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BASEBALL RULES FOR THE COMING SEASON

At a meeting of the Tri-County league managers held in Elkton last Saturday, the following set of rules was drawn up and adopted by the rules committee, composed of Dr. Charles A. Kriete of Aberdeen, Bert Everson of Newark and Fred H. Leffler of Elkton.

Several of the clubs made requests for players outside of their allotted districts. Now listen, Hark! Aberdeen, three players, granted; Havre de Grace, three players, granted; Elkton, three players, granted; Newark, only last year's players and none others, granted; Elk Mills, Jackson, of last year's Newark Club, granted.

It makes a fellow feel like singing "Jerusalem, we're losing 'em." Everything seems just as clear as mud to see through.

Rule 1—The Tri-County Baseball League shall consist of six clubs during the season of 1913, namely: Elkton, Oxford, Aberdeen, Havre de Grace, Newark and Elk Mills.

Rule 2—The season shall open on Saturday, May 10, and close Monday, September 1, Labor Day—each club to play twenty games. Two games shall be scheduled for Fourth of July, but none for Saturday, July 5, 1913.

Rule 3—No player shall receive for his services during any game or at any time any compensation in any manner or form, either from the club that he plays with or from any individual, except under the following regulations: Where a club shall charge admission to defray expenses of conducting and carrying on the game of baseball and where there shall be a balance of money the manager of such club may divide such money as is taken in at said games and from other sources among the players of said team at the end of the season of 1913, but no money shall be divided before the end of the season.

Rule 4—No player will be eligible to play on any of the said teams who has received money for his services during the present season and unless he has been a resident of the respective territory that has been assigned the club for six months prior to the opening of this league. Under no consideration shall one team transfer any player or players from one team to another during the season of 1913.

Rule 5—Should a team in this league violate any of these rules the game played shall be forfeited to the opposing team, and the team fined the sum of \$10, to be taken out of the guarantee money in the hands of the treasurer.

Rule 6—Should any player offer to buy or sell a game, he shall be suspended from the league for the remainder of the season; should any manager offer to buy or sell a game, he shall be fined \$25, this amount to be taken from the guarantee money in the hands of the treasurer.

Rule 7—At each game played a guarantee of \$10 shall be paid to the visiting club at the end of five innings, but five innings must be played to call it a game.

Rule 8—Should there come a rain storm or the grounds be too wet to play and a visiting club shall appear on said visiting grounds the sum of \$5 shall be paid to defray traveling expenses.

Rule 9—No ex-major league player is eligible to participate in any of the Tri-County League games, except by consent of the league in session.

Rule 10—Each club shall deposit with the treasurer the sum of \$25 on or before May 1, 1913, as a guarantee that it will play out the schedule and not violate the rules, and each club shall be required

all the time to keep the sum of \$25 in the hands of the treasurer. Ten days shall be the limit for any club to make up a deficiency of the required guarantee in the hands of the treasurer.

Rule 11—Each grounds shall either be fenced or roped off from first base to third base, and the home team shall keep the crowd back of the fences or ropes.

Rule 12—Should a day scheduled for a game be too rainy or there be wet grounds, the manager of said visiting club shall communicate with the home club whether to make the trip, and if advised to do so, shall receive the said rain guarantee of \$5, even if the game cannot be played on account of the weather or wet grounds.

Rule 13—The president of this league shall select, assign and supervise all umpires. An umpire shall receive \$4 for a single game; \$6 for two games on the same grounds on the same day, and \$2.50 in case he visits grounds to which he has been assigned, but the game is called off on account of rain.

Rule 14—Umpires are granted the same power as umpires in the major leagues. No fine to exceed \$5. All fines to be divided pro-rata at the end of the season among the clubs in the league.

Rule 15—Each club is granted permission to carry twenty-five players on its list, which shall be furnished to the secretary by May 1, 1913. Players signed later in place of ones released must be reported to the secretary at least ten days before they are eligible to play.

Rule 16—All grievances, either with the manager, player or umpire shall be filed with the president and secretary in writing, and the issue shall be decided by the president before the end of ten days.

Rule 17—All postponed or tie games must be played off on the grounds upon which they were scheduled to be played on the day of the next scheduled game of the same teams upon these grounds; in case there are no more scheduled days for these teams, the president shall name a day for the playing of the tie or postponement. In the event of a tie or postponement occurring during the last playing week of the season, when said tie or postponement affects the awarding of a pennant, the president shall name a day for the playing of the said game during the following week.

Rule 18—When double headers are played the home team shall pay the visiting team \$15, except when one game is played in the morning and the other in the afternoon, then dinner shall be provided by the home team for ten men, in addition to the \$15 guarantee.

Rule 19—No game shall be started later than 3.15 p. m., and earlier if that hour does not give enough time for the game to be played and the visiting team to dress and catch the train.

Rule 20—Should the home team not be ready to begin the game by 3.15 p. m., the penalty shall be forfeiture of the game, if the umpire so decides. Unavoidable circumstances shall be taken into consideration.

Rule 21—All official scorers of the home team must send box scores to the league's secretary in time for him to have scores published in sporting sheets of following morning papers.

Rule 22—No college player shall be allowed to play on any team unless he is a bona-fide resident of said district assigned to said club.

Rule 23—The league shall pay incidental expenses of the president.

BANQUET AT DEER PARK

Hon. Harvey Hoffercker Guest Of Honor

In recognition of the work accomplished at the last General Assembly, Honorable Harvey Hoffercker, representative from Newark was the guest of honor at a dinner given in the Deer Park Hotel last Saturday.

Mr. Wright, as President of the Newark Trust and Safe Deposit Company and Chairman of the Newark Sewer Commission was the genial host.

Covers were laid for fifteen, the guests including, Honorable Harvey Hoffercker, Mayor J. H. Hossinger and Dr. H. G. M. Kollock, of the Sewer Commission; Messrs. C. B. Evans, D. C. Rose, W. H. Taylor, W. A. Singles, J. W. Dayett of the Trust Co., Messrs. H. L. Bonham, H. B. Wright, J. P. Wright, N. N. Wright, Ernest Wright, E. C. Johnson.

A seven course dinner was served in the dining room of the Deer Park, after the manner for which the host is becoming famed. Pink carnations figured largely in the dainty decorations.

The menu cards were novel and attractive souvenirs of the occasion, printed on hard fibre, the lettering in gold.

The star plays of Mr. Hoffercker were set forth on one side as follows:

Striking features of the work done by Honorable Harvey Hoffercker at the General Assembly of Delaware at its session of 1913.

Sewer Bill for Newark;

Armory for Company E;

Increased appropriation for Delaware College;

Increased appropriation for Delaware State Farm;

Special appropriation for Green House for Delaware College;

Swimming Pool for Gymnasium Affiliated College for Women.

The ornamental design used in the border, between the various courses and paragraphs was in the form of a double "H", while the ribbon with which the two cards were held together bore the words, "Hon. Harvey Hoffercker."

S. J. Wright acted as toastmaster. Speeches were made by several of the guests expressing appreciation of the splendid record, after which Mr. Hoffercker responded in words of thanks for the honor conferred.

The instructors, with few exceptions, will be members of the College faculty.

A teacher of History and Economics will be supplied to replace Prof. A. V. Vaughn, who has been granted leave of absence on account of a proposed trip to Europe. Methods and School Management will be taught by a normal school instructor.

The examinations at the close of the session will be under the direction of the State Board of Education.

Newark Baseball Season Opens With Victory

In the first exhibition game of the season Newark had for its opponent the Silverbrook Club of Wilmington, but did not have to extend themselves very much to beat them. Newark won easily, 11 to 4. Hogan seemed to be a stumbling block for Silverbrook, as the first six men facing him, all went out by the aviation line.

All the players showed up well. In Hogan and Willis, Manager Everson has the two best pitchers in the league.

"Vic" is surely hitting the ball some this year. Three hits in the first game is not forgetting how to handle the "Big Stick."

Good beginning (big inning). Keep it up.

Silverbrook didn't Lovett the way Hogan treated them.

Marney caught his usually good game.

Roberts was there with the goods both in the field and at the bat.

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ACCIDENT AT B. & O.

Narrow Escape From Serious Injuries

Caught between the safety gates at the New London road crossing on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad in the center of Newark, with an approaching freight train not more than fifty yards away, Mrs. Thompson Ewing wife of a prominent farmer, her two daughters, the Misses Eva and Ella Ewing and Miss Laura Mearns of Kennelville, had a narrow escape from possible death shortly before 8 o'clock last night.

That the accident did not result more seriously was due to the presence of mind and pluck of Mrs. Ewing, who, on seeing the gate go down directly in front of her whirled up the horse and the animal dashed into the gate, breaking it into splinters. The gate, however, struck the top of the wagon, tearing it entirely from the body. Miss Eva Ewing was thrown from the carriage when it collided with the gate and both wheels of the vehicle passed over her body. It was thought by a number of eye witnesses to the accident that she was killed, but she soon revived and her injuries will not prove fatal.

The watchman did not see Mrs. Ewing's team and it had passed under the upper gate and was on the tracks when the two gates were lowered. As there have been several such narrow escapes there recently the town authorities will probably demand that the railroad keep two watchmen employed, there being two crossings to look after. It is the general opinion that there is too much work for one man to properly care for.

The carriage in which the four women were riding was so badly damaged that it cannot be used until repairs are made. Shortly after the accident they went to the home of friends and were driven to their own homes later in the evening.

Summer School Courses Being Outlined

Plans are rounding into shape for the Summer School to be opened at Delaware College on June 24, for the benefit of the teachers of the State. The courses in detail will be made public within a few days.

Work of varying grades will be offered in the subjects which the teachers use in the schoolroom, as well as in more advanced branches for those who so desire.

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CARNIVAL COMMITTEES NAMED LAST FRIDAY

Mrs. William H. Barton, Mrs. William E. Hayes, Mrs. Charles H. Blake, Mrs. H. H. Morgan, Mrs.

The women of Newark met in the Council Chamber last Friday evening when plans were outlined for the Firemen's Carnival to be held the first week of July. Mrs. S. L. Cann presided at the meeting. The committees were named as follows:

Fancy Table—Mrs. E. Clifford Wilson, Mrs. Fannie E. Nelson, Mrs. Samuel J. Wright, Mrs. John Pilling, Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mrs. Jonathan Johnson, Miss Elsie Wright, Miss Cornelia Pilling, Mrs. Harry Bonham, Mrs. Clarence A. Short, Miss Mary Colmery, Mrs. Charles Colmery, Mrs. Harry Reed, Mrs. Daniel Thompson, Mrs. J. Pilling Wright, Mrs. Lewis Thomas, Mrs. Ernest V. Vaughn, Mrs. Thomas F. Munns, Mrs. H. Warner McNeal, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Miss Florence Bickling, Mrs. Frank Pader, Mrs. J. Rankin Armstrong, Mrs. Howard K. Preston, Mrs. Charles P. Steele, Mrs. John Armstrong, Mrs. David Grimes, Mrs. Cecil Ferguson, Mrs. Edward L. Richards, Mrs. L. E. Pool, Mrs. William J. Rowan, Mrs. Hamilton B. Phelps, Mrs. Victor G. Willis, Mrs. Harry Campbell, Miss Margaret Kennedy, Mrs. James A. McKelvey, Mrs. J. Pearce Cann, Mrs. J. Penn Wilson, Miss Jennie Raub, Miss Martha Strahorn, Mrs. Chas. B. Evans, Mrs. Arthur T. Neale, Mrs. Edward W. Cooch, Mrs. Chas. L. Penny, Mrs. P. M. Sherwood, Miss Lena Evans and Mrs. Walter H. Steel.

Candy Committee—Mrs. Wilmer Hill, chairman; Mrs. May Hall, Mrs. Henry Hogan, Miss Anna Galaher, Miss Margaret Hicks, Miss Edith Spence, Miss Olive Heiser, Miss Edith Cleaver, Miss Mary Hoffercker, Miss Anna Willis, Miss Anna Robinson, Miss Helen McNeal, Miss Sarah Marshman, Miss Hannah Marney, Mrs. Joseph Thomas, Miss Mildred Ferguson, Miss Elizabeth Pierson, Miss Myrtle Steel, Miss Winnie Fader, Mrs. Leslie Hill, Miss Edna Thomas, Miss Alice Pemberton, Miss Ruth Davis, Miss Dora Law, Miss Alice Davy and Miss Edna Campbell.

Novelty Committee—Mrs. Arthur S. Hinchin, chairman; Mrs. Ernest Frazer, Mrs. Mary Kilgore, Mrs. Elmer Thompson, Mrs. C. A. McNeil, Mrs. Joseph H. Hossinger,

M. E. Congregation Holds Reception For New Pastor

A cordial welcome was extended to Rev. L. E. Poole and family last Monday evening by the congregation of the Newark M. E. Church. Over 175 persons attended the reception, which was planned by the ladies of the Women's Home Missionary Society, and held in the lecture room.

Each organization of the church was represented on the program, and extended words of welcome and assurances of co-operation to the new pastor. The greetings, in behalf of the various societies were delivered by the following:

Professor C. A. Short, the Board of Trustees; Mr. S. L. Cann, the Board of Stewards;

Mr. Howard Leak, the Christian Endeavor Society;

Mrs. Elmer Thompson, the Ladies' Aid Society;

Mrs. A. E. Grantham, the Women's Home Missionary Society;

Mrs. S. L. Cann, the Young People's Aid Society;

Prof. E. V. Vaughn, the M. E. Brotherhood;

Prof. T. F. Manns, the Sunday School.

Duets were sung by the Misses Hoffercker, and Mrs. Joseph Thomas and Miss Esther Ferguson.

Refreshments were served.

NEW CENTURY CLUB

The New Century Club program of entertainment for the year was concluded on Monday, with the last of the Shakespearean afternoons, under the direction of Mrs. Hayward. The chief feature of the meeting was the lecture on Hamlet, by E. C. Johnson of Newark.

The annual election of officers will be held next Monday, which is the last meeting scheduled for the year.

The Citizens' Building and Loan Association of New Castle issued its twenties series last week when upwards of 200 shares were taken.

Jacob Thomas, Mrs. H. Edwin Vinsinger, Mrs. R. C. Reed, Mrs. Levi K. Bowen, Mrs. Edward Laurence Smith and Mrs. W. P. Wollaston.

Apron Committee—Miss Elizabeth Hill, chairman; Mrs. Edward Bailey, Mrs. Eugene Wivel, Mrs. Orlando Strahorn, Mrs. Thomas Potts, Mrs. John Cordray, Miss Alice Hill, Mrs. Ramsey, Mrs. Smith, Miss Florence Pool, Mrs. Homer Vansant and Miss Clara Bradley.

Ice Cream Committee—Mrs. S. L. Cann, Miss Esther Ferguson, and Mrs. Robert Gallaher, the Misses Margaret Cook, Eleanor Fader, Edna Chalmers, Leila Herbenor, Elsie Grier, Jenny Gregson, Emily Worrall, Carrie Kelley, Katharine Bowen, Alice Hoffercker, Geneva Burnette, Helen Wollaston, Marion Brown, Marion Gallaher, Helen Currinder, Gertrude Willis, Elizabeth McNeal, Edna Cunningham, Edith Chambers, Elsie Tweed, Florence Moore, Blanche Towson, Helen Leak, Gertrude Hill, Emma Cornog, Edy the Whittingham, Carrie Jameson, Ruby Robinson, Edna Getty, Edith Shepherd and Mary Snyder.

Japanese Garden Committee—Mrs. Annie Moore, chairman; Mrs. Paxson, Miss Lydia Fader, Miss Lena Waters, Miss Ethel Campbell, Miss Mary Johnson, Miss Edith Hoffercker, Miss Agnes Medill, Miss Audrey Miller, Miss Nellie Wilson, Miss Alice Kerr, Miss Elsie Davis, Miss Shirley Sheldener, Miss Elizabeth Grime, Miss Etta Wilson, Miss Katie Young, Miss Louisa Sentman, and Miss Helen Walker.

Cake Committee—Mrs. A. L. Beals, chairman; Mrs. Charles Strahorn, Mrs. Joel S. Giffman, Mrs. Frank Jester, Mrs. Harry Hill, Mrs. William Ferris, Mrs. Andrew Hahn, Mrs. A. E. Grantham, Mrs. John Chambers, Mrs. Thomas Young, Mrs. Norris Worrall, Mrs. Osmond, Mrs. H. B. Wright, Mrs. L. B. Jacobs, Mrs. Isaac Vansant, Mrs. Frank Willis, Mrs. Howard Leak, Mrs. Stephen Cornog, Mrs. Harry Pool, Mrs. Harold Tiffany, Mrs. Alfred Brooks, Miss Mary Kennedy, Miss Mary Pool, Miss Margaret Anderson, and Miss McCann.

Mrs. Herman R. Tyson was made chairman of the gypsy tent committee and as she was not present at the meeting her committee will be announced later.

Another meeting will be held next Thursday night.

Chief Wilson Visits Baltimore Fire Department

E. C. Wilson, chief of the local Fire Company was in Baltimore on Monday making an inspection of the Fire Department of that city. He was cordially received by the Chief of the Department and shown the fine details of their auto engines. A ride on the different engines convinced him of the type of fires to be used on the new engine here. The officers of the Baltimore Department are acquainted with the type of engine now being built for Newark. They assured Mr. Wilson of its merits and congratulated the local company on its purchase.

To Visit Europe This Summer

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Vaughn are planning to spend the coming summer in Europe. They will sail from Philadelphia on June 14, and, on the return trip, from Rotterdam Aug. 31. Their route will take them through Scotland, England, Holland, the Rhine, Switzerland, and Paris. Dr. Vaughn expects to collect much valuable historical and economic material during the summer.

Young People's Temperance Meeting

The young people's branch of the W. C. T. U. will meet next Monday night at the home of Miss Helen Shepherd, near White Clay Creek Church. The members will walk to Miss Shepherd's, leaving the home of Miss Leila Herbenor at seven o'clock.

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Bombardment of a Delaware Town

Exactly one hundred years ago, during the present month of April, the little town of Lewes (or Lewiston), in Sussex county, was the scene of what was probably the only recorded bombardment of a Delaware town, unless, perhaps, the capture of the Swedish forts by the redoubtable Peter Stuyvesant could be called by such a name.

The British blockading squadron consisted of four 74-gun ships and other smaller armed vessels, and was under the command of Admiral Cockburn, the same Cockburn who later achieved the unenviable distinction of burning the National buildings at Washington. While Cockburn guarded the Chesapeake Bay, he sent the Potomac, his flagship, the Belvidera and some smaller vessels, under Commodore Beresford, to blockade the Delaware Bay and River.

On the 16th of March, 1813, Beresford appeared before Lewes, and sent in a note to the "first magistrate" of the town.

"You must send me twenty live bullocks, with a proportionate quantity of vegetables and hay, for the use of his Britannic Majesty's squadron."

Needless to say, the request was refused politely, and perhaps profanely. The spirit of '76 was aroused throughout the little Diamond State, and, at Dover, on Sunday, the drum beat the call to arms, and five hundred volunteers replied to that stirring call. The aged Jonathan McNutt, a Revolutionary hero, devout though he was on other occasions, spent the whole of Sunday afternoon making ball cartridges. At Wilmington, the gallant Allan McLane assumed command.

Alarmed by the commotion his request had aroused, for three weeks the British commander made no overt attack, but finally, on the 6th of April, the Belvidera and some small craft, were ordered to attack Lewes. First several round shot were fired into the town to frighten the inhabitants, but after receiving another refusal of supplies, the bombardment began in earnest. For twenty-two hours it continued, and at least eight hundred of the 18 and 32 pound shot were hurled at the little town, besides many shells and rockets, the last named for the purpose of setting the buildings on fire.

But the shells fell short, the rockets overshot their marks, and the only damage was that caused by several of the round shot striking the houses. There was no loss

of life. The Blue Hen's Chicks, under Colonel Davis, were kept busy firing back the balls so generously contributed by the enemy. The powder used by the patriots was sent down from the duPont mills in Wilmington.

The next day a landing was attempted, but the assault was easily repulsed. For about a month the ships lingered about Lewes, one more effort being made to land seven miles below Lewes, but again they were driven back.

Having failed to even set foot on Delaware soil, the fleet gave up the attempt, and sailed away for Bermuda.

So ended the valiant defense of Lewes.—W. H. Conner.

Where Striking Contrasts Abound

"Buffalo Bill"—the old scout himself—and "Pawnee Bill"—"The Two Bills"—will both be present in their various capacities, and superintend the details so necessary to good performances.

After nearly one-third of a century, as distinct attractions, recognized from their worth to be able to stand alone, the Wild West and Far East, Combined, make an exceptionally double-decker of an exhibition, which is to be given in Wilmington, Thursday, May 15,

with something new on every list, and the visits not too often, has been the custom with these two astute managers.

Scenery, piled mountain high, even the tops of the great tents painted to represent distant hill tops, and the arena arranged to give the broadest scope of vision and effect, are a few of the novel features offered this season. The whole exhibition swarms with renewed vigor, and coherently tells of the Conquest of a Continent. New attractions have been added, and nearly all the historic incidents treated in a new way. Pioneer days will be vividly recalled, and many Oriental novelties presented.

An old-time fox hunt—hounds and horses over hurdles, ditches and fences, with International Horse Show prize-winning jumpers, is a further extension in horse interest, to which another attractive feature will be the six-horse team of dapple gray draft horses—real blue ribbons.

These are but a few of the novelties added to the world-famed gem numbers identified with the Cody and Lillie alliance.

—Adv.

A movement is on foot to secure an appropriation from the Legislature for the erection in Elkton of an armory for Company E, 1st Regt., M. N. G.

Official Inspection of Brands of Fertilizers Offered For Sale in Delaware in the Fall of 1912

By Charles L. Penny, State Chemist

The following tables show for each Brand the guaranteed and the actual analysis expressed as percentages, also the money valuation of the ingredients both separate and combined.

The "Guaranteed Analysis" gives in order the Ammonia, Available Phosphoric Acid and Potash, except that in the case of untreated Bones the Total Phosphoric Acid is meant instead of the Available.

Brands that fall below the guarantee in one constituent but that make up the deficiency by excess in any other, thus giving full value, are marked "FV" at the right of the table.

Nitrogen, in whatever form it may be present, is always reckoned as Ammonia. In the case of untreated Bones (Bone Meal, Ground Bones, etc.), and Bone Tankage, the Phosphoric acid given is the total, though printed in the column headed "Available," but marked with "T" in each case. "Fine" bone is such as will pass a sieve of British-inch mesh, "Coarse" such as will not pass. In Potash Fertilizers any chloride present is reckoned as "Muriate" up to the limit of the Potash. In all of the Brands here reported Potash is counted as Muriate.

The Money valuations show first the separate value of the Ammonia, the Total Phosphoric Acid and the Potash and then their combined value, in a ton (2000 lbs.) of fertilizer. These values represent the retail cost of the constituents without allowance for expenses of manufacture, freight, commissions, profit, etc.

Hence the "Estimated Value per Ton" should be understood rather as for the purpose of comparison than as an indication of a fair selling price; the latter must vary with local conditions. The values are estimated from the prices used in most of the New England and Middle States. These prices, which have been determined by adding twenty per cent. to the wholesale price to represent the retail, are as follows: Ammonia in mixed fertilizers, "fine" bone and bone tankage, 15.6c per pound; in "coarse" bone, 12.4c. In acidulated fertilizers, available phosphoric acid 4.25c, and insoluble phosphoric acid 2c. Total phosphoric acid in "fine" bone 4c, in "coarse" 3.5c. Potash as muriate 4.25c, as sulphate 5.25c.

The brand of ground bone No. 1377 was found to contain 46% of "fine" bone.

Copies of this bulletin may be obtained free of cost by applying to Delaware College, Department of Chemistry, Newark, Delaware, November 30, 1912.

No.	Names of Manufacturers and Brands.	Where Sampled	Guar. Analysis.	Percentages Found.				Estimated Value Per Ton.			
				Ammonia.	Avail. Phos. Ac.	Insol. Phos. Ac.	Potash.	Ammonia.	Total Phos. Ac.	Potash.	Total Value.
1243	AMERICAN AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL CO., New York.	Porter	0 — 12 — 3	12.70	0.87	3.02		\$11.23	\$2.57	\$13.80	
1244	Lazaretto Dissolved H. G. Bone Phos. and Potash.	Selbyville	1 — 8 — 12	8.07	0.94	11.26		\$3.96	\$ 7.75	\$9.50	\$21.30 FV
1387	H. G. Wheat and Grass Grower.	Seaford	0 — 10 — 8	11.59	0.39	7.44		\$10.02	\$6.32	\$16.34 FV	
1247	AMERICAN FERTILIZING CO., Baltimore, Md.	Seaford	1/2 — 7 — 3	0.90	7.36	1.38	3.48	\$2.81	\$ 6.81	\$2.96	\$12.58
1258	ARMOUR FERTILIZER WORKS, Baltimore, Md.	Harrington	1 — 8 — 2	1.26	8.10	0.74	2.94	\$3.93	\$ 7.19	\$2.50	\$13.62
1259	Crop Grower	Bridgeville	0 — 16 — 0		15.81	0.18			\$13.55		\$13.55
1274	BAUGH & SONS CO., OF BALTIMORE CITY, Baltimore, Md.	Laurel	1 — 8 — 1	1.23	8.12	0.74	1.01	\$3.84	\$ 7.20	\$0.89	\$11.90
1290	Baugh's General Crop Grower.	Nassau	0 — 8 — 5		9.91	1.68	5.04	\$ 9.09	\$4.28	\$13.37	
1288	Baugh's 8 and 5 Spec. Alkaline Superphosphate.	Kenton	0 — 12 — 5		12.88	1.27	5.48	\$11.46	\$6.60	\$16.12	
1308	Baugh's 12 and 5 Phosphate and Potash.	Nassau	0 — 10 — 8		11.13	1.06	8.46	\$ 9.88	\$7.19	\$17.07	
1512	Baugh's 10 and 8 Phosphate and Potash.										
1513	COLUMBIA GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.	Cheswold	0 — 10 — 2		10.00	0.75	2.10	\$ 8.80	\$1.79	\$10.59	
1381	Columbia Potash Compound.	Cheswold	0 — 12 — 5		12.92	0.35	4.89	\$11.12	\$4.16	\$15.28 FV	
1314	JAS. G. DOWNWARD & CO., Coatesville, Pa.	Hockessin	2 — 7 — 3 1/2	2.01	8.80	0.53	4.35	\$6.27	\$ 7.69	\$3.70	\$17.66
1315	Corn, Wheat, and Grass Fertilizer.	Felton	0 — 8 — 5		9.47	2.40	2.66	\$ 9.01	\$2.26	\$11.27 FV	
1326	Griffith & Boyd's Monarch Brand.	Felton	0 — 10 — 2		10.95	2.47	2.54	\$ 9.54	\$2.16	\$11.70	
1327	Griffith & Boyd's Special Grain Grower.	Overbrook	0 — 14 — 0		15.16	0.90		\$13.25		\$13.25	
1328	M. P. HUBBARD & CO., Baltimore, Md.	Bridgeville	2 — 9 — 5	2.43	9.10	0.83	5.77	\$7.58	\$ 8.97	\$4.90	\$20.55
1261	Maloney's Spec. Wheat and Grass Mixture.	Harrington	1 — 9 — 3	1.39	10.15	0.46	3.49	\$4.34	\$ 8.84	\$2.97	\$16.15
1376	Hubbard's Harvest King for Wheat and Grass.	Georgetown	0 — 12 — 5		12.20	0.73	4.53	\$10.05	\$3.80	\$14.55 FV	
1377	D. B. MARTIN CO., Philadelphia, Pa.	Thompson	2 — 8 — 2	2.00	10.45	2.11	2.29	\$6.24	\$ 9.72	\$1.95	\$17.91
1378	Corn and Grass Special.	Thompson	3 — 22 — 0	3.24	28.10			\$9.23	\$20.95		\$30.24
1380	Special Mixture.	Hartley	1/2 — 8 — 3	0.88	8.79	0.45	2.87	\$2.75	\$ 7.95	\$2.44	\$12.84 FV
1390	MEDICUS FERTILIZER CO., Newport, Del.	Newport	0 — 16 — 0		17.41	0.22		\$14.80		\$14.80	
1302	Acid Phosphate.	Milton	0 — 12 — 5		12.46	0.77	5.12	\$10.90	\$4.35	\$15.25	
1402	MILTON FERTILIZER CO., Milton, Del.	Milton	0 — 12 — 5		10.56	0.28	2.08	\$ 9.34	\$2.53	\$11.87	
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1401	THE PERLESS FERTILIZER CO., Chestertown, Md.	Greenwood	1/2 — 8 — 3	0.67	9.93	0.20	3.34	\$2.09	\$ 8.56	\$2.84	\$13.49
1363	Medder's Special.	Millsboro	1/2 — 10 — 2	0.66	11.20	0.44	2.11	\$2.03	\$ 9.78	\$1.79	\$13.60
1425	Our Victor.	Hartley	1 1/2 — 8 1/2 — 4	1.54	9.86	0.70	4.14	\$4.89	\$ 8.69	\$3.72	\$16.98
1426	Pennington Mixture.	Hartley	0 — 12 — 5		12.01	0.81	4.27	\$10.53	\$3.63	\$14.16	
1427	PIEDMONT-MT. AIRY GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.	Hartley	1 — 9 — 3	1.06	10.67	1.02	3.08	\$3.21	\$ 9.48	\$2.62	\$15.31
1428	Piedmont Economy.	Smyrna	0 — 10 — 2		11.41	0.64	2.21	\$ 9.99	\$1.88	\$11.87	
1248	LEWIS M. PRICE, Smyrna, Del.	Wyoming	1 — 8 — 2	1.29	8.00	1.55	2.48	\$4.02	\$ 7.42	\$2.11	\$13.55
1285	Farmer's Standard.	Bridgeville	1 1/2 — 8 — 3	1.27	8.45	1.61	3.10	\$3.96	\$ 7.57	\$2.64	\$14.17 FV
1286	Price's 12 and 5.	Townsend	0 — 12 — 3		12.55	1.33	2.61	\$11.20	\$2.22	\$13.42 FV	
1457	Land P Phosphate.	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 2		12.40	0.64	2.03	\$10.92	\$1.71	\$12.63	
1470	Ten and Two.	Laurel	2 — 8 — 2	2.24	8.80	1.29	2.86	\$6.99	\$ 8.08	\$2.43	\$17.50
1248	RASIN-MONUMENTAL CO., Baltimore, Md.	Dover	1 — 7 — 1	1.37	8.51	0.94	1.63	\$6.05	\$ 7.44	\$1.88	\$12.47
1285	ROSTER'S GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.	Newark	2 — 8 — 3	2.40	11.09	0.45	3.92	\$6.55	\$ 9.01	\$3.08	\$19.21
1457	Royster's Peerless Grain and Grass Grower.	Cheeswold	0 — 10 — 2		11.08	0.40	2.35	\$10.20	\$2.02	\$12.22	
1458	Royster's Harvest King.	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 4		10.95	0.46	3.14	\$ 9.24	\$2.84	\$12.08 FV	
1514	Royster's Universal Crop Grower.	Cheeswold	0 — 10 — 2		10.94	0.50	2.08	\$ 9.20	\$1.73	\$11.02	
1470	THE SCOTT FERTILIZER CO., Elkton, Md.	Smyrna	0 — 12 — 5		12.41	0.43	4.30	\$10.72	\$3.63	\$14.35	
1471	Scott's Sure Growth Superphosphate.	Wyoming	0 — 12 — 5		13.10	0.50	4.89	\$11.27	\$4.11	\$15.38 FV	
1472	Scott's Tip Top and Potash.	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 4		10.57	1.09	4.21	\$ 9.28	\$3.58	\$12.84	
1281	SWIFT & CO., Baltimore, Md.	Smyrna	0 — 8 — 5		9.93	0.63	3.70	\$ 8.18	\$3.15	\$11.33 FV	
1281	Swift's Farmer's Home H. G. Phosphate and Potash.	Smyrna	0 — 10 — 2		10.96	0.30	2.19	\$ 9.50	\$1.70	\$11.29	
1281	Swift's Wheat Grower Phosphate and Potash.	Smyrna	1 — 8 — 4	1.17	9.59	0.65	3.48	\$5.65	\$ 8.49	\$2.99	\$16.80 FV
1384	Swift's Special H. G. Phosphate and Potash.	Smyrna	0 — 12 — 5		12.41	0.43	4.30	\$10.72	\$3.63	\$14.35	
1470	L. P. THOMAS & SON CO., Philadelphia, Pa.	Wyoming	0 — 12 — 5		13.10	0.50	4.89	\$11.27	\$4.11	\$15.38 FV	
1471	Pennington Special Fertilizer.	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 4		10.57	1.09	4.21	\$ 9.28	\$3.58	\$12.84	
1472	TYGERI'S Big Crop Grower.	Smyrna	0 — 8 — 5		9.93	0.63	3.70	\$ 8.18	\$3.15	\$11.33 FV	
1492	Tygeri's Soluble Phosphate and Potash.	Smyrna	0 — 10 — 2		10.96	0.30	2.19	\$ 9.50	\$1.70	\$11.29	
1493	Tygeri's Wheat Crop Grower.	Smyrna	1 — 8 — 4	1.17	9.59	0.65	3.48	\$5.65	\$ 8.49	\$2.99	\$16.80 FV
1519	A. S. WOOLLEY CO., Seaford, Del.	Seaford	1 — 8 — 2	1.02	8.94	0.93	2.29	\$3.18	\$ 7.70	\$1.87	\$12.78
1520	Woolley's No. 3 Grain Fertilizer.	Seaford	2 1/2 — 8 — 5	2.51	9.60	0.97	5.94	\$7.33	\$ 8.55	\$4.70	\$21.17

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CARRYING SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE TO THE FARMS

The establishment of an Agricultural Extension Department, two years ago in connection with the work of the Delaware College Experiment Station has proved of great benefit to the farmers of the State. The plan was tried as an experiment, but has received the stamp of approval by the action of the recent legislature in increasing the appropriation to \$5,000 a year for the next two years. By means of this fund the Station experts are enabled to co-operate with the man on his own farm, and working together, solve the practical problems.

During the last two years the work has included co-operative experiments on over 100 farmers in all sections of the state. The college has furnished seed in numerous cases for crop testing and in some instances the fertilizer. Representatives from the Station have visited the places where experiments are being carried on to note the progress and offer suggestions. Experiments with soy beans, potatoes and alfalfa have been especially satisfactory.

The plans recently outlined for the coming season, by Prof. H. Hayward, director of the Station, are of interest to every farmer. The work, under the different departments follows:

Professor C. A. McCue, the horticulturist, is making some elaborate plans for the testing of a number of varieties of cantaloupe seeds in the cantaloupe section of Sussex county. In this work the college will furnish enough seed for the grower to plant from one-half to two acres. The grower furnishes the fertilizer and does the necessary work. A representative from the college will visit the growers from time to time to make notes on the progress of the work. At the harvesting he will make a careful comparison of the value of the different varieties for market purposes, including the size of the fruit, its netting, color of the flesh, depth of flesh, flavor and the shipping and keeping qualities. The importance of the cantaloupe crop is rapidly growing in Sussex county and the acreage this year will be larger than ever before. The college will also render service in controlling the blight and fungous diseases to which this crop is subject.

Professor McCue has planned similar work with tomatoes but in this case the fertilizer requirements will be more closely watched. For a number of years fertilizer tests have been made on the college farm and the information gained from these experiments Professor McCue will apply to farm conditions. It is difficult to over-estimate the value of the tomato crop in Delaware. On many farms it is looked upon as the best money crop that the farmer can handle, and the culture requirements are practically as well understood as it is with any other staple crop. As important as the crop is a comparatively small amount of work has been done with it by the scientific investigators. A study is under way with the agricultural extension funds with fertilizer requirements in hope that cost of production can be materially lessened.

Professor McCue and his assistant, Mr. Polton, have outlined an extensive study of the round or Irish potato in various potato growing sections of the state. Similar studies were made last year in Sussex and New Castle counties and the results were so encouraging that further work will be carried out this year. The work will require chiefly fertilizer requirements on different types of soil. To this end the college furnishes the fertilizer as well as the seed but of course in all cases the grower gets the crop, and by furnishing the land and doing the work of investigation co-operates with the college in getting information that will increase the yield or decrease the cost of production.

The horticulturist in conjunction with the plant pathologist will make a somewhat similar study in reference to food requirements of sweet potatoes, the pathologist studying the results with reference to influence of fertilizers and the horticulturist studying results with reference to yield and quality of potato as affected by different kinds of fertilizer under otherwise equal conditions.

Ever since the large crop last year on the peach orchard at the college farm some of the former peach growers in the former peach belt of Delaware have been keenly interested in the orchard. Some of these former growers have said that the college orchard is the finest in the state and the crop last year was such as to attract much attention from those interested in tree fruits. Professor McCue is firm in his belief that the peach can again be grown satisfactorily in Delaware when modern methods are used and in order to demonstrate the correctness of his opinion he has undertaken to recommend the methods to be employed in caring for an old orchard near Odessa. His plan is to employ different fertilizers to ascertain the fertilizer requirements for that particular soil and then by proper spraying, worming, pruning and tilling, to see if a profitable crop cannot be grown on the orchard. This work is only made possible by the state appropriation for agricultural extension.

The agronomist, Professor Arthur E. Grantham and his assistant, Mr. Litner, have also planned a series of extension studies for the season. Owing to the fact that corn and wheat are the largest money crops of the state, Professor Grantham has confined his energies to the improvement of these two staple crops. Last fall a number of co-operating farmers were supplied with quantities of the most improved varieties of seed wheat, enough to sow and secure all the seed wheat they will require for the coming year. Professor Grantham has made a thorough study and tests at the college farm for the last four or five years and in some cases indications go to show that by choosing a variety adapted to the soil the yield can be increased from 2 to 10 bushels on an acre. It is well known that several culms or stocks of wheat are produced from a single grain and Professor Grantham found that this was a varietal attribute or that some varieties produced many more culms under same conditions than others, and this of course has a marked influence upon the yield of wheat. Professor Grantham's purpose is to find those varieties which under given conditions will produce maximum number of culms, thus yielding a greater amount of wheat. Possibly no investigator in the country has done so much fundamental work looking towards the increasing of the yield of wheat per acre as Professor Grantham has in Delaware, and it is his purpose to apply the result of the scientific researches carried on at the college farm to the various wheat growing sections of the state.

Professor Grantham's other lines of effort will be to encourage a more careful selection of the best variety of corn and a better preparation of the ground for the planting of the corn crop. He has carried on an extensive experiment at the college farm for the past six years with corn grown, not only varieties but with types of kernel within the same variety. The result of these studies, while still unpublished, for the most part give promise of material aid in determining type of kernel to select for seed, which will produce the most hearty plant and yielding the largest amount of grain.

Entertainment Under Auspices Of Senior Class

Echoes from the past will carry many a Confederate and Union veteran back to the days of his childhood at the concert to be given at Newark Opera House, on April 28, by the "Two Old Confederates" of Richmond, when they appear under the auspices of the Senior Class of Delaware College.

With a view of giving their old comrades in arms a treat and at the same time adding to the pleasure of their own visit to Delaware, the "Two Old Confederates" have extended through the local management an invitation to a large number of both Union and Confederate veterans to be present as their guests. The invitation has been promptly and gratefully accepted and the old soldiers will attend in a body. The program, filled with songs and stories remini-

scent of wartime and ante-bellum days, will be just the thing to stir their fighting blood and bring out a "rebel" yell or a Union cheer. To make the scene still more interesting, Capt. Miller and Col. Booker, the "Two Old Confederates," both of whom served with distinction through the Civil War, will wear their gray coats on the stage.

For old and young alike, the concert promises to be one of the most thoroughly enjoyable events of the entertainment season in Newark. The famous quartette of Old Time Southern Negroes will be on hand to sing the old Southern airs as they only can sing them. Col. Booker's banjo will have a busy evening, and Capt. Miller's fiddle—well just go and hear them.

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GREATER DELAWARE

DELAWARE COLLEGE IS IN THE MIDST OF THE MOST INTERESTING DEVELOPMENTS IN ITS HISTORY OF ALMOST EIGHTY YEARS. THE NEW PERPETUAL CHARTER NOW GOES INTO EFFECT, A DIRECT APPROPRIATION FROM THE STATE OF \$15,000 FOR TWO YEARS WILL SOON BECOME AVAILABLE AS INCOME; THE COMMISSION TO SUPERINTEND THE BUILDING THE AFFILIATED COLLEGE FOR WOMEN HAS BEEN APPOINTED; AND AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT AMONG THE ALUMNI FOR THE RAISING OF A PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND FOR \$250,000 IS HOPEFULLY UNDERWAY.

PERHAPS THE MOST SIGNIFICANT OF ALL THESE INTERESTING MATTERS IS THE ALUMNI MOVEMENT FOR THE CREATION OF A PERMANENT ENDOWMENT. NEVER BEFORE HAVE THE ALUMNI UNDERTAKEN TO RAISE A CONSIDERABLE SUM IN AID OF THE COLLEGE. THERE ARE MANY REASONS FOR THIS SEEMING INDIFFERENCE UPON THE PART OF THE ALUMNI, CHIEF AMONG THEM, PERHAPS, THE PARALYZING NOTION THAT AN INSTITUTION ENJOYING THE FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF THE STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS NO NEED OF PRIVATE FRIENDS. IT IS WORTH A GREAT DEAL TO HAVE THAT FALSE NOTION EXPLODED. ANOTHER REASON WHY THERE HAS HITHERTO BEEN NO SUCH CONCERTED MOVEMENT OF THE ALUMNI AS IS NOW IN PROGRESS, IS FOUND IN THE COMPARATIVELY SMALL BODY OF GRADUATES. UP TO 1850, THE COLLEGE WAS EXTREMELY SMALL. THEN CAME A SUSPENSION OF MORE THAN A DECADE, FOLLOWED BY A PERIOD OF STRUGGLE AND NUMERICAL WEAKNESS. ONLY WITHIN THE LAST FIFTEEN OR TWENTY YEARS HAS THE ALUMNI BODY GROWN MORE RAPIDLY IN NUMBERS AND THERE ARE UNDOUBTEDLY FAR MORE LIVING GRADUATES AND FORMER STUDENTS OF THE COLLEGE THAN AT ANY OTHER PREVIOUS TIME IN ITS HISTORY. FURTHERMORE, THE GRADUATES OF DELAWARE COLLEGE ARE SHARING AS NEVER BEFORE THE PROSPERITY OF THE COUNTRY, SO THAT THERE ARE MORE OF THEM ABLE TO GIVE TO THE INSTITUTION THAN AT ANY PREVIOUS TIME, AND MORE OF THEM AWARE TO THE FACT THAT THEY OWE THEIR SUCCESS IN BUSINESS LIFE VERY LARGELY TO THE TRAINING OBTAINED IN THEIR COLLEGE COURSE.

THE ACTIVE CANVASS OF THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND FOR \$250,000 HAS JUST BEGUN, AND QUITE SUBSTANTIAL SUMS HAVE ALREADY BEEN SUBSCRIBED. THE ALUMNI COMMITTEE IS MADE UP OF: H. RODNEY SHARP, CHAIRMAN, DUPONT BUILDING, WILMINGTON, DEL.; THE HON. VICTOR B. WOOLLEY, T. BAYARD HEISEL, HUGH M. MORRIS AND CHARLES W. BUSH.

IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED THAT SINCE TUITION IS FREE TO ALL RESIDENTS OF DELAWARE, AND THE CHARGE FOR OTHERS IS \$60 PER YEAR, EVERY ALUMNUS WHO HAS HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF FREE TUITION SHOULD FEEL THAT SOONER OR LATER, HE SHOULD TURN INTO THE FUNDS OF THE COLLEGE THE \$60, WHICH THAT PRIVILEGE REALLY REPRESENTS, AND THUS AID THE COLLEGE TO EXTEND THE PRIVILEGE TO ANOTHER DELAWAREAN.

AS TO THOSE ALUMNI WHO HAD PAID TUITION DOWNSIDE MANY OF THEM WILL FEEL THAT WHAT DELAWARE COLLEGE HAS GIVEN THEM WAS WORTH FAR MORE THAN IT COST, AND WILL BE INCLINED TO GIVE THE ENDOWMENT FUND IN PROPORTION TO THEIR NEEDS.

THE FUND IN QUESTION IS INTENDED TO YIELD AN INCOME AVAILABLE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES, SO NARROW ARE THE MEANS OF THE COLLEGE AVAILABLE FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THAT EXECUTIVE EXPENSES ARE MET WITH DIFFICULTY, AND THE WORK OF THE INSTITUTION IS CRIPPLED BY THE NECESSITY OF KEEPING SUCH EXPENSES TO THE LOWEST POSSIBLE POINT. A PROPER ENDOWMENT FUND WILL MEAN THE POSSIBILITY OF RELIEVING THE PRESIDENT FROM THE WORK OF INSTRUCTION, AFFORDING HIM NEEDED CLERICAL AND OTHER AID, PROVIDING FOR HIS TRAVELLING EXPENSES SO HE MAY VISIT ALL PARTS OF THE STATE AT FREQUENT INTERVALS, PRESENT THE ADVANTAGES OF THE COLLEGE TO THOSE WHO SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THEM, AND PROMOTE CLOSER RELATIONS BETWEEN THE COLLEGE AND PREPARATORY SCHOOLS.

Boy Scouts Win Many Merit Badges

The boys of this country are progressing in scouting in a remarkable way. In the first three months of this year the national headquarters of the Boy Scouts of America issued almost as many merit badges as in the three previous years of the history of the organization. Merit badges are awarded to first-class scouts who show skill and industry in taking up some useful line of work as a hobby. The boy takes up a hobby in the same way that he plays baseball or football, and that hobby eventually will become his trade.

In the first three months of this year, announces A. R. Forbush, Secretary of the National Court of Honor, to James E. West, Chief Scout Executive, 1,692 merit badges were issued to scouts throughout the country, 15 eagle scout badges to scouts who qualify for 21 merit badges, four bronze

and two silver medals to scouts who saved lives. In the first three years of the scout movement up to January 1st there were issued altogether 1,906 merit badges.

Regarding the activity of the scouts throughout the country, Chief Scout Executive West said: "It shows two things: First, that a boy must have passed through the tenderfoot, second and first-class scout grades before he can qualify for merit badges; the great rush of merit badges proves that many boys have become first-class scouts. In one day in March we had received applications for 200 merit badges. Secondly, it shows that boys get just as much fun out of doing something useful as they do in destructive mischief or in things that are considered purely play. These two points illustrate to a remarkable extent the grip which the scout movement has upon the boys of the country and the good which scouting can do in making useful and efficient citizens."

Entertainment Starts Carnival Fund

The sum of \$48.00 was cleared from the entertainment given in the Opera House last evening—a repetition of the plays, "A Perplexing Situation" and "Graduation Day at Wood Hill School," by the High School students, for the benefit of the Aetna Fire Company. The entertainment was the first of the plans of the Carnival Committee. The money realized will be used as a starter for the Carnival Fund.

Treasurer Named

Mr. R. S. Gallaher has been made treasurer of the Carnival Committee, with Harlan Herdman and Frank Luton assistants.

Board Of Health Officers Re-elected

At a meeting of the Board of Health held last Monday evening, Dr. Kollock was re-elected president and Louis Curtis, secretary and treasurer.

The Board has two or three plans outlined for putting the town in better sanitary condition, which will be presented in Council at the next meeting.

State Sunday School Convention At Dover

The program of the State Sunday School Convention to be held in the People's Christian Church, Dover, on Wednesday, April 30 and Thursday, May 1, indicates that it will be one of the most helpful and inspiring meetings ever held in the State. The Sunday School workers of all denominations will be present to discuss methods and principles, to tell of results, to stir up enthusiasm, and by conferences to learn of improved methods and more advanced ideals. Among the Delaware workers who will speak are the Rev. J. W. Weddell, a noted evangelist, whose talk will be on the subject, "Every Teacher A Soul Winner"; Robert G. Houston of Georgetown, formerly President of the Association, who will conduct a conference on the Adult Bible Class; the other speakers upon this subject being Rev. U. Franklin Smiley and Rev. Thomas Getz Hill. Rev. J. Ross Stonestor and Rev. J. E. Hunsberger of Wilmington, will take up Teacher Training Opportunities and The Pastor in the Sunday School; Miss Maggie S. Wilson, Home Department Responsibilities; Rev. Thomas B. Holloway, Missionary Teaching; Miss Clara Mendonhall, Primary Work; Mrs. Lila Wilson, Aron, Temperance Teaching; Miss Edna E. Ewell, Teacher Training.

There will be a conference on the organized work, the speakers being L. Elmer Perry, Howard G. Moore, E. Ross Farver and C. H. Cantwell. Another conference on the superintendents' opportunity will be discussed by Lewis M. Price, Henry R. Isaacs and Thomas P. Scott. Section conferences will be conducted by Miss Barker, Miss Clara Mendonhall and Miss Ewell. The international speaker who will attend the convention is John L. Alexander, of Chicago, one of the best Sunday School men in the country, his specialty being the Secondary Division. His addresses will be "The Challenge of Adolescence, The Last Frontier to Religious Education, Keeping the Boys in the Sunday School, and the 'Teen Age' in the Sunday School, and The World's and International Association."

All of the department superintendents and the principal officers will make reports. Junior problems will be discussed by Rev. Horace T. Houf, Chester, Pa., and the closing address on Thursday night will be a great lecture by Rev. G. A. Adams, D. D., on Millstones. A teacher training class will be graduated on Thursday evening previous to this address.

At six o'clock on Thursday evening a banquet will be given to the Elementary Dept., the tickets of which are 50 cents.

Local Institute For Rural Teachers

The third and last local Teachers' Institute of the year will be held in Delaware City on May 10. It will be comprised of all the rural school teachers of the county, and they will be the special guest of the Delaware City Board of Education and the patrons of the schools of that city, who will serve them with a luncheon. The program has not yet been completed for the institute, but it is understood that one of the features will be a recitation by W. E. Coale of Delaware City, who is a well-known railroad man.

The Coast Artillery Band will give a band concert in honor of the visiting school teachers, and it will be given on the parade grounds of Fort DuPont.

Successful Entertainment In Colored School

The Literary Program and Drill which was given in the colored school Friday, April 18th, proved a complete success. The total proceeds for the evening amounted to \$14.41.

This brings the amount of the Educational Working Association up to \$51.

While this is not the entire amount for which they are striving, they hope that the closing exercises will bring the desired result.

The aim of the Association is to prolong the school term, the State appropriation providing only for a seven-months school year. There are ninety pupils enrolled.

SQUIBS

All applications for appointments by the Levy Court should be addressed to the old Levy Court. None considered unless they bear that stamp of approval.

In the report of the New Century Club in last week's issue, we had the following:

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PERSONALS

Mrs. William Schofield of Pocomoke City, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilkins Coohs.

Miss Elinor Hater is spending a few days with friends at Plainfield, N. J.

Miss Lydia Gregg has returned to her home at Strickersville, Pa., after a week's visit with Mrs. Frank Alleorn.

Mrs. Jessie Longacre and son Harvey of Wilmington, have returned home after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Frank P. Alleorn.

Mrs. Thomas Kennedy of Boston Mass., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank P. Alleorn.

Miss Anna Ruth of Wilmington has been the guest of Miss Helen Wallaston.

Mrs. H. C. Mueck, who has been visiting Mrs. Edward Wilson at Oaklands, has returned to her home in Brooklyn, New York.

KEMBLESVILLE

Mrs. George R. McHenry is visiting relatives at Hickory Hill.

Miss Nellie M. Batting has been off duty at the Post Office for a week of more on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilkinson, and Mr. Stanley West motored to Delaware City, on Sunday.

Miss Mayne Wickersham is visiting her mother near Kennett Square.

The "Eleven Cent Social and Entertainment," given by Kemblesville Public School, last week was a success in every way. The children did their parts in a manner that won them much praise. The sum of \$33.33 was cleared.

Mr. Geo. Wilkinson and family and Mr. C. T. Richards and family motored to Wilmington, Saturday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of Kemblesville Church are preparing the play entitled "The Old Maid's Association," to be given in the near future. Watch The Post next week for the exact date, and then don't miss seeing the play.

Mr. T. P. Good of West Grove, visited J. Newlin Good, on Sunday.

Miss Olive Mote has taken the position of clerk in the store of J. N. Good.

STRICKERSVILLE

Miss Nelle Garrett, teacher of Hillside School, entertained the patrons of her school on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sine spent Thursday in Wilmington.

Strickersville Athletic Association gave a social dance at Mechanics' Hall last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Clarence Crosby visited relatives in Chester over Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Lockerman is the guest of Mrs. Bonham.

The Misses Strahorn and Raub called on friends in this vicinity recently.

Wesley Sunday School was reorganized last Sunday. W. W. Vansant was elected superintendent, with James Smith for assistant.

Mrs. Eva Bartlett and daughter Mary of Springville, N. Y., paid a brief visit to her cousin, Mrs. B. F. Singles, the first of the week.

IRON HILL ITEMS

Miss Estelle Collins, Miss Lena Pusey and Mr. Ira Gordy, all of Wilmington, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. McCallough of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. S. Ash and family.

Miss Jennie Slack has returned home after spending several weeks with Philadelphia friends.

Mr. John Davis of Newark, Del., spent Sunday with Iron Hill friends.

Miss Sarah Slack, Miss Cartha Pusey and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slack and daughter, all of Philadelphia, were Iron Hill visitors on Sunday.

Brotherhood Meeting

The M. E. Brotherhood met last Friday evening in the Church. After the usual program, unusually interesting talks followed on the subject of "Immigration and the New American Race," Prof. C. A. Short and Mr. A. B. Carey leading in the discussion.

Shad Supper At Strickersville

The "Literary" of Flint Hill M. E. Church will hold a shad supper at J. C. Vansant's, Strickersville, Pa., on Thursday evening, May 1, 1913. Supper, 25 cents. If stormy, the following evening.

Social Notes

Lieut. and Mrs. Herman, with their two children, spent the week-end with Mrs. Herman's parents in Ridley Park, Pa.

Miss Alice Kerr will entertain the evening card club Thursday, May first.

Mrs. Philip Armstrong with her little son, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Armstrong of Coohs' Bridge, the past week.

Mrs. Dore of Cresson, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Evans, last week.

Mrs. Pilling Wright entertained the card club last Thursday evening. Auction and 500 were played. The first prize, a glass basket, was won by Mrs. Poiny, and the gentleman's prize, a set of coat hangers, by Mr. Tyson. Mr. Pilling and Mr. Norris Wright each won a book on "Bridge." While the guest prize, two fine handkerchiefs, was won by Mrs. Burnette of Dover, who is visiting Mrs. Wright.

Miss Lizzie Bower was called to Warwick, New York, last week, by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Alleorn.

Malley Davis and Alfred Connelley of the Kappa Alpha fraternity are the latest victims of the measles.

Mr. Wilbur Wilson entertained Mrs. Mackey and her niece, Miss Lavinia Bye, at dinner on Sunday at the Deer Park Hotel.

Mrs. Harry Hayward and Mrs. W. H. Evans left Tuesday morning for Washington to attend the Council of the Women's Federated Clubs, in session there. They will remain until Thursday evening and are registered at the Raleigh Hotel.

Miss Anna Hossinger, who has been visiting in Pittsburgh, Pa., returned last Saturday.

College Cadets Preparing For Military Inspection

The Delaware College Cadets are devoting today and tomorrow entirely to military work, in preparation for the annual inspection to be held May 1. The cadets, in charge of Lieut. Herman were marched to Iron Hill early this morning where they have spent the entire day in maneuvers. The following order was issued relative to the work:

"The prescribed khaki uniform will be worn. To prevent foot troubles, wooden socks and well broken shoes are recommended. The exercises will consist of a preparation for the coming inspection and will include close and extended order, ceremonies, outpost, advance and rear guards, bayonet drills, etc.

"Each student will provide a lunch for himself; this will be properly marked and turned over to the commissary at the armory, who will arrange them separately for each organization. These will be turned over to the quartermaster, who, with the commissary, will see that they are delivered to the organizations at noon.

"Arrangements will be made for drinking water, all cadets being forbidden to drink any water except that supplied or designated.

"By order of Lieutenant Hermann, Captain and Adjutant, D. C. C. C.

Big Excursion On B. & O.

Several extra trains passed through town last Sunday, over the B. and O. line, carrying excursionists from Newark, New Jersey to Washington, D. C. This was one of the largest excursions ever run over the line, the passengers numbering 9,464.

Confirmation At St. Thomas'

Rt. Rev. Frederick J. Kinsman, Bishop of Delaware, administered the apostolic rite of confirmation in St. Thomas' Church last Sunday evening. A class of eight, including both adults and children, was confirmed.

"Fire!" yelled by a boy caused a panic in the Majestic moving picture theatre in Wilmington, when a film began blazing in the operator's booth on Saturday evening. A rush was made for the exits, and several women and children were hurt, but luckily none seriously. Manager Ginn, the ushers and some cool-headed spectators succeeded in checking the panic in time to prevent a disaster.

A new motor fire truck to cost \$3000 has been ordered by the Robins Hose Company of Dover.

THE AFFILIATED COLLEGE COMMISSION WILL HOLD ITS NEXT MEETING ON MAY 5TH.

UNTIL THAT TIME ANY PROPOSALS, FOR LAND WILL BE RECEIVED AND GIVEN CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

CHARLES R. MILLER,
PRESIDENT OF COMMISSION.

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Will begin Tuesday, June 24, 1913, and will be open five weeks.

Monday June 23 is registration day and all are urged to be present on that date so that arrangements may be made to begin work on Tuesday morning. A bulletin will be published as soon as the courses are arranged, giving full particulars of courses, instructors, text-books, board, accommodations, etc. Tuition is free to all students.

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Cash on hand	26,533.32
	\$533,407.72
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A MONTESSORI EXPERIMENT AT TORRESDALE

Interesting Account of a Day at School

Many of our readers, who are watching with interest the transplanting of the Montessori method of primary education, and its adaptation and development in American schools, will be pleased to learn of a school built especially to house the methods of teaching this system, so close to our homes as Torresdale, Pa.

This experiment was launched about twelve weeks ago in the attractive new parish house of All Saints' Protestant Episcopal Church, which stands in a grove of ancient trees about half a mile from the station. While still an experiment from the standpoint of duration, this adventure in education has already become a producer of results that exceed its sponsors' expectations.

The school is under the direction of Mrs. Anderson, a competent and well known educator, who has made special preparation for this work by spending several months with Dr. Montessori in Rome. She is a thorough believer in the efficacy of the method and her faith is well borne out by the progress of the little ones in her charge.

The following paragraphs are clipped from the account of a visit to the school by a writer in the North American (Phila.) of a few weeks ago:

LEARN BECAUSE THEY LIKE IT

The boys and girls, from three to six years old, are learning to read, write and figure in less time than one could well believe, were it not that evidence of their accomplishments is so irrefutable.

For instance, on one of the blackboards in the ideal schoolroom—and it is interesting to note that the present day blackboard is simply a sheet of black rubber cloth pasted on the wall—stood a row of figures from 1 to 19, well-formed and neatly written. Indeed, they were far better than the average numeral turned out by the pen or pencil of the average adult.

They were the voluntary product of a young gentleman of four, who five weeks ago didn't know a three from a threnody, and who couldn't draw a straight line.

I say "voluntary" because these figures are written without even a suggestion from the teacher. The youngster wanted to make them, and as it is one of the cardinal principles of the Montessori system to encourage individual development, he left his seat at a small table—there are no desks in this room—and enjoyed himself with the chalk but not in the usual childish manner.

That finished, he went to the set of shelves at one end of the room and began unloading the "long stair," which is a simple yet clever apparatus consisting of ten varying lengths of inch-square lumber by which the budding intelligence is initiated into an understanding of "short" and "long," and also guided in the formation of a sense of numbers.

To test his progress, Mrs. Anderson asked him to give her the shortest of the pieces. Promptly he handed her the right one.

"Thank you, that is fine," she said.

Then she asked for the longest and was rightly rewarded. Again "thank you" and a word of commendation.

"Now, please give me the next to the longest of those that are left," she said.

The kiddo picked up the longest. Mrs. Anderson did not tell him it was not the one she wanted. She did not say a word to correct or help him. As a matter of fact, she accepted the piece in silence.

And wonderful to relate—at least it seemed wonderful to me—the boy immediately picked up the longest one and handed it to the teacher, who once more thanked him and said he was doing well.

NO DONT'S IN SYSTEM

One of the basic principles of the Montessori system is to attract rather than compel a response. Instead of "hammering in" knowledge, as the good old cramming systems have been doing all these years, the idea is to "draw it out."

The word "don't" is never used in this school. Of course, the shock must be great to a child just entering, but if the elimination of this inevitable appendage of childhood will produce as much peace and order in the average home as prevailed in that schoolroom where seven youngsters went about their chosen tasks quietly and happily while the teacher devoted herself to a visitor, then I rise to move the adoption of the plan with in every four walls everywhere.

"How can we get along without 'don't'?" you ask.

An illustration may suffice better than an explanatory treatise.

Two of the little girls were matching colors at a table. One of the boys was standing near, choosing a piece of crayon with which to draw. He was seized with a sudden desire to make a face at the little girls, and he waited not upon the order of doing so.

Mrs. Anderson saw him. Now, it would be almost second nature to say, "Johnny, don't do that," under such circumstances. But it is not permissible under Montessori methods.

"Johnny, I think it would be nice for you to put the number game in order," said Mrs. Anderson as sweetly and gently as if Johnny had just loosed an angelic smile. It so happened that the number game was at the other end of the room. Without a word Johnny started for the new task. But he was just a bit shame-faced, and when it came time to set the table for lunch, he was so gallant, and so solicitous for the comfort of every one else that his attitude could hardly have been put down as accidental.

Again, one of the little girls was making a big noise in an attempt to put away the "broad stairs," by which the children are given their first lessons in "large" and "small."

"Don't make so much noise," would have been the proper verbal usage under such circumstances, according to the "good old" ways.

NO BLAME FOR BEING GOOD "Elizabeth, I think you are trying to carry too much," said Mrs. Anderson, and the noise ceased.

The commonest criticism I have heard of the Montessori system is that it permits too great degree of freedom to foster discipline. Yet I have never visited any ordinary kindergarten in which there was better order or in which children appeared to be more respectful of the rights of those around them. Of course, there were only a few children present the day I was there, but seven healthy youngsters can raise a fair crop of disturbance when the teacher is otherwise occupied, if they so desire.

I could not blame them being good, for they had so many things to do. As a matter of fact, I had not been there ten minutes before I asked the privilege of taking the texture test.

So a very young lady who had just succeeded in matching seven sets of different texture while blindfolded, vacated her miniature chair, and, being duly blindfolded, I took my first lesson in a Montessori.

There are two squares, of each texture, from a smooth, light silk to a rough, heavy crash, with five "in between," some of which are so nearly alike as to make the task far from easy. The very young lady missed them up for me, and after much groping and fumbling, I completed the test and got a thank-you for having matched them all.

The 5-year-old who preceded me had done it in less than half the time, and she had not tried it more than twice before. If you will make the test yourself, you will understand better than words can tell just how this simple operation not only educates the sense of touch—which is one-half of all you have, were you suddenly blinded—but makes for self-confidence, calmness and poise.

Poise is a matter of large consideration in Doctor Montessori's catalog of necessary attainments, and poise is a matter of such large importance in life that it is a wonder to me no one ever before thought of making it a primary consideration in the education of little ones.

THE MACHINERY Perhaps you would like to know just how this method is worked out, step by step.

Well, the first set of apparatus consists of eight wooden frames about eighteen inches square. On the first of these the madras covering is slit down the middle. A dozen buttonholes are worked in one side and a dozen buttons put on with tape on the other side. The newcomer to school is given this and asked to enjoy himself—or herself—"buttoning the buttons."

Some of them don't know how, but the contraption looks interesting, so they try. Naturally, all of them recognize in the taped-buttons the kind that they are used to seeing on their own undergarments and sailor suits. Then comes a frame with pearl buttons. After

that, in the order named, are frames with shoe buttons, leather bees, cloth laces, and hooks and eyes, and then there is a frame with opposite lengths of ribbon which are to be tied.

O, the fearful and wonderful "bows" and knots that are here born! But after awhile the right bow is worked out.

And if you have a little fairy in your home, you will know how much impatience often spills over when it comes to a case of buttoning shoes or panties or an overcoat and how many "I can't do it's" are whined out,—so you can understand quite clearly how such exercises as these frames provide are teaching the children more than mere art of buttoning and tying.

Again, patience, poise and politeness are attendants upon the necessary acquirement of dexterity. For hands are of major importance in every sort of work and play, and with eyes, they form the two prime ministers of all educational progress.

After the frames comes the cylinders. There are three sets of these and each is made of wood in the same fashion as the weights of ten used on drug store scales—cylinders with little knobs on top, which fit snugly into round holes made in an oblong of wood.

In each set are ten cylinders. One set has decreasing diameters, all the cylinders being the same height; in the second the cylinders decrease in all dimensions, and in the third they decrease in height only.

TEACHES MEASUREMENT

With these the child is given a first idea of volume and measurement—large and small, thick and thin, tall and short. The cylinders are all tumbled out, and the child is asked to fit them back. Before putting in any one, however, the child is told to run the forefinger of the right hand several times around the circumference of the cylinder and then run the same finger several times around the circumference of the hole that seems to him or her to be the nearest approach to a right fit.

Again, poise and patience! Always an emphasis on the importance of self control.

These exercises are done blindfolded when the child has become proficient with unbound eyes. And here one has a chance to see what has grown out of the apparently monotonous practice of running the finger around the cylinder. With little trouble, simply by circling first the cylinder and then the holes, the sets are properly put back with a minimum of mistakes.

The broad stairs, ten squat blocks, and the long stairs, ten strips already described, follow, and after that comes the tower, which is just like the ordinary set of common blocks of decreasing size. But after the child has built the tower, it is suggested that he or she carry it to a nearby table.

Usually it falls the first time. Nothing is said. Usually there is another trial, and maybe only one block falls. But self-confidence is being bred in the little breast.

All this may seem like play, but it is intelligent play, and it is leading to a very definite and vital end.

Now the youngster is handed a piece of smooth board, on one end of which is pasted a strip of sandpaper. As the little fingers feel the smooth part, the teacher says "smooth;" as they touch the sandpaper, she says "rough." After a few times she asks the child to describe the two surfaces, and her "smooth" and "rough" comes back to her.

Then come the texture tests, already told of, and after that the child is asked to put fingers in cold and warm water. Next, cards or skeins of silk of varying shades are brought out, and the child is taught to match colors and to arrange shades in their proper relation to each other.

Now, contrast is taught by means of small blocks of wood, which differ in shade and weight. And with the aid of a set of wooden and metal inserts, the young mind is introduced to solid masses of color and heavy and light outline. Then, counting sticks are taken up, and as the child learns to count, numerals cut from emery cloth and pasted on smooth cardboard are brought out. These are used in the manner described below, in connection with the letters of the alphabet.

This movable alphabet comes not as something new, but as a logical sequence. In it, as in the case of the numerals, the letters are of emery cloth. They are not mentioned by name, but by sound. "A" is sounded as in "eat" and "i" as in "it" and so on.

LEARNING LETTERS

I can best describe the use of these letters by telling you what I saw.

Mrs. Anderson called to her a toddler of 4, who had never been

told any thing about the letter M. Indeed, only the day before had she shown any interest in the letters—the children are never forced to follow the sequence here given, though an effort is made to lead them to the different "toys" in proper order—and as a result of that first "lesson," she had written a good "A" on the board.

The card containing the gritty M—a small script fashioned in the prevailing square hand—was placed on the table. Mrs. Anderson followed the outline with her right forefinger, and when she came to the final curl, sounded "m-m" with closed lips.

Then she asked the youngster to do what she had done. With huddling finger little Elizabeth slowly followed the curves of the letter and at the exact point where Mrs. Anderson had sounded "m-m" she did likewise. She was asked to go through this exercise three times.

"Now, wouldn't it be nice if you could take a piece of chalk and make an M on the board?" asked the teacher. Without further urging the girl walked over to the blackboard, picked up a piece of chalk and wrote as good an M as ever helped to make "man." It was simply a matter of "chalking" her memory of the movement learned. But it was writing also, though she didn't know it.

So she was launched on the wide sea, whose many tides, channels, shallows, depths and moods she must spend years in learning. But she has her letters, and from that it is only a short step to sentences written and sentences read.

To keep track of each child's progress, there is a separate book for each pupil. In this book is kept a daily record, and here is noted the date on which the child chose to do this or that among the tests. If, at the end of a few weeks, it is seen from this record that any child has not chosen to do one or more of the tasks, an effort is made to attract that child to the ones neglected.

Some children like some tests more than others, naturally, and yet in time they all seem to grow fond of most of the "toys"—the wonderful toys that are teaching them things of value, just as dolls teach a little girl how to "mother."

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Spring Meeting of Presbytery

The annual spring meeting of
 the Presbytery of New Castle,
 which comprises all the Presbyter-
 ian Churches in Delaware and on
 the Eastern Shore of Maryland,
 was held in Elkton Presbyterian
 Church, Tuesday night and Wed-
 nesday. The opening sermon was
 preached by the retiring moderator
 Rev. Josiah H. Crawford, of Cen-
 tral Presbyterian Church, Wil-
 mington, Del. After the sermon
 the Presbytery was constituted
 with prayer by the Moderator. The
 roll of ministers and elders was
 called and about 100 responded to
 their names.

Rev. Henry L. Bunstein of Mil-
 ford was elected moderator, and
 Rev. J. L. M. Eckard of Smyrna,
 and E. J. Hopkins of Georgetown,
 temporary clerks. Rev. J. R. Mill-
 gan of St. Georges, is stated clerk.

The session Wednesday morning
 was called to order by the newly
 elected moderator, the Rev. H. T.
 Burnstein and prayer offered by
 the Rev. Bernard J. Brinkema of
 Zion Church. Reports of various
 committees were then read.

The Rev. J. L. Gillilan, Presby-
 terial evangelist, presented a long-
 ity report of the work on home
 missions and sustentations. In his
 report Mr. Gillilan stated that in-
 adequate salaries was the cause of
 failure in getting ministers. The
 minimum salary of \$900 per year
 as fixed by the home board is hard
 to raise and the work has been sus-
 tained by borrowing money.

Rev. John McElmoyle, chairman
 of foreign missions, reported an in-
 crease of \$810.95 and a total of
 \$6,452.95 from the New Castle
 Presbytery during the year.

Charles S. Pyle of Rising Sun,
 Md., treasurer of the home mis-
 sions reported \$3,530.19 contribut-
 ed during the year.

Westminster, Worton and Ken-
 nedysville churches have united un-
 der one pastor and ground has been
 secured for the erection of a manse
 at Kennedyville for the pastor of
 the latter churches.

The Sunday School report shows
 an increase of 398 in Sunday
 Schools of the Presbytery, with a
 total enrollment of 7,815.

During the afternoon session
 commissioners were elected to at-
 tend the general assembly at At-
 lanta, Ga., in May as follows: Rev.
 John McElmoyle of Elkton; Rev.
 J. A. Harold of Lewes, Del; elders,
 L. A. Bowers of Wilmington, Del;
 E. B. Frazer, Newark, Del.

The Rev. George L. Smith of the
 New Jersey Presbytery was re-

ceived as a member of the New
 Castle Presbytery and Rev. Thomas
 de Pamphilis was recommended to
 the upper Missouri Presbytery.

A committee composed of the
 Rev. J. H. Crawford, Rev. C. L.
 Candee and General Charles Bird
 were named to visit Bridgeville,
 Del., to confer on the opening of
 the church in that town, it being
 closed since its former pastor, the
 Rev. Dr. Egbert accepted the Ches-
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At the noon hour the Ladies'
 Auxiliary of the Elkton Presbyter-
 ian Church entertained the minis-
 ters and elders attending the Pres-
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 chapel adjoining the church.

Bishop Kinsman At Lewes

Bishop Frederiek J. Kinsman
 has been elected rector of St.
 Peter's church at Lewes, to succeed
 Archdeacon C. H. B. Turner, who
 has gone to Georgia. Bishop Kins-
 man will assume charge of the pa-
 rish after the first of May. He will
 not change his residence, but will
 spend a part of May and June at
 Lewes.

Clothing For Flood Sufferers

An appeal has been made to the
 President of the Needlework Guild
 of America, which is affiliated with
 the American Red Cross, for gar-
 ments or household items to send
 to the flood sufferers who are still
 in need of clothing.

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 car and restaurant department any
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 ward a communicable disease.

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 cal examination of every employe
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 ers, cooks, and waiters, both white
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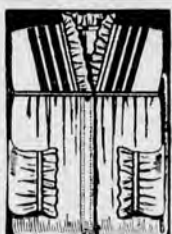
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S. R. Andrews of Cambridge, will complete the improvements of the Elkton-North East road with stone and concrete.

Wilmington bank clearings last week totalled \$1,781,046, a gain of \$252,702 over those of the same week of last year.

The Ohio Copper Company with a capital of \$95,000,000 and blanket powers for constructing public utilities was chartered at Dover on Wednesday. The State tax paid with the filing of the charter was \$4,850.

Dr. J. Lynn Pratt, Clerk of the Peace of Kent county, gives warning to clergymen that the new law requires that marriages be reported within four days after their performance and that all ministers failing to comply with the regulation will be liable to its penalties.

3,000 herring were caught in the haul made in the locks at Delaware City on Thursday. Shad fishermen report fair catches. The fish were selling last week at from 50 to 75 cents each.

Prominent growers at a conference at Seaford last week discussed peach prospects. The general opinion was that but a small per cent. of blossoms had been injured by the spring frosts, and that the outlook was good for a paying crop.

William Ward, a farmer living on the outskirts of Milford, one day last week, captured a 12 pound eagle, measuring 7 feet 5 inches from tip to tip of wings, which he fired at and crippled while it was fighting one of his roosters. The bird attacked Ward as he caught hold of it and put up a lively fight. He chained its legs and showed it in Milford the next day.

Inmates of the New Castle county workhouse, except long term prisoners, are by agreement of the trustees and the Levy Court to be set to work upon the public roads. The prisoners will be in charge of guards and will be paid 75 cents a day each for their work which will be upon roads near the prison at first, and later upon those more distant. They will build half a mile of road from Marshallton to the workhouse. All their work will be under the supervision of the County Engineer.

The Commission on the joint city and county public building, to be erected in Wilmington, has selected William S. Hilles as counsel and Thomas F. Gormley as secretary. Weekly meetings will be held on Tuesdays and the first work of the body will be the securing of a site for the building.

The Levy Court last week selected the route for the proposed improved road giving a continuous highway from the Pennsylvania border to the Kent county line. The route chosen is via Glasgow to Summit Bridge, thence on to Blackbird where the Kent county stretch will begin and continue on to Sussex, which in turn will build its stretch of the proposed State's length highway. \$100,000 of the \$250,000 road bonds recently sanctioned for New Castle county will be applied to work on the road within its limits. Three short links with Pennsylvania good roads will be built in the northern end of the county. Surveys for the work are to be made at once.

Delaware City's business section is to be underdrained, Council having arranged for laying 825 feet of sewer pipe. Clinton street will be improved with macadam to Fifth street, the latter street will also be improved and the main streets in future will be kept free from house drainage.

St. Paul's Catholic Church, at Fourth and Jackson streets, Wilmington, is to be rebuilt at a cost of upwards of \$60,000. The new structure will be of Port Deposit granite with terra cotta and limestone trimmings and will seat 1,000 persons. The vestibule, aisles, sanctuary and baptistry will be

with tile mosaic. The tower will be topped with a copper cross 14 1/2 feet in height. The building will be lighted with 600 lamps. The high altar will be of marble planked with massive columns. There will be splendid art glass windows depicting the four Evangelists with niches between them for marble statues of St. Peter and St. Paul. The new edifice will be erected over the basement of the old church, which will be retained for temporary use by the congregation.

The new Odd Fellows' Hall or Temple in Wilmington, will be dedicated on May 8, with elaborate ceremonies, including a grand parade of members of the order from various points and other organizations.

The engagement is announced of Miss Martie Bowland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus D. Bowland of Elkton, and Ensign Jefferson D. Smith, U. S. N., of Louisiana. Their marriage will take place early next fall.

Ladies of Trinity Church, Elkton, held a bake on Saturday which netted \$36.

Ground has been broken by Roy Egner for a residence on one of the Fair Ground lots, on upper North street, Elkton.

Amasa G. Brown has purchased from the Reuben Haines estate the dwelling which he has long occupied, on Bow street, Elkton, for \$2,000.

The Cecil County Commissioners have chosen Millard F. McDowell, of Port Deposit, a well-known road contractor, as successor to County Roads Engineer Joseph T. Richards, Jr., resigned. Mr. McDowell's eligibility is questioned on the ground that he is not versed in Civil Engineering as the law creating the office requires of the incumbent.

Elkton Council of Boy Scouts recently organized, already has a membership of upwards of fifty boys and young men.

W. Arthur Mitchell and Henry M. McCullough of Elkton, have sold for themselves and other heirs of their grandfather, Col. George E. Mitchell, three farms near Cambridge, Md., to the Dorchester

Land Improvement Company, for \$40,000.

John Wertz and Mrs. Benjamin Block, of Chesapeake City, Cecil county, are among the many claimants to the vast estate of Field Marshall Paul Wertz, located in Amsterdam, Holland, said to be valued at \$226,000.

The date for Elkton's town election, if one be held this year, is May 19, and the voters of the town were notified to register on Monday.

Elkton is up-to-date with a five and ten cent store opened on Saturday by James Pungaroli in the Hunn building on Main street.

Frank L. King, one of the firemen killed during the burning of the Westcott Chocolate Factory in Philadelphia on Friday, was a former Elktonian, a son of George T. King, and a nephew of Samuel H. and Charles King. He had had narrow escapes from death at two previous fires.

The Iron Hill Club of the Pen-Mar League, which will open the base ball season on May 10, with six teams, has been organized with A. H. Davis, president; Walter Hiehens, secretary and captain; W. B. Walton, treasurer; and J. H. Ash, manager.

High Schools in Cecil county will hold their closing exercises on the following dates: North East, May 30; Calvert, May 30; Elkton, May 31; Cecilton, June 2.

Mr. Alvah H. Gallaher of Childs and Miss Caroline B. McCullough, daughter of Rev. Charles E. McCullough, former pastor of Leeds M. P. Church, now of Selbyville, Del., were married on April 15. They will reside at Hudson Heights, N. J.

The outlook in lower Delaware is said to be good for the largest hay crop ever gathered in that section.

De Mar, the famous cartoonist of the Philadelphia Record, will be the star attraction at an entertainment to be given by the Young People's Society of New Castle M. E. Church, in the Opera House on Friday evening.

A force of fifty hands began construction last week of the new waterworks at Rochester.

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