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Local Water and Milk Supply Good

According to Recent Tests

Dr. Watson and assistants at the State Board of Health Laboratory, Newark, are busy these hot summer days safeguarding the health interests of all Delaware. A series of milk tests is now being made, which within the next few weeks will cover, in a thorough manner, the towns of all Delaware. Of all the samples taken in towns above Dover, only three have failed to measure up to standard.

Of the milk submitted by the dealers of Newark, one was found below standard. The milkman was immediately notified and the trouble at once corrected.

Rules and regulations governing the sale of milk were adopted at the annual meeting of the State Board of Health, held last April. These regulations are rigidly enforced everywhere. The standard follows: Milk shall not contain less than 3.25 per cent butter fat; 8.5 per cent solids not fat; 11.75 per cent total solids; over 250,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter; it shall not contain any visible dirt or sediment, nor preservatives of any description. The penalty for selling either dirty or adulterated milk according to the Delaware Pure Food Drug Laws is a fine of not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

Dr. Watson when questioned as to the water supply of the town said it was of the very best. Tests are made every month, and no trouble has been detected. "Cities," he declared, "would spend millions for a supply such as that of Newark. We might well publish the chemical analyses in our hotels as a drawing card to the travelling public."

Workmen Quartered in Old Dormitory

The contractor, building the sewer has been unable to secure quarters for his workmen. A gang of workmen arrived Monday and special arrangement was made for them to bunk for a short time in the old dormitory of Delaware College.

A part of the building has been dismantled and in a short time, the work of remodeling will begin.

THE WEEK AT STATE CAMP

Men on Guard at Five Today

The "even tenor" of camp life at the State Rifle Range has been unbroken during the week by any orders to break camp, much to the disappointment of many of the men. Since the telegram last Thursday announcing that the troops are finally to be sent to Deming, N. M., nothing further has been learned. All the officers of the two battalions are steadfast in their belief that the men are to go and think it probable that the orders to move are delayed owing to the resolution on the part of the government to send part of the government to New Mexico is in readiness for their reception.

A representative from each company of the two battalions has been detailed for recruiting services in Delaware, in order that the companies may be built up to 140 men. These men under major Marshall will have their headquarters at Fort duPont. Sergeant Ferguson will represent company E in the work.

Owing to the fact that the camp has been in a state of expectancy, instructions to move being anticipated hourly, orders for newspapers were cancelled, and the camp has been without this means of connection with the outside world for several days, the impression spreading among the

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TEMPLARS CONVEENE IN NEWARK

Forty Lodges Represented at Three Day Session

The sixty-third annual session of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania and Delaware, International Order of Good Templars, convened last Monday in Center Hall, Newark, the convention coming to a close this afternoon. Grand Chief Templar Ellwood Nichols of Hammorton, Pa., presided.

At the opening session held on Monday degrees were conferred on a number of candidates and reports submitted. On Monday night a Juvenile Institute was held, presided over by Grand Secretary Edward Coleman, Jr. of Philadelphia.

Among the speakers were National Superintendent of Juvenile Work J. K. Hauck, of Philadelphia; Grand Chief Templar Ellwood Nichols, of Hammorton, Pa.; International Deputy Marshall, Mrs. Laura D. Rudy, of Walter's Park, Pa.; Past International Vice-Templar Mrs. Annie J. Weichman, of Phila.; Grand Counsellor Emerson Jones, of Mr. Jewett, Pa.; C. W. King, international representative, Washington D. C.; Grand Treasurer H. G. Little, Richardson Park.

The mornings of Tuesday and Wednesday were devoted to committee work and routine business. On Tuesday afternoon the visitors were taken to Cooch's Bridge and other points of interest in the vicinity. In the evening a popular meeting was held addressed by Edward T. Morns of Phila. and James Day Jeffries, of Washington, on temperance subjects.

The convention represents forty lodges with a membership of 4,300.

Reassignment of Rooms in County Building

Matters connected with reassignment of rooms and offices in the county end of the new public building will be discussed at a meeting this afternoon in the building at 3 o'clock at which the committee appointed at the meeting of the Levy Court last week to look into the matter of rooms and offices, will meet members of the Bar Association of New Castle county, the judge of the Juvenile Court and county officers who will have rooms in the new building and go over the situation in order to see what changes can be made to provide a better location for the office of the recorder of deeds and any other offices of which complaint has been made.

Levy Courtman William T. Purks, chairman of the committee, said the committee had considered the matter of rearranging rooms in the county end of the new public building without arriving at any satisfactory plan.

Local Milk Prices

Another advance in the price of milk is reported in Philadelphia. With notice of this advance the blame is placed on the farmer. Locally, the farmers are getting 4 to 4.1-2 per quart and the retail price in the cities has advanced from 8 to 9 cents with notice of price of 10 cents. The consumer is told that with increase costs of labor and demands made by farmers that the advance is necessary. Nothing is said of increase cost of labor and production of milk on the farm. Not only is nothing said, no raise in price has been given over previous years. The farmer sits quietly by doing his usual amount of grumbling and accepts what dealers consent to give him. Prices of milk here are raised and lowered according to seasons by the dealers. No farmer has any voice in what he shall receive for his product. Just why, is a mystery to us.

CARNIVAL OPENS SATURDAY WITH BIG PARADE AT FOUR O'CLOCK

Once again carnival week is here! Loyal Newarkers everywhere are planning to lay aside their usual routine and join in the general festivities. The decorating committee is hard at work making the grounds attractive, and members of other committees are just as busy perfecting their plans for the big event.

The carnival will open this coming Saturday with a big parade which will form on the Wilmington road, east of Main street. Firemen in full regalia, with at least a part of their equipment will be in line, representing the full strength of the companies in Elkton, Havre de Grace, Smyrna, West Grove and Avondale. Dr. W. H. Steel will act as chief marshal of the parade, with W. R. Powell as first assistant. The local firemen and the Boy Scouts of Newark will also parade. The line of march will be along Main to Elkton Avenue, on Elkton to Delaware, on Delaware Avenue to the carnival grounds, corner of Academy Street. All residents along the line of march are requested to decorate their homes in honor of the occasion.

Since the handsome Oakland car, which the firemen are chancing off this year, has been put on display in the window of the Newark Garage and Electric Company, chances have been selling rapidly. A number of the books are entirely closed.

Many attractions have been planned for this year, the management declaring they have

many interesting surprises for visitors to the carnival grounds. Of only one feature are they talking beforehand—the big vaudeville show, which is pronounced the best ever given on the grounds. The program includes the musical Zennettas and Winkle vaudeville's youngest but biggest hit.

Fire Chief Wilson has this week received a check for \$25.00 from Gen. T. Coleman duPont, as a contribution to the general fund. The camp fire girls have offered their assistance, and have been given a tent which promises to be an interesting one.

Mrs. Wilmer Hill announces her complete candy committee as follows: Misses Eleanor Fader, Katherine Jaquette, May Hall, Elsie Grier, Emily Morrall, Edith Spencer, Eleanor Pilling, Helen McNeal, Anna Willis, Irene Richards, Anna Gallaher, Marion Gallaher, Marion Brown, Edith Lewis, Adelaide Lewis, Olive Heiser, Margaret Cook, Katherine Bowen, Audrey Miller, Louise Sentman, Myrtle Steele, Sarah Marshman, Hannah Marsey, Ruby Robinson, Marion Campbell, Ethel Campbell, May Chambers, Edna Chambers, Dora Law, Alice Singles, Martha Wollaston, Agnes Medill, Naomi Street, Grace Merrick, Mrs. Thomas Young, Mrs. M. J. Young, Mrs. R. T. Jones, Mrs. L. E. Hill, Mrs. A. Woodrow, Mrs. F. Strickland, Mrs. J. Daley, Mrs. Laura Egner, Mrs. H. Hogan, and Mrs. W. Bradley.

Entertainment at the Summer School

An interesting feature of the Summer School, held, owing to pending improvements, in the Women's College of Delaware, is the series of entertainments, given on Saturdays during the session. The evenings are planned as types of those that may be arranged by the individual teachers, during the coming school year, in their home communities. Speaking, music and games make up the program. Last Saturday was featured by tableaux representing various well-known advertisements. Among popular subjects were "Gold Medal flour" ads, and the "Cream of Wheat" man. Selections were given by the Glee Club under the direction of Miss Kellogg. On the last Friday evening the students will hold a miniature country fair. The evenings are pronounced "good fun" by everybody.

In Automobile Accident

Mr. Ernest Frazer, when driving toward Lovers' Retreat last Thursday afternoon, lost control of his car, and plunged down a steep bank, sloping toward the creek. Mr. Frazer, the only occupant of the car, escaped with bruises; the car was damaged to the extent of three hundred dollars.

Garden Class Goes on Picnic

As the summer advances the interest in garden work continues unabated, among the boys enlisted in the garden class under the direction of Miss Agnes Medill. Many of the boys have planted their third crops, and have realized good profits. A strict account of expenses and sales has been kept by each gardener, reports of which will be filed at the end of the season. The class meets every Tuesday morning in the grammar school to attend to their clerical work. Today thirty five happy youngsters met at the school building. They carried interesting looking boxes and bundles. Inquiry revealed that they were bound for the grove adjoining Welsh Tract, where they had planned to hold a genuine old time picnic.

Fine for Failure to Report School Commissioners

The clerk of peace has announced ten or fifteen rural school districts who have not yet reported the returns of the June elections. Authority was given on Monday to levy a fine of fifty dollars on commissioners failing to report.

Among recent reports recorded are:

Columbia district, No. 103—C. H. Milliken, commissioner. Holdovers, John L. Wright and I. Webb Davis.

Ebenezer district, No. 126—Isaac Caulk, clerk; John Montgomery, commissioner. Holdovers William Caulk.

Districts Nos. 39, 39 1-2, 41 and 41 1-2 of Newark—Charles A. McCue, Harvey Hofferker, Holdovers Edward L. Richards, Robert S. Gallaher.

VISIT PLACES OF HISTORICAL INTEREST

Party of Twelve See Sights of Philadelphia

A party of twelve, under the direction of Miss Brust and Professor E. V. Vaughn, spent a delightful day in Philadelphia last Saturday, visiting the scenes of historical interest. The party visited Carpenters Hall, the Betsey Ross house, Franklin's grave, Independence Hall, viewing the special collection of sixty paintings, which portray the history of the United States, the Curtis Publishing Co., the Zoo, and City Hall. The "sight-see-ers" had time to ramble about, and enjoy the store windows, as well as all country-men should. One of the delightful features of the day was the return to Wilmington by boat.

Improvements at Colored Church

Work is under way, on an addition to the St. John's A. U. M. P. Church, pastor, Rev. C. H. Walker. William Saunders is in charge of the improvements which extend eighteen feet in the rear of the building. The addition will have a sloping floor, back of the pulpit where the choir of the church will be seated.

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND MORE FOR DELAWARE

Gift Reaches Million Dollar Mark

Announcement was made by H. Rodney Sharp, chairman of the development committee of the board of trustees of Delaware College of an additional gift of 100,000, to the college. This brings the total gifts to the college, and practically all from the same donor, who will not reveal his identity, to \$1,000,000, in round figures, within a year.

Mr. Sharp has notified Dr. Samuel C. Mitchell, president of the college, of the additional gift which is to be used to carry out some work that has been planned.

Mr. Sharp stated this morning that when the bids were received for remodeling the old dormitory building, which at first it was anticipated would cost about \$90,000, it was found that owing to labor cost increase and other incidentals, it would require \$25,000 more to carry out the original plans and an additional \$4,000 for kitchen equipment. It was also found that \$30,000 additional would be needed for the installation of the complete equipment for Wolfe Hall, the new science building now in process of construction.

In erecting the new science building some grading will have to be done and it has been the opinion of the development committee that if possible it would be best to go ahead this summer and do all the grading and lay out the proposed boulevard from Main street to the Women's College, along which boulevard future Delaware College buildings will be located. Bids were asked for this work and the lowest was \$40,000.

This made a total of \$100,000 needed to complete work which the committee set out to do and it is for these purposes that the new gift will be used.

Trustees and members of the college faculty are elated over the gift, which will assure the carrying out of the extension plans to that extent this summer.

Picnic Enjoyed by Everyone

About one hundred and thirty members of the Presbyterian Sunday School spent a delightful day along White Clay at Lovers' Retreat last Thursday. The trip was made by automobiles furnished for the occasion. Of course the picnic dinner, measuring up to recollections of last year, was a feature of the occasion. All the younger folk went "swimming," while the older ones indulged in games and enjoyed the "woodiness" of the woods. During the afternoon everyone was treated to ice cream and watermelon.

Shows Signs of Improvement

Sergeant J. W. Jones, of Company E, who was taken to the hospital at Fort duPont a week ago, is pronounced slightly better today. Although it was at first believed the patient was suffering from typhoid, a blood test has revealed an absence of typhoid symptoms, and the doctors have been unable to diagnose the trouble. The sick man has had a high fever, which today however, shows signs of abatement.

Collection of Pictures Being Catalogued

Miss Powers and Miss Churchman, students of the Women's College, are engaged in cataloguing the collection of 6500 pictures which have been mounted attractively by the club women of Delaware, for use in the State schools. It is planned to keep the pictures in circulation, after the system applied to the traveling libraries. Many hours of pleasure have been prepared for the children of Delaware.

Sweeper-Sprinkler In Operation

Work Done While Town is Sleeping

The new combination sprinkler and sweeper recently purchased by Council, was delivered last week, and went into operation last Saturday night. W. E. Renshaw has been awarded the contract of operating the new sprinkler, which weighs two tons, and carries two hundred gallons of water. The dirt is swept to the side of the street, and removed from there by hand. The street committee has arranged to clean the streets in the middle of the night, so as to interfere in noway with the traffic of the town.

Money for P. O. Building in Sight

A wire from Washington this morning gives the report that Congressman Miller had succeeded in getting Newark in on the Omnibus bill which provides \$30,000 for the erection of the proposed Federal Building here. This in effect means that the New Post Office Building is only a matter of government routine.

College Store Moved

The office building recently vacated by S. M. Donnell, has been occupied by the College book store, which has formerly been located in the college dormitory.

ADDITION TO ODD FELLOWS' BUILDING

Work in Hands of Contractor Griffin

Work is moving along rapidly on the addition being built to Odd Fellow's Hall, under the direction of Contractor Griffin. The new part is two stories of brick, extending six feet beyond the width of the original building, and thirty feet back. The regular lodge meeting room will be shifted to the back of the building, and the second story front, or present lodge room, be converted into lockers, etc.

The first floor will be partitioned, giving more room to the present tenants Sol Wilson and the Telephone Company.

The latter, it is said, will use the extra space for a rest room for their employees. The corporate committee in charge of the improvements is composed of C. W. Colmery, and Daniel Stoll. It is hoped to have the building complete in time for the public installation which comes the first week in October.

The original building was built by the Odd Fellows in 1850.

Moved to Delaware Hospital

W. M. Coverdale was taken to the Delaware Hospital on Monday. Mr. Coverdale is suffering with high fever. As we go to press, the reports on the blood tests have not been made making it impossible for physicians to decide definitely the ailment.

OBITUARY

Annie Naudain
Miss Annie Naudain died early this morning at her home, East Main Street, after a lingering illness. Funeral services in charge of the Rev. W. J. Rowan, will be held from the late residence on Friday July 21st at two o'clock. Interment in Red Clay Cemetery. Three sisters, Misses Ella and Elizabeth Naudain, of Newark and Mrs. Mary Klair of Milltown, and one brother, Arnold P. Naudain, of Marshallton, survive.

William J. Campbell
William J. Campbell, aged 64 years, died Monday, July 17th, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Charles Maxwell, McClellandsville. Death was due to Brights Disease. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 p. m. Interment in Ebenezer Cemetery.

THE GREAT FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL

Big Parade JULY 22--29 Extra Features

PRINCIPAL FRIEDEL SUBMITS REPORTS Tolls of Conditions in the Newark Schools

The following report of the conditions of the Newark Public Schools has been submitted to the Board of Education by the Principal:

Newark, Del., June 20, 1916.

To the Board of Education, Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit the following report of the Public Schools of Newark for the school year ending June 9, 1916.

Our schools opened Monday, August 30 and closed June 9, the number of days taught being 192. The work of the year as regular enrollment, attendance, etc. is indicated by the following summary.

Items: Enrollment: Grades 1-8, 437; High School, 113; Total, 550.

Average number of pupils every day: Grades 1-8, 345; High School, 100; Total, 445.

Average number of days belonged: Grades 1-8, 170+; High School, 176+; Total, 171.5.

Average number of days attended: Grades 1-8, 151; High School, 164.4; Total 153.6.

Percentage of belonged: Grades 1-8, 88.65; High School, 91.72; Total 89.82.

Percentage of attendance: Grades 1-8, 88.72; High School, 93.36; Total, 89.56.

The enrollment in grades 1 to 8 inclusive show a loss of 12 compared with the record of the previous year. This may be accounted for by the small number entering from ungraded schools. For the first time these pupils were required to pass state examinations as a condition of admission. Only 9 such pupils entered this year. While the effects of this requirement is to temporarily reduce the enrollment and the revenue of the graded schools, it will benefit both schools and pupils when it is once fully understood. The loss of pupils from this source was more than made up by an increased enrollment of 21 in the High School, and the total enrollment of 550 is 9 in excess of the number reported a year ago.

The record for attendance, while a good one, is not quite as high as that of a year ago, which was 90.8 per cent. The prevalence of grippe during the 4th and 5th months made such invades upon some of our grades that the losses then sustained could not be overcome by the excellent attendance of later months. Nevertheless we closed the year with an average attendance of 89.56 per cent, which is very creditable.

The number of non-resident pupils attending under the provisions of the Graded School Law was 53. These pupils attended a total of 7870 1/2 days, which at 20 cents per day, will give a revenue from this source of \$1574.10. This is an average of \$30.86 per pupil.

In addition to these 53 under the Graded School Law, 14 were enrolled, who paid their tuition directly to the Board. The tuition for these amounted to \$2440.00.

Promotions are of keen interest to both pupils and parents. In the High School pupils who have passed all subjects but one are counted as promoted, as the chance of their making up the one subject is very good. In the grades below the High School the teachers are guided largely by their opinion of the pupils ability to do the work of the next grade. Final decision in every doubtful case is made after a careful study of records of school work and the general attitude of the pupil toward his work. The promotions at the close of the term are summarized as follows: Graduates, 19. Others in High School 52, Grades 1 to 8 inclusive 315, or a total of 386.

In closing I should like to make two recommendations for the betterment of the work in the First and Second Grades. First provision should be made for more light, which is often inadequate especially on cloudy days. There have been times during the year for as long as a half day when work was possible only at the risk of severe eye-strain the effect of which may be lasting. The Grammar School Building is modern and meets the demand for abundant light at all times but the Primary School Building, like the High School, needs to be fitted with electric lights of approved design.

The second recommendation for these two grades is that the black-boards be lowered so that they may be available for use by the pupils as well as by the teachers. Both these needs could be

met at comparatively small expense.

The Board has for some time been considering the possibility of providing a regular supervision of Music for the Grades. I refer to this proposition here merely to say that it has my hearty approval.

Respectfully submitted

R. F. Friedel

What Bird Life Means to Us

Bird life, meaning the common wild birds with which every country boy is familiar, from the old black crow to the meadow-lark, black-bird, bobolink, and all the rest of the song-birds, is of much more value each year to the people of the United States than the biggest railroad system in the country. That may seem to be a pretty broad statement yet it falls far short of stating the actual facts.

The agricultural department of the United States Government has kept tab on the birds, what they do, what they eat every day in the year, and what their habits

are, until now their lives are an open book. This work, done by the biological survey, has brought out some very astonishing things besides natural history, for it has been so thoroughly and so painstakingly done that not only is the list of foods for each bird for the entire year accurately tabulated but the average bulk amount of each kind of food is known so closely that values in dollars and cents can be reckoned, and thus the actual live value to the nation of each individual bird be easily computed.

For forty years I have made it a part of my daily life to watch and to study all nature and especially to study our common song-birds. This has given me a great volume of accurate information so that I have for years had a very good working idea of the value of birds as insects and weed seed destroyers.

It remains for the biological survey, however, to get these things down to scientific accuracy because, where I was only one man they put hundreds of observers into the field and thus

were able to carry on a system of espionage that covered every State in the Union simultaneously. In addition to this they were able to bring in expert scientific observers and laboratory men whose life business is the study of bugs, good, bad and indifferent. This system was organized and the laboratory men began to examine the crops of birds sent in by hunters from all over the country.

Immediately things began to happen; certain insects were found (in whole specimens and fragments) in the crops of many birds; certain other insects were found only in the crops of certain birds. Some crops contained only weed seeds of one kind or another; others contained a great mixture of seeds of various weeds and many others contained both seeds and bugs.

The strangest thing developed by this work was that robins and certain other birds, long accused of being fruit eaters and therefore detrimental to mankind, were absolutely cleared of the charge because their diet is almost entirely insects with only

here and there a cherry! Every robin is entitled to the few cherries he eats because without him there would be no cherries for anybody, for he destroys the insects that destroy cherries and when he is in the cherry-tree he is eating more insects than cherries.

Many other supposed-to-be harmful birds were found to be just as helpful, and there is no guesswork about it now!

The common Bob-White quail, killed all over the country for sport, is worth each year considerably more than his own weight in pure gold because he destroys harmful insects (like the potato-bug, chinch-bug, and others) enough to save more than the value of his own weight in gold in crops for the farmer. Remember that each and every quail is worth that for bug-destroying alone, to say nothing of the weed seeds he destroys on top of that, so the farmer with a flock of quail on his land should protect them because in doing so he is saving money for himself and the crop supply for all.

It it were not for the common

forked-tail swallow we could not raise a cotton crop in the United States, simply because the food of the swallow in its migrations over the cotton belt is the cotton ball weevil, and the bird eats the insects in the moth or egg laying stages, so he strikes at the weevil in his weakest spot.

There is not one single wild bird of any species (not even excepting hawks and owls long killed on sight by everybody) but what is of very great value to man, and every man, woman and child should protect every bird because it means a tremendous crop increase to us all.

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"Our Dumb Animals."

Horse Still Reigns

Eighty-three and one half per cent of the transportation of our country is still done by our horses. The statement is true that but for our horses we should soon starve to death. Yet in road-building it is the automobile and not the horse that is considered.

RAILROAD WAGES

Shall they be determined by Industrial Warfare or Federal Inquiry?

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employees on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service—your service. This army of employees is in the public service—your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employees.

On all the Eastern Railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employees earned these wages (lowest, highest, and average of all) as shown by the payrolls—

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	\$1641 3224	\$1931	\$1585 2992	\$1783	\$1303 2178	\$1543
Conductors	1553 3004	1831	1552 2901	1642	1145 1991	1315
Firemen	951 1704	1128	933 1762	1109	752 1633	935
Brakemen	957 1707	1141	862 1521	973	834 1635	1085

The average yearly wage payments to all Eastern train employees (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were—

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	\$1796	\$1546	\$1384
Conductors	1724	1404	1238
Firemen	1033	903	844
Brakemen	1018	858	990

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employees) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employees' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

National Conference Committee of the Railways
ELISHA LEE, Chairman.
P. R. ALBRIGHT, Gen'l Manager,
 Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.
L. W. BALDWIN, Gen'l Manager,
 Central of Georgia Railway.
C. L. BARDO, Gen'l Manager,
 New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.
E. H. COAPMAN, Vice-President,
 Southern Railway.
E. E. COTTER, Gen'l Manager,
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 Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad.
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 Norfolk and Western Railway.
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A Few Words About Men's Clothing

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All they do is fill out an order blank of waist, chest measures, etc. These orders are sent to the company and made in the factory just like **L. HANDLOFF'S** ready-made suits, which you pay for the so-called "Tailor-Made Suit" \$20, \$25 and \$30; when you buy at **L. HANDLOFF'S** you get them for \$10, \$12.50 and \$15. With **GUARANTEE** for quality, good workmanship and perfect fit.

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The Farmer's Bank, of Dover at noon on Saturday passed the million mark in deposits showing a total of \$1,016,265.38.

Sneak thieves, one day last week stole \$100 from the home of C. L. McCabe, at Selbyville.

A birthday party directed by Miss Mabel Clewell yielded \$30 for the New Castle Century Club's building fund.

The muskrat marsh owned by the late William A. Hagan, near Delaware City, was sold last week to William Raughley, of Kent County, for \$2900. William S. Hilles bought 72 acres of upland for \$10 an acre.

Wilmington bank clearings last week totalled \$3,450,693.64 against \$2,253,990.03 for the like week last year.

Tenters at Kitts Hammock cleared \$50 from a carnival held on Thursday night to be applied toward building a new board walk.

Henry Dutton, a well-known colored horse trainer and driver, died at Delaware Hospital on Friday night, of injuries to the spinal cord received when thrown from a sulky at Wawasett Park recently.

Joseph Nichols held at the City Hall in Wilmington on a non-support charge became insane on Saturday and was removed to the Farnhurst asylum.

Pending completion of repairs to the Red Lion Causeway, the public road is closed between Roger's and Clark's Corners and travel is diverted via Red Lion and Wrangel Hill.

William T. Hall caught 4200 pounds of rockfish in one haul in the North East River on Friday. Anglers at Port Deposit have caught a number of heavy rockfish in the Susquehanna.

A Shark is reported to have been seen off the Brehem farm at the head of Chesapeake Bay, about a mile south of Havre de Grace.

The late George M. Campbell, of Iron Hill left all his property for life to his wife, his son and two daughters to share it equally after their mother's death.

Dover District M. E. Conference Church have purchased a house at Bridgeville for a residence for Superintendent, Rev. W. R. Mowbrag.

Mrs. Selden S. Deemer on Wednesday entertained about 100 inmates of St. Peter's Catholic Orphanage in Wilmington at her home in New Castle.

Col. Benjamin Nields, of Wilmington, a Civil War veteran and the oldest member of the New Castle county bar observed his eighty second birthday on Wednesday.

The Pusey & Jones Company of Wilmington launched last Tuesday, one of several large derrick barges which it is constructing for the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Guy Wheatley has reopened the Laurel Creamery which he recently purchased.

David Reyam, of Wilmington, has secured a patent for a device for heating automobiles by using the exhaust.

The paint shop at the Harlan and Hallingsworth plant in Wilmington will be torn down to make room for another set of ways for shipbuilding.

Clerks of ten white and nine colored schools in New Castle County are liable to fine of \$50 each for failure to make reports to the Clerk of the Peace.

The Wilmington Leather Company has announced its purpose to give a bonus equal to 5 per cent of wages hereafter to employees for faithful performance of service.

The Selbyville-Georgetown twenty mile section of the du Pont boulevard was expected to be completed by Saturday.

Cecil county farmers are now gathering the largest hay crop for several years past and the clover yield is also much larger than usual.

The clay works at Bacon Hill, near Elkton, recently purchased by New York parties, are again in operation after a stoppage of several years.

Delaware's share of the \$85,000, 000 for good roads during a period of five years, voted by Congress and approved by President Wilson on July 11, will be \$124, 000, provided the State spends an equal amount. The share of Maryland will be \$662,250. The Federal aid may be obtained for constructing any rural post road.

Mrs. Mary C. Atkinson died at her home at Elk Mills on Wednesday night, aged 78 years. Several grown children survive her, one of whom, Addison D. Atkinson, conducted the Felton House livery stables in Elkton. Her funeral was held on Sunday with interment in Cherry Hill M. E. Cemetery.

The contract for the bridge to be erected over the Government Canal at Rehoboth Beach, has been awarded by the Sussex Levy Court, to the George W. Drury Company, of York, Pa., for \$13, 600. The Luten Bridge Company of Cleveland, Ohio, will erect two bridges over Vine's Branch in Dagsboro hundred for \$2,200.

State Commissioner of Education Wagner will submit data and arguments to the Rockefeller Foundation to support the claim that a supervisor of colored schools is needed in Delaware. Such an official would have the direction of about 110 colored teachers.

While at work on the rear porch of her home in Laurel last Tuesday, Mrs. Mary A. Bacon fell down its steps, breaking one arm and severely spraining the other.

Thomas P. Wrench was fined \$50 and costs on Friday and Henry C. Brown \$25 and costs on Saturday in Wilmington, on charges of running automobiles while under the influence of liquor. William H. Tunis, Jr., of Clayton was fined \$50 and costs on a like charge at Middletown on Wednesday.

Rev. W. H. Davies, pastor of Georgetown Presbyterian Church and Miss Ruby M. Morgan of Randolph, Wis., will be married during the first week in August.

Self-winding clocks giving Washington observatory time have been placed in the offices of the new City Hall in Wilmington.

White friends of the Thomas Garrett Settlement (colored) in Wilmington have given \$1,000 to reduce the mortgage and pay expenses of the summer's work.

Wilmington's official thermometer on Tuesday showed a record of 95 degrees making the highest thus far for the summer.

Improvements and additions to be made to the Homeopathic Hospital Wilmington, costing several thousand dollars have been submitted to contractors for bids. A third and fourth floor will be added to the present two story structure. The third story will contain a diet kitchen, white and colored maternity departments, nursery's, sun parlor porch and several wards. The fourth floor will provide a large open air-solarium, an operating room, sterilizing, anaesthetic and recovery rooms.

The Supreme Court at Dover on Saturday refused the petition of Paul Appenzeller for a writ of prohibition restraining the du Pont Boulevard Corporation from taking certain lands needed for its right of way. The Court's order followed the lines of that issued in the Clendaniel case, appealed to the Federal Supreme Court, but left undecided owing to Clendaniel's death before argument could be heard.

George Lionel Bright, of Delaware City a 1909 graduate of Delaware College now in the Pennsylvania Railroad engineering corps at Columbus, O. and Miss Laura Virginia Carroll, were married at the home of the bride in that city on July 5.

Congressman Thomas W. Miller has designated George V. Ruos, of Bridgeville, as principal candidate for a cadetship in the Naval Academy at Annapolis with Ernest A. Williams, of Marshallton, and Benjamin R. Bayles of Lewes as alternates.

Augustus Holston, aged 23 years who lived at Second and

King streets, Wilmington, was found ill on the street last Monday and died at Delaware Hospital the next day of uremia. It is said that three parties who knew him took out insurance policies on his life shortly before his death, one a saloon keeper on Front street.

Just as he was about to be struck by a fast express at the Eighth street crossing in Laurel last Tuesday, Rufus E. Elliott, of that town, was pulled off the track by Flagman Morris. He had failed to hear the trains approach owing to the noise of many loaded teams gathered about cars on the siding.

The Delaware City Century Club held a well attended festival and supper last Tuesday evening on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Clark which was brilliantly lighted with electric lamps. The affair was in charge of prominent ladies of this town and was an all around success.

W. Harrison Davis maintained his record as first seller of home grown corn in the Milford section which he has held for several years. This year his corn was gathered three days later than last year. He is nearly 80 years of age. He owes his success in a measure to the seed which he plants and is usually a week earlier in the market than his closest competitors.

Good Premiums for Bonds

The Finance Committee of the City Council and the Sinking Fund Commissioners last Monday sold \$500,000 worth of 4-1/2 per cent of Wilmington bonds to Remick Hodges & Co., of New York for \$531,565. Of the proceeds, \$300,000 will be used for water system improvements and extension and \$200,000 for street paving. Eight New York firms, Wilmington Savings Fund Society and F. D. Lackey & Co., offers bids. On Friday \$25,000 worth of Kent County good roads bonds the last series of the \$100,000 issue authorized following bidders. T. C. Frame Jr., of Dover, eleven at nowis the tiem t Dover, seven at \$1,031 each. Farmers Bank, of Dover, eleven at \$1,025.50. James P. Jenkins, Camden, two at \$1,031. Frederick Hopkins, of Dover, two at \$1,032.50, one at \$1,026, one at \$1,025.75. Total premium \$712.75.

Midvale Steel Company officials on Wednesday made an inspection of the plant of the Wilmington Steel Company a branch of the former concern formerly the old Diamond State Steel Works, in South Wilmington. President William E. Corey and Vice President A. C. Dinkey of the Midvale Company and J. P. Vanclain, a former Vice President of the Baldwin Locomotive Works Corporation, were shown over the plant by W. J. Stoops, the resident manager. There are 843 men on the payroll working on repairs and the different departments will be put in operation in sequence. It was expected to begin making open hearth steel this week but it has not been settled when the bloom mill will start.

Badly Hurt While Threshing

Elmer T. Williams while threshing wheat on his farm, near Bowers Beach on Wednesday attempted to replace a thrown off belt. The belt caught his hands and both his arms were broken at the elbows. His shoulder was dislocated and his right hand badly crushed. He was also more or less bruised about the body. Dr. W. H. Hoey, of Fred. erica, was called and gave the needed treatment, and the last accounts were that the injured man was recovering from the shock he sustained.

Flarers Up at Shell Plant

Firemen from New Castle and Wilmington were called to fight a blaze which started in the press room of the Bethlehem Steel Company's shell plant near the former city last Tuesday morning. A lot of powder flared up but no explosion occurred and the flames did not spread to other buildings of the plant.

Amend Old Bank Charter

Stockholders of the Farmers' Bank of Delaware at a meeting held in Dover on Friday unanimously approved an amendment to its charter the first ever offered since its founding in 1807, giving it three branches in Wilmington, Dover and Georgetown, authority to act as executives, administrators or trustees, func-

tions exercised largely by modern trust companies. The step followed frequent requests made of late years that the bank act for parties making wills or deeds requiring executions of trustees.

Ice Cream Without Ice

"Iceless ice cream" is about to be a product of the Middletown Farms Company which has installed a ten gallon brine freezer with a capacity of 60 gallons per hour of ice cream at its local plant at Middletown. The cream when frozen is kept in a room cooled to from 4 degrees above to 8 below zero and after 12 hours becomes as hard as wood.

Has Live Eagle for Sale

Alfred Williams, a colored farm hand of the Summit Bridge section was offering for sale in Middletown on Thursday evening a bald Eagle which he had shot in one wing and thus made captive. The bird had been troubling young chickens on his employer's farm and William managed to cripple it with shot. It measured 77 inches from tip to tip. His best offer for the bird was \$1 which he refused to take as he stood out for \$3. Possibly the O. M. D. will fancy it for a mascot.

Lewes' New Steamer Line

Farmers of lower Delaware are reported as arranging for motor boat service to collect fruit and truck along the Indian River to be shipped on the new steamer "Cape May" which began running on Wednesday between Philadelphia, Cape May and Lewes.

The steamer will carry live stock baggage and automobiles, and motorists can cross at Cape May, saving much mileage on Delaware, Maryland and Virginia trips. The steamer gives water- ing connections with Philadelphia after a suspension for more than twelve years.

Made Frisco Wheat Shipment

Jesse L. Shepherd on July 8 made the first shipment of new wheat from Middletown. It was grown on the farm of William T. Pearce, Sr., near St. Ann's Church, and was of fine quality. Mr. Pearce reported an average yield of 23 bushels on 43 acres, one portion of which fallow ground gave 30 bushels per acre.

New wheat is selling at \$1 per bushel and much of last year's crop held over is offered at 90 cents or less according to quality. It is said that foreign buyers will not take mixtures of old and new crops.

Federal Employment Bureau

A branch of the Philadelphia employment bureau of the Department of Labor at Washington will be opened in the old Federal building at Sixth and King streets, Wilmington in charge of Major Alfred G. Benkhart of Philadelphia to supply labor for all purposes and find employment for persons seeking work for help of employment.

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PERSONALS

Miss Hallie Evans is visiting her sister, Mrs. Neale, in Helena, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McDonald of Red Hook, N. Y., are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Miss Cassandra Strahorn of Philadelphia spent the week-end with relatives in Newark.

Miss Ethel Campbell has returned after a vacation at Asbury Park, New Jersey.

E. L. Richards, Jr., is spending a week with his cousins near Kennett Square.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lindsay Curtis and their children left for Cape May last Thursday to stay till the last of the month, when they go to Upper Saranac, N. Y., to stay until early in September.

Miss Elizabeth Grime is the guest of friends in Wilmington.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Rhodes have returned after a week with the former's parents at Ridgely, Maryland.

Mrs. Esther Wilson of Havre de Grace was a recent visitor at the home of her brother, W. E. Renshaw. On her return Mrs. Wilson was accompanied by her son, Raymond, the popular clerk of Rhodes' Drug store, who has been ill for the last week.

Dean E. L. Smith of Delaware College, spent Monday fishing on Delaware Bay, off Bowers' Beach.

Mr. J. Rankin Davis of Wilmington was a Newark visitor on Monday.

Miss Robinson, dean of the Women's College has returned after attending the meeting of the National Education Association held in New York. Miss Robinson will leave in a few days for a month's stay in the mountains of Vermont.

Professor C. A. McCue left Sunday to visit relatives in Michigan.

Professor H. Hayward, Dean of the D. C. Experiment Station, is attending the reunion at Mt. Hermon School, East Northfield, Mass., the occasion of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the school.

Mr. M. F. Grimes, of State College, Pa., who succeeds Mr. F. B. Hills, in the department of Animal Husbandry, Delaware College, assumes his duties at the college on Monday of this week.

E. N. Vallandigham has returned to his home at Chestnut Hill, Mass., after spending three weeks at the Delaware College Summer School.

Mr. William Lynam, of the Newark Post Office, is spending a vacation at Atlantic City.

Mrs. H. W. McNeal who is convalescing from typhoid fever, returned to her home on Sunday, after a month at the Delaware Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Wollaston has returned after a week's stay at Atlantic City.

Miss Elsie Tweed is spending a two week's vacation with friends in Philadelphia and Downingtown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gallaher, and Misses Anna and Marion Gallaher left today for New York, where they will take the steamer for Albany, going from their thru the mountains of New England. Before their return the party will visit Boston and Atlantic City, N. J.

KEMBLESVILLE

Miss Anna Plaisted, of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation with Mrs. S. C. Kennedy.

Miss Myrtle Steele of Newark, Delaware, spent the past week with the Misses Florence and Grace West.

Mr. Owen Hooper and family of Toughkenamon, Pa., spent the week end with F. B. Pratt and family.

Mrs. William West of Pughtown, is the guest of his brother Dr. J. G. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fell, of Unionville, Pa., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fells.

The "Japanese Tea," held by the ladies of the Sewing Circle on Wednesday last, was quite a success, seventy dollars being taken in during the evening.

Miss Martha Richie, of Thompson, Del., spent several days the past week with her aunt Mrs. John Bunting.

S. S. Picnic at Jackson Hall

The annual Sunday School picnic and Harvest Home will be held in the grove at Jackson Hall all day and evening on Thursday, August 10th. Ice cream, cakes, peanuts, and home made candies for sale. All members and friends of the school are asked to bring baskets and spend a pleasant day. If stormy the next

clear day and evening. Special music and good speakers are looked for.

Committee

AN APPEAL FROM THE RED CROSS

Every Man, Woman, and Child Wanted

The American Red Cross has opened a campaign which should enlist the sympathy of every man, woman, and child in the United States. The organization stands for something more than patriotism; it represents the best of civilization, and stands for humanity. It is not a private organization or a limited corporation; it is rather an organization "of the people, by the people, and for the people." Its rolls at present contain the names of persons in all walks of life, from the most humble citizen to those of the highest financial, business, and social standing. But the number is woefully small. Japan with a population of 40,000,000 has 1,800,000 Red Cross members. Germany with a population of 67,000,000 has 1,000,000 Red Cross memberships. The United States and its dependencies with a population of 100,000,000 has only 33,000 members.

Membership in the Red Cross does not involve any financial obligation, other than the payment of dues, or any obligation of service. All active service is performed by its directors, surgeons, nurses, and other trained agents. Any citizen or resident of the United States or its dependencies may become a member of the American Red Cross by the payment of the dues of the class of membership into which he desires election. The four classes of membership are as follows:

Annual membership, 1.00 per year.

Sustaining membership, 10.00 per year.

Life membership, \$25 in one payment.

Patron, membership, \$100 in one payment.

Applications for membership in the local chapter should be sent to Miss Emily Bissell, 1404 Franklin Street, Wilmington. Will you not be patriotic and humane enough to become a member at only a dollar a year, and to urge others to do the same?

Variety Shower in Honor of Bride

At the Presbyterian manse on Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. J. Rowan gave a variety shower for Mrs. Orville L. Richardson, nee Miss Leila E. Herbener, the first member of Mrs. Rowan's Sunday School Class to become a bride. There were present besides the invited guests, Misses Marion Brown and Anna Gallaher, the following members of the class: Misses Marion Campbell, Edna Chalmers, Edna Chambers, Ola Clark, Margaret Cook, Ellen Crow, Eleanor Fader, Elsie Grier, Olive Heiser, Dora Law, Audrey Miller, Naomi Street and Mrs. Orville Richardson. The shower consisted of towels, handkerchiefs, buffet scarfs, pillow cases, nut dishes, bread trays, cake dishes, napkins, cake bowls and after dinner cups and saucers. Ice cream, cake, salted peanuts and olives were served.

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Important State Board Meeting

The committee on text books of the Delaware State Board of Education is busy preparing the report of the county superintendents on the revising of the text book list. A number of important changes have been made and the new lists will be in the hands of principals by August first.

Rules and regulations about giving certificates to teachers have been carefully revised and a pamphlet containing the revision will be issued early in the new school year. All teachers' certificates issued before 1916 are to be replaced by an equivalent certificate, as prescribed in the new rules so that the record of certificates in force may be more systematically kept up to date.

The State Commissioner of Education, Dr. Charles A. Wagner, is preparing facts and arguments to submit to the Rockefeller foundation to substantiate the claim that there is need of a supervision of colored schools in this State. It has been found that in colored schools children in the first grade range from 5 to 18 years; second grade 6 to 18 years; third 7 to 21 years; fourth, 8 to 21 years; fifth 8 to 21 years; seventh, 11 to 21 years; eighth, 11 to 21 years; ninth, 9 to 21 years.

The simplest way to state these facts is to say that on the average colored children in schools of Delaware use about one-fifth of their chances to get an education. The chief cause of this poor grading and poor school chances for the children is insufficient school supervision, hence the request for a special supervisor.

Perfect Attendance Recognized

Gold wreaths mounted on a pin, as rewards for perfect attendance for two years, were recently awarded eighteen members of the Presbyterian Summer School as follows:

Rev. William J. Rowan, Mrs. Mary B. Donnell, Mrs. Annie W. Moore, Mrs. M. Irene Reed, Harold E. Tiffany, H. N. Reed, Miss Ellen Crow, Miss Mary Chalmers, Miss Violet Rowan, Miss Sara Steel, Francis Lindell, Richard Cooch, Robert Cook, Charles Emeigh, George Chalmers, Irvin Chalmers, Earl Lindell and Edgar McMullen.

American Mechanics Entertain Visitors

Members of Diligence Lodge of Wilmington accompanied by the Mechanics Guards of the same city, about thirty in all, visited the local Junior Order American Mechanics last Monday evening. The visitors were formerly greeted by Mr. Alfred Brooks, A. H. Caulk, of the Wilmington Lodge, responding. A number of interesting talks were given. During the evening refreshments were served.

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An example of the wave of dress reform that is advocated by many club women throughout the country, is the recent action of Swarthmore College in mailing letters to the parents of students enrolled for the coming term, forbidding gowns of the ultra fashionable style the college campus. The edict is handed out by Dean Josephine Heeter; Emma Bancroft, head of the household arrangements committee, has been appointed guardian of the properties. Skirts cannot pass more than one inch above the shoe tops, and she who wears a low neck gown or one of an extreme style will not be accepted as "one of Swarthmore."

St. Thomas School Picnic Today

The annual S. S. picnic of St. Thomas P. E. Church, scheduled to be held last Wednesday, was postponed until today. Members of the school with their friends spent a pleasant time in the Grove adjoining the Welsh Tract Baptist meeting house.

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Executive Board Meets This Week

A meeting of the executive committee of the New Century Club of Newark, is scheduled for this week, after which it is believed definite announcement will be made relative to the building plans, which will go into effect this fall. About thirty-two dollars was realized from the "Garden Tea" held on the old Academy lawn last Friday. The program committee is busy preparing an interesting series of meetings for the coming year.

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Re-organization of the Office—Commissioner of Education

Since the state has created such an office, it should now after a trial treat the office as permanent, and assign to the official all the duties and responsibilities that properly belong to it. At present a number of duties that should be performed by the Commissioner of Education when the respective duties had to be assigned to some official.

Thus, the computations and allotments of School Dividends is now made by the State Treasurer. Very little thinking is needed to see that the Commissioner of Education should be charged with this duty; he keeps the record of teachers qualified and appointed, and it is on the basis of number of teachers employed that the School Dividend is paid. Therefore, the Commissioner's office should make the computations and allotments and instruct the State Treasurer as to the amount of Dividends to be paid to each district. The State Treasurer would still handle all the money. Similarly with the accounts with the school districts for book purchases. Now the State Treasurer has to keep all the accounts and handle all the routine of book orders and book payments charging the payments to the districts and deducting the book payments from the annual school dividend. For obvious reasons the book orders should be handled by the office of the Commissioner of Education. The payments should continue to be made by the State Treasurer, upon the order of the Commissioner of Education.

The payments to school districts for non-resident pupils too are computed by the State Treasurer. These computations and accounts too should be the responsibility of the Commissioner to compute and keep.

Before assigning these several additional duties to the office of the Commissioner, a permanent office and office rooms should be provided. Moving about from one set of rooms to another, sometimes twice in a year, is not conducive to the development of systematic keeping of records and documents. To an office such as the Commissioner of Education such frequent migrations are especially disadvantageous. If the office cannot find and produce documents and information when they are wanted, there is small value in the records or the documents.

To take care of this mass of detailed record keeping and of computing, the Commissioner should have an assistant who can handle all the office work and all statistical, tabulations and studies under the direction of the Commissioner, and who can also be State High School Inspector. The Commissioner would still have enough to do in being the field agent of the State Board of Education and Secretary to the Board. The office of Commissioner of Education is important if there is to be general and constant growth and development in the system, but to make the official of most value he must be given a place to work, and the necessary equipment, just as the school must have books and furniture. The assignments of duty as proposed could not have been made before the office had been created, but they can and should be made now, regardless of who is Commissioner; there are duties proper to the office. Who may be the official to discharge them is not involved at all.

Charles A. Wagner
Secretary of the State Board of Education.

bogus wrappers used in wrapping bundles, frames, rolls; box-board, binders, cardboard, and strawboard.

How to Dispose of Rags

Waste paper and rags may be disposed of by requesting some charitable society to call and receive them or by writing a waste paper and junk dealer to call and receive them weekly or monthly, or by collecting large amounts and then securing prices from the co-operation of one or more large collectors and buyers of this material.

Of this large amount of rags and old papers used in the manufacture of papers in this country 50 per cent of the amount used yearly is imports, according to the department of commerce. Imports have decreased so largely in the last few months, owing to conditions in Europe, that for some time there has been almost a famine in paper-making raw materials.

"The effect of this increase in cost of all paper-making materials has been to make corresponding increases in the cost of all kinds and grades of paper," says the department of commerce. "It is wise to save waste paper, rags, etc., for they are valuable. There is at present an increase demand for paper, cardboard, etc., in the United States. The present daily production of paper of all kinds is more than 15,000 tons. The present daily consumption of old papers of all kinds for manufacture is estimated at about 5,000 tons. Competent authority states that rags form 7.8 per cent of the fibres we use in paper-making, waste papers, books magazines, etc., 21.4 per cent. About 123,000 tons of rags and 380,000 tons of waste papers, etc., were imported in 1913."

It is further pointed out that the saving of waste paper and old rags ultimately means a conservation of forests, and the co-operation of every man, woman and child is essential if collection of waste materials is to be made

DELAWARE WOMAN NATIONAL SECRETARY

Leaves for Conference in Colorado Springs

Miss Mabel Vernon, secretary of the national executive committee of the recently organized National Woman's Party, has left for Colorado Springs, where a conference will be held August 10 to 12 to determine the future policy of the Woman's Party and how it shall align itself in the coming Presidential election. Between now and the date of the conference Miss Vernon will be in Colorado Springs making plans and arrangements for the gathering of the women voters representatives.

What the Woman's Party will decide to do at the polls in November depends, Miss Vernon said before she left, on the conclusion reached at Colorado Springs next month, and this depends on what stand the Republican and Democratic parties take on the national suffrage amendment for women—the only plank of the Woman's Party. The records of the parties toward such an amendment will be carefully canvassed and discussed by the representatives from the various states who will meet at Colorado Springs, said Miss Vernon. One important session of the conference will be given over to this question, and then another session will take up the future policy to be followed and what campaign should be adopted in the 12 suffrage states, which usually are doubtful and where even a small

percentage of the women's votes will constitute the balance of power.

Where Operators are Scarce

It will surprise some, but not those who know the craft, to be informed that among all the vast company that inhabit Sing Sing prison, one of New York's big penitentiaries, there is not a single Mergenthaler operator or linotype of any other sort. This is more than could be said of a good many other trades—or even professions, for that matter—for Sing Sing is noted for its democratic atmosphere and it forbids no one entrance within its walls because of the nature of his previous employment!—Portland Oregonian.

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Two-piece Kool Krash Suits at \$7.50 and \$8.50
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HOW TO HANDLE WASTE PAPER

An Article Of Rising Value

The shortage of white paper, which recently caused the American Newspaper Publishers' Association to urge upon its members the strictest economy, even to the cutting down of margins and the discontinuance of useless extra editions, is now so serious that the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the department of commerce, has just issued a pamphlet with definite instructions as to what kind of material should be saved, and how it should be assorted. These instructions are printed in the form of a manual for the guidance of small households, apartment stores, office buildings, large printing establishments, and other users of paper, and the material from which it is manufactured.

It may not occur to the young man writing to his sweetheart that the stationary he uses was made of his threadbare shirt. His sweetheart may little think that the paper in which she wraps a present for him was manufactured from her discarded stockings, but this is true nevertheless.

The public is instructed to save among other things, clean cotton and linen rags, whether small or large, soiled white rags, soiled and dirty colored rags, black rags, woolen rags, for all of which there are specific uses in the trade. Use is also found for white clippings and shavings from paper of the better grades, as well as printers' waste white and colored writing papers, clean wrapping paper, old books, magazines, periodicals and account books, clean folded newspapers, all grades of cardboards, strawboard, corrugated, boxboard, soiled wrapping papers, newspapers, etc., and burlap bagging and manila rope.

Instructions for Households

In small households where small amounts of old rags and paper may be disposed of to the dealer in junk and old rags, it is suggested that the following grading be made: Separate old rags from old papers; separate folded newspapers from all other waste; separate books and magazines from all other waste; provide bags for keeping all rags separate from other waste material; tie magazines and books into bundles, for convenience in handling; keep all other waste papers in bags, barrels, bundles, or bales; and keep all collected waste material dry.

In the case of apartment homes

small stores, and hotels this grading is suggested: Clean cotton and linen rags; soiled cotton and linen rags, including old canvas, awnings, etc., woolen rags and old woolen clothing; burlap bagging; books and magazines; clean folded newspapers; clean wrapping paper, and mixed papers, consisting of soiled newspapers, wrapping paper, cardboard, boxboard, etc.

A final classification is made for the benefit of large printing and other establishments using large quantities of paper: No. 1 hard white shaving or clippings, free from ink, from bonds, ledgers, and fine writing paper; No. 2 soft white shavings or clippings free from ink, from book papers; colored shavings, free from ink, from bonds, ledgers, and writing papers; printed white and colored papers known as printing waste, not dirty, but more or less smudged with ink; clean kraft papers and rope-manila papers; old wood-manila wrapping; old book papers and magazine papers; clean newspapers; mill and

Jobs Closed to Drinkers

In the July American Magazine Dr. Edwin F. Bowers says:

"There are more than a million jobs in America closed to the man who drinks alcoholic liquors. This means that not only the employee shall not drink while on duty, but that he shall keep clear of all public drinking places while off duty."

"Leaders in this excommunication of John Barleycorn are the American railroads, which generally have adopted 'Rule G,' the mightiest blow yet delivered at alcohol in industry. But the railroads are not standing alone. Other great industries have come to see that alcohol makes only for accidents, inefficiency and waste. Workmen's Compensation Laws in many states have helped to open men's eyes, and business common sense is keeping them open."



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DIRECTORY

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 8.30 a. m.
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 7.45 a. m.
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 From Avondale and Landenberg—
 11.45 a. m.
 6.30 p. m.
 From Cook's Bridge—
 8.30 a. m.
 5.30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

For Points South and West—
 7.45 a. m.
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One of the anomalies of our Federal constitution lies in the fact that after declaring all men free and equal in the sight of the law, the framers went on to institute two houses, an upper and a lower, patterned closely after the House of Lords and the House of Commons. We may imagine the discussion—"But we have declared there shall be no nobility, no class distinction in our western republic. How shall we have a higher and a lower representative body? And can we not hear someone answer, 'Oh, but in America the State is sovereign, and therefore the Senate should represent the state and the House the common people.' The states in framing their constitutions copied almost verbatim the Federal document, the cities again copying from the states.

"And here we may say England has advanced beyond the United States in pure and progressive democracy. Her House of Lords might as well be dissolved politically, and I believe it will be following this war; Her king has little real power. The House of Commons is supreme; in it we find the single responsible body of the British Empire.

"The idea of commission government, then, is to reduce the two councils and the mayor, to a governing body of five men, and thus do away with the custom of dodging the issue, which is such a prevalent one in city government." The speaker paused to describe the difficulties often-times encountered in the passage of a simple bill, undoubtedly for the best interest of the city; of the difficulty in putting one's finger on the trouble, and of the secret interests opposing it.

In closing he declared himself for a commission government, as a means of fulfilling the mandates of the people, rather than working in league with the unseen powers of secret government.

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WILMINGTON A. C. TIES SERIES

Continental Promises Interesting Game on Saturday

Continental lost to Wilmington A. C. last Saturday by the score of 8 to 3. Continentals out-hit the Wilmington boys almost 2 to 1 but were not lucky enough to get their hits when most needed. Several runs were also lost through slow base running.

By winning last Saturday Wilmington A. C. evened up the series with the Continental the local boys winning the first game by the score of 3 to 1. The deciding game will be played here on September 9th.

Continental will play the fast Hockessin nine at Delaware Ave. grounds Saturday July 22nd. Scott Gregg who played first base for Newark Tri-County and Del-Mar League team for several years is now Manager of Hockessin and has a very fast team together which he will bring to Newark on Saturday and a very interesting game is expected. The game on Saturday will be called positively at 2.45 p. m. so as not to interfere with the Firemen's Parade at 4.00 o'clock.

Admission for Saturday's game will be 25 cents; Ladies 10 cents. There has been quite a lot of dissatisfaction and complaints made both by visiting players and the local fans regarding the umpiring of the last several games. Manager Roberts thinks he has a man who will give entire satisfaction to both teams and the umpire will also give his decisions from back of the plate.

R. R. Roberts, Manager

Continental					
Herdman 3b	0	1	1	2	0
Fulton, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Roberts, cf	0	4	2	0	0
Moore ss.	0	1	1	3	1
Ellison, lf	1	3	0	0	1
Gray, p	1	0	0	5	0
W. Crowe, c.	0	1	8	2	0
Fossett, lb	0	1	12	0	0
Tasker 2b	1	2	3	2	1

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Wilmington, A. C.

Myers, rf.	3	0	2	0	0
Morgan 2b	2	1	1	1	0
Bradford, lf.	2	2	3	0	0
Lipoki, lb	0	2	9	0	0
M. Laughlin, ss.	0	1	0	6	1
Salad, 3b	0	1	5	2	0
McCullough, cf.	0	0	1	2	0
Sparks, c	1	0	5	0	0
Tollen, p	0	1	1	1	1

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COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT

Its Historical Significance Discussed by Mr. Irving Warner

Mr. Irving Warner, of Wilmington, who has spent years in the study of commission government as adopted in over three hundred cities, spoke on the subject before students of the Summer School on Monday. Mr. Warner dwelt on the historical significance of the subject, as related to the progress of democracy, declaring that commission government fits in well with the spirit of progress. The speaker expressed appreciation of the opportunity to address such a large gathering of women on the subject of government, declaring whether it is to address such a large gathering or not, he was convinced they would have in the future.

"You understand," Mr. Warner said, "that the prevailing form of government, in cities of 25,000 and upwards, has been the check and balance form—two councils, a select and common, and a mayor of the city. If you should ask any politician why his city has two councils, he will immediately tell you for checks and balances. If you press him further he will point to the state legislature, with its two branches, and if that fails to satisfy you, to the national government. In reality, our legislative system is a political veriform appendix, which was of use at one time, but is now very often only a source of trouble. The idea the two houses really dates back two thousand years to the time of the Roman Republic. Following the fall of the Republic there was a decline in democracy, as in every other phase of progress. The world entered upon a period of purely autocratic government. But finally great prosperity brought to a certain class, great taxes, and in the Hanseatic cities, the merchants combined and in answer to their request were granted by the government the privilege of discussing the situation.

Again they asked for a second council, a system of checks and balances—a system that was of distinct service in that time in tempering the autocratic tendencies of the nobility on the one hand, and the excesses of the common people, on the other. This custom, revived then, by the Hanseatic cities, four hundred years ago, has filtered on through the centuries, until we

In the Realm of Agriculture**"Lost Motion in Orcharding"**

"There is a great deal of 'lost motion' in maintaining the fertility of the soil in the orchard. The real problem is to find the limiting factor in production. It may be poor soil, drainage, bad physical condition of the soil through lack of humus or insufficient nitrogen, phosphoric acid or potash or a combination of these factors," says H. B. Gould, pomologist of the United States Bureau of Plant Industry. "There is only one way in which the problem of the limiting factor can be worked out so far as loss of plant food is concerned and that is by the experimental method. In every large orchard where important interests are at stake, it is not only desirable but entirely practical to maintain for a time at least a small series of experiments for the purpose of obtaining accurate information in regard to the plant food needs of the orchard."

Controlling the Hessian Fly

Methods for controlling the Hessian Fly, the worst pest of the wheat field, in the fall-growing sections may be summarized

as follows: Sow the best of seed in thoroughly prepared, fertile soil after the major portion of the fall brood has made its appearance and passed out of existence, and, if possible, sow on ground not devoted to wheat the preceding year. While it may seem "far fetched" to bring forward as a preventive measure the enrichment of the soil, a fertile soil will produce plants that will withstand with little injury attacks that will prove disastrous to plants growing on an impoverished or thin soil. Farmers' Bulletin 640, United States Department of Agriculture.

Operates Farm by Factory Method

Can a farm be operated like a factory? Charles F. Searook, of Brighton, N. J. answers the question in a practical way by intensive methods including the over-head irrigation and heavy fertilization of 160 acres which are used in growing high quality truck crops. Plenty of water and food explains how he is able to average 625 bushels of potatoes per acre which are sold at premium prices because they are earlier and better. Lettuce, strawberries, celery, cabbage, onions,

spinach, beets, endives, carrots, radishes and tomatoes are made to grow rapidly because as much plantfood is added to the ground every year as is taken from the ground in crops.

Wheat and Efficiency

Farm practice on thousands of American and European farms, by more than 50 years' testing by foreign experiment stations combined with more than 30 years' work by American experiment stations have demonstrated that the yields and net profits from the United States wheat crop can be increased many times. The elimination of smut from wheat in the United States would save American farmers from ten to fifteen million dollars annually. The control of the Hessian Fly would save many times that amount. The use of a sufficient amount of a balanced plantfood ration has added 8 to 12 bushels per acre to the average annual yield of a single community. Six-

teen Pennsylvania farmers, by the use of 500 pounds of fertilizer per acre, raised an average of 30 bushels of wheat per acre. Last summer 36 farmers in one section of Virginia averaged 38.1 bushels per acre with a similar application. These results secured by farmers on their own farms, demonstrate without a question of a doubt, that it is possible to greatly increase yields and profits.

Farming With Both**Head and Hands**

The small farmer should be a specialist and not a general farmer. Many small farms throughout the East and South are paying very handsome labor incomes. A two-acre farm in Appomattox County, Va., last year gave the owner an income of \$1800 from eggs, honey and small fruit. In Norfolk County there are truckers who have produced over \$2000 worth of vegetables on one acre.—Southern planter.

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DELAWARE

ENTRAIN

Somewhere the southwest, troops, hereafter as the First among the new Company E, from downpours of cloudbursts in troops entrained Mexico on the from the Department at Governor's them to proceed camp on the diers immediately the work, preparing camp. In the canvas was loaded for spending their under the tents." The the ambulance rations, were little and loaded had been organized carry the transport, but it was visible to dis saving much of several freight done to make lighter.

A visit to one that the men every corner their long journey west. Although men would travel an investigation the fourteen were of this type. Two men a lower berth, per berth. It been placed in ing ice water. Each battal troops traveled the first, company A, C, F, and

Retired Bank

Franklin Co ware man, graduate prominent bar man of Vermont property of Dr according to rily to Newark The price paid Mr. Collins ware, coming Since leaving made a remark New England a keen interest, working his native state children in the has been a Alumni function him ideas from which institution closely associated Mr. Collins and prospect of his ested citizen will be a great town.

BOARD OF

Accept Gift The College met in special duPont on September a recent be expended the new campus additional expansion building Science Hall. Claud C. Sp the Romance ment to fill resigned. It was decided the work as Further the time details were

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