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AN INTEREST- ING MEETING

Representatives Of New Century Club Present

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held at the High School last Friday evening. Mrs. Houghton and Mrs. Reed, representatives of the New Century Club, were present and urged upon the Board the introduction of music and drawing in the schools. This subject has been one of much discussion at the Board Meetings for the last two years, but no plan practical under the present conditions, has been found. It was decided to purchase "The Book of Knowledge," a twelve volume work containing general information, for the reference shelves, in the Grammar School.

The teachers of the public schools met with members of the educational committee of the New Century Club, at the home of Mrs. Houghton, on Friday afternoon, when subjects of school interest were informally discussed.

COMMUNITY MEETING NEXT MONDAY

Caleb S. Burchenal Speaker Of Evening

The third Community Meeting, under the auspices of the Alumni Association of the Newark High School, will be held in the Academy building next Monday evening, March 9th. The feature of the evening will be an address by Caleb E. Burchenal of Wilmington, whose popularity as a speaker assures a large attendance. These meetings are becoming more and more popular, and promise to become a force in the life of the community. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone. The committee in charge guarantees an evening interspersed with pleasure and song, as well as healthful American ideas, which will afford food for reflection after the meeting itself has closed. Mr. Burchenal's talk will pertain to American ideals. The meeting begins at eight o'clock.

Activity In Political Circles

As a preliminary to the campaign that is to end at the polls in November, the Republican County Committee met at the Young Men's Republican Club on Saturday afternoon and discussed plans for an aggressive canvass later on. County Chairman L. H. Ball was ill at his home and City Chairman Harry H. Billany presided and made a brief address, telling of the importance of the approaching campaign. Speeches voicing an optimistic outlook were made by Levy Courtmen Samuel H. Burriss and Benjamin A. Groves, James M. Wise of New Castle, Secretary of State Thomas W. Miller, William J. Tinsman of Richardson Park, State Senator John M. Walker of Mill Creek Hundred, former Senator Thomas Stirling and former Levy Courtman Daniel Thompson of Newark. Seventy-five Republicans from all parts of the county attended the meeting. An amendment to the by-laws was decided on, to enable an increase in sub-committees.

Successful Entertainment at Elkton

"Men and Maids of the U. S. A." was presented to large audiences in Elkton Opera House last Monday and Tuesday nights and netted about \$200 profits, shared by the Senior Class of Elkton High School and Miss E. May Bookwalter, who managed the entertainment.

Local W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Friday afternoon, March 6, at the home of Mrs. S. M. Donnell.

WEDDING

JOURDAN-REA

Miss Maude E. Jourdan of Newark and Mr. Russell R. Rea of Cecil County, Md., were quietly married at the M. E. Parsonage, Elkton, Md., Saturday, February 28, at 11 o'clock, by the Rev. Howard L. Quigg. After a short tour south they will reside in Newark.

MONDAY'S STORM HOLDS RECORD

Little Damage In This Community

Sunday and Monday, March 1 and 2, hold the storm record of the year. Shortly after four o'clock on Sunday, all the elements, it seemed, began a gambol and frolic in honor of the advent of the boisterous month of the year. Seldom has the dreaded month measured so faithfully to our unhappy expectations, as in its initial performance of Sunday.

Late in the afternoon of Sunday the wind suddenly arose, and a fine, driving rain set in. Spasmodic snow flurries followed; the wind increased until by midnight the air was filled with its roar, and the houses seemed to shake on their foundations. Many residents declare they never remembered a wind of greater violence. Snow began in earnest. Monday found drifts in many instances five and six feet in depth. In Newark proper the streets were well cleared, but the country roads, running north and south, were impassable during the day. Only five farmers delivered milk at the local creamery. One of these, Samuel Pearson living on the old Thompson farm, near Thompson Station, started at seven o'clock and reached town at nine. Mr. Pearson was driving a pair of mules to a sled, and accompanied by two men. They had repeatedly to dig their way through the drifts.

Hacks failed to meet the Pennsylvania trains, and a number of travelers after making their home station, were forced to find quarters with residents at South Newark for the night. The Pomeroy train was unable to leave the Center station before noon. Only one trip was made during the day. Less snow fell in this immediate neighborhood than in the surrounding towns. In view of the gale that blew all during Sunday night, surprising little damage in this vicinity has been reported.

The Storm Of 1888 Reviewed

During the severe storm that raged on Monday and Tuesday of this week repeated reference was made to the famous blizzard of 1888, and many and varied have been the accounts given of that storm. The following real facts are interesting by way of comparison:

The storm began with rain on Sunday night, March 11, 1888. This quickly turned to snow, accompanied by a gale of sixty-six miles an hour. All telegraph lines were down, and not a single train entered the local stations until Tuesday. Streets were littered with wreckage. At almost every corner in the cities there were masses of tangled wire. Houses were unroofed and great trees blown across the car tracks, making traffic impossible. The storm raged on the entire eastern coast as far south as Virginia. Ships were blown out of their course and many wrecked. The effects of the storm were felt for a week.

Postponed Council Meeting

Owing to lack of a quorum present, Town Council postponed the regular meeting scheduled for the first Monday of the month, to this evening.

Blood Poisoning Causes Death

Col. Thomas Curry, aged 60 years, a prominent resident of the State and a leading Republican, died last Tuesday night at his home near Greenwood, of blood poisoning, following the pecking of his hand by a hen a few days previously. Specialists did all that was possible to save his life. His funeral was held on Friday and was attended by a great throng. A special train ran from Wilmington and 200 conveyances were used for friends of the deceased. Chief Justice and former Governor Pennell and four other cousins of Colonel Curry were the pall-bearers. He left an estate said to reach \$200,000, which will be shared by 29 cousins, he dying intestate.

Your Date Card

Thursday evening, March 5, illustrated lecture in the College Oratory by Prof. C. A. Short. Subject, "Good Roads." The evening has been arranged by the Agricultural Club of Delaware College. Thursday evening, March 5; Moving picture benefit in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Newark Baseball Club, Penn-Mar League.

Saturday afternoon, March 7; Bake, in the A. L. Stiltz Store Building, Main street. Benefit of Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Presbyterian church.

Monday evening, March 9, Community Meeting in the Academy building. Musical program and address by Caleb E. Burchenal of Wilmington.

Tuesday evening, March 10; Special Lenten Service at St. Thomas Church, in charge of Rev. P. L. Donahay of St. Anne's church, Middletown, Del.

State Teachers' Institute Planned

Date for the Teachers' Institute of 1914 has been fixed and preliminary arrangements made by the county superintendents and Commissioner of Education Charles A. Wagner. The Institute, which will be a State affair, combining the institutes of three counties and continuing for five days, will be held in Dover Opera House, November 9-13. The very best day instructors are being secured. There will be a social evening and three evening entertainments of the very highest class. They include The Collegians for November 10th; Rev. Samuel Parks Cadman, D. D., for Nov. 11th; and Marcus A. Kellerman and Co. for November 12th. These are not only the highest priced but the best recommended entertainers that have ever been engaged for institute work.

Gold Bar Sold

A large crowd was attracted to the Washington House last Saturday afternoon, when a small gold bar, attached as the property of the Capitol Gold Mining Co., on a claim held against that concern by William R. Kennedy of Newark, was sold. The bar was purchased by William Stall of Phoenixville, Pa., for \$57.00. The only other bidder was J. W. Parrish, local jeweler.

Sewer Assessment Adjusted

Members of Town Council and the Sewer Commission held a joint meeting last Friday night, for the final adjustment of appeals from the sewer assessment. In most cases the appeals were adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Standard Medal To Be Adopted

Designs have been submitted to Coach McAvoy and the Athletic Council of Delaware College for medals to be awarded at the interscholastic and intercollegiate meets this spring. The design consists of a round gold medal with a likeness of Joe Frazer surrounded by the words "Delawarensis Collegii, 1883" on the obverse side, and a reproduction of the Memorial gates of Joe Frazer Field on the other. Other designs will be submitted in a few days.

Change Of Hour

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will be held in the S. S. room Thursday evening at 7.15, instead of 7.30 as announced, on account of the lecture by Prof. Short at the College that evening. Business of importance. Election of officers for ensuing year.

NEWARK BOY SURPRISES FRIENDS

George Holton Weds Miss Byers

A surprise was sprung in the social circles of the younger set this week by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Irene Byers of Chesapeake City to George Holton of Henderson, North Carolina, well known here.

Mr. Holton was one of the most prominent members of last year's graduating class at the Newark High School. He was active in all the athletic and social events connected with the school. Early in June, he accepted a position with the Henderson Lumber Company, Henderson, North Carolina. He had been there only a short time when he was elected secretary of the company.

Miss Byers is the youngest daughter of William Byers of Greensboro, Pa., now residing at his country home at Chesapeake City. She is a younger sister of Mrs. Ad. Thomas of this town.

Mr. Holton came north last week and joined Miss Byers. They took the train immediately for Henderson where they were quietly married on Saturday evening.

The young people will make their home at Henderson.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE RECEIVES GIFT

Valuable Library From Dr. Twitmyer

In the will, probated Friday, of the late Prof. George W. Twitmyer, who was until his death superintendent of the Wilmington public schools, the only public bequest, which was a most important one, was that of his entire professional library, which goes to the Delaware College for Women, buildings for which are being erected at Newark. His professional library is most valuable and would be hard to duplicate.

Just how many volumes this library contains could not be learned. It is known, however, that in the study of his late home it occupied the space of all four walls of the room from floor to ceiling.

Dr. Twitmyer had a standing order with all publishing houses for every new book issued on educational subjects.

As an illustration of the value of this library an incident may be cited. A certain young man was preparing to take examinations at the University of Pennsylvania. Unable to find the text books required at the university library, he turned to Dr. Twitmyer's library and was able to find every book he needed. The news of such an important acquisition to the new college for women will be received with general appreciation. It is the first bequest received by the new institution.

Delaware Boy Prominent At Annapolis

At the annual banquet given to the Navy basketball team, Frank H. Dean, Delaware, ex '14, was one of the five "plebe" members of the varsity squad to make presentation speeches. The coach, captain, and manager of the undefeated Navy team were presented with gifts from the varsity squad.

Y. M. C. A. Campaign In Wilmington

A campaign to secure 1200 new members of the Wilmington Y. M. C. A. was resolved upon at a banquet given by the managers last week to members of the advisory board, and a number of ministers of the city who approved of the movement. Two teams will be selected, the losers to give a banquet to the winners.

NEW CENTURY CLUB

Owing to the stormy day, there was no meeting of the New Century Club last Monday, and "Library Day" that had been planned for next Tuesday, will be postponed till Tuesday, March 31st, as Dr. Sypher, who is to give a talk in the library room, will not be able to attend next week.

There will be a business meeting at the club rooms next Monday, with music, and all members are urged to be present as questions of importance are to be decided. Signed Program Committee

COMPANY E. IN LEAD

Highest Score To Date In Trophy Contest

Members of Co. E, Organized Militia of Delaware, made a great run at their targets last Thursday night, in the annual Delaware Trophy Cup shoot, between members of the several companies of the Militia. The shoot, under the direction of Captain Mulhausen, recorded a total of 886 points out of a possible 1000, and overlapped Co. H. of New Castle, which shot the same evening, by 54 points.

Companies D and C of Wilmington will shoot this Friday evening, and with their report the match will close. The score to date follows:

Co. G, at Dover, Feb. 23.....	701
Co. E, at Newark, Feb. 26.....	886
Co. H, at New Castle, Feb. 26.....	832
Co. B, at Milford, Feb. 27.....	707
Co. F, at Wilmington, Mar. 2.....	652
Co. A, at Wilmington, Mar. 2.....	758
In view of the fact that the contest in former years has been strongest in the down-state companies, the prospect is that Co. E will retain the Delaware Trophy Cup which it captured last year.	
Members of the local team which shot last Thursday night and their individual scores follow:	
Captain Jacobs.....	182
Lieutenant Clarke.....	176
Sergeant Sergeant.....	164
Corporal Ferguson.....	184
Private Pierson.....	180
Grand Total.....	886

Grange Meeting Next Monday

Newark Grange will meet in College Hall next Monday evening at eight o'clock. An interesting program has been arranged by members of the committee in charge. Last Monday was the regular meeting night, but owing to the severity of the weather, the meeting was postponed until one week later.

M. E. Church Notes

Newark M. E. Church, Sunday, March 8.
10.00 a. m. Sunday School
11.00 a. m. Missionary Anniversary
3.00 p. m. Class Meeting
6.30 p. m. Young Peoples' Service
7.00 p. m. Evangelistic Services with sermon.

OBITUARY

ELLA MARIE LEE

Died, on February 27, Ella Marie Lee, daughter of Mary and the late Robert E. Lee, aged 7 months and 18 days. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon from the residence of her grandfather, George H. Emerson, Interment, Newark Cemetery.

CHARLES R. FOARD

Charles R. Foard, aged 32 years, died in a private hospital last Saturday evening, after a prolonged illness. The body was brought to his home, Elk Mills, Md., on Sunday. Funeral services from the residence of his father, James H. Foard, on Thursday, March 5. Services at two o'clock in Head of Christiana church. Interment in adjoining cemetery. The deceased is survived by a father and three sisters.

HARRY S. JOHNSON

Harry S. Johnson, aged 27 years, died at his home near Newark on Tuesday, March 3. Funeral services from the residence of his father-in-law, George Aiken, Thompson Station, on Saturday, March 7, at 2 p. m. Interment, White Clay Creek Cemetery. The deceased is survived by a wife and one child.

ROBERT S. PORTER

Word has been received by friends in this locality of the death of Robert S. Porter, who died at the Sailors' Home on January 16, 1914. Mr. Porter was at one time a well known horse trainer and for many years resided on the Cherry Island Marsh Farm, owned by George A. Talley of Wilmington. Mr. Porter was well-known in the Wilmington markets which he attended for a number of years.
A wife, Mrs. Nettie Porter, of Newark, and six children, survive.



A SUBJECT SUGGESTED

We are presenting the above picture as one furnishing a topic for an interesting and useful discussion for some of the Community Meetings. No organization can discuss the matter of a Free Reading Room and Library so effectively as the Alumni Association of the High School.

St. Thomas Church Receives Bequest

The will of Miss Fannie Lee Shapleigh, which was probated in Wilmington last week, bequeaths the sum of \$200 to St. Thomas P. E. church of Newark, to be invested and the proceeds used for necessary repairs from time to time in the chancel of the church. The deceased has been for years an active and devoted member of the church.

Community Meeting At Marshallton

Dr. Elmer E. Cross, superintendent of free schools of New Castle county, and Dr. Chas. A. Wagner, State Commissioner of Education, are conducting a community meeting in Marshallton M. E. Church this evening. An invitation has been extended to all in the community interested in the advance of the public school system of the State.

NEWARK AS SEEN AFTER AN ILL-NESS OF FOURTEEN YEARS

Having been away from the world for a period of fourteen years—tho not in a sleep as was the case with Rip Van Winkle, for I had read the papers, sometimes when my strength would permit, and have seen a few persons from time to time, yet while Rip's impressions were bewildering when he first visited his native town after waking—my impressions received upon my first going out among people, was that of amazement mingled with pleasure. Soon after leaving my home, located about two miles south of Newark, instead of continuing in ruts of mud or dust as the case might be, I came upon a macadamized road. Then imagine—if you can—the sensation it would give when, instead of meeting the heavy-wheeled mill wagon drawn by two large white horses, as in former years, here came a large auto truck used for the same purpose; next came two touring cars speeding with a tool, a whiz, a whirl and gone. My whole left side felt as if it had been shaved. I wanted to get as far out of the road as possible when we met the formidable looking things (and to me the occupants looked rather impertinent). It would take me quite a little time to recover from the shocks, while the horse, accustomed to such every-day occurrences as an auto, paid no attention to it whatever.

I had started on an observation trip, one pleasant afternoon last summer, to note some of the changes which had taken place in and around Newark, since my last trip in the spring of 1898. Now I am trying to tell my readers how things impressed me in my dazed, self-conscious awakening, struggling-for-self-control, interested, joyous, determined, alert (all these sensations and more, too), rioting thru my being. Nothing dull or stupid, but somewhat obscure after all.

We rode slowly as I looked with pride at the State Experiment Farm. On a subsequent visit, I saw the registered stock and modern improvements. I take a glance a few years into the future, when prejudice will be overcome and no enmity between science and soil, or between natural physical strength and training; and progressive farming in full sway. There were marked changes at the Station—dwellings where corn had recently grown. Next the stately old Red Men's Home, which has more significance than a mere residence, attracted my eye.

I glanced to the right and felt a thrill of gladness in contemplation of The Women's Affiliated College on the site. On a subsequent visit I saw it was rapidly going up, but I may be pardoned for a pang of regret that it had not been possible years ago when the dearest wish of my heart might have been granted, whereas, for the lack of filthy lucre, I had to struggle on, with my fondest ambition blasted. We are anticipating that our new dean will create an influence which will inspire tone, quality and sincerity into the personalities of young women, so they will be able to discriminate between essentials and illusions—in addition to their brilliant talents.

We rode on a little farther. If I had dropped down from an airship I should not have known whether I was entering Newark or Honolulu, but I did know that I was still un-

der the protection of Uncle Sam—and I knew very well who our president is.

During retrospection I had wondered if the very dirty windows of a certain well-known business establishment had been washed? Yes, they looked fairly clean. Some parts of town looked strangely familiar, but my own voice, even, did not sound natural. I saw many beautiful new homes, some old ones remodeled, and nearly all newly painted. I admired the white ones with green shutters especially,—white gives distinction. Of course I saw some cheap new houses, an evidence of supply and demand. In order to encourage home patronage, a general merchant, in a small town, would do well to keep something in the line of neckties, cheaper than 50 cents; and in the line of men's hosiery, all the way from silk to those three-for-a-quarter. Customers are not all of one mind.

The palings having been removed from several yards added much beauty to the homes. There is nothing prettier than green yards or lawns well kept.

I saw a young lady hurrying up the street to stop a squabble between two of her little sisters. Upon inquiry I learned that she was the same girl I had seen over fifteen years before (then a little tot) come out on the front porch early one morning in her night dress.

After this, I saw a middle-aged lady, rather robust, dress rather short and narrow, walking down Main street, who reminded me of a top-heavy syrup-cup. Is there anything graceful about the walk of a woman in a narrow skirt? If it is draped or slit, it looks like an emergency case. We need an artist dressmaker in Newark who can invent modest, sensible styles which will not disgust gentlemen.

The sprinkler was in operation, the air cool and refreshing. I saw the new fire-proof bank, the new High School, the new Fibre Mill, the handstand, the base ball ground and stand, North College avenue widened, which adds wonderfully to the dignity of that part of town. I did not get a good view of the Joe Frazer Field, but it is one of the prides of Newark.

The Wall Paper Factory was in operation. When I rode on the new streets north of town, I was delighted with the view they get up there. It seems a fit location for retired people, but I have been informed that they do not reside there.

On my former trips I never knew what it was to have to stop on a street of Newark on account of congested traffic. I did not see any telephones then. But the most interesting thing I saw this time was the digging machine, which gave evidence that the sewer is to be a realization. I had waited impatiently for years to know that much needed sanitary improvement would be more than a mere dream.

Oh, yes, there is a new printing press in Newark and a new weekly paper which keeps agitating improvements and progress. There is so much that needs to be accomplished there is no time to pause yet.

Once a team of several horses were drawing a heavy log up grade and when they reached a steep place some of the horses flew back in their collars; the young driver be-

gan to whip the balkers, but with no success. The old driver came up and said, "Oh, tut, tut! Whip those that will pull." He touched them up a little, and the balkers pulled their share up hill.

Just here I am reminded that we have sustained serious losses of many who spent their time and energy faithfully, and were highly and deservedly esteemed; some at ripe old age, some at their prime at the height of usefulness, and others just entering. Time in its onward march brings many changes—some to our appreciation, and others not; but they will and must come. Some days are fair, some cloudy, but each unfolds something which had been hidden in nature and in ourselves.

Mrs. Arthur W. Rounds.

Special Meeting Of State Board

At a special meeting of Delaware's State Board of Education held at the state house, Dover, vacancies on the board caused by the death of the late Dr. George W. Twitmyer, president of the board and superintendent of Wilmington public schools, were made as follows:

Henry Ridgely of Dover, president of the board; Prof. George S. Messersmith, principal of Dover's public schools, vice-president. Prof. Harry Hayward of Newark, Del., was elected as a member of the affiliated college commission at Newark, of which Dr. Twitmyer was a member.

Governor Miller as yet has not appointed a successor to Dr. Twitmyer as a member of the State Board of Education.

A committee consisting of Mr. Ridgely, and State Commissioner of Education Dr. Charles A. Wagner, was appointed by the board to draft suitable resolutions on the part of the board concerning the death of Dr. Twitmyer, which were presented, read and adopted as follows:

Whereas official and committee vacancies have resulted in the State Board of Education of Delaware by reason of the death on February 14, of its honored and esteemed president, Superintendent George W. Twitmyer, Ph. D., therefore the said state board convened in special meeting to take suitable action, adopted the following resolutions:

First. This board deplures deeply the loss by death of its capable, courageous and broad-visioned president and leader.

Second. The members of the board are grateful for the opportunities they have enjoyed of entering into Dr. Twitmyer's earnest desires, his exalted aspirations and his noble hopes "for better things in education for Delaware and her children."

Third. These resolutions shall be entered upon the minutes of this board as a standing testimonial of its appreciation of the enduring value of Dr. Twitmyer's work for the interests of education in this state, whether as superintendent of the schools of the city of Wilmington, trustee of Delaware College, member of the affiliated college commission, president of the State Board of Education, or in each of the other capacities in which he gave thought, counsel, and encouragement to human uplift.

Fourth. A copy of these resolutions shall be sent to the members of Dr. Twitmyer's family.

Missionary Conference Considers Industrial Education

At a conference of the International Women's Home Missionary Committee, held recently in Philadelphia, the subject considered was a movement to accomplish for the colored man of the North what Booker T. Washington has endeavored to do for the colored man in the South.

The Rev. William A. Credit, pastor of the First African Baptist church, and President of the Downingtown Agricultural and Industrial School, who was the chief exponent of the cause, called it "The Negro Problem." The speaker protested that race prejudice was still so strong that, though employment in stores, banks or at a trade are all open to him, the colored man was barred and walked the streets.

"The 'negro problem' exists in the South no more; today it is in the North, in Philadelphia," he said. "Booker Washington once asked of men, 'What's the matter with you fellows up North? You have the vote and an equal opportunity. What do you complain of?' I replied, 'If a man is hungry why place a turkey a few inches from him and then bind him hand and foot?' That is the problem."

Mr. Credit said there were 100,000 folks in Philadelphia and its suburbs, adding:

"At the close of the war the colored man received the right to vote but the door of opportunity was closed to him. Would it not be greater economy for the Commonwealth to establish industrial schools where the colored youth may be taught a useful trade, than to allow him to wander unrestrained through the streets only to maintain him finally in a prison, or a reformatory or an almshouse?"

He said the boys of his school have been taught to make scrubbing brushes. These brushes were distributed among the churches last Monday and put on sale. A part of the proceeds will go to the support of the school.

Workers Without Wages

Birds live to eat. It is lucky for men they do. Some years ago a French scientist told the world that if all the birds should suddenly die man would have only a year's life left to him, and proved his point to the satisfaction of other scientists.

How much does a bird eat? Take the robin as an example. It eats at certain seasons of the year about double its weight in insects and worms every day.

The bird's dinner hour begins at sunrise and ends an hour after sunset. Any legislation looking to the shortening of its hours of labor, which are coincident with its hours of eating, would bring famine. All the song-birds and all the silent birds give their service to man and they ask no pay for it except to be let alone.

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Westbound—week days: a. m., 12.34, 5.20*, 7.02, 8.42*, 8.45; p. m., 1.29*, 2.33, 3.39, 4.13*, 9.28*. Sundays: a. m., 12.34, 5.20*, 9.28; p. m., 1.29*, 2.33, 6.22, 9.26*.

*Express trains.

PENNSYLVANIA

Northbound—week days: a. m., 1.54*, 5.59, 7.41, 8.33, 9.28*, 11.13; p. m., 12.21, 2.38, 3.04, 4.36, 5.46*, 8.49*. Sundays: a. m., 1.54*, 8.33, 9.28*, 11.38*; p. m., 2.38*, 4.36*, 5.46*, 8.49*.

Southbound—week days: a. m., 12.29*, 8.05, 10.04*, 10.31, 11.26; p. m., 12.02*, 3.04, 4.54, 5.34*, 6.35, 7.04; Sundays: a. m., 12.29*, 8.19*, 9.24, 11.26*; p. m., 12.02, 5.34*, 6.29, 8.28*.

*Express trains.

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

Delaware City trains leave: a. m., 8.33; p. m., 12.04, 4.48, 5.47. Arrive: a. m., 8.28, 10.04, 11.01, p. m., 4.25.

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HERE AND THERE

Subscriptions toward the establish-Clayton streets, Wilmington, was dedicated of a new temperance hotel at cated on February 22. The structure Oxford, last week, totalled \$15,000. cost \$41,000, of which \$2500 is yet due.

Thieves stole all of George Ennis' chickens, 35, from his henry at Boothwyn, one night last week.

The feet of William Knight were so badly frozen while he was employed at cutting ice at Icedale, that amputation was found necessary.

Growers around Ellendale have organized to force a contract price of \$12 per ton for tomatoes for the coming season.

Sussex county rural schools have been supplied with 12 travelling libraries by the State Commission.

Albert I. Swan, Delaware City's new postmaster, not having yet received his commission, the office is in charge of J. Frank Reybold.

There were 38 deaths, 37 births and 29 marriages in Wilmington last week compared with 38 deaths, 20 births and 178 marriages during the like week last year.

Officials of the duPont Powder Company on Saturday purchased 94 acres of the Susan Green estate, at Greenville, for, it is said, \$100,000.

The senior class of Delaware City High School netted \$40 from the drama presented there for its benefit.

The new Marsh Hope bridge, 120 feet long, combining steel springs on concrete piers, has been accepted by the Sussex Levy Court.

Riding on the tender of an express train engine from Philadelphia, Herman Cawthorn, colored, was discovered at Wilmington almost frozen on Saturday and was fined \$5 and costs for trespassing.

The Delaware Drainage Commission has authorized its secretary to employ an attorney and gather information as to drainage laws in other States.

Wilmington City Council declined to vote money for street cleaning to give work to the unemployed, but may urge the City Hall-Court House Building Commission to hire men on excavation work instead of using steam shovels.

Eleven-year-old James Muldoon broke his left leg, one day last week, while coasting near Delaware City.

Charles Hoffman, former owner and manager of the Jefferson House, New Castle, is reported seriously ill.

Dr. P. A. M. Rovitti, of Wilmington, has been chosen Coroner's physician by the Trustees of the Poor of New Castle County. William M. Brackin, of Christiana hundred, has been appointed a member of the Board, vice John Peoples, whose term has expired.

The managers of the Home for Aged Women in Wilmington will shortly set a donation day for its benefit.

New Castle City Council has purchased for public use the William Lea & Son's Company's wharf, paying for it with a \$5,000 issue of bonds taken at par.

Frank Madden, of New Castle, has purchased a tract of 17 acres near St. Georges, which he will develop as a poultry farm.

Rev. W. A. B. Holmes, rector of St. Paul's Church, Georgetown, has resigned because of ill health and has gone South, hoping to recuperate.

New Castle Methodist Improvement Society has chosen Mrs. James H. Quimby, President; Miss Florence Ferguson, Secretary, and Miss Josephine Clothier, Treasurer.

Towers Small, a genuine gypsy, died at a camp near Kirkwood, last week. Undertaker C. H. Clewell, of New Castle, took charge of the body and had it removed to Elizabeth, N. J., for interment.

Norris H. Dixon, an official of the Painters, Paperhangers and Decorators Union, of Wilmington, was held in \$500 bail last week for a hearing on the charge of embezzling \$473 of its funds.

Washington Fire Company of Wilmington, celebrated its seventy-fourth anniversary last Monday night, with a reception and dance.

Senator L. A. Drexler, of Bethany Beach, has just had completed a private wireless telegraph station with a radius of 180 miles.

The newly erected Seventh Day Adventists' Church, at Howland and

Joseph T. Cash, thrice president of the Reliance Fire Company, of Wilmington, died last Monday, of pneumonia, following exposure at the fire at Barr & Dougherty's morocco factory in that city, on February 15.

The new quarters of the Men's Club of Immanuel Church, New Castle, have been furnished and supplied with literature and are now open to members and their friends.

Fred B. Greenely was charged in the City Court in Wilmington Thursday, with collecting bets from other young men to be placed on horses racing on the track at Charleston, S. C., but as he desired to secure counsel, his case was continued until Monday.

Fire, caused by an overheated stove damaged Felton station on the B. & O. R. R., last week, to the extent of about \$500.

Wilmington Bank clearings last week totalled \$1,542,674.62, against \$1,989,852 for the like week last year, a difference of \$447,777.38. For the month ending on Saturday the clearings totalled \$8,382,812.13, an increase of \$1,381,416.13 over those for the like period last year.

Two school children, entering St. Patrick's Church, Wilmington, Thursday afternoon, found Mrs. Helena Sweeney, of 1111 French street, lying unconscious on the floor, and ran to notify the pastor. It was found that she had drunk lye from a bottle. She was hurried to Delaware Hospital and given needed treatment. She said recent trouble her caused her attempt on her life. It is thought that she will recover.

State Archon C. F. Worrlow on Friday evening installed the newly elected officers of Elkton Conclave of Heptasoph in Mechanics' Hall, and a banquet followed the ceremonies.

Falling from a high ladder, one day last week, at the Kenmore paper mill at Providence, near Fair Hill, Clement McAllister was seriously injured.

Justice J. M. Ash gave a hearing last week at Elkton to four hack drivers, charged with annoying wedding couples at the railroad station and fined each of them \$12.62.

Most of the ice houses at Havre de Grace were filled during the present freeze on the Susquehanna river from which little ice was obtained last year.

Mrs. Jane B. Fletcher has entered suit against the P. & W. R. R. for \$50,000 damages for the death of her husband, A. R. Fletcher, an undertaker, of Aberdeen, Md., who was killed there recently when an express train collided with his team on a crossing at which, it is alleged, the safety gates were not lowered.

Young men of Rock Church, Fair Hill, have formed a Social Club with Joseph Miller President, and C. P. Kite, Secretary.

The Harford county, Md., Commissioners oppose the taking over by the State Roads Commission of the old bridges of the P. & W. & B. R. R. over the Bush and Gunpowder rivers, as involving the county in needless expense.

With the coming establishment of three new industrial plants at Elkton, residents expect a building boom this summer.

George H. Anderson, conductor of a freight train, seeing the danger signal set on the freight cut-off of the Delaware Railroad, at South street, New Castle, at midnight, on Saturday, investigated and found John Naylor, 67 years old, of Townsend, the watchman, dead in his box. He had gone to work at 6 o'clock and it is thought becoming ill with heart trouble and unable to get help, set the danger signal to prevent any disaster. He had worked for the company for 35 years.

The automobile of George McGovern, of St. Georges, on Sunday night collided with a Wilmington & New Castle trolley car at Fifth and Delaware streets, New Castle. The front of the auto was smashed and a charge was torn off the trolley car. William Cox, colored, was thrown from the rear seat of the auto head foremost through a window of the car, but escaped with slight injury.

Fire of unknown origin, early on Thursday morning, destroyed the barn and other buildings on one of Alfred I. duPont's farms at Blue Ball, near Wilmington, tenanted by Nicholas Connolly, causing a loss of upwards of \$20,000. 21 cows, 9 horses

and 20 sheep perished in the flames, and 1200 bushels of corn, 50 tons of hay, 100 bushels of wheat and 20 tons of bran were consumed. The Water Witch and Brandywine Fire Companies with their chemical outfits saved the tenant house from destruction. Governor Miller, who had just returned

Howard Hudson, State Collector of Oyster Revenues, in his annual report shows receipts of \$10,067 for 1913, of which the State received \$6836.41, and the remaining \$3236.41 went for expenses. The guard boat used to patrol the beds along the bay shore was equipped with a new gasoline engine, during the year, at a cost of \$1262.50. The report shows 50 boats of residents and 37 of non-residents engaged during the year in taking oysters from the Delaware beds.

Mrs. Margaret Magraner died at her home, 400 Delaware Place, Wilmington, on Friday, of gangrene, resulting from frost-bite. Seven years ago one of her feet was frozen and caused her much pain every winter. She and her daughter raised poultry and going out in the snow to feed the chickens about a week previous to her death the frost-bite was aggravated and gangrene developed. Physicians urged amputation of her leg below the knee, but she would not undergo the operation.

ed on a late train from Philadelphia, met Fire Chief Ainscow and went with him in his automobile to the scene of the blaze. Neighbors gathered from far and wide and lent all possible assistance.

City Councilman John J. McGoldrick, a member of the Water Witch

THE BIG BLOW

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Business Suits \$6, \$7.50, \$8.50

Dress-up Suits \$11.25 to \$22.50

Business Overcoats \$4.50 to \$11.25

Dress Overcoats, \$15 to \$30

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Fire Company, one night last week, with the use of snow balls, checked a blaze caused by cross wires in the Newark Shoe Stores, 702 Market st., Wilmington. He was burned on the hands and slightly shocked while fighting the blaze.

Two strangers whom Frank Hurley had driven 15 miles from Seaford, to Sharptown, Md., one day last week, they posing as Government employees, refused to pay him his charges and aided him by displaying revolvers. They also forced a Sharptown liveryman to drive them to Rhodesdale. Officers are searching for the men, who

it is thought, are desperadoes from one of the large cities.

A smooth-spoken young white man hired a team from Thomas Appleby of Christiana, one day last week, and disappeared. He also offered worthless checks to other residents.

Rural Mail Carriers Meeting

At a meeting of the State Rural Carriers' held in Dover last week, officers were elected as follows: President, Frank L. McKee, Dover; Secretary, Walter Ford, Clayton;

Treasurer, Mr. Shaw, Edgemoor; Delegates to the National Convention of Mail Carriers, which meets in Washington, D. C., August next, Charles H. Lane, Harrington; alternate, David H. Hancock, Dover.

The carriers discussed the good roads subject, advocating good roads everywhere in the State, and the "penny nuisance," that of dropping letters in the mail boxes without stamps on them, which has been a great hindrance to the carrier. They urged the buying of stamps by the farmers. The next annual meeting of the carriers will be in Wilmington on Labor Day.

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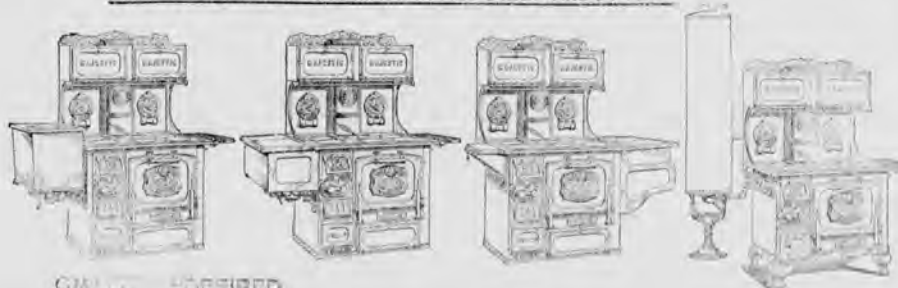
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WOMEN'S COLLEGE FACTS

In response to several inquiries relative to the progress of The Woman's College buildings and whether the School will be opened next September, we can repeat only that which has been published several times.

The bill providing for the establishment of this school states specifically that it is to be ready in September 1914.

The Commission appointed under provision of the Act are on record in saying that the work will be complete. Although the contract was not awarded until late in the season it must be understood that the planning and deciding the details of construction took considerable time. Yet the contract was awarded with provisions that it be complete, in time to prepare for occupancy at the beginning of the school year.

The President of the College backed by authority of the Board of Trustees, has made this announcement to the public.

The Dean has been selected and has been authorized to prepare announcement of courses of study. This work is now being done. A Committee of the Faculty has outlined a tentative plan which has been submitted to the Dean. It is probable that this announcement will be made in the course of the next few weeks.

The financing of the institution from its opening in September, until the convening of the next session of the General Assembly has been pledged by the Board of Trustees. When this question was raised during the discussion of the Bill at the last session, the State Senate was told that the Board of Trustees would assume this responsibility during those few months.

With these facts, as given, not officially, it seems absurd, at least, unkind, to intimate that the College will not open at the time provided for.

It is true that weather conditions just now are preventing noticeable progress on the building. These conditions were of course reckoned with by both the Commission and the contractor. It may be interesting to note in this connection that a bulk of the material is being assembled ready for efficient work at the opening of spring.

There are in our mind several distinct facts upon which we base our conclusion that the College for Women will open at the beginning of the next college year.

1. The personnel of the Commission. The members have been set a task which they in turn have accepted. The State has imposed this task and may look with confidence for the execution of the commission's part. To know these people is to recognize success.

2. The Board of Trustees has so placed themselves on record to the General Assembly and to the people of the State that to fail now in any respect would be breaking faith with those they represent. The Board of Trustees, as a Board, has no intention, or desire to shrink or escape that responsibility.

3. The demands of the State have been such for years, that any failure for the realization of this institution as planned, would bring a criticism upon all concerned that would affect the institution for years to come. Failure in this would be interpreted as gross dereliction or inability on the part of those entrusted with this work,—and rightly, too.

This talk that the college will not open is doing considerable harm. Those responsible are disgruntled, disloyal to the College and the State, or ignorant of the thought of the day in Delaware.

Value Of Real Estate In Wilmington

It is figured that the valuation of real estate in Wilmington under the new assessment recently completed, will total from \$70,000,000 to \$80,000,000, compared with the previous total of \$57,000,000. Unless appeals should cause a material change, a reduction of perhaps 30 cents in the tax rate might be possible. The increase has been general throughout the city and has caused many protests, but the Board of Assessment, Revision and Appeals think opposition will subside when it is learned that the lowering of

the rate will make taxes no more burdensome than they are at present. The Levy Court on Friday passed a resolution setting aside the new county assessments made on property in Wilmington by Assessors George W. Cox, Neal M. Kennedy and Martin F. Mealy and restoring the previous valuations. Mr. Burris, who offered the resolution, on the advice of Julian C. Walker, the Levy Court's Attorney, stated that the new assessment showed an estimated decrease in valuation of about \$2,000,000 in the entire city.

PEOPLES' COLUMN

The Ballad Of Johnny Coldroom

Oh, hear of Johnny Coldroom and his awful life of crime:
Each week he went to movies and spent two hours of time;
He might have saved his nickles and been moral just like me (!)
But he spent money every week earth's wicked ways to see:
At last he lost his moral sense and sealed an awful doom:
He joined the general clamor for a public reading room.

Down, down, he dropped; the Newark Post he read in shameless sin.
And after that no spark of hope was ever known for him.
He might have lived a better life and from the movies turned:
He might have been respectable and all save virtue spurned.
But worldly pleasures proved too great, thus, tempted to his fall,
Bad Johnny Coldroom lost his soul and sinned beyond recall.

Guard well your feet from paths like his and see the deadly snare.
In living in a boarding house with all its pampering care,
Remember that your safest course is safe to stay at home.
And cook your meals and tend your fire and never seek to roam
To deadly moving picture shows and all that leads to crime.
And though your ears push up your hat your course will be sublime.

IRON HILL, Md. O. R. Washburn

Pick-Ups

To print account of a card party with prizes awarded, to fail to describe the dress at a wedding—they both mean trouble to the country editor but nothing compared to the failure of making every horse win on the Snow Path.

You can ship a calf from Berlin, Maryland to Philadelphia—a distance of 140 miles—cheaper than you can from Newark, a distance of 37 miles. Strange, isn't it!

There are 10 acre plots in Kent and Sussex—lots of them,—that are netting an average of over \$2,000 a year. How many of them are there around here? Yet, our land is better, our shipping facilities better.—Why is it!

Don't say our soil is not adapted to fruits and vegetables,—that's a poor excuse. Why is it!

There is a herd of cows near Newark,—10 of them,—that did not net the profit one cow did at the Farm.

To get your true rating in the Community: Add a Card Party Discussion to a Cigar Store Debate; then subtract the Free Advertising; divide the result by the number opposed to the Sewer.

Did you see the cartoon with Wilson dancing the Hesitation with Huerta?

A Democrat said the other day: We are now having Tariff for Revenue only. On being asked how it was different from the Republican tariff he said: "Blamed if I know. It doesn't affect me anyhow."

There is just lots of news under cover. The lid will fly up in a short time. Watch The Post.

The Board of Trade of Newark is composed of the Leaders in the Community,—which is as it should be.

The man who did not appreciate the lecture on the "Canons" last week,—whether a professional man

or not,—is not a good citizen in the full sense of the term. Every man, I care not what his station in life may be, should take an active interest in the workings of his government. It is does not appeal to him, he has no moral right to express an opinion and arouse dissatisfaction with any other citizen.

Rumors Of Spaid For Superintendent

The name of A. R. Spaid, former County Superintendent of the schools of New Castle Co., has been repeatedly mentioned, during the last week, as successor to Prof. G. W. Twitmyer, late Superintendent of the schools of Wilmington.

S. H. Baynard, president of the Wilmington Board of Education, when questioned concerning the rumor last evening, said that the matter as yet, had not been discussed by the Board. The schools at present are being ably managed by Miss Devine, for a number of years assistant to Dr. Twitmyer, and a selection for the vacancy is not considered urgent.

EXAMINATION FOR PLUMBER'S LICENSE

An examination, for those desiring to take out a Plumber's License for the Town of Newark, will be held in the Town Building on Friday evening, March 6th at 7:30 o'clock.

Signed

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Some Late Bargains

A farm of 200 1/2 acres (old survey), in Cecil county, Maryland, 3 1/2 miles from Rising Sun; the old Gardner homestead, formerly the property of the Cecil Paper Mill Company. Stone house containing 14 rooms, barn to stable 30 head of stock, pump at house and barn, 75 acres of timber, enough to pay for the farm. On account of poor health of the owner this property will be sold at a bargain; would be a fine place to raise young stock. Any one wishing to view the property call on Harry Fox, who occupies the premises.

A fine farm of 108 acres, in London Grove township, 1 mile from Chatham and 1 mile from Glenwood; brick house containing 8 rooms, mostly slate roof; pump at house and wind mill, barn to stable 18 head of stock, all necessary outbuildings. Sold on account of poor health of owner. A desirable farm home. Price, \$10,000.

Farm of 30 acres, in Franklin township, Chester county, Pa., 3 1/2 miles southwest of West Grove, 1 1/2 miles from Lansburg, opposite Achorn chapel and 200 yards from public school. Stable for 5 cows and 2 horses, good wagon house attached, good slaughter house with boiler. Quantities of fruit; well of good water.

12 acres, in Franklin township, 1 1/2 miles from Lansburg. Every foot of land tillable and of extra good quality; good fruit trees, 6-room frame house and barn, good stabling for 12 head of stock. 5 acres, 1 mile from Lansburg, well set in fruit trees; 5-room frame house and stable for 5 head of stock, beside chicken house, hog and wagon house.

12-room brick dwelling on East River street, West Grove, in the popular residential section. A very desirable house; slate roof, dry cellar, hot and cold water, bath room, summer and coal-light porches, shed at kitchen door, large lot with stable and carriage house, well set with trees. Will be sold at an interesting price to an interested party.

New stone house on West Evergreen street, West Grove, well supplied with conveniences, gas, electricity and hot water, nine city, spacious rooms, fine closets, 8 feet ceilings and finished throughout in polished hardwood, fine porches front and back, commanding good views.

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NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Newark Building and Loan Association will be held at their office, Old Fellows' Hall, on Tuesday, March 10th, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

WM. H. TAYLOR,
Secretary

SEWER NOTICE

Property owners desiring to make connections to the sewerage system will please make application at once to S. R. Erdman, Secretary of the Sewer Commission. Connections will then be installed continuously along each street, and by so doing the work will be facilitated and the necessity of having any section of the street torn up more than once, avoided.

Signed,

NEWARK SEWER COMMISSION

2-25-14

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between John F. Richards and Richard Cuff, of Newark, Delaware, under the firm name of Richards and Cuff, was dissolved on the Tenth day of January, A. D. 1914, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by and paid to John F. Richards.

JOHN F. RICHARDS
RICHARD CUFF

SALES

Public Sale of personal property and farming implements at the Daniel Thompson farm, New London Road, on March 5, 1914.

Public Sale of Personal Property, Stock and Farming Implements, on my farm near Milford Cross Roads, March 11, 1914. Anna E. Sanders.

Want Advertisements

For Sale, For Rent, Lost and Found

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10-8-1 T. F. ARMSTRONG.

FOR RENT—House on West Main street. Apply

12-3-14 Mrs. S. M. DONNELL

FOR RENT—House with all modern conveniences. Apply

12-3-14 Mrs. TILLIE THOMAS

FOR SALE—A farm of about 200 acres, between Newark and Milford Cross Roads.

12-17-14 J. P. WILSON

FOR RENT—Four rooms, two miles from Newark, with poultry privileges. \$5 per month. Apply

1-4-1 Newark Post

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CHAS. P. WOLLASTON, 1-1-1 Newark.

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1-7-14 Dr. W. H. STEEL

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2-25-14 J. P. CANN, Main st., Newark

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FOR SALE—Eggs for Hatching Dutch strain White Wyandottes, Italian Runner Ducks.

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PERSONALS

Miss Eleanor Harter is in Baltimore attending the wedding of her friend, Miss Hazelhurst.

Mrs. Ruth Fisher left today for West Chester, where she will make her future home with her sister, Mrs. Robert Hayes.

Miss Alice Shapleigh left Newark on Monday for her home in Los Angeles, California, after an extended stay with her aunt, the late Miss Fannie Shapleigh.

The Misses Steel, Depot Road, entertained a party of friends last Friday evening.

Miss Marie Osmond, for the last week the guest of her grandparents has returned to her home, Harrisburg, Pa.

Roy Berry of Harmony is very ill at the home of his parents.

Miss Gertrude Edmanson entertained Mr. John Burge and sister, Miss Ada of New Castle, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Whiteman were the guests of Mrs. Samuel Morrison last week.

Week-end guests at the home of Mrs. H. M. Campbell were C. L. Nicholson of Yale, and Lee Chandler of the University of Virginia.

SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Maxwell entertained two tables of Auction informally last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. O. Houghton gave a tea for the school teachers of Newark on Thursday afternoon, the Educational Committee of the New Century Club and the Chairman of the State Educational Committee were also guests.

Cards have been received by the Faculty and Trustees of Delaware College for a reception on March 10th, from Mr. and Mrs. Preston Lea, of Wilmington, to meet Miss Robinson, the Dean of the Affiliated College.

Mr. Richard R. Whittingham spent the week-end in Easton, Pa., with friends.

Theatre Party At Garrick

A theatre party was given last Friday night at the Garrick theatre, Wilmington, in honor of Miss Dorothy Mason and Miss Helen Vaneroft, both of Atlantic City, guests of friends in Newark. The trip was made in automobiles. The party included: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fader, Miss Emily Worrall, Miss Florence Maguire of Brooklyn, Miss Dorothy Mason, and Miss Helen Vaneroft; Otto Thomas, Hans Heidemann, Frank H. Clark and Walter R. Powell. Following the theatre the party had supper at the DuPont Hotel.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Blest of Newark have announced the engagement of their daughter, E. Irene to F. P. Sanders of near Newark.

Farewell Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Whiteman of Harmony entertained at a six-o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heavellow, who are to leave the neighborhood in a few days. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Whiteman, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heavellow, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grose, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benson, Mr. and Mrs. John Frist, Harry, Charles and Clarence Whitman, Robert Frist, Raymond Benson and Walter Grose.

Pleasant Valley School Notes

Highest standing in grades: Seventh, Charles O'Rourke; Fifth, Helen Schwartz; Fourth, Wm. Schwartz; Third, Lee McCormick. Perfect attendance during month—Helen Schwartz, Lee McCormick.

Thrilling Experience In Peru

W. S. Corkran, Delaware College Class 1910, now employed by the DuPont Co. as an engineer in South America, had an unusual experience in Peru while traveling through the country enroute for Chili, where he is conducting experiments in the nitrate fields. In a letter recently received by Rev. W. S. Corkran of Wilmington, Mr. Corkran writes that he was a witness of the recent revolution in Peru, which brought about the overthrow of former President Billinghurst at the cost of eight lives. Mr. Corkran arrived in Peru on February 2 and sailed from there on February 5. The revolution broke out on the night of the fourth, in full view from the quarters occupied by Mr. Corkran on the plaza opposite the government palace. The writer speaks of the riotous scenes of the night which ended in the overthrow of Billinghurst and the inauguration of Provisional President Durrand, with whom the people seem to be in sympathy. Mr.

Corkran writes that bullets from the guns of the revolutionists hit the building which he occupied and he had to retreat to a back room for safety. He saw two dead and two wounded men on the street that night. The firing continued on the government palace, and after the downfall of the government Billinghurst was imprisoned and his minister of war shot.

The morning of February 5 dawned quiet and peace seemed to be near. Mr. Corkran left Peru that day, to continue his journey to Tal Tal, Chili.

New Fibre Co. In Kennett

Letters patent have been received at the Chester county office of Recorder of Deeds for the Fibre Specialty Manufacturing Co. of Kennett Square. The capital stock is \$75,000, divided into 750 shares of \$100 each. Directors are J. Albert Marshall, treasurer, Kennett township; J. Baneroff Swayne, Kennett Square; Isaac Richards, Hockessin, Del.; Joseph T. Hickman, Kennett Square; Pennock M. Pyle, Kennett township; George B. Scarlett, Kennett Square.

Stock is held thus: J. Albert Marshall, 102 shares; J. Baneroff Swayne, 55; Isaac Richards, 15; Joseph T. Hickman, 33; Pennock M. Pyle, 76; George B. Scarlett, 75. The old factory and lot, used by the previous company, are taken as part of the capital stock.

A Chance For Home-Made Pastries

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Presbyterian Church will hold a bake in the store building lately vacated by Cofer Price & Co., on Saturday, March 7. All kinds of rolls, cakes and pies, as well as home-made candies for sale. Coasting parties made West Main street a lively section of town during the last week.

Benefit For Field Club

Newark Field Club of the Penn-Mar League will give a benefit in the Opera House on Thursday evening the 5th. It is hoped that all lovers of base ball will turn out and help start the boys off in good shape.

On Friday evening the 6th, the club will hold its last meeting before the Penn-Mar League meeting which is scheduled for Saturday the 7th here in Newark. Applications of ten clubs have been received by the president of this League and the advisability of increasing the circuit to eight clubs will be considered at that time.

Entertainment A Success

The free entertainment given by Minnehaha Tribe, No. 23, I. O. R. M., in Center Hall last Thursday night, the 26th, was one of the most successful nights of enjoyment and pleasure ever undertaken in this town. The committee on this entertainment worked hard for its success, as well as the tribe going to a great expense to show the public what the Red Men of this town could produce for them. We were disappointed in not being to have Mr. W. W. Knowles of Wilmington with us, as had been advertised, but he was taken sick on Tuesday and was not able to deliver the most interesting address arranged for, but Brother F. M. Smith and Brother G. W. Griffin interested us very nicely with short talks, telling the value of Redmanhood and the benefits derived therefrom by being a member of the Red Men, as well as the benefits for sick and death that had been paid out since the institution of this tribe, twenty-nine years ago in 1885, which Brother Smith explained as follows: Death benefits for members, \$1,600; death benefits for members' wives, \$950; sick benefits paid out, \$15,950; grand total, \$18,500.

This is an average of about \$638 a year for twenty-nine years. This tribe at the present time has a membership of 226, and is in first-class standing financially, and as Brother Griffin extended a hearty welcome to the Pale Faces (non-members) to join this tribe, we hope they will study the matter thoroughly, and any information they desire can be received from any of the members of this tribe. We hope all those present enjoyed themselves, regardless of the one or two disappointments and the necessary changing of the programme, which could not be avoided, account of our comedians missing their train. We thank the public in general for the appreciation they showed us as could be seen by the well crowded house.

Committee.

Sale Of Real Estate

S. K. Chambers, real estate agent, West Grove, has sold for Davis H. Forsythe, Westtown, his brick house on East Evergreen St., West Grove, to Theodore W. Bye,

of Lewisville, who expects to occupy the property in the Spring. Terms private.

Date For State Convention Named

Several important matters pertaining to the Sunday Schools were transacted at the winter meeting of the executive committee of the Delaware State Sunday School Association held recently in the Y. M. C. A. building, Wilmington.

Resolutions on the death of Dr. George W. Twitmyer were adopted at the afternoon session. Resolutions were also adopted expressing the gratification at the recovery of W. K. Crosby, who is residing at Brookline, Mass., and J. B. Gilchrist of Milford, both of whom are members of the association.

Arrangements were made for the state convention which will be held at Seaford April 28 and 29, at which there will probably be a missionary banquet.

The members decided to observe Association Day, which falls on the first Sunday in May, and also to observe the International Sunday School Day on June 28.

Plans were discussed relative to the delegates who will attend the international convention in Chicago June 23 to 30, inclusive. At the state convention seven delegates will be elected to attend the convention which will by far be the largest ever held.

J. A. Burns, recording secretary of the state association, was ap-

pointed transportation manager at the meeting while Miss Edna C. Barker of Milford, was made chairman of the delegation. I. Elmer Perry presided at the meeting which was opened with prayer by W. O. Hoffecker. Dinner was served in the banquet room of the building at noon.

STRICKERSVILLE

Anson Garrett is spending some time with his parents.

Miss Annie Lee is able to be out again.

Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Ottey spent Saturday in Wilmington.

While Joseph Coleman was kindling the fire last Wednesday morning he met with what might have proved a fatal accident. He poured coal oil over the kindling and when he applied the match the flames suddenly shot up, burning his shirt sleeve, whiskers and hair.

Wm. Ferguson's sale was largely attended and good prices were realized.

Mrs. Mendenhall's niece, Miss Brown from Colorado, is visiting relatives here.

The snow storm struck here Sunday afternoon, with the wind blowing a gale. Considerable damage to buildings has been reported and the place is almost snow-bound. In some places the roads are impassable.

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THE CAUCUS IN PARTY GOVERNMENT

Subject Discussed At Lecture In Oratory

Dr. W. W. Willoughby, head of the department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, delivered the third of the series of lectures under the history department, in College Oratory last Thursday afternoon.

The speaker, who is an authority of international reputation on questions of government, held his hearers for over an hour to a close study of "The Legislative Caucus in Its Relation to Party Government." The subject is, at this time, particularly interesting to all students of governmental problems owing to the fact that the legislative caucus has been such an important instrument in party government at Washington during the past year; it is an instrumentality the reasons for existence and powers of which we do not understand. Again its influence and operation illustrate in the clearest manner what is meant by party government in a democracy.

Dr. Willoughby defined popular government as one, of whatever outward form, which is subject to the effective and continuous control of public opinion, declaring where there is not this popular control, there is neither the possibility of, nor the need for political parties. The speaker illustrated the fact that political parties are not essential to popular governments by a reference to Switzerland, both in the Federal government and in the Cantons, where though they exist they have no dominating control in the administration of public affairs. Indeed throughout Europe generally, there is no state in which party government exists in the truest sense of the word. The parties that exist have no perfected machinery; they are not able to control the affairs of state.

In England where party government originated, the condition was a forced one, rather than one willingly adopted. The political literature of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries is filled with criticisms of parties. They were characterized as diseases of the commonwealth, and a menace to popular government. This conception of the danger of political parties was carried to America. Dr. Willoughby gave as an illustration of the sentiment that prevailed, extracts from Washington's farewell address, and references in the series of papers known collectively as the Federalist.

A critical examination of the federal and early State constitutions shows clearly no expectation that political parties would arise and government be carried on through them. The theory of popular government held at this time was the very simple one that the people should select representatives who should be not merely agents acting under instructions to carry out the wishes of their constituents, but representatives in whose probity and judgment the people had confidence. These representatives, vested with full powers, were to vote irrespective of party affiliations.

We all know this theory has never been realized. Immediately political parties arose, and made their partisan influence felt in all departments of the government, and elaborate governmental machineries through which the parties operated came into existence. Their establishment has seemed necessary in order that the will of the people with reference to public affairs, may be expressed. This method has resulted in a government by a part of the people—by a majority—rather than by the whole people. In many instances it has meant a government by those few persons who have secured control of the party's machinery of government. The speaker mentioned in this connection the various devices which have arisen to enable the voters of a party to limit the control of the party machinery. Mention was made of the Australian ballot, civil service reform laws, limitation and publicity of campaign expenses, primary elections, initiative, referendum and recall.

The point which Dr. Willoughby emphasized most emphatically was the fact that an acceptance of party government must permit the existence of agencies by which government may be efficiently carried on by the party in power. The caucus is one of the instrumentalities through which a party may carry into legislative effect the promise of the campaign.

Dr. Willoughby referred to the dominating influence of the legislative caucus, during the last year at Washington. In defining its organization and workings, he quoted the rules by which the present Democratic caucus is governed. As an

illustration of the extent to which legislation is dominated and controlled by the caucus, instances connected with the tariff and currency bills were given. Resolutions in reference to these measures were quoted in which the bills were declared to be party measures and the members of the caucus pledged to vote for the bills to their final passage without amendment.

Dr. Willoughby pointed out the results following the definite acceptance of party government in all its strictness: the independence of individual members is reduced almost to a cipher; the minority party is practically deprived of all participation on such as is declared a party measure. The arena of debate is, for all practical purposes transferred from the floor of the legislative chamber to the caucus room of the majority party. In other words government is carried on by a majority of the majority.

The purely party caucuses, the speaker explained, are in reality secret meetings. The members are under no obligation to publish the result of votes taken in the hall. They have, of course, no constitutional basis.

Since they are not integral parts of the legislature, it is necessary that they have agencies in the legislature which may be depended upon to carry into effect the committee on Rules.

Dr. Willoughby after showing how intimately the caucus system is bound up with the idea of party government, referred to the imperfections in the system. National conventions are held every four years to select nominees for president and vice-president. Here the platforms are adopted. The fundamental defects of such a method of procedure are that the declaration of the platform has not been held positively mandatory upon the party; the persons framing the party's policies are not those who will carry them into effect; and only once in four years is the party given an opportunity to thus formally declare its policies.

President Wilson has seen these defects, and in his last message before Congress, suggested a means of correcting the most important of them. He proposes the retention of party conventions for the purpose of declaring and accepting the verdict of the primaries, and formulating the platforms of the parties. He further suggests that the conventions should consist not of delegates but of the nominees of the party, the members of the Senate, whose terms have not yet closed, the national committees, and the candidates for the presidency themselves, in order that the platform might be framed by those responsible to the people for carrying it into effect. Such a policy would make the platform practically mandatory upon representatives of the party in power. This suggestion of President Wilson is linked with the idea of state primaries where shall be chosen the party nominee for president. This will mean that the successful candidate will be the leader of his party and able to dictate the platform which shall be adopted.

The speaker showed plainly that the modern methods of legislative procedure at Washington, which have been so often criticized, have a reasonable basis, and are open to criticism only by those who would go back to the ideals of the eighteenth century and repudiate party government. Owing to our peculiar constitutional structure, it is only when the same political party happens to be in control of both branches of Congress, and in possession of the presidential chair, that it is possible to make party government effective. It may be that the demand will make it urgent that constitutional changes shall be made to enable all branches of legislation to be controlled by the same party. Such safeguards have been gained in England and all English governed countries, by elaborate constitutional measures by which deadlocks may be overcome.

America seems to be traveling the same road. The popular election of senators, tends to a certain extent, in this direction, making probable a senate of the same political complexion as the House.

The tendency to carry the development of party efficiency has been carried further in some of the states, and various methods have been adopted. Dr. Willoughby referred to the plan of Illinois to place more power in the hands of the governor, by giving recommendations made by the governor precedence over all others with the exception of appropriations; to the constitutional amendment of Wis-

consin by which any bill introduced within the first thirty days of the meeting of the legislature, may, if not passed, be referred to the people.

In Oregon a proposed constitutional amendment provides for the appointment of a cabinet by the governor and a unicameral legislature. In Kansas, Governor Hodges urges a commission plan of government. The objection to this plan is that it places power in the hands of a small commission of men. Dr. Willoughby referred to the fact that it depends upon the kind of government you have as to the kind of men you can get to administer it. If it is a decentralized government, men of power are seldom inclined to give their time and energy to it.

In closing Dr. Willoughby defined such movements as the Initiative, Referendum and Recall, the Australian ballot, etc., as merely efforts to increase the control over party government, and as necessary if we accept the principle of party government. Personally, he placed his confidence in the ideal of centralized authority.

Tuberculosis Campaign In Middletown

At the request of Health and Social Committees of the New Century Club, the Delaware State Tuberculosis Commission has opened a Dispensary in Middletown. Clinics are held on Thursdays at 12 M. for colored patients and at 2.30 p. m. for white patients, and already five patients have been examined and treated at the Dispensary. The physicians who have kindly offered their services are Dr. D. W. Lewis and Dr. Norman Beale. Dr. Cuff will attend the colored patients.

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At every dispensary tuberculosis literature is kept for free distribution, as well as catalogues of the various sanatoriums in the country, all of which should prove of interest to all interested in public welfare.

The tuberculosis campaign is really a health campaign and needs the assistance of all the people to bring about the sanitation that helps to prevent this tragic disease.

Wilmington M. E. Conference

With respect to Berlin, Md., being able to accommodate the coming session of Wilmington M. E. Conference, Dr. George P. Jones, district superintendent of the Salisbury district, has addressed the following letter through Wilmington Morning News to the ministers and laymen of the conference: To the Ministers and Laymen of the Wilmington Conference:

Several direct and indirect communications have come to me recently in reference to the facilities of Berlin for entertaining the conference, each ending with an emphasized and doubtful question mark. For the sake of the capable and generous Methodism of the little town beside the sea and for the information of the skeptical, I am impelled to offer this word of explanation.

Every pastor, who has been a conference host, carries in his memory a supply of not-to-be-forgotten requests from numerous brethren of aesthetic tastes in reference to special consideration at conference, that will drive away the "blues" of the bluest Monday. Be it known that somebody went from the conference disappointed, if not displeased,—but these are the exceptions.

Berlin will not only do her best, but the ministers will have as good

accommodations as they have had in any other town on the shore. That was all considered before the church decided to invite. At that time there were two splendid hotels offering first-class service. One of these has been burned. We could not force that loss. The pastor advises that the hotels and boarding houses, as far as possible, will be reserved for the laymen. Our friends of the other churches of the town are offering their homes freely without solicitation. We deeply appreciate this favor.

The writer would remind you that at the last session of conference no other town invited. Berlin's genuine hospitality was accepted. Let us not be ungracious by prejudging unfavorably her first-time offered service. To avoid further embarrassment, I would suggest that the conference indorse that peculiar proposition, somewhat like aqueous vapor, which might be known as the sub "merger", if the Philadelphia Conference should be so inconsiderate as not to protect us from disaster. Then "we would flee as a bird to yon mountain" and say "good-bye" forever to all conferences on this fair old Eastern Shore.

While this is pending, I think I betray no confidence in saying that

there are at least two other churches of this district, each not unwilling to offer free entertainment for 1915, but as far as I am related thereto, will hold in obedience further hospitality, awaiting their doors again as in days of yore. Will the brethren, pastors and laymen present the opportunity? Salisbury district will gladly accept without question. Sincerely yours, George P. Jones, Salisbury District Supt.

State Officers J. O. U. A. M.

The State Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held in Wilmington last week, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: State Councilor, George F. Lang, No. 5, Wilmington State Vice-Councilor, H. O. Riggin, No. 19, Laurel; State Secretary, W. J. Moreland, No. 5, Wilmington; State Treasurer, Harvey Hoffecker, No. 29, Wilmington; State Conductor, H. F. Smith, No. 28, Newark; State Warden, George E. Kimmey, No. 33, Camden; Inside Sentinel, E. E. Hanna, No. 9, Wilmington; Outside Sentinel, William Downs, No. 12; State Chaplain J. E. Harris, No. 34, Delaware City.

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Delaware Representatives At National Conference

Governor Miller has appointed Miss Emily Bissel, Miss Margaret Shearman, Miss Mary A. H. Mathor, Miss Mary S. Malone and Miss Anna D. Bird all of Wilmington, as delegates to the tenth annual conference of the National Child Labor Committee to be held in New Orleans, March 14-18, at the invitation of the Louisiana Child Labor Committee. "Child Labor and Law Enforcement" will be the general topic of the Conference and various phases of the question will be presented by Jane Addams, Graham R. Taylor, of the survey; Senator Robert L. Owen and State officials who have had practical experience in enforcing child labor laws.

Efficient enforcement of existing laws is urgently needed in many states, according to Owen R. Lovejoy, general secretary of the National Child Labor Committee, and a comparison of present methods of administering child labor laws, of which the commission in Wisconsin are typical, will be a feature of the conference. Besides a comparison of present methods, the conference will also discuss work permits and the relation of the courts to enforcement. One evening will be set aside for the discussion of the Federal child labor bill. This bill, which was drafted by the National Child Labor Committee, and which has already received the endorsement of the Virginia Child Labor Committee, was introduced into the House last month by Mr. Palmer, and into the Senate on February 21 by Senator Herbert L. Owen.

Honorary Fraternity At Delaware

The only honorary fraternity having a chapter at Delaware College is the Phi Kappa Phi. Admission to this fraternity is based on scholarship. It admits the engineer, the agriculturist, the architect, and the chemist, in addition to the classicist and the man of letters. It is intended to encourage learning for its own sake, and to aid in the carrying out of the purpose for which educational institutions were founded and are now supported.

Phi Kappa Phi was started at the University of Maine in 1898. Chapters were soon established in four other colleges, including Delaware College. Since 1910 six new chapters have been established at

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 Saturday 9 to 12 m. 7 to 9 p. m.

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 NEWARK TRUST CO. Meeting of Directors every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Secretary—W. H. Taylor.
 Meeting first Tuesday night of each month.

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

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Monday—Jr. Order American Mechanics, 7.30 p. m.
 Wednesday—1st and 3rd of every month, White Clay Camp, No. 5, Woodmen of the World, 7.30 p. m.
 Thursday—L. O. O. F., 7.30 p. m.
 Saturday—Knights of Golden Eagle, 7.30 p. m.

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colleges in different parts of the country. Although this fraternity is a comparatively new one, its membership is now more than 2,000.

At the general convention held in Atlanta on January 2, 1914, the colleges of the country were grouped into districts, so that a more efficient campaign of expansion might be conducted. The Delaware Chapter is in the eastern division, of which Professor E. L. Smith, of Delaware, is the division commander.

Delaware Meets Strong Five In Brooklyn

Delaware College basketball team was defeated by Pratt Institute on the floor of the latter institution last Thursday night. Up to the last few minutes of the game, Delaware played the Brooklyn boys to a standstill and then went to pieces allowing Pratt to score almost at will. It was generally conceded that Pratt has the best team that Delaware has met during the season. Final score 46 to 24. The line-up follows:

Pratt Delaware
 Johnson... forward... Lacklen
 Willes Horsey
 Edwards
 Wells... forward... Weimer
 Markley
 Church... center... Wills
 Kelleher
 Harmon... guard... Doherty
 Woodward... guard... Cann
 Hunt
 Goals from field—Johnson, 4; Wells, 3; Harmon, 3; Edwards, 3; Church, 2; Hunt; Markley; Lacklen, 3; Wills, 2; Weimer; Doherty. Free throws—Johnson, 12; Wills, 10. Referee—J. J. O'Shea, St. John's College, Brooklyn. Halves, 20 minutes.

Scissors Scraps

MAN'S DEBT TO THE BEASTS
 Men have received valuable hints and learned many things of importance from beasts; such as gratitude from dogs, vigilance from the crane, foresight and frugality from the ant, honesty from the elephant and loyalty from the horse.—Don Quixote.

THACKERAYS TRIBUTE TO WOMAN
 If a man is in grief, who cheers him? In trouble, who consoles him? In wrath, who soothes him? In joy, who makes him doubly happy? In prosperity, who rejoices? In disgrace, who backs him against the world and dresses with gentle unguents and warm poultices the rankling wounds by the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune? Who, but a woman, if you please.—William Makepeace Thackeray.

If I had to live my life again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once every week; for perhaps the parts of my brain now atrophied would thus have been kept active through use. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness, and may possibly be injurious to the intellect, and more probably to the moral character, by enfeebling the emotional part of our nature.—Charles Darwin.

In Woman's Home Companion in the course of a talk to girls about friendship with boys, appears the following wise observation: "It is not a bad idea at all to laugh at one's own failures. It indicates at least that you have imagination; that you can imagine how funny other people must think something that you have done."

MY SYMPHONY

To live content with small means, to seek elegance rather than luxury, and refinement rather than fashion; to be worthy, not respectable, and wealthy, not rich; to study hard, think quickly, talk gently, act frankly; to listen to stars and birds, to babes and songs, with open heart; to bear all cheerfully, do all bravely, await occasions, hurry never—in a word, to let the spiritual, unbidden and unconscious grow up through the common—this is to be my symphony.—Channing.

UNAPPRECIATED ARDOR

"Darling!" he cried, passionately, throwing himself upon his knees before her and rolling up his eyes toward the chandelier, "darling, can you not see, can you not guess that I love you?" "Well," she replied, coolly, gazing at the disheveled youth on the rug, "I'd hate to think that this was just your natural way of behaving in company."

USE OF PAINT

It is said that American farmers use more paint on their buildings than any other farmers in the world. The people of this country paint every two years on an average, but in France, Holland and other European countries the painting is done on an average of every five years. Americans use more bright colors than any other nation.

ERRATIC TRAVELLER

Opportunity is the slowest thing in the world when it is approaching you; but when it is going in the other direction it travels faster than light.—Ex.

CONTROL OF MAN

Circumstances are beyond the control of man; but his conduct is in his own power.—Disraeli.

WHAT DOES IT MATTER?

It matters little where I was born, Or if my parents were rich or poor; Whether they shrank from the cold world's scorn, Or walked in the pride of wealth secure; But whether I live an honest man, And hold my integrity firm in my clutch, I tell you, my brother, as plain as I can, It matters much!

It matters little how long I stay In a world of sorrow, sin and care; Whether in youth I am called away, Or live till my bones are pale and bare; But whether I do the best I can To soften the weight of adversity's touch, On the faded cheek of my fellowman It matters much!

It matters little where be my grave, Or on the land or on the sea, By purling brook or 'neath stormy wave, It matters little or naught to me; But whether the Angel of Death comes down And marks my brow with his loving touch, As one that shall wear the victor's crown, It matters much!

DIRECT HINT

They had been talking as they walked. She had remarked pathetically: "Oh, it must be terrible to a man to be rejected by a woman!" "Indeed it must," was his response. Then, after a while with sympathetic ingenueness, she exclaimed: "It doesn't seem that I could ever have the heart to do it." And there came a silence between them as he thought it over.

TOO GREAT BELIEF IN LUCK

Many a fellow is such a firm believer in luck that he would rather look for a four-leaved clover than hustle for a job.—Ex.

YOUR VIEWPOINT

Success, happiness and usefulness in this world depends upon one's taking the right attitude toward life.—Rolfé Cobleigh.

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Singular Experience Of Kent County Woman

Residents of West Dover hundred are greatly stirred and State detectives are puzzled over the singular experience of Mrs. Herbert Hutchins, living near West Hartley on the night of February 22. Her husband was away from home. Hearing a knock on the door, and thinking he had returned, she unlocked it and was confronted with a well-dressed man wearing a mask and a white hat. He pointed a revolver at her and demanded money. She threatened to call her husband, but the stranger informed her of his absence, and at once began ransacking the house for money. Finding none, he took a pair of scissors and cut off Mrs. Hutchins' hair close to her head, and threw it into the stove. When her husband returned he found his wife unconscious, and it required three hours' work to revive her. She is still suffering from nervous strain and a heavy cold, as well as from frost-bitten feet, caused by exposure when the fire went out in the kitchen where her husband found her unconscious.

The Coming Of The Blue Birds

That the bluebird was due in this section on February 27, was stated by Dr. Witmer Stone, ornithologist of the Academy of Natural Sciences Philadelphia.

While bird migration is largely instinct, inherited from former generations, Dr. Stone says the weather has much to do with it. The movement northward this year is expected to be much retarded be-

cause of the extending of the cold weather southward this winter.

Though the bluebird's right to be called the "harbinger of spring" is unchallenged, he is hard pressed for the honor by the purple grackle the common blackbird, whose average arrival is one day later, or February 28th. The robin is a close third, averaging March 1st, with the meadowlark and fox sparrow following six days later.

Between March 7th and March 21st, when the little Phoebe makes its debut, there is a cessation in the migratory tide. After the phoebe comes the cowbird, vesper sparrow and chipping sparrow, the latter being due on March 31st. There is another long lapse until April 28th, when the song of the Maryland yellowthroat is heard. In the following two days come the grasshopper sparrow, yellow warbler, catbird, ovenbird and wood thrush.

The migration reaches flood tide between May 4th and May 12th, when the late visitors press each other closely. Among these are the redstart, blackthroated blue warbler, crested flycatcher, Baltimore oriole, scarlet tanager, red-eyed vireo, chat, bobolink, hummingbird, wood peewee and Canada warbler.

Newark Man Starts Business In Wilmington

The coming of Joseph Thomas Co., distributors of wall papers and room mouldings, to No. 511 Shipley street, this city, will be an addition to Wilmington's mercantile competency and efficiency which must, in its very nature, contribute

largely to the city's welfare and importance.

The Joseph Thomas Company will have everything in the wall paper line. New York or Philadelphia will have nothing on the new company, and therefore, as far as wall paper is concerned, will have nothing on Wilmington. This is important, for if you get people coming to Wilmington for wall paper they will get the habit of buying other merchandise here. This is the reason for The Star's enthusiasm about the coming of the Joseph Thomas Company. It would be enough to be glad about it if only wall paper was concerned. But such establishment, when we analyze its possibilities, does not only make us glad; it makes us enthusiastic.

We feel convinced that the new enterprise has made no mistake in location. It will be recalled that wall paper in this day is handled almost entirely by distributors. The paper-hanger does not carry immense stocks like he did twenty-five years or less ago. The distributor carries these stocks and the paper-hanger sells the goods to the purchaser by means of sample books.

These sample books embrace the complete stock of the distributor and those wanting wall paper have a choice really of all that is embraced in the wall paper business.

It will be understood from what is said here that location with strategical advantage as a point for distribution will mean everything in such a business. We predict that Mr. Joseph Thomas, who

has convinced himself that Wilmington is a good distributing point, is going to be surprised. We will place ourselves upon record as a judge of men in saying that Mr. Thomas is the right man for the business he is embarking in, but we believe he will learn and learn quickly that Wilmington has advantages that he has never thought of.

The Peninsula, South Jersey, the nearby Chester and Delaware county towns are his to conquer, for in these districts, located in Wilmington as he is, he has an advantage over any other distributing point. The Star is going to exert itself to see that the new firm has its advantages pointed out to it because such things are a part of The Star's boost campaign, and also because the new firm comes at a time when an opportunity is afforded to show what can be done in Wilmington, and The Star wants to use the success of the coming firm to urge on other distributors to locate here.

Watch The Joseph Thomas Company. We are convinced it is going to do Wilmington a lot of good.

From The Wilmington Star.

A big real estate deal is reported to be on hand—one of the largest in recent years. If culminated, big developments may be expected.

It takes nerve to face a pay roll,—but that's what makes the wheels go round.

If You Can't Buy it at Home Buy it in Wilmington

Spring Style Week in Wilmington

The merchants of Wilmington, through the Chamber of Commerce, announce a Showing of the New Spring Styles in Suits, Dresses, Millinery, Shoes, Clothing, Wash Goods, Dress Goods, &c., beginning entire week of March 16th.

At this time the stores will exhibit the latest modes in Ladies' and Misses' Suits, Dresses, Millinery, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes, &c., and adopt this method of extending a cordial invitation to readers of this newspaper to visit Wilmington during the week.

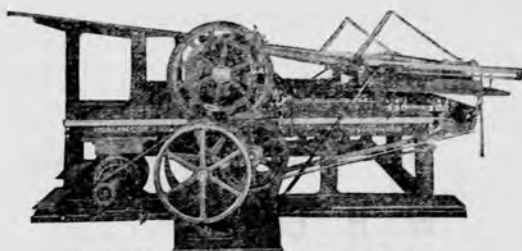
The merchants generally will allow railroad fare from Dover and points north on all purchases of \$20 and over, and from all points south of Dover (within the State) on purchases of \$25 and over.

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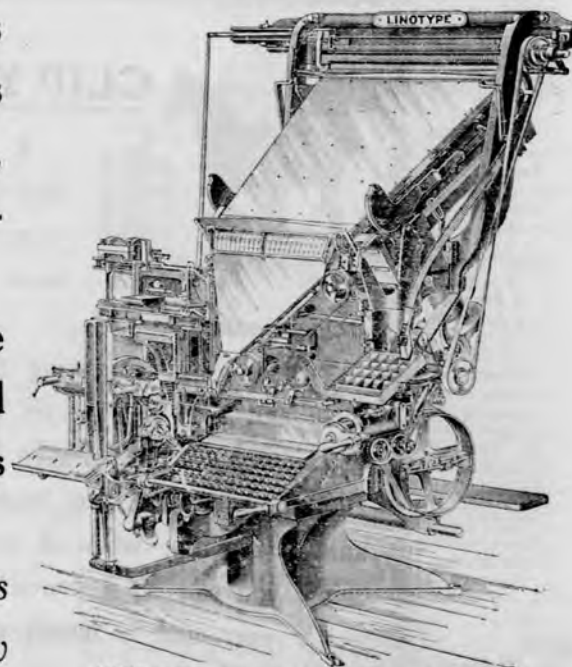
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