alcohol, household cement, finishes for furniture and automobiles, toothbrush handles and bristles, umbrella handles, canes, fountain pen barrels, paint brushes, daubers and paste brushes.

He also revealed that there are 20,000 waste material dealers in the United States doing an annual business of \$1,750,000,000.

Pictures Are Shown

Mr. Armstrong presented two sound films produced for the duPont company. The first picture entitled, "The Wonder World of Chemistry," dealt with the vast resources and manufacturing facilities necessary to produce the manifold commodities marketed by the sponsoring concern. (Continued on Page 8)

Million Unit Fellowship Movement To Be Marked By Methodists in Delaware

Dr. E. Stanley Jones, India missionary leader, evangelist and author, who will speak at a mass meeting of Methodists of this area in the Union Methodist Episcopal Church, Wilmington, on Monday evening, January 4, under the auspices of the church's Million Unit Fellowship Movement, is the head of two important Indian-style religious schools.

They are "ashrams," located in the City of Lucknow, and in Sat Tal, the latter a summer resort high in the Himalaya Mountains.

Schools Centuries Old

For many centuries, India's "holy men" and religious leaders, many of them Hindu and Buddhist scholars, have set up "ashrams," where students have been attracted because of the leader's piety or learning. The poet Tagore and others have had such private schools.

Dr. Jones has taken this Indian institution and adapted it for Christian instruction, meditation and rest. The summer ashram at Sat Tal has been in existence a decade, and has drawn scores of Indian students—Christian and non-Christian—to its simple daily routine. A number of missionaries of various denominations have absorbed its spirit of freedom of speech, and of inter-change of ideals and of fellowship. Bible study, a study of other faiths, and a study of the Christian motive and message are part of the program.

Newspaper Articles

The Lucknow ashram is rather closely associated with Lucknow Christian College and with the government school, Lucknow University. A Methodist missionary, Dr. J. Holmes Smith, heads the ashram during Dr. Jones' absence in America,

PURDUE FARM EXPERT HERE FOR EXHIBIT

Ex-Leader of County Agents Returns to Delaware for State Crop Show

INCLUDE 3 NEW CROPS

M. O. Pence, extension agronomist at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., who was formerly county agent leader in Delaware, will judge the crop entries at the annual exhibit of the Delaware Crop Improvement Association in Greenwood, January 7, 8, and 9, it has been announced by G. L. Schuster, professor of agronomy at the University of Delaware, who is secretary of the association.

Pence, who was secretary of the Delaware Crop Improvement Association prior to January, 1925, left Delaware for Indiana that year. Besides being secretary of the association, he was extension agronomist at the University of Delaware and was well known throughout the state for his knowledge of farm management. Since leaving Delaware, he has become popular among the farmers of Indiana and has become an authority on corn growing.

Entries Still Open

The exhibit, this year will be held in the Community Building, Greenwood. Entries will be received up to two o'clock, Thursday afternoon, January 7, the day the exhibit opens. Judging will take place the first day or two and the awards will be made by Saturday, January 9, according to Schuster.

Three new crops have a place in the exhibit this year. Red clover and Korean lespedeza seed have been included for the first time in the class for peck samples of small grains and forage in the sheaf.

Out-of-State Corn

Other classes include one for corn grown and shown by residents of Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, or New Jersey; single ear and ten ear samples of corn grown in Delaware and exhibited by Delawareans including a class for exhibitors between the ages of 10 and 20 years; a class for sweet potatoes, one for white potatoes, and the championship classes.

In formation concerning entries for the exhibit and premium lists may be obtained from agricultural agents or by writing to G. L. Schuster, secretary, Delaware Crop Improvement Association, University of Delaware, Newark.

INSURANCE BILL GIVEN SETBACK

CROP SHOW JUDGE



M. O. PENCE

Former leader of county agents in Delaware who is now extension agronomist at Purdue University, Mr. Pence will judge the entries at the annual exhibit of the Delaware Crop Improvement Association at Greenwood next week.

COLORED LIGHTS BEAUTIFY HOMES

Many Christmas Decorations May Be Seen Adorning Newark Residences

Christmas cheer continues to glow from the lawns of many Newark homes this week as multi-colored electric light decorations of doorways, trees and bushes in front of homes make an impressive sight that delights motorists and pedestrians.

One of the most striking homes is that of Miss Mary E. Wright, 235 Orchard Road, whose residence is attractively lighted with a candle in every window, giving an unusual effect. One small tree decorates the yard.

Much the same effect is made by a similar illuminating arrangement at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hollingsworth, 182 Orchard Road.

Other Attractive Homes

Other attractive decorations may be seen at the homes of Mrs. E. B. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright, both of Kentway and Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Heim, on Orchard Road. A beautiful tree is lighted in the yard of A. Franklin Fader, 287 W. Main Street.

Other attractive Christmas decorations may be seen at the Academy Building, the Aetna House, Hook and Ladder Company and the Newark Country Club.

The most striking place of business is the showroom of the Fader Motor Company.

Decorations extend into the Negro colony where the home of Matthew Johnson, New London Avenue, is particularly outstanding.

While there are many illuminated trees, the lighted doorways seem to have become more popular in Newark this year. Along Orchard Road, especially, almost every home has the gaily decorated threshold.

Ferris School Head To Speak Here Next Monday

Rev. Ralph Minker, superintendent of the Ferris Industrial School, will be the speaker on the opening program of the Newark New Century Club's 1937 schedule.

The meeting will take place on Monday afternoon, January 4, and will be under the direction of Mr. J. Fenton Daugherty, chairwoman for the day.

Town Council To Redeem 1927 Bonds on February 1

Bonds, numbered from twenty-one to fifty, inclusive, issued April 25, 1927, under the authority of an act of the General Assembly, will be redeemed on February 1, 1937, according to an announcement made this week by Mayor Frank Collins.

Payment will be made at the Farmers Trust Company, Newark, on this date. Interest on these bonds will stop on February 1, 1937.

ASSEMBLY IN PARTY FIGHT FOR CONTROL

Senate Amendment Killed By House; Deadline Nears As Squabble Continues

BOTH BODIES ADJOURN

Party Leaders Charge Rival Groups with "Playing Politics; Jobs Issue

Scant hope was held for adoption of an unemployment insurance bill by the special session of the General Assembly at Dover last night as the Senate and House deadlocked over the proposed legislation.

With the deadline for the delivery of the bill in Washington set for Thursday morning and the Senate adjourned until noon the same day, little chance exists that a commission will be created in time to meet the requirements of the national act.

Instructions were originally issued to have the bill in Washington by Wednesday morning, but an extension was granted when partisan differences at Dover were indicated on Monday.

Squabble Over Control

The House by a strictly party vote defeated the bill passed by the Senate Monday, and the Senate also by a partisan vote defeated the bill passed Tuesday by the House.

Both branches then adjourned, the House until Wednesday morning and the Senate until Thursday noon.

Controlled by Democrats, the House bill calls for five members of the commission, Governor Buck to name two of them and Governor-elect McMullen to name two after he takes office.

As Governor, Mr. McMullen would automatically be a member of the body under the House bill. The Senate bill, on the other hand, provides for the appointment of a commission of three members to be named by Governor Buck.

Agree to Amendment

The Senate agreed to accept an amendment to make the commission (Continued on Page 8)

Rare Chandelier Is Hung In Room At College Inn

The rarest fixture ever to be placed in a Newark public dining house and one of the most beautiful crystal chandeliers in the country, was recently hung in the large dining room of the College Inn by the proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burke.

According to Mrs. Burke, who bought the relic in 1916 during a private auction at the home of Forrest Booth in Philadelphia, it was one of seven brought over from France by Lafayette and presented to the members of Washington's cabinet. The one now reposing at the College Inn was a gift to John Morris, eminent financier of that day, and was then passed on through the Morris family to the actor.

Three Feet Wide

Measuring four and one-half feet in length and three feet in width, it contains over 1000 pieces of French crystal, a type which never has been made in the United States. Mrs. Burke has replaced the candles which were a part of the chandelier with twelve electric bulbs.

From the base of the fixture are hung forty bar chains with every fourth one being a diamond crystal arrangement while from each bulb is hung a bobache with an alternation of crystal pencil points and teardrops.

Five rows of spearheads, increasing in diameter, are hung from the center of the crystal masterpiece.

With each piece of crystal acting as a prism, light shining upon the fixture creates all the colors of the rainbow and adds beauty and grandeur to the room.

According to Mrs. Burke, two more of the original Lafayette fixtures are now in Convention Hall, Philadelphia.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST,
Dean of the Moody Bible Institute
of Chicago.
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Lesson for January 3

THE SON OF GOD BECOMES MAN

LESSON TEXT—John 1:1-18.
GOLDEN TEXT—And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. John 1:14.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus' Home.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Boyhood of Jesus.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—God Coming to Us in Jesus.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Fact and Purpose of the Incarnation.

The opening of a new year always brings with it a sense of solemn responsibility for one's life and service, and at the same time a thrilling expectancy. No better way can be found to begin this year of our Lord, 1937, than in the study of God's Word, not only by ourselves, but in the fellowship of others in the church and Sunday school.

The series of lessons outlined for the year gives us the eagerly apprehended opportunity of studying during the first three months the Gospel of John. Space does not permit of a suitable introduction to that study here, but we trust that no one will fail to read John 20:31, which states the purpose of the apostle in writing.

Three great and fundamental questions are answered in chapter 1:1-18, namely, (1) Was Jesus Christ God or man? (2) Does it matter how we regard him and relate our lives to him? (3) Is there suitable evidence upon which we may rest our faith in him?

I. Jesus Christ Is God (John 1:1-5)

"In the beginning" of Genesis 1:1, Jesus Christ already "was" not only "with God," but he "was God." He is the living "Word," the complete and final revelation of God. He is infinite, eternal, divine, both the Creator and Redeemer. He is both the Life and the Light of men. That Light shines in the darkness but the darkness does not comprehend it.

II. Men Are Either Believers or Unbelievers (vv. 6-13)

There are only two classes of people who will read these lines—the saved and the unsaved. What a solemn thought! To which class do I belong?

The Lord of Glory, the Creator of all things, came to his own world and it "knew him not" (v. 10). How tragic is that fact, but how much deeper is the stab of the next verse, his own people "received him not."

The Light still shines in the world, and it is still all too true that men love "darkness rather than light because their deeds are evil" (John 3:19). Such men are lost, "dead in trespasses and sin" (Eph. 2:1).

But, thank God, there are those who "receive him" (v. 12), and to them he gives the power or authority, to be the sons of God. This change is expressly declared to be

a. Not by reason of family, or heredity, "not of blood";
b. Not by natural instinct or development, not "of the will of the flesh"; and
c. Not by human volition or will power, not "of the will of man, but of God."

These are important matters and some one may well ask, "What evidence is there for these things?" Faith is not a venture into the dark. We have the strongest of all foundations in the sure Word of God. The evidences of Christianity are many, thoroughly full, and satisfying to any honest inquirer. We refer to but one.

III. Our Faith Rests on the Testimony of Eye Witnesses (vv. 14-18)

John the Baptist and John the Apostle both beheld the "glory as of the only begotten of the Father" in the One who as the "Word" was made flesh and dwelt among them.

The law was "given by Moses" (v. 17), that is, God sent the law through a human messenger. "But grace and truth came by Jesus Christ." No messenger, no matter how great or worthy, would do to bring the gospel of the grace of God. His only begotten Son brought it; it came by him.

Waste Not
Waste not the smallest thing created, for grains of sand make mountains. Waste not the smallest time in imbecile infirmity, for well thou knowest that seconds form eternity.—E. Knight.

Growth of Friendship
Friendship is no plant of hasty growth; though planted in esteem's deep-fixed soil, gradual culture of kind intercourse must bring it to perfection.—Joanna Baillie.

Good Company
Without good company, all dainties lose their true relish, and like painted grapes, are only seen, not tasted.—Massinger.

Kinds of Idleness
Not only is he idle who is doing nothing, but he that might be better employed.—Socrates.

Repose After Labor
There is no sweeter repose than that which is bought with labor.—Chamfort.

HOME EDUCATION

"The Child's First School is the Family"—Froebel
Issued by the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West 40th Street, New York City. These articles are appearing weekly in our columns.

ALLEN'S PLAY-LIKE STORIES

JANETTE STEVENSON MURRAY

Four-year-old Allen and his mother were visiting at Grandfather's. There was a big yard with a pipe carrying water to the garden. Grandma had been gathering tomatoes. Allen came out as she went into the house. Soon his mother heard water running, and on going to the garden found a faucet turned on full force.

"Did you turn the water on, Allen?" she inquired.

"No, Grandma, did it to wash the things she picked up. She left it running and didn't she make an awful mess?"

Wiser Approach

Mother went into the house but soon returned and approached Allen in a wiser way. "What did you want water for when you turned the faucet on?"

"Grandma turned it on," Allen persisted.

"No, Allen, Grandma didn't turn it on."

"How do you know?"

"I asked her. She said she didn't wash anything."

"Well, it just turned on by itself."

"But water can't do that. You probably gave the handle a little turn."

"Yes, I turned it just a little bit. Then I went over there and the water came out with a big rush."

Fond of Fishing

Upon further questioning, Allen, who is fond of fishing, admitted that he wanted a river to fish in. Mother explained that they couldn't afford to have water running away, and then helped Allen to fill a pail. When, supplied with a cord and a bent hairpin for fishing tackle, he was calmly fishing in the pail, she said, "That was just a play-like story you told about Grandma turning on the water. You remember I told you about play-like stories."

"Yes," faintly.

"What was the real story?"

"That I turned it on."

"What are the two kinds of stories?"

"Real stories and play-like stories."

"Which are true?"

"Real stories."

"Which are the ones you make up?"

"Play-like stories."

Demonstrate Difference
"Yes, play-like stories are only make-believe. They are like the fish in your pail. I like you to know about play-like stories. They give you all the pleasures of make-believe. Still, you must make a difference between play-like and real stories. When people ask questions about make-believe things you may answer with play-like stories, but when they ask you about real things tell them real stories."

How much of this did Allen understand? Not all, probably, but his understanding will grow if Mother continues, gently and patiently, to require real stories about real things. Will he always tell real stories about real things when he does understand? That will depend largely on his experiences. Let no one blame the child or introduce the element of fear! Then if the demand for real stories about real things persists, unfalteringly, it is pretty likely that it will soon be satisfied.

Boon to Children

"The kindergarten is a boon to all children, but it is an especial godsend to children coming from small families and from homes with limited facilities."—W. C. Ruediger, Head, Department of Education, George Washington University, Washington, D. C.

If there is no kindergarten in your public school, write to the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West Fortieth street, New York City. Only a properly trained kindergarten should be put in charge of a class.

Beacom College Bulletin Lists 28 Newark Students

With a forty per cent increase in enrollment, the Christmas bulletin released this week by J. W. Hiron, president of Beacom College of Business Administration, Wilmington, shows 28 Newark pupils.

Included on the list are: Alice Battersby, Guy Hancock, Mildred Jarmon, Charlotte Laws, Harold Lynch, Valentino Nardo, Agnes Owen, Christos Pappas, Elizabeth Pappas, Elizabeth Rose, Pearl Vought, George Zebly, Dorothy Barrow, Beatrice Bell, Alice Cox, John Currinder, Eric Mayer, Helen McCarns, Rosalyn Ernest, Ralph Lindell, Clifford Lomax, Harold Walls, Cedrick Justice, Eleanor Colmery, Lucy Danby, Katherine Colmery, Alberta Johnson, and Sally Sweeney. A portion of these students are enrolled in the night school, being employed during the day.

The University of Rome established courses on economic aspects of the tourists business.

SHE STARTED SOMETHING



HISTORY would be richer if we had record of the first person who ever bought a commercial airplane, who ever drank a coca-cola, or the first to climb up a commercial stepladder—but those "firsts" are lost. Here is a first—one Miss Emily Horn of Elmwood Park, Ill.—that won't be lost to history. Miss Horn drove her car around the corner to a service station and was the first person to buy one of the new glass-clad batteries. Since that time, less than three months ago, nearly 100,000 more of these batteries have been purchased by housewives, doctors, grocery clerks, lawyers and others in every walk of life. They were originally designed to operate drawbridges, battleships, submarines and airplanes, but have been adapted to automobile use under the name of kathanode, and are guaranteed "as long as you own your car." They have been purchased to revive everything from a 1914 Pierce Arrow to late model low priced cars.

Children's Chorus In Church Xmas Program

The children's Christmas musical program recently presented over radio station WDEL was repeated last Sunday at the White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church. Mrs. John James directed.

A playlet, "The Infant Jesus," was also presented at the morning service of the church.

Participants on the program included:

Dorothy Gregg, Marjorie Rittenhouse, Audrey Rumer, Elizabeth Crookshank, Margaret Creighton, Florence Lloyd, Arlene Widdoes, Marion Baylis, Jane Eissner, Elda MacHarrington, Lorraine Holland, Marie Pemberton, Evelyn Miller, Doris Starkey, Dorothy Lloyd, Elsie Knighton, Margaret Knighton, Ann Richards, Barbara Creighton, Elva Todd, Jean Council, Mae Porter, Dorothy Marrs, Norma Brumble, Lydia Smith, Jane Brown, Alice Lloyd, Howard Lloyd, George Knighton, Marvin Bolter, Herman Gray, Billy Gray, Earl Henderson, Douglas Robinson, Paul Widdoes, Arthur Griddle, Billy Gregg, all of Newark. Those from Wilmington are: Phyllis Blackson, Beverly Blackson, Walter Blackson, and Miss Myra Hall.

Ward B. Lindell Completes Thirteen Years as K. of W.

Tuesday evening Ward B. Lindell, keeper of wampum of Minnehaha Tribe, No. 23, I. O. R. M., completed his thirteenth year as the custodian of the Tribe's funds. Mr. Lindell took the office exactly thirteen years ago Tuesday evening, to fill the unexpired term of his predecessor. At every election of officers held by the Tribe, since he has been the unanimous choice of his fellow Red Men to take care of the organization's finances.

Minnehaha is planning to hold a patriotic night on Tuesday, February 23, in celebration of Washington's appointed to make arrangements for the occasion: Chas. Hartmann, chairman, C. Orville Sidwell, Frank H. birthday. The following committee was Balling, Joseph Zebly, John A. Kauffman, and Sachem Frank Johnson.

Next Tuesday evening the business meeting will call at 7 o'clock. The third in the series of square dances will be held, under the direction of the social committee, Albert Lewis, chairman.

GLASS BOOK ENDS

An unusual and useful gift is a pair of book ends which are actually two glass bricks. The solid type brick is heavier and consequently better for this purpose. Their simple design makes them appropriate for any room.

The Sewing Corner

The needle arts have come into wide popularity. This series of 12 articles offers ingenious tips and instructions on various items which women will find both economical and fashionable.

V—Fagoting

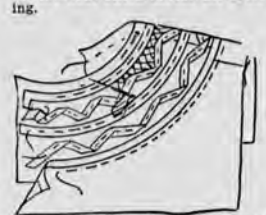
for the next stitch across the opening.



1. Fagoting Stitch. Make slanting stitches from side to side, passing the needle under the preceding stitch, as shown. Space the stitches about a quarter of an inch apart.



2. Bar Fagoting. Make stitch across opening; then twist needle under and over and under this stitch, as shown. Draw needle through, and then make a quarter inch long stitch parallel to the edge, bringing the needle out ready



Bias Trim Basted to Paper Ready for Fagoting Yoke Design. Cut out neckline of garment to depth desired for yoke, and bind edge with hand felled binding of Bias Trim. Cut plain pattern of yoke, mark design on it and baste to top of garment, as shown. Baste Bias Trim over design marked on yoke pattern; then fagot, as illustrated. When fagoting is finished remove basting.



This shows what you can do with fagoting. It adds a delicate touch to the garment. Your Sewing Corner will send you directions for this step if you send in a stamped and addressed envelope asking for: "Leaflet on Cut Your Corners."

Dr. Venning Meinesz, Netherlands, maintains that he can prove that the earth is not flat at the poles.

REFORM

Noggs—I'd like to have you tell me honestly your opinion of Senator Piffle.

Boggs—Excuse me. I swore off on that kind of language the first of the year.

Turtles eat a varied diet.

A New Year—A New Congress

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN

National Chairman
Sentinels of the Republic

America at this time greets a New Year—and a new Congress.

What do the American people ask of each?

Of the New Year, opportunity for longer strides along the road to recovery . . .

Of the new Congress, whatever action, or restraint, may be necessary to make such strides possible . . .

America is ready for those lengthened strides. The need exists for new buildings, new goods, replacements; for many things that supply and serve the people. Industry and commerce—all our creative facilities—stand ready to meet that need. Workers in every field are eager for the employment that increased production assures. Talk of closer cooperation among all elements essential to a quickened program fills the newspapers.

All that seems necessary is Confidence.

Confidence that public, rather than factional, advantages will sway the men chosen to represent us in our National Legislature.

Confidence that no new barriers will be placed in the way of work and production.

Confidence that constructive plans for the future will not have to be scrapped overnight to meet the vagaries of every glittering economic novelty.

Confidence that the worker's income will not be wasted by political extravagance billed against his present and future earnings.

Confidence that throughout the nation humanitarian considerations will dominate political aspects in emergency measures to aid the unfortunate.

The Seventy-fifth Congress faces a glorious opportunity to inspire this confidence.

If it grasps the opportunity, it can earn the gratitude of a great and encouraged people.

If it fails . . . our wishes for a Prosperous New Year will have been in vain.

A baby lion being raised by hand wants milk every hour of the day.



Same old greeting
That good old wish that
cheers
To bring you joy
And all good luck
For the next 100 years

RITTENHOUSE
MOTOR COMPANY

BEST WISHES



What more can we say than
Happy New Year.

DENVER B. ROBERTS

(Manager, Schmick's Ice Cream Store)

HAPPY NEW YEAR 1937



We look forward to 1937
and the opportunity to be of
friendly service to you again.

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XMAS FROLIC FOR KIDDIES AT PENCADER

Allen B. McMullen, a Native of Glasgow, Died Tuesday, At the Age of 46

MANY HOLIDAY GUESTS

By Mrs. J. Leslie Ford

Glasgow, Dec. 30.—Pencader Grange held its Christmas party for the children of the neighborhood on Monday night. The gathering sang Christmas songs and played games which were followed by a visit from Santa Claus. Each child was presented with a box of candy and an orange. The installation of officers will take place on Monday, January 4 with Past Master H. Wilson Price and Mrs. Price in charge. The lecture hour was devoted to Christmas carols and a play.

Eight new members are expected to join next month.

Allen B. McMullen died at the age of 46 years on Tuesday, December 22 at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary B. McMullen.

Glasgow Native

He was born and lived near Glasgow until a few years ago. Besides his mother, the deceased is survived by three brothers: David A. McMullen, near Salem, Herman McMullen, of Wilmington, and Roland McMullen, of Richardson Park; three sisters, Mrs. Roney Cunningham, of Newark, Mrs. I. Stanton Lank, of Richardson Park, and Mrs. G. Paul Murray, of near Salem.

Mrs. Mary Frazier spent Sunday with Mrs. William Frederick, of Charlestown, Md.

Mr. Harry Frazier, of Wilmington, was a Glasgow visitor on Sunday.

Misses Lydia, Helen and Frances Thompson, of Wilmington, spent the holidays with their sister, Mrs. L. W. McElwee.

Salem Church held its Christmas entertainment on Saturday evening. The program included singing, recitations and a treat from Santa Claus.

Pencader Sunday School held Christmas treats for the scholars on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Miss Florence Dayett, a member of the Delaware Hospital nursing staff, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dayett, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr and family, of Malvern, Pa., spent Sunday with Mrs. Carr's brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Duling.

Entertaining at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Smith, for Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Samuel Lofland accompanied by her grandson, Arthur Smith, is spending the week in Baltimore.

Mr. Norman Slack returned home from the Homeopathic Hospital on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Leslie Ford and daughters spent Monday with their cousin, Mrs. Raymond Pusey, of Clayton, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Wright entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sheets and family, of Summit Bridge; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Crowe, of Newark and Miss Alberta Johnson, of Cooch's Bridge.

Mrs. Chlotilda Dayett entertained at a family dinner on Christmas day. Among the guests were: Mrs. Marie Delbert and daughter, of Elkton; Mr. Charles Dewees, of Havre de Grace; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford and family, of Cooch's Bridge; Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Dayett, Jr. and family, of Glasgow and Miss Florence Dayett, of Wilmington.

New Castle Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. James Lupton spent the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Jester, of New Castle.

Miss Miriam Jarmon, of Wilmington, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. William Johnson.

Miss Ann Brown, of St. Georges, is spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

Miss Grace Johnson spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews, of Christiansa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford spent Wednesday evening with their aunt, Mrs. Fannie Cleaver in the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington. Mrs. Cleaver is recovering from a fractured hip which she suffered about three weeks ago.

Mrs. Angie Perkins, of Newark, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brooks.

The middle of a frozen pipe should never be thawed first, because expansion of the water confined by the ice on both sides may burst the pipe. When thawing a water pipe, work toward the water supply, opening a faucet to show when the flow starts. When thawing a waste or sewer pipe, work upward from the lower end to permit the water to drain away.

1937 Brings Him New Job



Phil Baker, popular accordion-playing comedian, will have Oscar Bradley, internationally famous stage and screen orchestra director, as music-master for his 1937 broadcasts over the CBS network on Sunday evenings. Bradley, who was band leader for Will Rogers, has just returned from Hollywood where he served as maestro for Shirley Temple.

NEWPORT HAS XMAS AFFAIR FOR KIDDIES

Minquas Fire Company Again Marks Yuletide; 200 Get Presents

CHOIR PROGRAM GIVEN

By Miss Emma S. Maclary

Newport, Dec. 30.—The Minquas Fire Company of Newport, assisted by the Ladies Auxiliary, were again hosts to the children of Newport and vicinity, at their annual Christmas party on Christmas morning. The affair was held in the firehouse which had been attractively decorated for the occasion.

A large Christmas tree had been erected, and Charles Link, as Santa, distributed gifts of candy and fruit to the guests.

About 200 children received a treat. Many children of the town who are quarantined because of illness in their homes, were also taken care of, and a treat of candy and fruit was sent to those children.

Entertainment Given

Santa talked to the group of children, after which a program of entertainment was furnished, including the singing of Christmas carols; prayer by the Rev. J. C. McCoy, pastor of the Newport M. E. Church, and chaplain of the Fire Company.

Miss Charlotte Mahan gave a recitation, and Annadell Livergood entertained with tap dancing. A quartet of little girls sang "Here We Come Caroling." Those in the quartet were Myrtle Whiteman, Fay Ruth, Virginia Green and Charlotte Mahan. The singing of "Jingle Bells" by the group brought the party to a close. The firemen, Santa, and some of the Auxiliary members, then went to Sunnybrook Farm with a treat for the children at that institution.

Firemen Answer Alarm

The Minquas Fire Company responded to a call at Little Baltimore on Saturday to a fire in the house owned by G. McVaugh, and occupied by the Fleming family. The house was a complete loss, estimated at \$7,000; the fire occurred in an open fire place, and sparks flew to the room igniting articles therein.

On January 8, the Minquas Fire Company will elect and install officers for the ensuing year. The Ladies Auxiliary will hold its annual election of officers on Tuesday evening, January 5.

On January 5, the Sunday School

Francisco Carlino Has Full Stock of Imported, and Domestic Liquor; Wilmington Cash and Carry Shop Is Stabilizing Element in Region

One of the pioneers of the newly revived beverage business and a stalwart in bringing the field to its rightful place in the sun, the firm of Francisco Carlino, at 900 duPont Street, holds the approval of metropolitan Wilmington.

Cash and carry policies are exclusively in force, thus any savings possible through this method are passed on to the customers.

About four years ago Mr. Carlino launched his business on its career and through his sincerity of purpose

board of the Newport M. E. Church will meet with the committee to investigate the proposed building, and launch the campaign to raise funds. The meeting will be held in the Church House.

Choir Entertains

The choir of the Newport M. E. Church presented a delightful program of entertainment at the evening service on Sunday evening. The program comprised tableaux and musical selections, "White Gifts for His Birthday."

Mrs. Marion Green was the reader, and supervised the tableau work. Mrs. Ernest Spicer took the part of the "Angel," and "Mary" was represented by Mrs. David Stevenson. The group of "Wise Men" and "Shepherds" were represented by H. E. Gregg, Arthur Craig, Fred Benoit, Paul McCoy and Kenneth Jones.

The "Children of All Nations" were represented by Barbara and Betty Nichols, Francis Green, Edna Mae Kipe, Charles Bratton and Richard Morris. Mrs. Blema J. Tattman, choir director, was in charge of the music, and accompanied at the organ. Musical numbers were rendered by the choir members. George L. Biddle, a member of the choir arranged the stage properties for the tableau work.

At the Sunday morning service, Miss Isabella McCoy, was the soloist, singing "O Holy Night" by Adams. The choir presented an anthem—



Del Campo Baking Co. Looks Forward To New Achievements Based on 25 Years of Service

Saving housewives countless hours of tiresome work and offering a superior list of foods, Del Campo Baking Company, Inc., of 201 Parrish Street, Wilmington, has extended its scope of activity over a large territory.

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ly patronized in the region.

His demise two years ago found his sons, Charles, Alphonso and Nicholas equipped to take over the reins of management and assure the clientele the same quality service and superior products.

Bread, buns, rolls and cakes are featured by the firm which has modern equipment, including a new fish revolving tray oven, to keep its products uniform at all times.

Thirty persons are employed and 10 trucks operate in a 50-mile area.

the very finest and most select brand names of the industry.

Since quality stock is one of the dominant characteristics of the business and has served to place it on its present place of recognition it is evident that Mr. Carlino is deeply interested in giving his patrons the best that the field affords.

While the firm holds a position of significance in its particular line of endeavor it is also valued by Wilmington and its environs as a major asset to the business firmament.

Hockessin Drive For Fire Funds To Be Continued

By Miss Mildred Gebhart

Hockessin, Dec. 23.—It was decided at the last meeting of the Hockessin Fire Company that it would continue the campaign toward the \$10,000 goal until after January 1. The drive was scheduled to close on December 16.

At the meeting held on December 16, reports from five of the nineteen team captains showed \$1,500 in cash and subscriptions.

The temporary officers have been elected to serve for 1937 as follows: president, Clarence G. Collins; vice-president, Charles Gormley; secretary, Elmer C. Taylor; treasurer, Robert B. Kelton; financial secretary, Clarence Highfield; surgeon, Dr. Jesse Selinkoff; fire chief, John Winner; first assistant chief, Charles Gormley; second assistant, Caleb Wilson; first engineer, Charles Lake.

The following building committee was appointed: Irvin Sagers, Caleb Wilson, T. Leslie Woodward, Elmer Taylor, and Clarence Highfield. The work on the new firehouse will be started the first of January.

Members of the Liberty Lodge, No. 10 and their families enjoyed a Christmas party, preceded by a turkey supper which was held in the Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday evening, December 17.

A program of music was given and then each one present received a Christmas gift.

Holiday Guests

Miss Helen Thompson is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle at George School, Pa. After New Year's she will visit friends in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Elizabeth Richards is spending the Christmas holidays in New York.

On Tuesday Miss Clara Morrison was a visitor at the home of Miss Helen Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell were dinner guests at the home of Misses Annie and Margaret Derrickson.

Miss Jean Bower, a frequent visitor at the home of Mrs. Charles Kie-

ans.

Women Are Hosts

The Woman's Club of Newport was hosts to the children of Newport and vicinity from one to twelve years of age at their annual Christmas party on Saturday afternoon. The affair was held in the clubhouse, which was attractively decorated for the holiday season. The committee arranging for the party comprised Mrs. R. S. Pordham, chairman; assisted by Mrs. F. H. Webb, Mrs. H. P. Steward, and Mrs. A. C. Gamble. Mrs. A. M. Munn was chairman of the program, and children entertained with songs and recitations, and Christmas carols were sung. Each child received a gift of a toy, and refreshments were served. Approximately 200 children were guests. Refreshments were served.

dle, is seriously ill in the hospital at Philadelphia.

Xmas Program Presented

The children of the First Day School of the Hockessin Friends Meeting gave an interesting Christmas program in the Meeting House on Sunday morning. The following program was given: songs by the primary class, "Little Lights For Jesus" and "Away in a Manager;" recitation, "Xmas Mending" by Ruth

Pierson; exercise, "The Kettle of Kindness," by the children of the primary class; recitations were given by the following: William Pierson, Thomas Marshall, Eleanor Marshall, Alan Mancil, and Bobby Mancil. Piano selection by Miss Alice Pusey; a play, "Why the Chimes Rang" was given in pantomime, followed by the singing of Christmas carols. The closing prayer was given by Miss Evelyn Crossan.



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LOOKING TOWARD 1937 AND BEYOND

Delaware, which in 1936 led the East in building recovery, looks forward to an advance in 1937 surpassing that of any year since the boom period of the twenties. C. A. Smith II of Wilmington, chairman of the publicity committee of the Delaware Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, predicts in a year-end review of architectural and construction activity in the state. Mr. Smith stresses the need for city planning in Wilmington, the business district of which he describes as one of the shoddiest in the Middle Atlantic States.

All of which brings the glaring need for action—concerted action—in, by and for Newark, into the picture. The geographical location of this town as the leading suburban center for Delaware's leading city provides a golden opportunity in 1937, and the years to come, that alert and unified action here and now can develop into an economic asset of unlimited proportions.

Newark needs an organization—one that is alive and on its toes—of business men. Such a group—call it a Board of Trade, if you will—consisting exclusively of business men, merchants and tradespeople, can advance Newark's cause; sell the town to over-populated Wilmington as an ideal place in which to live; sell the town to the surrounding rural sections as an ideal place in which to buy; educate people already here to trade at home before going elsewhere, and generally stir life into the old burg that is rocking on its heels and doesn't know it.

Newark merchants have just enjoyed one of the greatest Christmas seasons in history. The millenium was not attained here, however. Business was good, it is true—far better than it has been in years, but Newark merchants DID NOT GET THE VOLUME OF BUSINESS enjoyed in neighboring towns.

While stores were packed here on Christmas eve and trading was lively, the streets were practically empty. The scene in towns like Elkton, Oxford, and Havre de Grace was in almost direct contrast.

Highly decorated streets in competitive centers to Newark were jammed with happy shoppers. Stores were literally bulging with Christmas buyers—people with money and anxious to spend it.

Main Street in Newark was drab—nothing different from any other night in the year—few municipal decorations, no added attractions, nothing of the carnival atmosphere which drew people to rival towns.

Middletown, New Castle, Dover, Chestertown, Centreville (Md.), Easton, Federalsburg, Ocean City, Selbyville—towns throughout the Delmarva Peninsula marked the Christmas season with ornate and beautifully decorated business sections. The effort paid big dividends.

A concerted bid for Christmas business by an aroused Chamber of Commerce at Lewes boasted sales to more than \$60,000 for the season. Smart decorations, extra stocks, broadcast music, and other entertainment throughout the week made it one of the brightest seasons Lewes shoppers and merchants have ever known. Gifts presented to the shoppers by the merchants on three nights during the campaign also helped.

Yes, Newark business houses had a great Christmas, but dollars could have been counted where it required hustling to nab the pennies, comparatively speaking. And the condition of local merchants standing in relatively empty shops, while potential buyers pass through to Wilmington and other places, will continue unless an organized movement is initiated to make this town an attractive stopping and shopping point.

As an aftermath of the Christmas situation came the announcement on Monday that the Mentholatum Company had purchased a full city block in Wilmington upon which to erect a plant to employ 150 workers. The concern was "sold" on Wilmington by a Chamber of Commerce that is alive.

Before going to Wilmington, however, no less than four visits by officials of that company were made to Newark with an idea of locating the plant here. Nourishment for the notion was not forthcoming, however, and Newark lost another choice morsel.

With the condition continue forever? Will Newark remain in a state of slumbering solitude, unmindful of a changing world? Or will Newark's business leaders snap out of the somnolent conditions surrounding them to unite, grow progressive and to make the town something more than a "pretty little place wherein reposes the University of Delaware"?

EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Editor's Mail Bag:

The New York Sun Old Chris story is fine and it is fitting for you to publish it, BUT, while not as widely known, Everett C. Johnson's Christmas editorial falls little short, it seems to me, of being just as good.

I wonder if it would not honor the occasion better in this paper, THE NEWARK POST?

See Post of 1912 or 1926.

Edw. L. Richards

Newark

Dec. 24, 1936.

Dear Mr. Richards: Thanks for your suggestion and for bringing this excellent bit of writing to our attention. It so happened that we had not come in contact with this fine composition by our esteemed predecessor until your message sent us tearing through the files.

You may be assured that it will be used next year in our Christmas issue, providing the blessing of being here is to be ours. We only regret that we were ignorant of the editorial's existence this year.—Ed.

Mrs. W. S. H. — We appreciate everything stated in your letter of December 24. Your position is clear. To endeavor to correct such a silly mis-statement however, would, in our opinion, merely add emphasis to any disbelief born through its publication. There is no doubt but what the paper lost caste by inadvertently permitting the story to appear. That and any harm done to the individual concerned are the regrettable features of the instance.

Since firm steps have been taken

to avert a repetition of the affair, do you think it wise to chance added regrets? You are the judge and your letter will be published, as requested, if you see fit.—Ed.

To the Editor of

THE NEWARK POST:

It was the writer's privilege to make a trip northward on the duPont Boulevard on Christmas eve after a visit to a few towns on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. The trip was a delightful one from the standpoint of beautiful Christmas decorations. I do not believe there is any section of the United States that can outdo the Peninsula in this manifestation of the Christmas spirit. I must add with regret that upon arriving in Newark to spend the night I was decidedly chilled by the bleak aspect of Main Street, although it is only right to add that the home decorations in Newark were the finest I had seen anywhere.

Having spent some years in Newark and still holding a warm spot in my heart for this historic town, I hope that you will regard this criticism as being of a friendly nature. A Well Wisher

Knights Of Golden Eagle To Meet Jan. 5 at Glasgow

Members and former members of Pender Castle No. 29, K.G.E., will hold a meeting in the Lodge Hall, Glasgow, on Tuesday evening, January 5, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Thomas E. White will be the principal speaker for the meeting which is being held under the auspices of the Grand Castle of Delaware.

Handled Heavy Christmas Mail at Newark Postoffice



Literally swamped by heavy mails that made the recent Yuletide one of the largest in local postal history, Postmaster C. E. Rittenhouse and his force worked day and night to help Santa Claus deliver packages, parcels and cards before Christmas Day.

Pictured above are: reading from left to right—front row: E. L. Shakespeare, city route number three; Postmaster Rittenhouse; Mrs. A. H. Truitt, clerk; Asst. Postmaster C. S. Crompton; and F. S. Springer, city route number one. Middle row: R. B. Kee, substitute clerk; R. E. Reynolds, clerk; W. E. Morgan, clerk; W. R. Lynam, clerk; and Orville Little, city route number two. Back row: Lee L. Lewis, rural route

number two; C. S. Hopkins, substitute city carrier; R. Raymond Lewis, rural route number three; and R. V. Buckingham, rural route number one. R. P. Jackson, special delivery carrier; and Andrew Hackett, janitor were absent when the picture was taken.

The rush period started on December 19 and reached the peak on the Tuesday before Christmas when approximately 55,000 pieces of mail were handled. All mail received up to two o'clock in the afternoon of Christmas eve was delivered that day.

Estimates show that receipts from stamp sales in December this year will exceed the same period in 1935 by almost \$900. During December of

last year \$3,489.89 was paid for stamps here while the estimated figure for 1936 is \$4,350.26.

Total machine cancellation of stamps from December 17 through Christmas eve amounted to 66,204 in 1935 as compared with the 75,308 cancellations made in 1930, an increase of 9,104 letters and cards. Parcel post sent from Newark is estimated as being 15 per cent above last year.

The heaviest day for cancelling stamps in 1935 fell on December 23 when 16,509 pieces were handled. December 22 provided the high point this year when 25,452 stamps were cancelled by machine. The figures do not include stamps cancelled by hand.

SCREEN SNAPS

By "SNAPPER"

1936 Highlights of Hollywood

The past twelve months have been eventful ones in film history. Barely a week goes by without a marriage, divorce, death, separation, studio walkout, court squabble, discovery of a new star, demise of an old one. Yet some of the finest films have been made along with some bad ones. The emotional highlights: Douglas Fairbanks ended one of the greatest "will he-won't he" mysteries with an impetuous rush to Paris and Lady Ashley. Ex-wife Mary Pickford determined not to let 1936 grass grow under her feet, announced the engagement to Buddy Rogers, 11 years her junior. Arthur Hornblow, Jr., snatched Myrna Loy from the ranks of the unmarried ladies. Marion du Pont further depleted the minute number of eligible screen actors by marrying Randolph Scott. The death harvest of 1936 removed Irving Thalberg, best producer in the motion picture business. Also John Gilbert, beloved by Greta Garbo and silent film fans. Old time favorite Thomas Meighan. Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink. Charles (Chic) Sales and Henry B. Walthall. The population of the film colony was increased by Fred Astaire, Jr., Bob Montgomery, Jr., a girl to the Alan Dineharts, and adopted babies to Jack Benny, the Pat O'Briens, Burns and Allen and Irene Dunne. Robert Taylor will remember this past year as the year in which he bounded from obscurity to fame, as will Simone Simon, Frances Farmer, James Stewart, Bob Burns, Martha Raye and Bobby Bren, the new find by Eddie Cantor.

Monday and Tuesday

In answer to the demand from countless movie fans, "One Way Passage," the greatest picture ever made by William Powell and Kay Francis, will be shown these two days. The strange and hauntingly beautiful scenes of this film take place on the Pacific during the month's voyage from Hong Kong to San Francisco. The story in brief is of two young people doomed, thought in different ways, to but a few weeks of life. They glimpse each other and fall in love just before the boat put out to sea, determining desperately to fill their days with ecstasy.

The latest issue of "The March of Time" will be added to the bill both days.

Wednesday and Thursday

Four hit songs are included in "Hideaway Girl" a musical mystery featuring Martha Raye, Shirley Ross and Robert Cummings. A number was composed especially for Miss Raye by Cam Coslow, titled "Beethoven, Mendelssohn and Liszt." The film is the story of a girl suspected of a clever jewel robbery who is forced to play the role of a stranger's wife during a yacht party to avoid being implicated in a series of hilarious goings-on.

State Theatre House Notes

Friday and Saturday

Your old friend, Joe E. Brown, gallops onto the screen of this theatre these two days in the latest and latest of all his Warner Bros. films, in "Polo Joe." He plays the role of Joe Bolton, an American youth who, after several years in China returns home with a solemn-visage valet and an unbounded supply of tall tales.

The supporting cast finds Carol Hughes as Joe's weakness and as a



polo enthusiast, "Skeets" Gallagher does the dead-pan valet with gusto, Gordon Elliott is Joe's rival and Joseph King as a country-gentleman. David Newell, Geo. E. Stone, Fay Holden and Charles Foy also have important roles in the picture.

"Song of the Trail," a thrilling western, will be added to the bill on Saturday.

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NEWARK SOCIAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rumer, 63 E. Delaware Avenue, spent the Christmas week-end with friends at Ocean City, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Ferguson, McKeesport, Pa., visited the former's father, Councilman George F. Ferguson, 384 E. Main Street, over Christmas.

Mr. John E. Fisher and his mother, Mrs. Mazie E. Fisher, Academy Apartments, spent Sunday with Mrs. Kate A. Fisher, 98-year-old grandmother and mother-in-law, respectively, at Reading, Pa.

Graham O. Lomax, Jr., of near Newark, is recuperating at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, following an emergency operation for the removal of his appendix last Saturday. The nine-year-old lad who is a student in the fourth grade at the Newark Elementary School, was stricken early Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Ralph, Lewes, visited Mrs. Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hayes, 34 W. Delaware Avenue, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Haney entertained friends Tuesday evening at their new home, Old Oak Road.

Postmaster and Mrs. Cyrus E. Ritzenhouse, 156 Academy Street, were hosts to a party of friends Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steel and daughter, Kay Booth, of Still Pond, Md., Mr. and Mrs. William Reybold and family, Marshallton, and Miss Pauline Pie, Philadelphia, were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Kathryn Pie Steel, 19 Amstel Avenue.

Mr. Justin Steel of 19 Amstel Avenue, has been confined with grippe for the last week.

James Thompson, Palmyra, N. J., spent the Christmas week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thompson, 34 W. Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jacobs, Waterbury, Conn., spent Christmas with Mrs. Jacobs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hubert, 23 S. Chapel St.

Mrs. Reese Jarmon and daughters, Mildred and Norma Jane, and Mr. Charles Jarmon spent Sunday with Mrs. William Holloway, of Newark, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holloway, of near Newark, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bratton, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. John Holloway, Jr., of Newport News, Va., over the holidays.

Miss Helen Holloway, of Newark, Md., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarmon.

Mr. John F. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jarmon were entertained by Mrs. William Moore, of Roselle, on Christmas day.

Mrs. G. H. Murphy, of Farmington, Del., is spending the winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Bonham.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wollaston, Jr., and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wollaston, Sr., 293 W. Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee, Wilmington, were Christmas guests of Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Grant, 12 Annabella Street.

Mr. E. H. Vogt spent a part of last week with Mr. Richard Thomas and Miss Mary Louise Thomas, 130 S. College Avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Fenton Daugherty, 52 W. Delaware Avenue, entertained friends Sunday night in honor of their fifteenth wedding anniversary.

Miss Marjorie Jones will entertain a party of young friends on New Year's eve. The gathering will take place at the Jones home, 122 W. Main Street.

Lt. and Mrs. Harvey Brown, Middletown, N. Y., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. William H. Brown and Mr. Lawrence Bringham Brown, 77 E. Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beuhler spent the holidays with relatives at Elizabethtown, Pa.

Mrs. William J. Rowan, Huntingdon, Pa., visited friends in Newark during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haley of Philadelphia spent Xmas with Mrs. Haley's mother, Mrs. Doyle, of S. College Avenue.

Mrs. Stanley D. Loomis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heiser.

Mrs. William Irwin entertained relatives from New Jersey over the holidays.

Mrs. Thomas Green was a dinner guest of Mrs. Violet Rowan Woolen on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Walter Ritz, son of Mrs. Fred Ritz, is a patient in the Wilmington General Hospital.

Mr. George L. Medell of York, Pa., visited relatives in Newark on Sunday.

Mrs. John Phillips and her baby daughter have returned to their home from the Flower Hospital.

Mrs. George W. Rhodes entertained a few friends at an informal tea on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Ball entertained at desert bridge at the Hercules Club House, near Wilmington, on Tuesday of this week.

Camilla Speicher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Speicher, entertained a number of little friends at dinner on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. William J. Rowan of Huntington, Pa. and her daughter, Mrs. Wooten of Wilmington were luncheon guests of Mrs. H. E. Vinsinger on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin S. Dale spent Xmas with relatives in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. William Northop and son spent the holidays with relatives in New England.

Mrs. Walter Holton is entertaining her cousin from Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. Emerson Johnson, who suffered a broken hand in an automobile accident recently is much improved.

Mrs. H. E. Vinsinger will leave soon to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Greer of Jenkins, Ky.

Miss Betty Heiser is visiting her sister, Miss Olive Heiser of Glen Ridge, N. J.

Prof. Herbert Nichols visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Nichols on Sunday.

Miss Nan Wilson of Washington, D. C. visited her sister, Mrs. J. L. Nichols on Xmas leaving on Sunday evening for Bermuda.

Mrs. J. L. Nichols entertained the Women's Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church at her home on East Main Street on Monday evening.

Miss Essie McKeon spent Xmas with her sister, Mrs. Harry Hill.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Mavromatis entertained relatives and friends from New York over the week-end.

Miss Betty Irwin of Philadelphia spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. William Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton of Kells Avenue are on a ten-day trip to Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brinser of New Providence were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hancock on Christmas night.

Mrs. George Pierson and daughter, Annabelle of Hockessin and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Pennock of Roselle were guests of Newark relatives on Sunday.

Dr. A. M. Ball is entertaining his mother and sister from California. Miss Ball is a teacher in Wellesley College.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando K. Strahorn,

E. Main Street, visited Mr. and Mrs. John S. Strahorn at Annapolis, Md., on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore, 27 Amstel Avenue, were Christmas guests at the former's native home, Laurel.

Mrs. Florence Strahorn has been confined to her home, 27 Amstel Avenue, this week with a heavy cold.

On Monday evening, Major and Mrs. Donald L. Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. Taggart Evans entertained at the Rainbow Grille, Hotel Darling, Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross of Orange, Conn., spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Massicotte, of East Park Place.

ENGAGEMENT

BOULDEN-WOLLASTON
Mrs. Charles P. Wollaston, 367 S. College Avenue, announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Kathryn Wollaston, to Mr. Omar D. Boulden of Wilmington, this week.

A native of Cecilton, Md., where he was noted as an athlete, Mr. Boulden is associated with the duPont Company. Miss Wollaston is a sister of Councilman Herman Wollaston.

WEDDINGS

REED-JOHNSON
Mrs. Mary Clark, Capital Trail, has issued invitations for the wedding of her daughter, Miss Florence Johnson, 22 years old, to Mr. Ernest Reed, Newark, on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The ceremony will be performed at the White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Clyde E. Rickabaugh, pastor, officiating.

Miss Frances Brown, Academy St., will attend the bride as maid-of-honor, while Mr. Bertram Jones, Marshallton, will act as best man. Miss Johnson's brother, Raymond, will give her away in marriage.

Ushers will be George and Howard Alken, Kennett Square, cousins of the bride, and the groom's brothers, Hazel and Roy Reed.

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held at the home of the bride's mother. The couple will take a short wedding trip to an unknown destination.

The future Mrs. Reed is a graduate of Newark High School in the class of 1933 and attended the Hines Private Business School in Wilmington. Mr. Reed, who is the son of Mrs. Sallie Reed, Smyrna, Del., is connected with the American Stores Company. The couple will reside with the bride's mother following their return to Newark.

BANT-HESS

Miss Rebecca Jane Hess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hess, of Red Lion, Pa., and Mr. Harold James Bant, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bant, 102

East twenty-ninth street, Wilmington, were married on Christmas Eve, in Eastlake M. E. Church, by the Rev. C. C. Harris. After a trip through Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Bant will be at home at 2707 Market street.

The bride is a graduate of Pennsylvania State College and is a teacher of English in the Newark High School. Mr. Bant, a former teacher at the local institution, is a graduate of Springfield College, Springfield, Mass., and is now associated with the Wilmington Y. M. C. A.

OBITUARY

HERBERT D. OWEN
Herbert D. Owen, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram J. Owen, of Yeatman Station, Pa., died Tuesday, December 22 at the Flower Hospital. Services were held Saturday, December 26, with interment at New London Cemetery, New London, Pa.

ALLEN B. McMULLEN
Allen B. McMullen, aged 45 years, died Tuesday, December 22, following a long illness. Private funeral services were held from the home of his mother, Mrs. David McMullen, in Richardson Park. The body was interred at Bethel Cemetery, Maryland.

Entertain at Xmas Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Bonham, of 22 Amstel Avenue, entertained 150 friends at a dance Christmas night, held in the Newark Country Club. Bud Wilson's orchestra furnished the music for the affair.

House guests at the Bonham home were: Miss Rita Cuddihy, of Bayshore, Long Island; Miss Sally Cannon, of Bridgeville and the Misses Eliza and Sarah D. Rodney, of New Castle.

Strickersville Couple

Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garrett, Strickersville, Pa., marked their 50th wedding anniversary Wednesday evening by entertaining some 150 relatives and friends.

Married in 1886, Mrs. Garrett, who was Elizabeth Montgomery, a native of Cecil County, Maryland, where she lived about five miles from her present home, joined her husband on the farm which they have occupied since the wedding.

Robert Amos Garrett, the younger of two sons, farms the land formerly tilled by his father. The elder son, Clinton H. Garrett, died in France, an influenza victim, during the World War.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Dec. 31—New Year's eve dance, sponsored by the Newark Country Club. Dancing from 10-2.
Jan. 1—New Year's Day. Happy New Year!
Jan. 4—Lecture by Dr. E. Stanley Jones in the Union Methodist Episcopal Church, Washington and Fifth Streets, Wilmington. University of Delaware and Newark Public School vacations end.
Meeting of Newark New Century Club at which the Rev. Ralph Minker, superintendent of F.L.S., will be the speaker.
Jan. 7, 8, 9—Annual exhibit of the Delaware Crop Improvement Association, Greenwood. Entries close Thursday afternoon, Jan. 7.
Jan. 15, 16—"Open House" at Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia.

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ROAMIN' WITH RUTLEDGE

Procrastination

Much after the fashion of the little boy made famous by legend who saved Holland from inundation by sticking his thumb into an opening in a dike, someone or some group constantly finds it necessary to step in to the breach for independent sports in Newark.

Last spring, after other teams in the vicinity had completed their organizations and were well on the road to actually getting into physical trim for the season, Newark finally came to life with ideas for gathering a club.

Despite announcements from the Bi-State League (in response to inquiries here) in the early part of February that a series of meetings to reorganize the loop would start at once, it was not until late in March before things started happening locally. By that time it was necessary to revamp the entire make-up of the circuit, a feat of no small proportions, in order to receive Newark, a logical entry from the outset, as a member.

R-W-R

In Basketball, Too

While unlimited credit is due Harry Williamson for stepping into the picture with a move toward reorganizing the Yellowjackets of the basketball court, it seems utterly silly that such action was delayed until what is ordinarily the middle of the season. Can't things ever be done here on time? The greater portion of the sporting fraternity in Newark occupies itself with curb-stone conferences about why don't they do this, that and the other thing, but actual leadership—a guy to step forward with a willingness to "do the dirty work"—comes only after considerable delay and no little uncertainty.

Once the baseball team got straightened out last summer, Huey Morris's organization functioned in smooth fashion. It is safe to say that Newark's governing body operated with more efficiency than any other similar group in the Bi-State wheel. Obligations were met and the season was carried to a successful conclusion.

R-W-R

Time To Act

Another year is at hand—new seasons—new teams—changes. Time does that sort of thing. And now is the proper time to make arrangements for the spring and summer.

Although planning to relinquish his post as head of the baseball organization, Morris, showing the same consideration that marked his efforts during the summer, has called a meeting for Friday night, January 8.

It is vital that Newark gets together early in 1937. Major shifts will be made in the Bi-State circuit, official announcement of which has been withheld until the annual February gathering.

Important questions such as the starting hour for games and other problems worth considering, can best be met by a local organization that is ready to present its views and demands from the outset.

Then, too, if the Bi-State circuit's new set-up fails to gain approval, something can be done about it before the advance of hot weather.

We are glad to see Morris take an early step and hope that his efforts will meet with cooperative support on the combined parts of other officials and players.

R-W-R

Heh, Heh, Heh!

Presumably nettled over aspersions spread against their sex and the failure of Newark women to bowl as do females in other sections of the land; a news story having appeared on this page containing something to that effect last week; fourteen girls at the Continental Diamond Fibre Company have "come to life."

Not only are they willing to do a bit of bowling on their own, but they are endeavoring to arouse other Newark women into forming a league. And that, mine frans is action. Let's hope the Continental chorines succeed in forming their league.



"THE ROAMER"

POOR YEAR FOR RULERS NEARS END

Yellowjacket Squad Begins Practice Sessions At High School

FORT DU PONT GRID TEAM MAKES BEST UNITED SHOWING IN 1936

Engineers' Undeclared Record Stamps Soldier Unit As Most Outstanding Squad During Past Year; C. Roy Donoho's Tennis Comeback Is Shining Individual Feat

By Bill Fletcher

Fort DuPont's great football team bathed in the spotlight for unit supremacy during 1936 by sweeping through one of the toughest schedules ever faced by the army post.

Won Twelve Games

Led by Captain Larry Fath, the Engineers hung up an undefeated record of twelve games which included victories over Carlisle Barracks, Quantico Marines, Fort Jay, Fort Hoyle and other strong opponents. The Soldiers captured the state independent title, the Second Army Corps crown and the Eastern Army Championship in their unblemished march to fame.

Donoho's Comeback

While the DuPonters were gaining team supremacy, C. Roy Donoho, University of Delaware tennis ace, registered the outstanding individual performance of the year by virtue of a thrilling comeback to grab the town tennis title from Fred Davies in the first annual NEWARK POST tennis tournament.

Donoho, after dropping the first two sets by 6-3 counts, hit his stride, and with amazing skill, captured the last three frames by 6-3, 6-3, 6-4 counts. Dr. C. L. Day teamed with Davies to defeat Dr. Francis H. Squire and Prof. Ralph W. Jones for the doubles crown.

Jackets Repeat

Shorty Chalmers and Bones Egnor led the Newark cage team to two straight victories over Edgewood Arsenal and the second straight Cecil County Basketball championship. The strong Edgewood combine was subdued to the tunes of 28-27 and 33-27.

Fred S. (Sarg) Brown, of Port Deposit, formerly of Newark, succeeded in ascending the throne occupied by Tommy Riale in 1935, by eking out a win over the latter in a thrilling climax to the Tri-County Billiards Tournament.

Pandours To Fore

The Perryville Pandours finally ascended a throne after waiting for 14 long years, when they downed the Newark tossers 7-2 in the final battle of a thrilling 5-game series to grab the Bi-State baseball flag and roust the Havre de Grace Rivermen from their 1935 perch.

National Fibre and Cranston Heights also succeeded in pounding pitches to nab baseball crowns, the former by defeating the Cardinals for the Two-Light League pennant and the latter by downing Fort DuPont to dethrone Glasgow as New Castle County champs.

Other new champions were crowned in 1936 as Ernie Jordan pushed his motor bike in the 45 inch displacement event to capture the Newark Motorcycle Club's annual hill climb and Charlie Deputy, former University of Delaware track star, outran a large field to win the 8-mile baby marathon event, sponsored by the Alto Athletic Club.

Daredevil Crowned

At the top of the daredevil performances is the feat of "Buck" Buckingham who crashed through a two-inch board fence as a special feature of the annual hill climb. His bravery and daring stamp "Buck" as a definite thrill source for the coming year.

The year 1937 will see, as in 1936, past champions making comebacks, new leaders coming to the fore and present title holders falling—results can not be predicted, but, with the gradual return to economic stability, sports, on the whole, should, in turn, take an upward trend.

FAST ACTION

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Shooting

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Observe Three Points

Between the different styles of shooting, it is impossible to choose one as better than the rest. It depends on the coach. But, whatever the style these points should be observed. (1) Hold the ball firmly in the fingers with the thumbs behind the ball on two-hand-shots. The heels of the hands should not touch the ball, for this prevents the proper wrist-action. (2) Follow through with the arms—an important general principle in all athletics. (3) Aim at the rim on long shots and on shots taken directly in front of the basket.

Use the Backboard

On lay-up shots—i.e. shots taken from either side of and close up to the basket—use the backboard. The ball should be played high on the board, striking lightly as it starts to descend toward the basket. On lay-up shots avoid too much spin. Do not shoot while off-balance. Relax. You can't get accuracy while you are tense.

Long shots may be spectacular, but it's the short ones that win the game. One out of five is a good average for long shots, but every man on the team should average two out of three on short ones. Play for the team. In basketball, as in all sports, the good player plays the game most likely to win, not the game which will draw the greatest applause.

Next Week—DEFENSIVE PLAY

BOWLING SCORES

TUESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

High School Faculty	Won	Lost
U. of D.	28	24
Newark	27	21
Unity Lodge	24	28
Lions Club	20	24
Elkton	20	32

Elkton

Deibert	139	141	178	458
Vandergriff	127	131	162	420
Jeffers	153	167	199	420
Warburton	203	168	143	514
Brennan	148	140	238	496
Totals	770	717	813	2299

High School Faculty

Gibbs	131	185	139	455
Tonge	133	110	102	345
Gallipie	151	138	158	447
Suttles	147	126	116	389
Kern	144	142	148	434
Handicap	67	67	67	201
Totals	773	768	726	2267

Lions Club

Tomhave	232	159	176	567
Stall	189	125	146	460
McSheffer	137	152	142	431
McVey	141	167	147	455
Beck	144	144	183	471
Handicap	34	34	34	102
Totals	877	781	821	2479

Newark

Barrett	109	167	160	436
Strickland	179	148	154	481
Beck	142	151	111	404
Renshaw	162	106	146	414
Waldridge	200	166	154	520
Totals	892	738	725	2355

Unity Lodge

Bowles	189	154	154	543
McVey	133	117	108	358
Mitchell	120	159	199	478
Oldfield	121	148	151	420
Oldfield	121	148	151	420
Totals	724	730	663	2117

U. of Delaware

Heidinger	141	133	167	441
Chutychman	98	153	146	397
P. C. Houghton	122	138	166	426

P. M. C. CAGE HEAD CHOSEN BY JUD TIMM

William J. Burk to Coach
Cadet Basketball Team;
Is Also Sports Writer

IS BASEBALL MENTOR

William J. (Bill) Burk, a young Chester sportsman with a fine athletic background, has been appointed head basketball coach at Pennsylvania Military College.

This announcement was made by Jud Timm, P.M.C.'s athletic director and head football coach.

Burk, who doubles in brass as a sports writer and an athletic mentor, formerly was a regular for four consecutive years on the football team at Washington College. There he played on the noted Flying Pentagon basketball team as a regular in 1929-30. Bill was a member of this quintet four years, seeing service for Washington College three of the seasons it won the Maryland State championship.

Believe It Or Not

Tall and rangy, he teamed with Stanley Giraffis, sharp-shooting court coverer from Connecticut who made Bob Ripley's "Believe it or Not" column for snaring five field goals in 59 seconds.

Burk was taught basketball by J. Thomas Kibler, considered a stand-out basketball coach in collegiate competition nationally. As a major in the world war, Kibler coached the A.E.F. basketball champions two years in succession. Before going to Washington College, Kibler tutored basketball at Ohio State, which, under his regime, won the Big Ten Conference title two years in succession.

While playing football for Washington College, Burk two years in a row was mentioned for the All-Maryland eleven. He was picked on the "all-opponent" team by Drexel, Loyola, and Maryland University.

The Pennsylvania Military Prep School, an adjunct of P.M.C., was coached in football by Burk during the last season. He was P.M.C. head baseball coach last Spring, the team winning six and losing five games. He tutored the St. Roberts High School of Chester in basketball for three years, during which time the team won 48 and lost only 15 games.

Another basketball coaching assignment handled successfully by Burk was the Chester A. A. football team, which he piloted to the Delaware County pro championship in 1930.

Highly Rated

Colonel Frank K. Hyatt, P.M.C. president and commandant, thinks highly of Burk's coaching ability and readily ratified Athletic Director Timm's appointment of the young Chester sportsman to the post. The "preps" will be coached in basketball by Burk as well as the P.M.C. varsity and jayvees.

The Cadets on the varsity squad have agreed to return three days ahead of the January 5 deadline for the Christmas furloughs, so they will be able to renew practice for the season opening at home against College of Osteopathy, January 8. St. Joseph's College, West Chester State Teachers, LaSalle, Delaware, and Penn Athletic Club appear in at home and away games on P.M.C.'s schedule.

Stelzer 141 184 137 462
Jaquette 157 157 142 456
Handicap 61 61 61 183
Totals 739 846 819 2355

U. of D.

Jaquette	159	164	172	495
Stelzer	152	168	144	464
P. C. Houghton	121	121	119	361
Baker	134	158	137	429
C. O. Houghton	113	109	112	334
Handicap	6	6	6	18
Totals	635	728	690	2053

Newark

Van Pelt	179	132	156	467
Barrett	166	183	176	525
Kennedy	121	119	123	363
Waldridge	139	138	120	397
Waldridge	134	151	194	479
Totals	721	724	768	2213

Elkton

Singman	148	150	166	464
Vandergriff	140	142	154	436
Jeffers	158	147	146	451
Warburton	144	169	172	485
Brennan	134	161	149	444

Baseball Meeting

Anxious to complete any unfinished business left from last season and in an attempt to make tentative plans for the forthcoming summer, President Huey Morris has issued a call for a meeting of the Newark Baseball Club to be held on Friday evening, January 8.

The session will take place in the offices of THE NEWARK POST, Park Place and South College Avenue. All available officers and team members are requested to attend the gathering, which will get under way at eight o'clock.

LOCAL GIRLS ANXIOUS FOR PIN CIRCUIT

Deny 'Shy' Charge in 'Poetic' Challenge; Continental Group Aroused

ALLEY HEADS WILLING

Incited over publicity concerning the scarcity of lady bowlers in Newark, no less than fourteen female employees of the Continental Diamond Fibre Company this week issued a sweeping challenge to others of their sex for the purpose of forming a league exclusively for women.

In stating their position, the Continental girls waxed poetic, albeit "catty," and not with any classical twist to endanger the immortality of a Tennyson.

"Comeback Poem"

(Hoping that the guilty composer, who has chosen to keep her identity a secret (do you blame her) is a better bowler than she is a poet, we are happy to pass the masterpiece along to our readers—Ed.)

"A Quick Come-Back"

"What are we doing wrong?" asked the well-thumbed not enough publicity that's what I fear.

Now, who ever dreamed until last week Meadames Northrup and Larson could bowl so sweet?

I looked for their scores, I guess they're put away. Why not put them in the paper? Don't you think it would pay?

Now, who ever heard tell of that class of ten. When I read that item, ger, I sure did grin.

Well, you have in the paper—Newark ladies are shy. But a little more publicity is what I would try.

And you know very well, this is not any joke. That the Newark ladies like to be coaxed.

I hope you Legionnaires will not get sore. But I have a lady's team organized, will you get some more?

Direct Challenge

Directing their challenge at the Newark Country Club, Newark New Century Club, feminine instructors at Newark High School, and office workers at the University of Delaware, the fibre lassies are willing to play either as a member of a league, or will meet any individual group in a special match.

Legion officials in charge of the alleys here have expressed a willingness to cooperate with the girls in any manner possible. They have advanced the suggestion that a ladies' league, if formed, be operated every other week at the start until sufficient interest can be created to make it a weekly affair.

And now that everyone seems willing to get started, what about organizing such a loop?

Handicap	2	2	2	6
Totals	736	771	789	2296

Unity Lodge

Bowley	151	191	195	537
Mitchell	177	170	182	529
Tripp	127	150	132	409
McVey	164	177	163	504
Lynch	137	158	168	463
Totals	812	860	830	2502

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

Not Goods	18	30		
National Fibre	17	31		
Business Men				
Herbener	162	141	161	464
Crow	174	144	144	462
Crow	172	198	148	518
Powell	189	213	169	571
Swing	111	162	164	437
Totals	808	878	829	2515

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FIRST DRILL OF CAMPAIGN HELD MONDAY

School Heads Grant Request
For Workouts; Board To
Consider Contests

ELEVEN TRY FOR TEAM

Williamson Bidding For Big
Games; Leading Peninsula
Quints Contacted

By "The Roamer"

With Superintendent of Schools C. E. Douglass and William K. Gillespie, principal of Newark High School, jointly granting permission for the reorganized Yellowjackets to use the gymnasium of the Academy Street building for practice sessions, Harry Williamson started whipping his dribblers into shape for an arduous campaign this week.

The initial workout was held Monday night when eleven candidates reported for preliminary conditioning. A temporary schedule of sessions has been arranged which will give the passers a chance to drill every other night until school reopens next week.

Consider Proposal

Consideration of Williamson's request to use the floor for contests will be passed along to the Board of Education at the January meeting. Mr. Douglass received the proposal this week, but refused to give any response without first discussing the matter with the controlling body.

Following the reopening of school, there is a question concerning the frequency of staging drills. It is thought likely, however, that practices can be held on "open" nights of the school calendar.

Booking Contests

Meanwhile Williamson is giving an excellent enactment of the famously busy one-armed paperhanger with the hives. In addition to sharpening his own eye (he means to be a playing pilot), gathering his charges and sending them through their paces, he is working on an elaborate schedule of games.

A flock of letters were despatched during the week to Rehoboth, Pocomoke City, Crisfield, Cambridge, Selbyville, Easton, Delaware City, Middletown, Newport, New Castle, Worth Steel (Claymont), Richardson Park and other points.

Tune-Up Tilts

BIG CAST IN ANNUAL XMAS PLAY SUNDAY

Original Bible Drama Given
At Ebenezer Church;
Written by Member

COUPLE TO WED SOON

By Sara Pennington
Mermaid, Del., Dec. 30.—One of the finest Christmas programs ever given in the Ebenezer M. E. Church was presented Sunday evening when the Bible drama, "Mirable Mystery," written and directed by Mrs. T. O. M. Wills, was produced by a group of young people. The play was given in a very effective manner and was very colorful. The costumes were from the Division of Adult Education.

Includes Large Cast

In the cast were: Mary, "Mrs. Wills;" Joseph, Rev. T. O. M. Wills; "Joachim," Mary's father, Kinsey Whiteman; "Anna," his wife, Mrs. Carl Nelson; the priest, Walter Newton; Mary's handmaidens, Miss Catherine Dempsey, Miss Eulalia Brown, Miss Charlotte Jester, Miss Ruth Reed; the Shepherds, Mr. Carl Nelson, Miss Dorothy Little, Mr. Theodore Dempsey; "Gabriel," Miss Hazel Johnston; "Angels," Miss Evelyn Jester, Miss Reed, Miss Kathleen Little, Miss Eulalia Brown; the Wise Men, Charles Nelson, Earl Lynch, Raymond Beyerlein; the monks, Miss Sara Pennington and Miss Norma Jarmon who were the readers. Harold Lynch was the accompanist. This play was presented on December 16 by the Westminster Choir School at Princeton where Mrs. Wills is a student.

Engagement Announced

Of much local interest is the announcement of the engagement of Miss Mildred Marie Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Howell, of Clarksville, Arkansas, and Mr. George Hudson Lee, son of Mr. Mahlon Lee and the late Mrs. Lee. The engagement was announced at a dinner given Sunday at the Lee home in honor of Miss Howell who has been a house guest over the holidays. Miss Howell is a junior at the College of the Ozarks and Mr. Lee graduated from that college last June.

On Christmas Day, a family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Miss Annie Klair and Mrs. Bortha Armor by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodward, Miss Mary Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodward, Billy and Rollin Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Woodward and son, David, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroud, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Klair, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Klair, Jane, Sarah and Esther Klair, Mr. W. P. Naudain, Mr. Warner Naudain, Miss Marie Stephenson, Mr. Gheen Stephenson, Miss Mary E. Armor, and Mrs. Merritt Aarmor.

Named Supply Pastor

The Rev. B. Franklin Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson, was appointed on December 27 as supply pastor of the following Presbyterian churches in Lehigh County, Pa., Westminster at Allentown, Ferndale at Fullerton, and Hockendauqua at Hockendauqua. Mr. Ferguson is a second year student at Princeton Theological Seminary. He formerly supplied the pulpits at the Chesapeake City, Georgetown, and Kennedyville Presbyterian Churches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker Pennington are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born Dec. 24 at the Homeopathic Hospital. The baby has been named Emilie Ann. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Miss Margaret Derickson and Miss Annie Derickson returned yesterday from New York City where they spent the holidays.

Mark Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Sheldon of Fairview, entertained at a family reunion on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William McCalley of Dover, Mr. and Mrs. John Krainock of Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Richards of Elkton, as their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eastburn spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Nan Myers in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brackin and Mr. Harry Brackin, Jr., were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biddle of Ridley Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ball, Mr. Calvin Ball, and Mr. Willard Ball were guests on Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitehead in Wilmington.

A family dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Dennison on Xmas Day. The guests were: Mrs. Elmer Vought, Miss Clara

Auxiliary Holds Christmas Party; Heads Nominated

By Mrs. Edna A. Dickey
Christiana, Dec. 30.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Christiana Fire Company held its regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening. The following officers were nominated for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Clara M. Cashell; vice-president, Mrs. Ella Moore; secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Takach; treasurer, Mrs. Bess Currinder.

Following the business meeting, a Christmas party was held. Gifts were exchanged.

The Christiana Presbyterian Sunday School held its Christmas party on Tuesday evening.

Pastor Given Gift

At the party held on Wednesday evening by the M. E. Sunday School, the Rev. Richard M. Green was presented with a purse by the members of his class.

A large crowd witnessed the second production of the pageant "When the Light Shone" at the Christiana M. E. Church on Sunday evening.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Christiana Charge will be held on Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the parsonage. Dr. W. E. Gunby, district superintendent, will preside. All members and friends of the church are urged to be present.

Services next Sunday at the Christiana M. E. Church will be: Sunday School at 10 a. m., morning worship at 11—Rev. R. M. Green will have for his theme—"Looking Back." In the evening, at 7:30, he will speak on the subject, "Looking Ahead."

The regular meeting of the Christiana Improvement Association will be held on Tuesday evening, January 5. A Christmas party will follow the business session.

Personal Items

Rev. and Mrs. Richard M. Green spent Christmas with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Husbands of Rockland. They left on Monday to spend a portion of the holidays with Mr. Green's mother of Milton. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorp, Sr. entertained Rev. and Mrs. Green at dinner Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCarns of Wilmington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorp, Jr. on Saturday evening.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Cashell, Sr. on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cashell and daughter of Elkton, and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cashell, Jr. and son of Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorp, Jr. entertained at a Christmas dinner on Sunday for the following: Mrs. Thorp's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William T. David of Delaware City; Mr. and Mrs. William T. David, Jr. and family, Doris, Wallace and Dolores; Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cashell of Christiana, Betty David, Clark David and Emma David of Wilmington; and Layton Thorp.

Miss Ona Singles of Washington, D. C. and Mr. John Singles were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Levey.

Vought, Mr. Elijah Vought, Mr. and Mrs. James Derickson and son, Jimmy, Jr., Mrs. A. J. Dennison, Miss Anna Dennison, Mr. Howard Dennison, Mr. Frank Dennison, Jr.

Christmas Entertainment

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Milford Cross Roads School was presented on Dec. 22 by the students for their parents and friends. The program included recitations by first grade, songs by the school and four Christmas plays. The plays, "Santa's Red Suit" and "A Visit to Santa Claus Land" were given by the entire school.

In the playlet, "The Song, the Star, and the Story," were: Ruby Brown, Betty Ayars, Doris Alleorn, and Betty Reed as soloist. "Elsie's Christmas Eve," was given by Betty Brown, Betty Jaquette, Eleanor Walker, Betty Ayars, Doris Alleorn, Betty Reed, and Ruby Brown. Santa had his part and came at the conclusion of the program with gifts, candy, and oranges for all the children.

Harmony Grange planned for its annual installation of officers to be held Jan. 4, at its meeting Monday evening. As a surprise to the members, a large fruit cake was presented by Worthy Master W. H. Naudain from Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Humphreys at Kenbridge, Va., former members, which was served at the close of the meeting. Games and carols were enjoyed.

Assembly In Party Fight For Control

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bi-partisan, Governor Buck to name one members for two years and another for four years, and Mr. McMullen, after he takes office, to do the same. The Senate stood on the proposal, but the House refused.

The real issue, according to observers, is the fact that 150 jobs go with the commission.

Party leaders in the House charged rival groups with "playing politics," but little was done by way of a compromise measure.

Labor Groups Approve

Representatives of labor groups have expressed approval of the House bill which places the entire cost of the insurance on the employer, pooling all revenues in one insurance fund, and eliminating any exemptions. It provides also for making the act apply to all employers. Benefit payments for unemployment would range from \$7.50 to \$15 weekly. Members of the commission would receive \$2,400 annually.

The Senate bill provides for the employees sharing the cost; for separate accounts being set up for employers; for a merit-rating plan under which employers and employees would be exempt from taxes under certain conditions. Members of the commission would receive \$4,000 per year while benefits would range from \$5 to \$10 a week.

Waste Taken For Subject By Engineer

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Members of the club and their
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lowing the meeting as Mr. Handloff's
guests.

GUESTS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Florence Strahorn, 27 Amstel
Avenue, entertained a large party of
relatives on Christmas day. A dinner
climaxed the affair.

Among those invited were: Mr. and
Mrs. Charles M. Appleby, New Castle;
Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor Cloud,
the Misses Dorothy and Louise Cloud,
and Mr. William Cloud, New London;
Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan, Kem-
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