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BULL MOOSE CONVENTION AT DOVER TODAY

NEW CASTLE CAUCUS IN A SNARL DR. REED OR DREXLER FOR CONGRESS

At this time the New Castle County Caucus in the Progressive State Convention has done nothing but debate the questions of the rights of proxy and representation according to the population instead of districts. These issues were emphasized by Mr. White of Wilmington. Lined up against him were Eastburn and Rogers with the backing of Norman Johns, Chairman of the Caucus, creating a divided split in the New Castle County delegation.

After several motions to adjourn without the desired result, 22 members of the delegation left the hall and held a separate meeting, where they declared Eastburn and his following in direct contradiction to the National Progressive policy. White and associate are trying to put into effect Roosevelt electors and an endorsement of the State Republican ticket.

At this hour no safe prediction can be made of the outcome.

Convention Hall, Dover, Del.

COLLEGE OPENS TOMORROW PROSPECTS FOR LARGE CLASS

The college grounds are no longer deserted, but once again scenes of activity. Thirty-eight young men were examined on Tuesday, the number being increased to today. The present prospect indicates the largest Freshman Class in the history of the college.

The new rules adopted last June will go into effect with the opening in the Fall term on Thursday, according to the new regime all periods will be for one hour, instead of forty-five minutes as heretofore, and recitations will be held on Saturdays.

There are also a number of changes in the Faculty. Professor T. M. Roberts, of New York, is a New England man who since coming to the college has been in the employ of the General Electric Co. of Schenectady, N. Y. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon and taught in that institution following his graduation. Last year he was in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology from which he took his degree.

Mr. Howard K. Preston, graduate of Lafayette College, Class 1907, the new instructor in mathematics and engineering, is a Delawarean and Lackawanna railroad. Mr. Preston has also had two years experience in teaching at Lafayette College.

A new position has been created in the Agricultural Department, which will be filled by M. O. Cooper, of the Iowa Agricultural College of Ames, Iowa. Mr. Cooper is assistant to Professor Harry Hayward and instructor in animal husbandry. He comes to Delaware highly recommended.

He has been a member of the two inter-collegiate stock judging teams out of the Kansas City Royal, and the other at the National Live Stock Exhibition, Chicago. He has had a great deal of experience in fitting and exhibiting some of the best known herds of beef cattle in the West.

The appearance of the campus has been somewhat changed by a number of improvements. Practically all the walks and drives around the buildings have been macadamized. Some will be widened which will greatly improve the general appearance. The main walk, leading from the entrance to the gymnasium is being resurfaced with limestone.

The interior of the gymnasium has been painted white. A number of new appliances have been installed in the electrical engineering department.

Work on the Frazer Field is being rushed and the grounds have reached an interesting stage. Practically all the terrace sodding has been completed and presents a fine appearance. By the next issue the grading will be done. The work on the wall is progressing without any hitch and will be finished according to contract time. Old students returning are wildly enthusiastic over athletic possibilities.

Instead of inviting Colleges here with a feeling of embarrassment, they will be proudly anxious to show off this department of the College.

Aside from the direct benefit this field is going to be to the Athletic side of College life, it will, by attracting notices, give the whole institution recognition.

SOME FINE SPECIMENS FROM LOCAL GARDENS

Farmers in and around Newark are rearing the King Row in Agriculture. Examples of this have been recently brought to the attention of this office.

Charles Walton of Iron Hill stopped in and gave us a fine specimen of the Ellberta peach from his orchard. The fruit measured 10 1/2 inches in circumference and weighed 10 1/2 ounces.

Robert Potts is a farmer in his own right and grows top-notch produce on his East End land. An in-balsam apple 11 1/4 inches long and 8 inches in circumference—reputed to be the largest fruit of this kind seen in this section.

Not to be outdone, along comes our friend West Davis with chains to honor as Potato King. He presents a mammoth white potato of the Irish Cobbler variety, weighing 1 1/2 pounds down weight.

With this start Newark farmers will be heard from at the State Fair this week. In fact, there is rumor of a local harvest display.

ANNUAL REUNION AT ST. ANNES

A large attendance is expected at the annual reunion service of historic old St. Anne's Episcopal Church, Middletown, on Sunday, September 15th, service at 10:30.

The old church erected in the year 1705, is situated about a mile south of Middletown, surrounded by a large and faultlessly kept cemetery. The venerable structure itself is nicely kept, and the old English ivy which enshrouds it makes it even more rustic looking.

The interior is nicely painted in cream color and the grey-colored old fashioned door pews take one back to the Colonial days when the forefathers of the present members of St. Anne's parish worshipped there.

Rev. P. J. Kilmann, D. D., bishop of the diocese will preach the sermon and administer the rite of confirmation, assisted in the service by rev. Percy L. Donaghy, rector of the parish.

An interesting musical program will be rendered by the choir. Many persons from distant cities and towns make it a point to attend this anniversary service of old St. Anne's.

TEACHERS SCARCE

The State Board of Education met in special session at Dover last Monday, and action was taken as to the certification of teachers. The Board practically re-established the conditions as they existed for several years prior to the appointment and organization of the present State Board—that of allowing teachers who have failed to pass their examinations satisfactorily to teach for a limited time on a special permit. This was necessitated by the scarcity of teachers, several rural schools being closed for want of a teacher.

On motion of Professor Messersmith the graduates of the class of 1912, Wilmington Training School, are to be issued permits to teach in the schools of Delaware for one year.

MILL CREEK S. S. CONVENTION

The annual Sunday School Convention of Mill Creek Hundred will be held during the morning and afternoon, September 19th, at White Clay Creek Church. An interesting program has been arranged by the committee. Among the speakers are Rev. J. D. Blake of Red Clay Creek Church; Rev. Mr. Cleland, Rev. E. J. Faro of Wilmington; Rev. G. T. Alderson of Newark; and Rev. J. W. Lowden of White Clay Creek.

Barratts Chapel

The 132nd anniversary of Barratt's Chapel near Froliceria, the seat of American Methodism, will be held on Sunday, September 15, at which time there will be an all day service at the historic place. So much Christian history is attached to this spot that each year the anniversaries are being more largely attended and greater interest and enthusiasm manifested concerning the event, which is now looked forward to from year to year. This year's program is under the direction of the pastor, Rev. F. J. Cochran, of Magnolia. Among the speakers are Judge Norris Barratt, a descendant of the Barratt from whom the chapel derives its name, and Caleb E. Burchard of Wilmington.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

SAULSBURY IN CONTROL—DEMOCRATS DISPLEASED WITH DEALS EFFECTED

Special Correspondent to the Post

After a stormy session which lasted until 8 o'clock last night the Democratic part, in Convention at Dover yesterday named its State ticket. The ticket named follows:

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
Spottswood Garland—New Castle,
James H. Hughes—Kent,
Irving Culver—Sussex.

GOVERNOR
Thos. M. Monaghan—New Castle.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR
Coler Ferguson—New Castle.

MEMBER OF CONGRESS
Franklin Brockson—Kent.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL
Joseph O. Wolcott—New Castle.

AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS
William P. Prettyman—Sussex.

STATE TREASURER
Charles A. Hastings—Sussex.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
William R. McCabe—Sussex.

Much to the disgust of many Democrats, Willard Saulsbury completely dominated the Convention and the result was a victory for the Democratic boss. The only nomination on the entire ticket that seems to give general satisfaction among Democrats was that of Joseph O. Wolcott, of Wilmington, for Attorney-General and this was accomplished through the personal popularity of Mr. Wolcott and despite the opposition of Mr. Saulsbury and his henchmen.

Notwithstanding the fact that Senator Thomas M. Monaghan, of Wilmington had been the unanimous choice of the New Castle County Caucus, for Governor there still remained opposition in the lower counties and it was fought out on the floor of the Convention. The opposition to Senator Monaghan, did not seem to be personal but was principally because of the fact that he was the Saulsbury candidate. Personally there are few if any men in the party who are more popular than Senator Monaghan and the excellent record that he has made in the General Assembly demanded the respect of Democrats in general, but his candidacy had been distasteful to many solely because of the Saulsbury backing.

Mr. Saulsbury's victory was not an easy one by any means as it was necessary for him to make a deal with Sussex County, to pull his candidate through. This deal was one of the many things that happened at the Convention which will probably cause trouble in the Democratic ranks and lose the party many votes next November. The deal was evidently a complete one and showed how far the Democratic boss would go to accomplish his purposes. New Castle and Sussex combined in nominating Monaghan. The deal was evidently to divide all the offices between New Castle and Sussex. The program was nearly carried out and would have been put over completely for a little slip up which got Franklin Brockson, of Kent County the Congressional nomination by a majority of but one vote. The slate was to give this nomination to Albert F. Polk, of Georgetown, but the entire program was evidently to raw for some of the delegates and at the last minute just enough turned in for Brockson to nominate him. As it was New Castle got the Governor, Attorney-General and Lieutenant Governor, while Sussex was given the Insurance Commissioner, Auditor of Accounts and State Treasurer and Kent had to be content with the one office. The Kent Democrats had one consolation however, even if the program to freeze them out had gone through, it would still have been necessary to let the middle county have a Presidential Elector.

The fighting was kept up until adjournment yesterday. Yesterday morning some of the delegates who

were opposing the nomination of Senator Monaghan, wanted to stay out of a caucus fearing that the majority of the delegates but they were forced into it. The first ballot in the caucus resulted as follows: Monaghan 30; Brady 20; Bird 6; Armstrong 5; and Davis 1. As 33 was necessary for the majority a second ballot was taken and resulted as follows: Monaghan 34; Bird 5; Armstrong 5; Brady 20 and Davis 1. One of the Bird delegates and three who did not vote on the first ballot went to Monaghan on the second ballot. His selection as the caucus nominee for Governor was then on the motion made unanimous.

When the fight was carried to the floor of the Convention despite the object of Senator Monaghan being the unanimous selection of the New Castle County caucus, it was generally predicted that the Saulsbury candidate would be defeated but that was no prediction was made by those who did not have any knowledge of the New Castle-Sussex deal. Kent had brought forward Benjamin A. Hazel, of Smyrna, who presided over the Convention as their choice for Governor and Sussex put in nomination Joseph E. Holland of Milford. Former City Solicitor Robert G. Harman, of Wilmington, nominated Senator Monaghan and his nomination was seconded by Jefferson B. Foard, who had nominated Mr. Brady, in the caucus. John F. Malloy and Charles D. Bird, who had been a candidate himself. The first ballot resulted as follows: Monaghan, 80; Hazel 65 and Holland 40; necessary to choice 93. Before the second ballot was taken Mr. Wilson, of Sussex, withdrew the name of Mr. Holland, in favor of Mr. Hazel. It was on this ballot that the deal was completed. Although Mr. Holland was withdrawn in favor of Mr. Hazel, the majority of his votes went to Senator Monaghan, nominating him. The vote was, Monaghan, 98, Hazel, 79 and Baneroff, 1. Senator Monaghan's nomination was then made unanimous.

It was rumored that several prominent Democrats refused the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor, which eventually went to Coler Ferguson, of Blackbird Hundred.

For Congress Mr. Brockson won the nomination by a narrow margin of 1 vote, getting 93 to 80 for Polk.

The vote of 124 for Mr. Wolcott for Attorney-General showed his popularity when James M. Tunnell, of Sussex got but 59 votes.

For Auditor of Accounts, William P. Prettyman of Sussex defeated William H. Walker of Dover.

The vote for State Treasurer was Charles A. Hastings, of Sussex, 121 and James Lord, of Dover, 49. William R. McCabe, of Shelbyville, was nominated for Insurance Commissioner by acclamation.

The Convention adopted a lengthy platform but it was not until there had been several fights over the instrument. The original draft which it was said had been prepared by Boss Saulsbury, was gone over by the State Committee on Monday night but it was considerably mutilated when the Convention committee got hold of it yesterday. The platform comes a long way from giving general satisfaction to Democrats and especially those who had been fighting for uniform primaries and election of United States Senators by a direct vote, as both of these issues were entirely ignored in the platform.

IMPROVING H. C. CEMETERY

The Ladies Sewing Circle of Head of Christiansa Church has already gained a reputation for service, but within the past two months they have undertaken a proposition whose benefits will be appreciated by an even wider circle of friends. Their plan is the placing of an iron fence around the Head of Christiansa Cemetery, to run from the main macadam road, around the northern and western sides, joining the old stone wall on the southern line. The plan includes an archway at the main entrance from the macadam road.

The ladies held a festival on the church lawn last Thursday evening and cleared the sum of forty dollars. Mrs. John Scott and Mrs. Ford, the collectors, have already deposited \$150, and have the promise of enough to make the amount, \$200. It is believed many Newark people who have friends buried in the cemetery will be interested in the work and contribute toward its success.

The improvement will be made near Spring.

NEW ROAD COMPLETED

The new macadam road, changing the road way and cutting out the dangerous curve from the mill pond to the river, on the road leading to Coehos Bridge has been completed by Contractor L. B. Jacobs, and will be inspected by the Levy Court in a few days.

The threshing engine belonging to Palmer Bros. broke through the temporary bridge near Coehos Bridge, last Saturday. The bridge had been erected for use during the building of a stretch of macadam. No serious consequences resulted.

Delaware Duckerie Exhibits at Fair

Mrs. Marion Jane Murray, proprietress of the Delaware Duckerie near Newark, the only duck farm in Delaware, will show a pen of her white pekkin ducks at the Delaware State Fair in Wilmington this week. In addition Mrs. Murray will exhibit the silver cups and blue ribbons that she has won with her ducks during the past few years. She has exhibited at all the best poultry shows in Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania and New York and has seldom failed to be awarded a prize. Mrs. Murray has 15 silver cups and about 150 ribbons, which she will exhibit with her ducks.

The ladies of the Newark W. C. T. U. will serve their annual supper in the banquet hall, Newark Opera House on Thursday, September 12.

At the close of the first week of school last Friday, there were four hundred fifty-nine pupils enrolled in the Newark public schools, an increase of thirty six over the enrollment at the end of the first month last year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans who sailed for Europe last July, started on their homeward voyage September 6th, on the Steamship America. They are due in New York on Saturday and will return to their home in Newark on Sunday.

OBITUARY

MARGARET J. RIDDLE

Margaret J. Riddle, aged 58 years, died at her home on Academy Street on Tuesday, after a short illness with pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Sarah C. Norris, on Academy St., on Friday afternoon, September 13th, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Head of Christiansa Cemetery.

ANNE REBECCA TUFT

Anna Rebecca, widow of Dr. R. H. Tuft, died at her home in Wilmington on Monday, September 9. Funeral services were held at her late residence, 1325 Tatnal St., today at eleven o'clock. The body was brought to Newark an interment at the Head of Christiansa Cemetery.

Mrs. Angie B. Perkins wishes to thank Minnehaha Tribe, No. 23, I. O. O. F., Orient Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., Minnehaha Band, the Shoy Mates and all others for their help, sympathy and floral offerings during her recent bereavement.

EDUCATIONAL DISCUSSION

MR. WASHBURN WRITES AGAIN

Editor The Post:

"A Plain Farm Woman" asks four questions, the first being: why is there not a farm woman on the State Board of Education? It is because women do not vote.

Women are not enjoying the same civil rights, as voters and as office holders, as are men. The reasons are many but among the principal ones are these: the employers of labor do not want women voting or holding office because if women did these things, they would stop the working of mothers with infants to care for, they would stop work for women, they stop the working of women and children in unsanitary surroundings, and they would force factory inspectors to respect the interests of the employer instead of the interests of the employe. And above all they would stop child labor. They have not done all they should where they have the vote, but they are working rapidly toward more perfect conditions and the employing class fear them. Another class which opposes votes for women are the liquor interests. The women and the saloon are natural antagonists unless the woman be a non-homekeeper. Another force is a large portion of the clergy, opposing votes for women by instinct. Submission on the part of women is the cornerstone of ecclesiastical domination. Another source of opposition is the body of professional politicians in states where women cannot vote. Women can not be trusted to follow the policy of addition, division or silence. A further cause is the stupidity of women who send their children to schools but are too meek to insist on having any direct share in controlling the courses they shall study.

Your correspondent asks: Why is there not a farm woman on the board of Trustees of every school district? Largely because the women do not put forward a candidate of that kind and make a campaign for her.

The third question: "Why is not every county superintendent permitted an intelligent, educated assistant in the person of a farm woman?" Because there is no reason why a farm woman should be given the preference. Because women do not insist that she shall.

The fourth question: "Why can we not have a training course for our district school teachers?" I merely mention. I do not know the answer and presume there is none.

I trust I may not seem out of place if I here express my great pleasure in reading the very sensible and thoughtful paper "A Plain Farm Woman" offered the public last week. If the rest of the thinking women of the farm districts would express themselves and think, as she is doing, there would soon be a civilized course of education.

I have been accused of inventing the idea which I see in the present school system. To those who have accepted this view I especially commend the following from "Current Literature" for September.

The leading article of a recent issue of *The Ladies Home Journal*, appearing with editorial endorsement and written by Ella Frances Lynch, is a sensational exposé of the American public-school system. The writer of the article describes herself as "for years a teacher in the public schools, city and country, from the primary through the grammar and the High School grades." She is now a teacher, and later years of experience in her own schools and after months of investigation in other schools, she "carefully and deliberately" makes the statement: "That the American public-school system, as at present conducted, is an absolute and total failure, for these reasons: (1) It is stupid in method; (2) it is impracticable in plan; and (3) it is absolutely ineffective in results."

As a first step in support of this formidable arraignment, the writer asks us to bear in mind what education is—"that it is to prepare a child for life; to make him effective for his work; to develop his capacity." She continues:

"Mark you well, for this is important for you to bear in mind: I speak of a particular child; his particular life, to develop his capacity. Not children, but one child—your child. Now you, as a mother, and I know one fundamental truth if we know no other: that no two children are alike; your John is no more like your Harry than the day is like the night. As a matter of fact it is your constant surprise, and so it is mine, that two children from the same parents can be so entirely unlike in almost every taste, every instinct, in every way. We don't understand it; it baffles us. But one thing we do know: that is, they are different—absolutely different. Of course you handle the two boys differently in every way. 'Naturally,' you say. You believe that not only is this common sense but 'it is the only way,' you say. And of course you are right."

"Now what does the public school say? 'All hush!' it says. 'All children are alike.' Not only does it say this, but it also boasts of it as its greatest characteristic—that is, uniformity. Uniform hours, whether the child is young or old; uniform methods, whether the child is strong or weak; uniform studies, whether a child is bright or dull; uniform everything. 'All children are alike' is its watchword. So into the system go your

children, absolutely different. You know that; you recognize it. But the public school doesn't and won't. As Professor Swift says in that wonderful book that every parent should read, 'Mind in the Making': 'Mass education, on a universal plan, creates a democracy, but it is a democracy of stupidity.'

"In other words, the public-school system attempts the impossible feat of making one course for all children, absolutely irrespective of physical strength, mentality, inheritance, home environment or whether the children are to become lawyers or blacksmiths, artists or car conductors."

The second cause in the indictment, directed against the impracticability of present educational methods, is supported by the statement that while "the studies and the whole system of the elementary public schools are keyed absolutely and conducted solely for one aim—to fit the pupil for graduation to the High School," only seven out of every hundred pupils ever reach the High School at all. The argument runs in this connection:

"Here is an entire system of education for the first eight years of a child's life keyed to one sole and single point: for entrance to the High School."

"Now how many pupils from the elementary schools enter the High Schools, you ask? Here you have hit on the joker in the whole situation; just seven out of every one hundred pupils from the elementary schools ever enter the High School."

"But what in the world becomes of the other ninety-three?" you ask in surprise.

"They just drop out; a large number of parents cannot afford to keep their boys and girls in school beyond the elementary school, and they send them to work; other children beg not to be sent to school any more, and they go to work from choice; others, either parents or children, get disgusted and decide that 'an education is not what it is cracked up to be'—and so on. Whatever the reason the startling fact remains that only seven out of every one hundred children enter the High School."

And the percentage of High School pupils who reach college is even smaller; "Gradually the boys and girls who went from the elementary school to the High School, and from the High School to the college, became fewer and fewer in number. In the last ten years, for instance, the number has dwindled from fourteen in every one hundred to five in every one hundred children who leave High School for college. The private schools, where parents pay, not the public schools, are now preparing our boys and girls for college. Yet the fact remains that in spite of this dwindling number of public-school pupils, until it has reached the merest bagatelle hardly worth mentioning, the old idea on which the public-school system was started—of preparing the boy or girl for college—is still in vogue. In other words, the public-school course of study is still planned as if every pupil in it is going to college, whereas only five pupils, now, in every one hundred actually go from the public school to the college. Do you see?"

Out of this startling revelation of the waning attendance at High School and college comes the writer's third assumption that the results of public-school teaching are ineffective. We have held, she affirms, to outgrown ideals, and have done nothing to meet the requirements of the ninety-five pupils in every hundred who do not go to college.

"That is the failure of the public school; it has not changed with the times; it has stuck absolutely close to the old classical idea which no longer holds good."

"The best proof of this statement is in the attempts made here and there in the schools to introduce manual training for boys and domestic science for girls. But these attempts are scattered; they are not sufficiently general to make an impression. Yet wherever these courses have been introduced hundreds of pupils have flocked to them, and in every case these manual-training and domestic-science courses have been overworked. But these courses are again being grafted on; they do not form, as they should, the basis on which the whole idea of public education—which is now not to fit boys and girls for colleges but for practical life in the world—should rest. They are made a branch of the educational tree, whereas they should be made the trunk. This practical idea of a practical fitting of our boys and girls for a practical life should penetrate the whole system from top to bottom. Even where it is being introduced it must not be overlooked that it is principally in the High Schools, and I have already shown that only seven out of every one hundred boys and girls ever reach the High School. In other words, not a particle of practical education reaches those ninety-three boys and girls who stop at the elementary school and who leave all school at about the age of sixteen."

"What is the result in our lives today? See the far-reaching results. No matter whether we go into the question of the prevailing martial unhappiness, of divorce, of cruelty to children, of the mortality of children, of the saloon, of high prices, of the low wages paid to the average person, or of the social evil, the root

of any one of these questions can be traced straight back to one point: in efficiency; the inefficient girl who does not know how to run her home or care for her baby; the inefficient boy who, knowing no trade, finds it either hard or impossible to get incentive work and becomes discouraged. Inefficiency is to-day the chief curse of American life, and it is because the public school is turning out thousands of inefficient workers; the girl inefficient for the home; the boy inefficient for work."

The people of the United States have invested nearly a billion dollars in the public-school system. Each year they contribute over four hundred million dollars more. On so huge an outlay the returns ought to be stupendous; but, in the eyes of Ella Frances Lynch, they indicate "the most momentous and dangerous failure in our American life today."

O. R. Washburn

The Essentials of A Good Housekeeper

With the death of Margaret E. Sangster last June, one of America's champions of the dignity of home-making laid down her arms. The latest number of *The Youth's Companion*, publishes Mrs. Sangster's definition of a good housekeeper, from which we clip the following:

The housekeeper, in her office, unites several important functions. As general business manager she must keep accounts and be sure that they balance at the end of the week or month. The successful housekeeper is thrifty without being mean, is exact in her planning, and makes it her endeavor to have a margin available in case of an unexpected demand upon her resources. This rule obtains, without exception, in every variety of housekeeping, in the smallest apartments as in the largest mansions.

The good housekeeper caters for her family, tempts the fastidious appetite of the invalid, provides sufficient food for the growing boy, and sees that the certified milk is in the refrigerator for the baby. She may not herself be able to do all the work that goes on beneath her roof, but she knows how it should be done, and insists upon an unvarying standard of excellence in its accomplishment. She must also possess a practical knowledge of hygiene.

Beyond all this, she is a home-maker. The house is merely the outer shell of the home. Its reason for being is that it is the tangible expression of that sweet, elusive and beloved place in which men, women and children live together in harmony and find their best development. Housekeeping is as truly a profession as medicine, law or journalism.

A Large Poultry Farm

O. A. Newton, of Bridgeville, president of the State Board of Agriculture, and J. E. Davis, of the same town, are arranging to build one of the largest poultry plants in the State. The equipment will consist of a 200 foot laying house, 60 foot brooding house, 100 foot double brooding house, incubator cellar, with one of the latest style Candler mammoth incubators. As their stock increases other houses will be added. Only a few years ago, Mr. Newton was a poor boy, he began growing small fowls, and with energy and push, today ranks among the wealthiest farmers of the State. Of late he has taken a fancy to poultry and has decided to build on his beautiful 300-acre farm one of the most up-to-date poultry plants in the country. Mr. Newton left last week for an extended western trip, where he will visit some of the largest plants in the West. Among others will be C. B. Fisher, of Hope, Ind., who has 120 acres devoted entirely to poultry, stocked with his "Best in the World" White Plymouth Rocks; also Frank Fay, of Des Moines, Iowa, one of the largest breeders in the West. Mr. Newton for several years has taken quite an interest in politics, having been twice elected to represent his district in the lower house of legislature.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PENCADER HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Pencader Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1912 are now due and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at

Glasgow, July 24th, August 28th, September 25th, October 23d, November 27th December 24th. From 2 to 4 P. M.

Summit Bridge, July 25th, August 29th, September 26th, October 24th, November 28th, December 24th. From 10 to 12 A. M.

Kirkwood, July 25th, August 29th, September 26th, October 24th, November 28th, December 24th. From 2 to 5 P. M.

Dayett's Mills, July 26th, August 30th, September 27th, October 25th, November 29th, December 27th. From 10 to 12 A. M.

Bryan's Store, July 26th, August 30th, September 27th, October 25th, November 29th, December 27th. From 2 to 5 P. M.

Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Collector, or by sending written communication enclosing stamps.

Extract from the Laws of Delaware, Governing the Collection of Taxes of New Castle County, Section 3, Chapter 30, Volume 21, Laws of Delaware, as amended:

SECTION—That all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. And all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. And on all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

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Collector of Taxes for Pencader Hundred

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Preparing for Enormous Traffic

The quantity of traffic being handled by railroads today is enormous, and the railroads themselves will be taxed to their utmost this fall, was the statement made by the Pennsylvania Railroad today.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has increased all of its freight collectors to assist the railroads in their efforts to prevent any car shortage. The importance of prompt loading and unloading of cars is being impressed upon shippers, who are also being urged to co-operate with the railroads to prevent any congestion of traffic.

The Pennsylvania, in pursuance of its policy in such cases of taking early steps to provide, if possible, any likelihood of a car shortage on its lines, is advising its patrons to have freight ready for loading when cars are placed on sidings, and is urging them to load all cars as near to capacity as practicable, in order to get the greatest possible service out of each car used.

The prediction of the Pennsylvania of a heavy fall traffic is especially interesting at this time, following, as it does, a statement just issued by W. A. Garrett, Chairman of the Association of Western Railroads, in which he makes an appeal to industrial traffic managers and commercial organizations. Mr. Garrett says:

"The time is here for the railways and shippers of the United States to begin active and energetic preparations to prevent a car shortage. The indications are that if they do not begin such preparations at once they will be confronted next October with the worst situation that has existed since October, 1907, just before the panic. No railway man or shipper needs to be told what that situation was. Railway facilities were inadequate to move the business. Yards and terminals were congested, and heavy losses to the railways, the shippers, and the public resulted.

Conditions that are likely to cause a heavy demand for, and a rapid reduction in the supply of, cars exist. The amount of traffic handled varies greatly during different parts of the year. During about four months, beginning around October 1st, there are apt to be shortages. This is owing chiefly to the fact that that is the season of heaviest crop movement. Now, the crop prospects in the West this year are unusually good. That helps to make the prospect of a heavy fall traffic unusually bad.

"If the situation now threatening is to be averted, the managers of the railroads must have the hearty support and co-operation of the shippers and consignees in at least two ways:

"By loading all lumber, coal, cement, and other freight that they can within the next few weeks, instead of delaying until throwing it all on the railways when they are straggling under the crop movement.

The Commercial Organizations of the cities can help greatly by urging their members to move all goods as early as possible.

Shippers and consignees can greatly help themselves, the railways and all other shippers and consignees, by loading and unloading all cars delivered to them as expeditiously as practicable. Every time the loading or unloading of a car is needlessly delayed, the available supply of cars is needlessly reduced; no shipper has any right to complain that he is not furnished enough cars, if he is by his own acts needlessly and wrongfully reducing the available supply of cars. Commercial Organizations cannot render a better service to their members than by urging on them the need for prompt loading and unloading. Cars are furnished for transportation, not for storage; and every one used for storage reduces the number available for transportation.

Shippers can help greatly by loading all cars to as near their capacity as practicable. The more freight there is loaded in each the less cars will be required to move all of the freight. There has been a great deal of talk in recent years about the need for better co-operation between railways and shippers. Here is a matter regarding which they can heartily and energetically co-operate to the very great gain of both."

Fighting the Rat

Now that the public is thoroughly awake to the dangerous character of the house rat, a fight has begun against another familiar pest, the rat. Both as a carrier of disease and a consumer and defiler of human food, the rat deserves extermination. The Public Health Department of the United States government suggests pieces of stale bread spread with phosphorus paste as a sure means of getting rid of him; but if this preparation is used, be sure to put it in receptacles that will permit nothing larger than a rat to get at it, for it will kill cats, dogs and chickens as quickly as it will kill rats.

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VOTE AT PRIMARY

With all due recognition to the importance of the National and State tickets, nothing so vitally concerns the ordinary voter as his local representatives that make up the County and hundred ticket.

The same can be said of the Representative and Senator from your District. These men named by representatives at the next session your party will be your personal voter's interest, to see to it that men are named whom he can trust.

A great deal is said, and not without reason, that men are placed on the ticket at the behest of some leader with some political interest at stake.

We often hear complaints of selections made, when those voicing these complaints, had not taken advantage of casting their vote in opposition.

The voters of any one hundred know far better than any city man or combination who can best represent them and if they will only appreciate their power, such interference or dictation under guise of party harmony will be sternly resented.

the agitation of the Free Library last Winter was started not by the Post as honored or accused by some of our kind friends, but came direct from the State Library Commission.

We hope, however, those in favor of the idea will again bring the matter before the people of Newark and sincerely hope that no one will be so un-American as to try to prevent an expression of opinion of the whole citizenship at an appointed election under the supervision of the Board of Education as provided for by the law.

And it might be the honest thing to say that we shall mention the subject from time to time, thus expressing our opinion. We take this without soliciting the privilege from those who oppose the idea.

The opposition may be right. We still reserve the right to be wrong, especially if we don't think we are.

The fall and winter is coming on, with its spirit of gay social evenings at 500. What of those in our community without these opportunities? Boys, her, outside college grounds, working in our mills and factories, what of their evenings?

Where do they go? We know. And their minds are turned to a duty and responsibility—the only honest citizenship—of good offered the public, and to contentment or permit foreign interference or dictation is to fail in asserting plain Delaware manhood.

And the fun they are missing! They don't know the downright fun in a good wholesome book, a debating club, a magazine,—and it is up to us to show them.

PEOPLES' COLUMN

THANKS DR. ROBIN

Mr. Editor: I wish to express my appreciation for the Sewer article by Dr. Robin in last week's issue of the Post.

Newark should be thankful that she is blessed by having the interest of such an authority. It has occurred to me that he would be a good man to call in consultation when we get busy on our system of sewerage.

Around Hockessin

Harmony Grange has resumed the regular Monday evening meetings. At the last meeting, in the Master's absence, Robert M. Walker presided.

Cecil County Letter

The Board of Trustees of Cecil County, Md., met in session at Eastern, last Thursday, with delegates present from all the counties save Cecil.

POPULAR RULE ON FREE LIBRARY

In reply to several inquiries made recently, we wish to say that the Post has no intention of trying to force an election on the Free Library question.

Chicago Convention, will review the work of the "Stigma Roller" and repel the charge that Taft's nomination was stolen.

The report of retiring County Superintendent of Schools, W. D. Bratton, recently forwarded to State Superintendent M. B. Stephens, contains some interesting statistics.

George Davis, employed at the Ganeet Paper Mill at Marley, near Childs, bought his hand in contact with a circular saw while cutting empty barrel for kindling, on Saturday, and three of his fingers were severed.

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PERSONALS

Miss Alice Evans has resumed her studies at the Moody School, New York.

A band of gypsies passed through Newark last Friday, moving toward Elkton. This was the largest number that have been seen in the town for some time.

Strickersville. Miss Ella Saddington and Miss Jones of Germantown, have been the guests of J. C. Vansants.

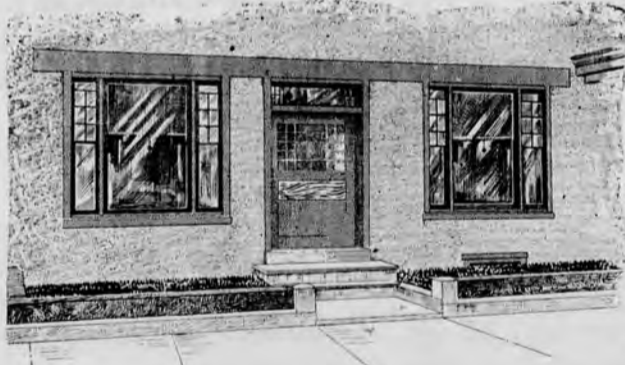
Party at Chautauqua. Many people from this locality are attending the Chautauqua in session from September 6-12, at Kennett Square.

WE REQUEST THAT YOU EXAMINE THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THIS BANK TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE IN THIS PAPER.

NOTES FROM McNEAL'S COAL TO ADVANCE. Get your order in for Coal. Prices on Egg, Stove and Nut will advance 25¢ per ton Sept. 1st.

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LOCAL NEWS

Charles Weir, aged 20 years, was seriously injured on Sunday at the farm of Charles Bird near Christman, when he was kicked in the stomach by a horse.

Old Through-apply to Bower, Newark. ELTON. H. AH 8105 of T. JONES Shops with Rooms or DELAWARE AVENUE. R. S. GALLAHER. R. S. GALLAHER. R. S. GALLAHER. R. S. GALLAHER.

BASE BALL NEWS GAMES OF THE WEEK

The games played on Saturday in the Tri-County League were disastrous ones to all the pennant contenders except Port Deposit. Newark's defeat by Elkton, 5 to 1; Aberdeen's defeat by Oxford, 5 to 1; and Havre de Grace's defeat by Elk Mills, 3 to 2, practically took away the last possible chance that any of these three teams had of catching Port Deposit before the going sounds on September 28th. The standing of the clubs at this time follows:

W.	L.	Pct.
Port Deposit	17	.589
Newark	14	.583
Oxford	14	.583
Havre de Grace	14	.560
Aberdeen	13	.520
Elkton	12	.480
Elk Mills	8	.333
Northeast	5	.298

The game between Newark and Elkton on Saturday was a disappointment to many of the local fans. They had figured that by winning this game, the remaining three games would be easy, which would give an excellent chance for the pennant, always providing, however, that the strong Port Deposit team should lose one or more of its remaining games.

Geoghegan, the Delaware College south-paw, who has been so effective since he rejoined the club several weeks ago, was selected for the box work at Elkton, as "Vic" Willis, had already pitched one game in the Cecil County Capitol, and was, therefore, not eligible to pitch again.

Unfortunately, it was one of Geoghegan's bad days and, to use the well known baseball term, he did not have a thing but a straight ball and good support. Notwithstanding the fact that his curve was not breaking at all, the locals managed to keep the score a tie until the eighth inning. This was mostly due to the fact that Elkton had not bunched its hits and Newark played a fast game in the field. Elkton was first to score, putting one over in the sixth, but Newark came back strong in the seventh and tied the score. This tie did not last long, however, as the Cecil County boys got after Geoghegan hard in the eighth and limited four runs across the rubber, which was more than enough to win. Elkton tried four pitchers, Lavin, Potts, Watson and Clay, and all of them held Newark safe. The score follows:

ELKTON

R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
H. Scott, 1b	0	2	0	2
Lewis, 2b	0	0	5	2
Shon's, 3b	0	1	0	2
Garrett, rf	1	2	4	0
Watson, cfp	1	2	0	2
Marcus, lf	1	0	0	0
W. Scott, ss	0	1	2	2
Lavin, p	0	2	0	0
Potts, p	1	1	4	1
Clay, p	0	1	1	1
Peterson, of	1	0	0	0
Totals	5	11	27	12

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LOOKS LIKE PORT DEPOSIT

Unless the unexpected should happen and plenty of it, Port Deposit will win the 1912 pennant in the Tri-County League. The flood town boys now have a lead of nearly three games and as there are but three more games scheduled it is almost impossible for the leaders to drop back. This club has played consistent ball and while the entire team deserves credit, the lion's share of the credit should go to pitcher Taylor. It has been largely his fine work in the box that has kept Port Deposit in or near the front all season. Taylor, who is an instructor in Tome Institute, has done better work in the box than any other Tri-County League twirler and while he has pitched nearly every game that Port Deposit has played, it has been very seldom that opposing teams get more than four or five hits off his delivery.

Newark, until the defeat on Saturday, had a possible chance to either win out or tie Port Deposit. This was due to the fact that Newark has one postponed game to play, and also to the fact that the leaders have three hard games to play. Two of these are with Oxford and one with Aberdeen. At the rate Oxford has been going, it is more than an even bet that they will take at least one of the games from Port Deposit. Should Port Deposit lose one or two of the remaining three games that it is scheduled to play, both Newark and Oxford have a chance of tying for the pennant. Newark and Oxford are now tied for second place. This chance, however, is very remote. Should Port Deposit lose two more games that club would end the season with 18 victories and 10 defeats. If either Newark or Oxford wins the three scheduled

games and the one postponed game, the standing of that club would then be 18 victories and 10 defeats, exactly the same as Port Deposit. It would be impossible for both teams to tie Port Deposit, as they have a postponed game to lose a game. The schedule is much more favorable to Newark than Oxford. This is due to the fact that while Newark plays two games with Northeast, the tail-enders, and one with Elkton on the home grounds, Oxford will have to meet Port Deposit in two games and Aberdeen in one.

OXFORD CLUB STRONG

The work on the Oxford team since July 1, has been one of the features of the league race. Had Oxford played the same class of ball, the first two months of the season that it has played since, it would now be in the first place with a safe lead. The playing of this club since July 1, has been the strongest and most consistent of any team in the league. At that time Oxford was in the seventh place and had won but a very few games. Since the team struck its gait, it has been gradually climbing until now it is tied for second place. The Oxford pitcher iron man, Reynolds, is responsible for much of this speed, but the team's hitting ability is really what has brought it to the front. Oxford has been hitting the ball harder than any other club in the league.

Elk Mills, due to the fine pitching of Hoffecker has also been playing a fast game for the last six weeks and has won more than half of its games in that time notwithstanding its low place in the race.

SEASON HAS BEEN A SUCCESS

The Tri-County season has been a very successful one. This is due to the fact that the race has been a close one all season and the league has remained intact. The same clubs remain that started the season the first of last May. While it is Newark's first in the race, this town has greatly strengthened the league. Newark has always been a factor in the race, and has also drawn larger crowds than any other town in the organization. The interest taken in the game locally is an indication that the Newark fans prefer league ball to the independent games.

The local club goes to Northeast next Saturday and will then be home for the remainder of the season, September 21 with Northeast and September 28 with Elkton. If the postponed game with Oxford is played off it will be on the local grounds after the regular season closes.

PEN-MAR LEAGUE

In a seven inning game which was stopped because of the rain, the Newark Field Club of the Pen-Mar League, on Saturday defeated the Strickersville club by the score of 10 to 4. The attendance at the Pen-Mar League games here has fallen off considerably, and this is thought to be largely due to the fact that the games are never started near the time that they are advertised to start. Persons who pay to see the games want them to start on time so they can get home for supper. Last Saturday, as well as on one previous occasion, the game was held up for nearly half an hour because there was no mask on the grounds, and it was necessary to hunt all over the town for a mask before the game could be started. Such things as this disgust the fans and consequently they stay away.

Newark Field Club plays Appleton here next Saturday, and this should be a good game.

Many Scholarships Offered

West Nottingham Academy opens on September 12th, with the prospect of the most prosperous year in the history of the school. In order to encourage board-students the school has offered ten \$75 boarding school scholarships. Preference is given to needy boys, and a certain amount of work is offered to boys who cannot afford to pay the full amount of boarding expense.

The Power of the School

The modern school is perhaps the greatest missionary in the world. Doctor Elliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, who has just returned from a trip round the world, declares that modern education is responsible for both the Chinese republic and the powerful empire of Japan. He attributes the existence of both to the influence of young Chinese and Japanese who have been educated in Europe and America.

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The Taxpayers of White Clay Creek Hundred are hereby notified that I will be at the following places to receive County, Poor, Road, Capitation and Dog Taxes for the year 1912.

Will be at the following places BETWEEN the hours of 9 to 12 and 1 to 4 P. M.

Newark, Brown's Store
Aug. 1, Sept. 6, Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 5

Newark, Lovett's Office
Aug. 8, Oct. 17, Nov. 14, Dec. 12

Christiana Hotel
Aug. 15, Sept. 27, Oct. 24, Nov. 21, Dec. 19

Newark, Washington House
Sept. 13, Oct. 31, Dec. 26

Newark, Deer Park Hotel
Sept. 20, Oct. 10

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It is in fact a wonder for it not only is a dust killer but a polish and germ killer. This may sound strange but a trial will convince the most particular.

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 Monday 3 to 5.45 P. M.
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 Friday 3 to 5.45 P. M.
 Saturday 9 to 12 M. 7 to 9 P. M.

BANKS
 Meeting of Directors, National Bank, every Tuesday morning.
 Meeting of Directors of Newark Trust Company, every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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LODGE MEETINGS
OPERA HOUSE
 Monday—Knights of Pythias, or K. of P., 7.30 p. m.
 Tuesday—Imp. Order of Red Men, 7.30 p. m.
 Wednesday—Heptasophs, or S. W. M., 7.30 p. m.
 Thursday—Ladies' Circle, S. W. M., 7.30 p. m.
 Friday—Modern Woodmen of America, No. 10,170, 7.30 p. m.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL
 Monday—Jr. Order American Mechanics, 7.30 p. m.
 Saturday—Knights of Golden Eagle, 7.30 p. m.
 Thursday—I. O. O. F., 7.30 p. m.
 Town Council—1st Monday night of every month.
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FIRE ALARMS
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Harvest Home A Success
 The Harvest Home held in Pennock's Grove last Thursday by Fairview Lodge, J. O. G. T. was largely attended.
 The picnic luncheon at noon was followed by a program of speaking, music and recitations. Rev. J. S. Gillilan of Newark presiding. Forceful and interesting addresses were made on temperance topics by Rev. D. M. Cleland, of Dover, Lewis W. Brosius of Wilmington, and Dr. Lewis A. Parsels of Philadelphia.
 Music was furnished by the Kempleville Corner Band, and the Mozarian Quartet of Wilmington.

The Will of the Late Henry S. Goldey
 Under the will of the late Henry S. Goldey, founder of Goldey College, Wilmington, many legacies are left to charitable institutions, many Methodist church organizations. His estate is left in trust, with the Equitable Guarantee and Trust Company for the use of his widow during her life and, in addition to some gifts to relatives, the following are beneficiaries:—Board of Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, \$500; Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, \$500; Board of Stewards of the Wilmington Methodist Conference, as an endowment fund, \$300; Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society, \$500; Sunday School Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, \$500; Tract Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, \$500; American Bible Society, \$500; Methodist Episcopal Society, Philadelphia, \$2000; Delaware Hospital, \$1000; Associated Christianities, \$500; Sunday Breakfast Association, \$500; Delaware State Sunday School Association, \$500; Y. M. C. A., \$500; Wilmington Conference Academy, \$500.

Professor Goldey, in his younger days taught in the Newark Academy, and had many friends in this vicinity.
 October second has been chosen as the date for the dedication of the Masonic Home of Delaware on Lancaster turnpike near Wilmington. The Board of Managers will meet next Thursday to arrange the program. The Grand Lodge of Delaware will begin its annual convention on the day preceding the dedication.

Walking Tour Through Delaware
 Lieut. Elrod R. Hunt, of the United States army, now stationed in Wilmington as instructor for the Delaware Militia, accompanied by his wife, returned last Saturday from a walking tour through Delaware.
 They report the walking a difficult proposition, as the sand is heavy, and there is no pretence of walking paths for the public to follow, along some of the roads.
 Their experience with Delaware roads is that "better roads" are sorely needed, and that the prosperity of the State is greatly retarded by the lack of them.
 At another time Lieutenant and Mrs. Hunt propose to walk over the counties and visit all the places of interest in the history of Delaware.

Power of the School Commission
 The County Commissioners of New Castle County held a meeting in Wilmington last Friday and matters pertaining to the various schools were thoroughly discussed. A short time ago the State Board of Education, being in doubt as to certain points pertaining to making needed changes in school buildings, wrote to Attorney-General Andrew C. Gray, asking for his opinion in the matter. Mr. Gray's reply, which was read at the meeting, follows:
 "I am now of the opinion that the law authorizes the several county school commissioners or Board of Education of any school district in the county over which the said commission has jurisdiction to make such changes in the schoolhouse and outbuildings as the commission shall deem necessary for sanitation or for the health of the pupils of the district, upon penalty of the withholding from the district of its share of the State appropriation for school purposes."
 The German government has recently removed nine thousand men from positions in the postal service and put women in their places. The Emperor seems to be revising, or allowing others to revise, his opinion that women should limit their interests to "children, church and cooking."

The Grain Crop
 This year's grain crops in the United States will be far in excess of last year's yield, it is estimated by the Department of Agriculture. It will be better than the average crop for the last 10 years, and, in the case of a number of products, will make a new record, if present estimates are not overturned by conditions at present unforeseen.
 The country's corn crop, estimated at 2,811,000,000 bushels, will be the largest in the nation's history, with the exception of the years 1906 and 1910, the former being the banner year, with 2,927,000,000 bushels.
 As to the wheat crop, estimated at 680,000,000 bushels, that will rank fifth in size in the last 20 years.
 The oats crop will be the largest the country has gathered, surpassing by 21,000,000 bushels that of 1910, the previous record.
 In barley, too, this year will establish a new record, the estimated yield of 202,000,000 bushels being 21,000,000 bushels greater than that of 1907, the previous best year.
 The yield of rye, 35,000,000 bushels, will equal that of 1910, the former record year.
 Of potatoes, which will amount this year to 371,000,000 bushels, only 1909, with its 389,000,000 bushels, produced a larger yield.—Exchange.

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